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The Philadelphia Convention!

THE OPENING SESSION!

A GREAT THROU!

The Delegations Harmonious!

LETTER FROM FERNANDO WOOD.

Speech of Gov. Orr of South Carolina.

CONVENTION OF NORTHERN AND SOUTHERN SOLDIERS PROPOSED.

Interesting Particulars!

PROCEEDINGS OF YESTERDAY.

PHILADELPHIA, Aug. 13, 1866.—The Convention opened last night and this morning came heavily laden with delegates and visitors to the great Convention. The reception of the Executive Committee has been prolonged all day with delegates registering their names. The members of the committee have been in session for several hours completing the arrangements for the convention, and consulting with leading members of the various delegations upon the course of proceedings to be adopted.

The several State delegations held separate informal meetings to-day, and it was found that nearly all of them are already fully organized. Information was received from those who had arrived assuring the attendance of a full delegation from every State and Territory in the Union.

Another meeting of the various delegations will be held to-night. In the meantime, the chairman of each delegation meets the Executive Committee for consultation. The harmonious feeling which has hitherto existed, was if possible, manifested in a still more marked manner to-day.

Hon. Fernando Wood has addressed the following letter to Mr. Doolittle:

PHILADELPHIA, Aug. 13, '66.—Hon. J. R. Doolittle:

DEAR SIR: I am earnestly desirous for the entire success of the movement proposed to be initiated by the Convention of to-morrow. If successful the results to the country will be of the most salutary character, but cannot be successful if its proceedings shall be disturbed by any cause whatever.

I am informed that a serious disagreement is likely to arise in consequence of an attempt to be made to exclude some delegates, myself included, because our political record is distasteful to the Radicals and their sympathizers.

Now, although I feel confident that such an outrage would not be perpetrated in my case by the convention, and though I have nothing to regret or take back as to my course during the war—and I do not admit the right of any one to raise that question in the Convention under the call—yet I am too much devoted to the accomplishment of the high and patriotic object in view to permit my presence there to be made a means of disturbing its deliberations, or an excuse for assault by its enemies outside. Therefore I shall not attend the Convention as a delegate.

Very Respectfully, Your obt. serv't. FERNANDO WOOD.

Alexander H. Stephens, although he may be in the city, will be in the Convention.

It has been arranged that Senator Hendricks of Indiana, shall be made the temporary chairman.

At the meeting of the chairman of the various delegations this evening the following business was agreed upon:

Each delegation to report to-morrow one of its number for Vice President, one for Secretary, two for the Committee on Finance, two for the National Union Committee, two for the committee to wait upon the President with a report of the proceedings of the Convention, one for Committee on Credentials, one for that upon organization, two upon resolutions and address.

The letter of the Hon. Fernando Wood, declining to present himself as a delegate in the Convention, has been very generally circulated this evening. It is universally regarded as a noble, manly and patriotic action.

The following is the list of the chairman of delegations who participated in the meeting this afternoon:

Maine, W. B. Crosby; Vermont, B. H. Simmons, H. B. Smalley; Massachusetts, D. G. Abbott; Connecticut, F. M. Brown; New Jersey, Joseph J. Crowell; Maryland, Gov. T. G. Pratt; New Hampshire, C. B. Boyers; Rhode Island, W. B. Lawrence; New York, S. J. Tilden; Delaware, J. P. Conneys; Virginia, T. S. Flournoy; West Virginia, D. Lamb; North Carolina, Nathaniel Boyden; South Carolina, Gov. Orr; Georgia, R. F. Lyon; Alabama, Gov. Parsons; Louisiana, P. A. Moore; Mississippi, H. F. Symrell; Arkansas, Wm. Byers; Florida, Thomas Randall; Tennessee, J. S. Barriar; Texas, B. H. Apperson; Missouri, Bartlett Able; Kentucky, E. Hise; Ohio, W. S. Groves; Indiana, T. S. Hendricks and Gen. S. Meredith; Illinois, O. H. Brown.

ing; Iowa, Thos. H. Benton, Jno. Michl. G. O. Lewis; Wisconsin, A. Hyatt Smith and H. L. Palmer; Minnesota, H. M. Rice; Kansas, Gen. H. Ewing; Nebraska, H. B. Heath; Jas. A. McDougall; Pennsylvania, Gov. Porter and Senator Cowan; District of Columbia, Col. Jas. R. O'Brien.

Meets. Orr, of South Carolina, Parsons of Alabama, P. N. Nourse of Louisiana, and Browning of Illinois, are among those who will have official prominence in the convention.

It is generally believed that Senator Hendricks of Indiana, will be temporary chairman.

It is understood that the business of the Convention will be confined to the enunciation of principles without reference to any political party now in existence.

PHILADELPHIA, Aug. 14.—The trains last night and this morning were heavily laden with delegates and visitors to the great Convention, and the hotels are overflowing. The reception room of the Executive Committee has been thronged with delegates registering their names. Every State and Territory is represented.

The harmonious feeling of yesterday is still more marked to-day.

Fernando Wood's letter declining to appear as a delegate has made him many friends.

Vallandigham will not go into the Convention. He has written a letter to that effect.

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First Days Proceedings.

Intense Enthusiasm—South Carolina and Massachusetts—Senator Doolittle to be President.

Philadelphia, August 14.—The Convention assembled in the wigwag at 12:30 P. M. Mr. Randall opened the Convention, saying:

"Gentlemen—I have to announce that the delegates from South Carolina and Massachusetts will now come arm in arm into this convention."

This announcement was greeted with great applause by the entire audience.

At this moment, Maj. Gen. Couch, of Massachusetts, and Gov. Orr, of South Carolina, at the head of the delegations, marched in, arm in arm—banners flying and music playing. Shout after shout, spontaneous and general, rent the air, and tears filled the eyes of delegates and spectators.

Senator Doolittle has been nominated on the Committee of Organization as permanent chairman. Vallandigham sent a letter to the Ohio delegation declining to go into the Convention. It will be read before that body to-morrow.

An informal meeting was held last evening of the soldiers of both Northern and Southern armies, in which the proposition was made and received with favor to call a convention of the soldiers of the two armies, at some central point, within a few weeks, when the men who fought bravely against each other may meet in a spirit of conciliation, and determine to stand together in maintaining the Union and the Constitution.

Gov. Orr, of South Carolina, spoke at the National Guard's Hall last night. He said that the people of the South believed they had a right to secede. The North did not agree, and the question was submitted to the arbitration of arms. The Northern interpretation of the Constitution has been formally and legally established. That decision was pronounced on the field of battle, and the decree is incontrovertible. The South has surrendered her principles and accepts the Northern interpretation. We are willing to abide by it forever. The people of the South have been very large extent, been stripped of their property. Their banks are gone; their credit is gone. In many localities the great stand-point of civil law has been lost. Thus the people of the South have far more need of a stable government than you have, and it is mad folly to charge that they will not fulfil their oaths to support this government. We claim that this is our government as well as yours, but that we may be equal we must have representation in Congress. It is not just to tax us and exclude us from representation. Montgomery Blair and others spoke.

THE CATHOLIC CHURCH.—The second plenary Council of the Catholic Church in the United States will convene at Baltimore on the first Sunday in October. The Archbishop of Baltimore will preside. The Bishop of Newark, in announcing the Council to his clergy, says there are a large number of important practical questions affecting the discipline of the Church and its greater efficiency, some of them growing out of the present condition of things, which need to be determined and enforced.

RESTORE THE MAIL SERVICE OF THE SOUTH.

To the People of Virginia, North Carolina, South Carolina, Georgia, Alabama, Mississippi, Louisiana, Tennessee, Arkansas, Missouri, Florida, and Texas: Having recently returned from the South, I am well aware of the great inconvenience to which the Southern people are subjected on account of lack of mail facilities. They are very great extending to the south with which contractors are required to comply, there being but few men in the South who can take it. Having conferred with the proper authorities, (and obtained their approval, I find that this difficulty can be obviated and the mails established upon every route at the South, and at the highest rates admissible for the people of either North or South. Being a National Union man, (late of North Carolina), by which I mean one that is alike opposed to the heresies of the Extremists North and South, I can take this oath and thus form the connecting link between the Southern people and the United States Government. This I propose to do and to establish mails on every route at the South now destitute of them, as follows:

Any person who is desirous of becoming a contractor will address me at once, stating the route or routes for which he wishes to become contractor, (stating the exact points to be connected, which of course, should be on some route heretofore established.) I will then contract for such route or routes in my own name, and let the parties have them at a discount of 2 1/2 per cent., on the annual amount for carrying the mails on said route or routes: This arrangement will secure the route to the contractor substantially the same as if it were his own contract, and frequently at a better price than could be obtained in the usual way where there is so much competition.

My percentage or mileage as above, will not be required until the end of the first quarter. The first applicant for a route or routes, judging by the post-mark on the letter of application, will have the preference, other things being equal.

Persons when making application should send a guaranty signed by at least two guarantors. The guaranty should be certified to by a postmaster or a judge of a court of record. Applicants can, if they desire, obtain blank forms, printed by the Government, by addressing either the undersigned or the Assistant Postmaster General, Geo. W. McClellan, who will take pleasure in giving all the information that may be desired.

As I am recognized as principal in this matter, payment must necessarily come through me. I can, however give the parties drafts on the sixth Auditor of the United States Treasury for all the quarter for which the contract may have been awarded, and these can be presented one at a time as they fall due, and the money drawn substantially the same as if the parties were bona fide contractors. In this case the express (two and half per cent) should be paid by or before the expiration of the first quarter after the commencement of service; otherwise payment for this quarter will be drawn by the undersigned, expenses deducted, and the residue, with drafts for the remaining quarters, forwarded to the parties carrying the mails. If persons prefer, I will draw and forward their money at the end of every quarter, without extra charge. I would however prefer that they accept the drafts in their hands, as they will have the matter in their own hands. It would be a source of much gratification to me if I be the means of extending mail facilities to the Southern people. Their attention is therefore respectfully called to this matter. As I am not required to cut down, through competition, it would doubtless be to their interest to make speedy application, before any modification is made in the test oath in order that they may obtain these routes at the highest rates admissible.

Persons confiding to my care may rely upon fair dealing. All accepted bids will be entered upon the books of the Post Office Department, where they will be open for inspection.

All letters relative to the foregoing should contain a stamp for answer, and addressed to BRYAN TYSON, Box 1000, Washington, D. C.

REFERENCES. (by permission of) G. W. Sanson, D. D., L. L. D., President Columbia College; Hon. Chas. Mason, President National Democratic Executive Committee.

THE UNDERSIGNED, residing at _____, State of _____, undertake that if the bid for carrying the mail on the route No. _____ (if No. be not given it is not essential), be accepted by the Postmaster General, the bidder shall enter into the required obligation or contract, to perform the contract with good and sufficient securities.

Dated: _____ 89-41

THE UNDERSIGNED, postmaster at _____, State of _____, certifies under his oath of office that he is acquainted with the above guarantors and knows them to be men of property and able to make good their guaranty.

Dated: _____ 89-41

If it is not convenient for an acting postmaster to fill out the certificate, an old one will answer.

Editors throughout the South will give the foregoing two insertions and forward bill with a copy of paper to the undersigned. Those giving two or more additional insertions will be entitled to a special discount of \$2.00.

NEW TAILORING Establishment.

THE SUBSCRIBER WOULD RESPECTFULLY inform the citizens of SALISBURY and vicinity, that he has opened a

TAILOR SHOP

in Cowan's BRICK ROW, Main Street, opposite Sprague Bros' store, where he will be found at all times, ready to wait on all who may favor him with their patronage, and hopes by strict attention to business, to merit and receive a liberal share of the

PUBLIC PATRONAGE.

All work done by the subscriber warranted to be put up in the LATEST STYLE, and in a good and workmanlike manner and warranted to fit.

J. D. WILLIAMS, Aug. 9, '66.

MAGGIEL'S FEVER & AGUE CURE.

DR. MAGGIEL'S Fever and Ague Pills also cure Chills and Fever. They are an infallible tonic for the system in all miasmatic districts, and should be kept in the medicine chest of every family.

A box of PILLS will be sent free to any suffering with the above complaints, and no money need be returned by the patient until he feels that he is getting cured by the use of MAGGIEL'S CHILLS and FEVER PILLS. They are sold by all Druggists at \$2.00 per box, and a perfect cure is guaranteed with from one to three boxes, if the directions are implicitly followed.

Sold by all Druggists and Dr. J. MAGGIEL, 43 Fulton Street, New York, a \$2.00 per box, and to whom all orders should be addressed.

Caution.—I have noticed with much pain that many Druggists, both at home and abroad, are offering my Billious and Diarrhoea Pills to patients for the cure of Chills and Fever and Ague. My Billious and Diarrhoea Pills are infallible for what they claim to be, but nothing more. Do not thus be imposed upon. My Chills and Fever remedies have their name on the boxes, and are entirely different from any of other medicines. I have been at considerable expense to have a label engraved and counterfeited, and I hope that the consumer will narrowly scrutinize what he purchases, purporting to be mine.

J. MAGGIEL, M. D., 43 Fulton St., New York.

MARKET REPORTS.

SALISBURY, AUG. 16, 1866. COLLECTED DAILY BY SPRAGUE BROS.

Table with market prices for various goods like Bacon, Lard, Corn, Flour, etc.

Miscellaneous Advertisements.

State of North Carolina, Executive Department, Raleigh, August 6th, 1866.

By direction of HIS EXCELLENCY, JONATHAN WORTH, Governor of said State, notice is hereby given that D. R. Bruton, N. F. Reid, C. M. Leries, John M. Shelly, Braxton Craven, E. W. Best, and J. P. Stimson, of said State, having made application to be created a body corporate, under the name and style of the "THOMASVILLE FEMALE COLLEGE," for the purpose of female education at the encouragement of education generally, and having, in all respects, complied with the statute, in such case made and provided, have this day been created a body politic and corporate, under the name of the "THOMASVILLE FEMALE COLLEGE," as aforesaid, by letters patent, signed by His Excellency, the said Jonathan Worth, Governor of said State, and attested by the Great Seal of the State, a copy of which has been duly recorded in the office of the Secretary of State.—CONDITIONED, that the said corporation shall exist only for the term of twenty five years from the date of said letters patent, and that its Capital stock shall not exceed the sum of Forty thousand dollars.

WM. H. BAGLEY, Private Sec'y.

Collector's Office.

U. S. Internal Revenue, 2nd DISTRICT, NORTH CAROLINA, SALISBURY, N. C., Aug. 13, '66.

All persons against whom Assessments have been made and whose Taxes remain unpaid, will meet me prepared to pay their Taxes at the place and on the days as follows:

Salisbury, 2nd and 4th September, Concord, 4th and 6th September, Monroe, 7th and 9th September, Charlotte, 10th and 11th September, Dallas, 12th and 13th September, White Oak, 14th and 15th September, Mocksville, 17th and 18th September, Yadkinville, 19th and 20th September, Statesville, 21st and 22nd September, Newnes, 24th and 25th September, Wadesboro, 28th September.

CHARLES H. WILEY, Collector. Citizens Deserving and Statewide American, (including and send bills and copy of paper to Collector's Office, Aug. 13, '66, 21.

\$1,500 Per Year! We want agents everywhere to sell our Improved Sewing Machines. Three new kinds.—Under and upper feed. Sent on trial. Warranted five years. Above salary or large commissions paid. The only machines sold in United States for less than \$40, which are fully licensed by Howe, Wheeler & Wilson Grover & Baker, Singer & Co., and Bachelier. All other cheap machines are infringements on the seller or user or liable to arrest, fine and imprisonment. Illustrated circulars sent free. Address, or call on Shaw & Clark at Biddleford, Maine, or Chicago, Ill. may 28-d&w.6m

Carriage for Sale.

A FINE CITY CARRIAGE BUILT ON the Phœton style, for sale cheap, apply at this office, or to M. A. BRINGLE, Salisbury, N. C., June 30, 1866.

WARRANTED GOLD & SILVER.

L. M. DAVIS & CO., 70 WALL STREET, N. Y. C.

FOR 12 MONTHS.

GOLD & SILVER, the highest cash prices paid for old Silver and Gold Bullion.

L. M. DAVIS & CO., 70 WALL ST. N. Y. C.

MILLINERY.

Mrs. J. C. CARNCROSS, Milliner, 43 Fulton Street, New York.

Has removed to Bule's building nearly opposite the Market, on Main Street, where she is constantly receiving from the Northern Cities, the newest and handsomest styles of fancy Goods, for Ladies and Gentlemen. Call and examine her fine assortment.

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North Carolina Mutual Life Insurance Company.

WHERE THE WELL KNOWN CHARACTER of the Management is a guarantee of the character of the company.

Insure at Home. Keep the money at home. This Company insures the lives of all healthy persons from 14 to 60 years of age—securing the amount insured to the wife and children, against the claims of all creditors.

J. K. BURKE, Agent in Salisbury.

INSURE IN THE Southern Accident Insurance Company.

The Pioneer Company of the South. Authorized Capital, \$1,000,000.

Insures against all accidents to life and limb. Giving the holder an annual policy for the full amount insured, in case of death and compensation at the rate of \$5.00 per week for each \$1,000 if disabled.

Not exceeding Twenty-Six weeks. Short Time Policies (for Travellers) may be had from one day to one year and from \$500 to \$10,000.

Call at the Book Store before taking a trip and secure tickets of Agent Southern Accident Ins. Co. June 23, 1866.—1v2m

THOMASVILLE Female College.

THE Buildings and lands of "Glenn Anna Female Seminary," have been purchased, and the school has been reorganized with a Board of Trustees and a competent corps of Teachers, under the name and style of—

Thomasville Female College.

No town in the State affords better advantages in every particular for a college of high grade than Thomasville, situated as it is, on the North Carolina Railroad, in a region of country unsurpassed in health, good morals, and good society. It is the place for a college for Central and Western North Carolina, and it is our duty to make it equal to the demands of this portion of the State, both as to chartered privileges and buildings.

TERMS: BOARD—including all but lights, \$15 per month; TUITION—in Preparatory Department, \$10 to \$12.50 per session; TUITION—in College Department \$15 to \$17.50; Music on Piano, or Guitar \$22.50; Oil Painting \$20; Drawing \$10; French, Latin and German \$5 each.

Incidental expenses \$1. The First Session will open the 7th August, 1866, and continue 20 weeks. Payment to be made in currency—one half in advance, and the balance at the close of the session. For further particulars address, REV. D. R. BRUTON, President, or Rev. N. F. REID, D. D. Visitor, Thomasville, N. C. July 23, '66. tw3t.

Dr. A. M. Nesbitt,

Offers his professional services to the Citizens of Salisbury and the surrounding Country. He can be found at his Residence on Jackson Street, in rear of the Presbyterian Church.

July 27, '66.

New Arrival.

IN ADDITION TO OUR LARGE and carefully selected Stock of STAPLE & FANCY GOODS,

WE HAVE JUST RECEIVED A NEW SUPPLY OF Ladies' & Gentlemen's Wear.

CONSISTING OF Fancy and Mourning Prints, Bleached and Bryen Muslins, Gingham, and Jackonets, Silk Basque, Lace Mantles, and Prints, Summer Shavels, do. Mossem-beyes, Lenos, Black Silks,

Hood Skirts, Boots, Shoes, &c. A LARGE and EXCELLENT ASSORTMENT OF Ready-Made Clothing, GROCERIES, & HARDWARE.

We also have on hand many Goods that we wish to sell off in order to make room for our Fall Stock, and will do so at greatly reduced prices.

BRADSHAW, BROWN & CO. June 9, 1866. 60-dif

Just Received

At the Store of A. J. MOCK & CO.

2500 YARDS of beautiful new style Prints, also a few beautiful patterns of ladies' dress goods.

We have on hand a handsome selection of most every description of Ladies' Dress Goods,

White Goods, Linens, Ribbons, Laces, Hosiery, Dress Trimmings, Hats, Bonnets, &c., &c. For Gentlemen's wear, we have a large assortment of Cassimeres, Linen Goods and

Ready Made Clothing. Full assortment of Shoes, of every description, Hardware, Groceries and Crockery.

All of which we offer at reasonable advances as any house can sell them. A. J. Mock & Co. Salisbury, N. C., May 18, '66. dif no43

PATENT MEDICINES.

A BOON TO THE SICK AND THE LIGHT OF THE WORLD. DR. MAGGIEL'S Pills and Salve.

These Life-giving remedies are now given publicly to the world. For over a quarter of a century of private practice the ingredients in these

LIFE-GIVING PILLS, Have been used with the greatest success. Their mission is not only to prevent disease, but to cure. They search out the various maladies by which the patient is suffering, and reinvigorate the failing system. To the aged and infirm a few doses of these valuable pills will prove to be

A VERY FOUNTAIN OF YOUTH. For in every case they add new life and vitality, and restore the warning energies to their pristine state. To the young and middle-aged they will prove most invaluable, as a ready, specific, and sterling medicine. Here is a dream realized, that Ponce-de-Leon sought for three hundred years ago, and never found. He looked for a fountain that would restore the old to the vigor and make youth over

AN ETERNAL SPRING! These pills for this day and hour to realize the dream and live in one glorious fact, the magic that made it all.

THESE FAMOUS REMEDIES Cannot be overpraised, but they can force back and forth, and which might triumph over the aged and infirm, but hesitate then but seize the opportunity of a lifetime. When taken as prescribed

FOR DANGEROUS DISORDERS Nothing can be more productive of cure than these Pills. Their almost magic influence is felt at once, and the usual concomitants of the most distressing disease are removed. These remedies are made from the purest

VEGETABLE COMPOUNDS. They will not harm the most delicate female, and can be given with good effect in described doses to the youngest babe.

FOR CUTANEOUS DISORDERS and all eruptions of the skin, the salve is most invaluable. It does not heal externally alone, but penetrates with the most searching effects to the very root of the evil!

DR. MAGGIEL'S PILLS Invariably cure the following Diseases.

- Headache, Indigestion, Influenza, Inward weakness, Liver Complaint, Lowness of Spirits, Rheumatism, Salt Rheum, Scalds, Skin Diseases, &c.