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National Republican Ticket FOR PRESIDENT GEN, U.S. GRANT, OF ILLINOIS. FOR VICE-PRESIDENT HON. SCHUYLER COLFAX. OF INDIANA.

The National Union Republican Platform.

The National Republican party of the United States assembled in National Conwention, in the city of Chicago, on the 20th day of May. 1868, make the following declaration of principles, which we endorse, and beg leave to add that a bet tor, more liberal platform has not been before the people for many years. A party with such principles, and marshaled under the leadership of such men as GRANT and COLFAX, is invincible :

I. We congratulate the country on the assured success of the Reconstruction policy of Congress, as evinced by the adoption, in the majority of the States lately in rebellion of Constitutions securing Equal Civil and Political Rights to all, and it is the du'y of the Government to sustain those institutions and to prevent the people of such States from being remitted to a taste of anar-

II. The guaranty by Congress of Equal Suffrage to all loyal men at the South was demanded by every consideration of public safety, of gratitude, and of justice, and must be maintained; while the question of Suf- it constantly reduces the national debt .-

ple, he says : "The views of the public on old issues are constantly changing, and a purely administrative officer should alfense to prove his insanity did not even secure a postponement of the execution. England is still too ready to septence to ways be left free to execute the will of the people. I have always respected that will, and always shall,"

We regard this as strong language. foreshadows the policy of General GRANT if elected President. There will be no giving back " on the Repablican party by this man. The will of the nation will be respected, peace and quiet restored riedly tried, condemned and executed in to the whole country, and liberty, and ustice, union and equality before the law to all men " without regard to race or color or previous condition." will be guaranteed to every man throughout the length and breadth of this great and glo rious republie.

The following is General GRAST's letter ; "

of any man.

Their Wealth.

WASHINGTON, May 29, 1868, Gen. Joseph R. Hawley, President National Union Republican Convention : In formally accepting the nomination of the National Union Republican Convention, of the 21st of May, inst., it seems proper that some statement of views, beyond the mere acceptance of the nomination, should be expressed.

The proceedings of the Convention dom, we say. We hope to see the day. were marked with wisdom, moderation when under the influence of this great and patriotism, and I believe express the Republic, the thrones of all the world, feelings of the great mass of those who and especially Europe, will totter and sustained the country through its recent trials. I endorse their resolutions. If fall to rise no more. If time lasts, nothelected to the office of President of the ing is more certain than the downfall of United States, it will be my endeavor to all consolidated governments. administer all the laws in good faith, with economy and with a view of giving peace, quiet and protection every where.

At times like the present, it is impossible, or, at least, eminently improper, to servative Party is that all the wealth and lay down a policy to be adhered to, right intelligence of the State belongs to their or wrong, through an administration of four years.

New political issues, not foreseen, are constantly arising. The views of the public on old ones are constantly changing, and a purely administrative officer should always be left free to execute the will of the people. I have always respected that will, and always shall,

Peace, and universal prosperity, its se-quence, with economy of administration, will lighten the burden of taxation, while

LETTER FROM CHICAGO, THE would be assassin of Prince Alfred has been promptly executed in Sydney. The strong arguments adduced by the de-[Editorial Correspondence of the Chronicle.]

Cuicano, May 21, 1868.

Before leaving this really marvellons wes ern metropolis, some words upon the prodeath, and two quick in the execution of the penalty.-N. Y. Tribune. ceedings of the National Union Republican Convention which has just anspiciously clos-ed its proceedings in the nomination of Ulys-ses S. Grant, of Illinois, for President, and The blood of the Royal tamily of Eng and demands death in almost every in-Schuyler Colfax, of Indiana, for Vice-Presistance. This poor fenian, who attempted lent, will not be aninteresting to the readers of the Washington Chronicle. to kill one of England's princes, is hur-

And first as to the personal of this grand American Olympiad. Comparatively few members of Congress took part in the prodouble quick time. It is said, we do not pretend to say how true, that insanity ceedings, but every delegation was represen ted by the soldiers to whose gallantry we caused the attempt of assassination. Let are indebted for the preservation of free inthat be as it may, there can be no good stitutions. That element contributed immensely to the efficiency and enthusiastn.-The President, General Joseph R. Hawley, of Connecticut, who attained that position by a single vote over General Daniel E. cause for such rapidity in taking the life

It is a notorious fuct, that the Prince of Sickles, (the latter's own State, New York, Wales, has been for many years the yery sickles, (the latter's own state, New lock, retusing to vote for him.) was a marked fig-ure during the whole of to-day, and his fine presence, glear voice, and easy manner add-ed much to the regularity of business.— Every State, North and South, had appoint-ed soldiers among its delegates, and of the ablest men of the body were those who had fought for the old face. Two preminent embodyment of wickedness and depravity. If tradition is true to any extent. there are many maidens in England, who, under disguise, have been deceived and ruined and thrown upon an unforgiving fought for the old flag. Two prominent favorites were Logan, of Illinois, and Sick-les, of New York, and the way in which the community, as objects of loathing, when at the same time the author of the crime former nominated General Grant will never is shielded, because he happens to wear be forgotten by delegates and spectators .the garb of one of the Royal family .--The "irresponsible enthusiam of the audience when these two men appeared indicated Out upon such a country and such freehat the American people will always hole in grateful remembrance their brave defend ers; Logan with his olive complexion, black hair, and sparkling eye, and Sickles rendered more intellectual and interesting by his mu-tillation, were types not alone of American Chivalry, but of the progressive idea.— Both of them leaders in the Democratic, and both having occupied high position in the Congress of the United States, they give to the Republican organization a fresh impetus by their ability as statesmen and their full appreciation of the issues of the day. Gen. One of the great hobby's of the Con almer, the Republican candidate for Governor of Illinois, and General Fairchild, the one-armed Governor of Wisconsin, belong to the same class; and when the first, in his remarkable speech, declared that the con-

party; we have heard these assertions made on the stump and on the streats, vention owed it to the American people not to nominate a cardidate for Vice-President, and can't help thinking that they are misvhose doubtful opinions might invite the astaken. I know that they are mistaken in sassin's dagger against General Grant, he this County, if their candidates were a struck a key note which thrilled every patiotic breast. If every State could point to fair representation of their party and we soldier delegates, so every State could point to delegates who had once been Democratic honestly believe if their debts were paid they would fall much below the Republi enders. Thus Andrew J. Hamilton, of Texas, Thomas J. Mackey, of South Carolican party, throughout the State as to na-a distinguished officer in the Confedewealth-and as to their intelligence, they rate army-McDonald, of Arkansas, Martin ought not to boast of it, for alas, and Kenter, of Alabama, Greswell, land, Holden, of North Carolina, had all boasted talent ruined the country. served faithfully in the Democratic ranks, But to the figures, in the late election while Chandler, of New Hampshire, Loring, in this County, the Republican ca...didates of Massachusetts, Cochran and Tremnine of New York, Byerson, of New Jersey, and

now are practical pladges make by a party that has broken no covenant with the Amer-can people, and examine them as you may, no Uopperhead stiletto can place the close-fitting mail of this impenetrable Republican out, its great columns organized, healthy prepared. Everywhere its es are found ; the army of the Republic, half a million of men, mady alike with bayonets and ballots, composed equally of the black loyalists of the South and the white loyalists

of the North ; the Daton Langues, with ination of General Grant as Pretheir civil aombinations extending into every sident was completed with a peculiar fervor section; the grand charitable institutions and force. It would have been made yesterincluding the organizations that contributed money and men during all the war; and day if it had not been necessary to observe certain proprieties. A hundred aspirants more than all, the open and the active com-binations under the name of the Republican were eager to claim the fleor to initiate the nomination. The Soldiers and Suilors' Con-vention laid their endorsement upon the ta-ble yesterday afternoon, and an attempt was then made to ratify it; and when at last unparty. With such a force we can well hugh a slege to scorn. J. W. F.

der the wise pilotship of General Hawley, President of the Convention, the honor of usugurating the nomination was assigned to General Logan, the manner in which he performed his duty proved at once the wisdom of the delay and the segacity of General Hawley's selection. The only dramatic ef-fect I have seen in Chicago pertaining to the Republican convention was when Gen. Logan's motion was carried. The rear of the large stage of Grosby's Opera House was licans of noble old Rutherlord, will be encourhung in deep festoons of the American flag, and the moment General Logan's motion prevailed these were slowly uplified. ng a beautiful picture, with the White House in the distance and two pedestals in front, upon one of which was inscribed the Democratic nominee for President in 1868," and the other occupied by General Grant olasping the genius of Liberty by the hand, and over all the two words, " Match him," the figure pointing to the vacant Dem-ocratic pedestal. The effect, electrical as it was increased by the loosening of a beautiful dove, painted in red, white, and blue, which gracefully sailed around the tiers of the vast building and finally returned to its resting place -the emblem of a perfect nion triumph, and as a perpetual Union of ence. Then a magnificent band struck up first "Hail to the Chief," and afterwerd Rally Round the Flag," the whole audience joining in the chorus, amidst repeated ap-plause and waving of handkerchiefs. The speeches of the chairinen of the different State delegations as these were called, ratifying the numination of General Grant, are in themselves mottoes for a successful Presidential campaign-some of them poetic many unique, and all of them expressive. General Grant's unanimous nomination

responsive to a universal demand, made the lice-Presidential contest most interesting. n other days the selection of the second officer of the Republic was a mere ceremo ny, and he who sat in the Senate was regarded as a rageant or a fiction : but General Grant's conceded claim to the gratitude al having been sat aside by the Supreme of his countrymen, and Andrew Johnson's conceded infamy, conspired to make it unusually important that the second officer of the Government should always be equal to accupy the position of the first. Hence the intensity of the struggle for that office.

A thousand pens will describe the scen

General News Licans.

Yellow fever is said to be raging as era Gruz.

Ningra Falls hotels are open for the

Brazil supplies almost half the coffee consumed in the world.

Many assert that Hancock and Adams the Fourth of July Democratic tick-

Texas farmers report a loss in the ast five months of 22,000 cattle by Mexicans and Indians.

A gray eagle was recently killed in Vernillion county, Illinois, measuring seven feet MR. KDITOR --- We were quite rejoiced at the ten inches from tip to tip. reappearance of the "STAR" and we feel doubly

Bishop Janes asserts that the Methdists of the United States pay \$2.000,000 tax on tobacco used by them, while their missionary treasury is \$70,000 in debt.

Dr, Robert J. Breckenridge, of Ken. aged to press firmly forward in the good work of ucky, made a strong speech in the Presby-Restoration and Prosperity, this being their high terian General Assembly at Albany in opnim, and GRANT and COLPAX their leaders, we position to the proposed union of the two

We were much pleased with the tenor of your schools of the Church. editorial, it is in perfect keeping with the high

Mr. B. E. S. Moore, of Maine has purchased the Oxford Iron works, an estate of 1.400 acres, about eight miles below Lynchburg, for \$20,000. Active operations will at once be commenced by the purchaser.

Flounces are now the rage in Parla. As many as thirty-six are to be put on musin dresses, and moreover the flounces are to be of Valenciennes. Valenciennes is also ashionable on silks, to the great dismay of usbands and fathers, who have to foot the bills. Bonnets, however, are growing smaller, if possible.

Two swells, whose respective pas rents rose to affluence, the one by making bricks and the other by boot making, met in a bar room. Said the son of Crispin impertinently to the son of Bricks, "Suppose we moisten our clay." "By all means," replied the other, "provided there are no heel-taps."

An interesting scientific discovery is nentioned in one of the Paris journals. The Calabar bean is found to be an antidute to trychnin. The latter destroys by spasmodcontraction. The first taken alone paravzes, and thus directly neutralizes the scion of strychila, if given after that poison, The bean has I een found useful in cases of ockjaw.

Rev. T. B. Kingsbury, Editor of the Court. He was a member of the 42.1 N. C. Indicator, and Pastor of the Baptist Church Regiment, and was stationed with his regi-Warrenton, has received a call to Mennment in or near Wilmington during the bis Tennessee. He preached his valedicto. Winter of '63 and '64, and also during that ry sermon on yesterilay, and in the last isof '64 and '65. The day before his execu- sue of his paper, takes a teeling farewell of his readers. Mr. Kingsbury scholar and gentleman, and we part from him with regret. Happiness attend him and his family in his new home !- Sentinel. A female operator in Wall street, N. Y., has cleared \$50,000 in the past twelve months. A New York correspondent says: "She is thoroughly informed on questions of finance, knows all the shifts and turns of the market, and understands all the tricks of the trade. Men often consult her upon future operations, and take her opinion in matters in which they cannot trust their own.

frage in all the loyal States properly belongs Let us have peace to the people of those States.

HI. We denounce all forms of Repudiation as a national crime; and the national honor requires the payment of the public. indebtedness in the uttermost good faith to all creditors at home and abroad, not on ly according to the letter but the spirit of the laws under which it was constructed.

IV. It is due to the Labor of the Nation that taxation should be equalized, and redu-ced as rapidly as the national faith will per-

V. The National Debt, contracted, as it has been, for the preservation of the Union for all time to come, should be extended over a fair period for redemption ; and 'it is the daty of Congress to reduce the rate of we say all-honor to the Federal dead, we interest thereon, whenever it can be honestly done.

VI. That the best policy to diminish our burden of debt is to so improve our credit dond W. Land - Land lower rates of interest than we now pay, and must continue to pay so long as repudi-ation, partial or total, open or covert, is threatened or suspected.

VII. The Government of the United States should be administered with the strictest economy; and the corruptions which have been so shamefully nursed and fostered by Andrew Johnson call loudly for radical reform.

VIII. We profoundly deplore the untime-ly and tragic death of Abraham Lincola, of Andrew Johnson, who has acted treacherously to the people who elected him and the cause he was pledged to support; who has unsurped high legislative and judicial functions; who has refused to execute the laws; who has used his high office to induce who has employed his executive powers, to render insecure the property, the peace, liberty and life of the citizen ; who has abused the pardoning power ; who has denoun-ced the National Legislature as unconstitutional; who has persistently and corruptly resisted, by every means in his power, every proper attempt at the reconstruction of the States lately in rebellion ; who has perverted the public patronage into an engine of wholesale corruption ; and who has been justiy impeached for high crimes and misdemeanors, and properly pronounced guilty thereof by the vote of thirty-five Sena-

other European powers that, because a man is once a subject he is always so, must be resisted at every hazzard by the United States, as a relic of feudal times, not authorized by the laws of nations, and at war with our national honor and independence. Naturalized citizens are entitled to protection in all their rights of citizenship, as though they were native-born ; and no citizen of the United States, native or naturalized, must be liable to arrest and imprisonment by any foreign power for acts done or words spoken in this country ; and, if so arrested and imprisoned, it is the duty of the Government

he was ridiculed and consured so severely past has added so much to the wealth, devel- the public debt, We are certain the lowing amendment to the House bill that had also been told that the Southern Union- his enemies. There is nothing in his characgood, though some fever and chills net fall has leaked ont, and it is a truly ists could not be content unless the doctrine ter to invite attack or attract criticism. government will receive more revenue " there shall never be restriction on ac er to this republic, the asylum of the oppresdalous one. It appears that the lively and There are some few Indians here, Wyanof universal suffrage was asserted in such A moral rectitude without stain, political sed of all nations, should be fostered in encouraged by a liberal and just policy. and at reduced taxes, than to retain them at count of race or colar, except Indians not dott's Shawnes and Delawares, all speaking good looking Princess, the youngest sister of terms as would commit the Republican party consistency without a flaw, a public and s the empress of Austria, had a love affair with present rates. There are a great many taxed." The house will no doubt concur to all the misrepresentations of the Copper private deportment without suspicion, his is different languages, but docile as lambs. XII. This Convention declares itself in symhead opposition. Neither can this be so, The black-walnut timber is so numerous a handsome artist of Munich, named Hanisrounded character, without salient points. pathy with all oppressed people struggling people in this country, who have hereto- in this amendment. And when these are added to the attributes when among the formost supporters of that that fences and houses are built of it entire, tengel, whom she admitted every night to for their rights, fore made enough by distilling to pay We think that there is but little doubt portion of the platform were the ultra Reof the severe, straightforward, and simple her bed-room, and when the consequences of publicans of the South. But the most signiminded soldier who heads the ticket, may their taxes; but since the taxes has been The small vegetation here is pretty much but what the bill admitting North Carolithis liaison became apparent, her family tried ficant part of this comprehensive chart is we not ask where the Democratic party can Gen. Grant's Letter of Accepthe same as in North Carolina. The wheat so enormously high, they have been na and the other Southern States which that in which the sublime triumphs achievfind the materials to construct an acceptato get King Louis to marry her in order to crop now promise a yield of from thirty to tance. compelled to stop distilling. A reduce have formed their Constitutions, with pered by the Republican party are historically ble creed, or the ambitions in which to fin hide the scandalous affair. The King, who fifty bushels per acre. The apple, peach, The following is the letter of General an available candidate ? Can they build the tion of the tax on whisky, tobacco and haps the exception of Alabama, will be liked his cousin very well, was ready to do plum, cherry, grape, &c., all promise a good one out of the shattered remains of 1860 or GRANT accepting the nomination for Pre-We open the campaign upon the broad demany other articles in the same line, passed during this week. The Bill will claration that Congressional reconstruction 1864 ! Can they found a taith among the so, but twelve days before the wedding was sident of the United States, tendered him Crop. would give the government more revenue then go to the President, who will probais a success ; and the convention incidentalcubers of the Democratic party of Charlesto take place, he received an aponymous I have not seen the homestead lands, they so unanimously by the Chicago Conventon in the one year, or among the ruins of the same party in the other year? Can they note containing nothing but the words, "Your invokes the Republicans in the National and do away with so much faud and vio- bly interpose his veto, but Congress will lie mostly in the centre of the State. I exegislature to complete its assertion by adbetrothed is enciente." The young King tion. lence of all the revenue laws. All we no doubt pass the bill over his veto as mitting the six States which have fulfilled discover a candidate among the discarded pect to visit them so soon as I can. I am thought this a miserable slander, and, in his It will be seen that the General en ask is reduce the taxes, administer the there was a two third majority for it in all their obligations under the acts of reconpoliticians of their organizations, or the retold they are mostly prairie, some timber on blunt, plain-spoken way, said to his betrothed dorses the resolutions, and says: "If truction themselves. Conservatism habituected aspirants of ours ! Shall it be the the next time he saw her, "Sophia, I did not government upon an economical scale, the Senate and House, so we shall confithe water courses, and that they are being ally assails the Republicans as destructives. blase Seymour, the dilletanti Pendleton, the elected to the office of President of the know that you had any enemies. I have and with the State back in the Union, we dently look for North Carolina to be in but the platform laid down to-day is the by the ensures of his country against his own beloved commander and friends? But this is a matter for themselves to decide. Suffice it to say that the Republicande. taken up daily. United States, it will be my endeavor to will soon have peace and plenty in all the Union before the 15th of August; pureat and most practical of all conservatisin. It conserves the faith of the Governadminister all the laws in good faith, with land. Reduce its taxes " We are gain home," ment to its creditors, foreign and domesticeconomy, and with a view of giving to its brave defenders-to its adopted citipeace, quiet and protection everywhere," Ex-President JAMES BUCHANNAN is zons-to its enfranchised citizens-and to all those aphytantial interests which the Demo-This week is County Court in Farther, in regard to the will of the peo-Yours truly, S. G. HAMILFON. liaison with the Princess. In Conseque the match was broken off intaodi ately, Polk County. cratic rebeiliou started out to destroy. Here is afield, armed cap-a-pie, with its pickets

With great respect, Your obedient servant, U.S. GRANT."

Memorial Day.

We notice, in accordance with the orders of the General of the Grand Army of 785. the graves of the Union dead throughout

In the Convention, the delegate from the country were deccorated. All honor this County, a Republican, owned 250 to the brave dead, who fell in defence of seres of land, valued at \$700. While the Union, and the Constitution ; and while the Conservative Candidate who opposed him, owned not a single foot of land, do not wish to be understood to say

anything in disparagement of our own **Opinions** of the Press. From all parts of the country there him be Confederate or Union. The mem- comes welling up from the people, a voice ory of both should be, and are with us. for Grant and Colfax, too earnest, too held sacred, and the graves of both decoenthusiastic and too determined to be rated. We hope the time will come misunderstood. The whole Republican when no difference will be made between Press throughout the length and breadth the two; and that the hand which strews of the United States, are a unit for this flowers over the grave of a Confederate ticket. The Copperheads North and

soldier, will do the same for the Union sca. They desired to see an extreme soldier. We notice one instance of this and regret the accession to the Presidency kind in Georgia. We hope to see some man placed upon the ticket for Vice-Pres. in this State.

To the Confederate dead, we say, sleep rally around. But they have been disapon brave dead, ye fell in defence of what pointed. The nomination of Speaker you believed to be right. For all time COLFAX was wholly unexpected, and fell

We notice in the proceedings in Congress in relation to the tax on liquor. that Mr. SCHENCE in a speech said :

of wood, and the constant wind that blows ry his cousin, the Princess Sophia, for which the fortunate facility of being a favorite bold and manly denunciation of that great XI. Foreign immigration, which in the ernment going and pay the interest on ing Arkansas to the Union, with the fol- crime in the Republican platform; and we with his friends, and an object of respect to over them. General health is considered

owned 4 Town lots and 4808 acres of Cessna, of Pennsylvania, completed the parland, which was valued at \$28,961.allel in the adhering States. The Irish element was largely represented in the Soldiers While the Conservative candidates owned and Sailors' convention, which yesterday only 3058 acres of land valued at \$11, became a component part of the civil convention itself; and it was very gratifying to me to meet many brave men, not only Irish-

men by birth but Catholics by conviction. who enthusiastically expressed their determination to stand by the Republican party. The Germans, with that capital type of a philosphie statesman, Carl Schurz, of Missouri, who as the temporary chairman opened the proceedings in a speech every word of which seemed to have been weighed in the severest scales of a careful and reflective judgment, and who was fl ly succeeded this afternoon by Mr. Hassaurek, of Ohio, late Minister to Ecuador, in an address which will be read and preserved among the classics of these really wonderful times, gave earnest assurance of their devotion to the great progressive party. There seemed, indeed, to be singular fraternization of many elements in this remarkable assemblage; for as I turned away from the soldiers on the one hand, the Irishmon and Germans on the Conservatives South, are completely at other, and the representatives of mixed populations, I could not forget the colored citizens who sat in the midst of the Southern delegations, and who were everywhere ident, that they might have something to kindly greeted. Repeatedly called upon to speak, they mode thy refused to take part in he deliberations, although there were men of uncommon ability among them.

The platform is a peice of consummate WYANDOTT CITY, KAN., May 12, 1868. District of Columbia.S. J. Bowen, the withdrawal of Gov. Curtin, Pennsylvasagacity and intellectual mechanism, and other officers to ignore and violate the laws; your memory will be cherished by your like a thunder bolt in the ranks of Cop. nia took the initiative, and alter a decisive MR. EDITOR :- Having promised to write Florida, B. Conover. when read by the silver tongued orator of countrymen and women, and thy graves perheads and Conservatives, "so-called." vote for gallant Ben. Wade, threw a solid J. H. Caldwell, o more friends in North Carolina than I can Georgia, Indiana, Hon. Richard W. Thompson, who unit for the Speaker of the House, and so John C. Henry. I have concluded to give you a letter for Idaho, decorated by those left behind you. To The harmonious action of the Convenwill long be recollected as a favorite and sealed his triumph, publication in your excellent paper, if you lilinois, J. Russel Jones. eloquent Congressman from his State in the Federal dead, we say : "Rest in tion at Chicago, is but the out-burst of And that the success of his nomination other days, and who still preserves these Cyrus M. Allen. Indiana. peace ; the cause for which you gave your | the people, which will be confirmed next think it worthy, will be followed by the success of his elecfortunate personal attributes of tone and Joshua Fletcher. lowa. The winters here are longer and harder life has triumphed; the nation of Washing- November by the largest majority ever manner which give so much effect to the tion, no one who peruses the open volume John A. Martin. Kansas. of this wonderful Western sentiment can than in North Carolina, especially on the public speaker, challenged even while it ton is preserved ; peace to thy ashes ; a na- given for any man for President, since Allen A. Barton. Kentucky. conquered criticism. To construct a party doubt. I hope I have not been carried away south side of the Blue Ridge Mountains. 1 tion saved will ever remember you, and the days of WASHINGTON. "GRANT and M. H. Southworth Louisiana, by all I have seen in this the palpitating creed in these days of philosophic inquiry have traveled partly over Wyandott and heart of our grand American Republic ; but Lewis Baker. Maine. thy graves will be decorated to all future COLYAX" under this banner we conquer, is a task of real magnitude. Words are Johnson counties, which form the eastern Maryland, no one who visits here, and studies the Charles C. Fulton things, especially to a people who have so generations, characteristics of this people, and sees that boundry of Kansas. Wy andott City is situ- Massachusetts, William Clafin, frequently been cheated by mere professions ; Secretary of War. they are committed by their interests, their and, as General Palmer well expressed it. - Giddings. ated immediately on the bank of the Misson-Michigan, instincts, and their convictions to the Re-Tax on Whisky. when he came upon the stand in response to Upon the failure of the conviction o John F. Avery. ri River. The soil and its productions fills Minnesota, the loud acclaim of the delegates, issues that publican party, can question that the candi-IX. The doctrine of Great Britain and President JOHNSON, Mr. STANTON, Secre A. C. Fish. all that has been reported. The facilities of Mississippi, dates who secure their confidence will also have been adjusted on the bloody arena of Benjamin Loan. transportation by steamboats, and the large Missouri, tary of War, wrote a letter to the Presithe battle-field cannot be obscured by inorcarry the votes of other sections. The S. Wilson. name of Colfax silences objections, extin-Montana, dent notifying him that he had vacated dinate and endless speech. As Mr. Thompamount of railroads now in operation and E. P. Tavlor. son recited the expressive sentences carefully guishes rivalries, consolidates factions, and Nebraska. "I take this occasion to say, now, that the War Office and had left the same in in progress, is equal to any State in the Charles F. Delong. adjusted by the Committee on the Platform. rganizes victory. The pledges of the dele-Nevada. United States. There is doubtless a bright care of Assistant Adjutant General it was easy to perceive that his associates and himself thoroughly understood that the gates it is very easy to perceive, in the enit is not the expectation of the committee W. E. Chandler. New Hampshire. thusiasin of these shouting and surrounding future for Kansas. Society has been crude, that two dollars tax on whisky will be re. THOMAS, subject to his direction, but James Gopsill. New Jersey, American people would judge their utter-auces with a stern and jealous impartiality. multitudes, are certain of realization. One but is undergoing a rapid improvement in Horace Greeler. New York. tained by the House. Had this reduction still signs himself Secretary of War. of the strong Copperhead hopes has been to seduce the West with Pendleton and repu-William Sloan, morals and christianity; religious revivals North Carolina, been known four months ago, the Gov-We are glad Mr. STANTON has pursued I leave you to weigh every word of this B. R. Cowan. close and carefully connected creed for yourare going on all around in the aforsaid coun- Ohio, diation ; but the name of Colfag dispels any ernment would have lost four millions .-this course as he could not do the country II. W. Corbett, ties ; the hardened sinners are bowing in Oregon, selves. I wish you had been present to see such sinister anticipations, and when to this I have come very reluctantly to the con- any good, as his office has only existed in W. H. Kemble. how it was received by the convention .assurance is added the plain fact that the meskness to the Savior of sinners. Oh, that Pennsylvania, Some apprehensions were entertained upon clusion that a reduction should be made." South is ready to contribute to the increased Lyman Frieze. Rhode Island, name for some time, the President not our Heavenly Father may carry on this to interfere in his behalf, two subjects-that of the payment of the majorities of Iowa, Kansas, Wisconsin, Mis-James H. Jenks. South Carolina, Mr. SCHENCE intimates the probable recognizing him as Secretary. X. Of all who were faithful in the trials interest upon the nationel debt, and that of good work to the overthrow of the kingdom souri, Minnesosa, Illinois, Ohio, and Indiana, James II. Stokes. Tennessee. tax at seventy-five cents, at which rate, Gen. SCHOFIELD has been confirmed by of the late war, there were none entitled to universal suffrage-and there were those in we of the Middle States, without counting of darkness in this lovely land ! A. J. Hamilton. Texas. more especial honor than the brave soldiers this body who would not have tolerated New York and New Jersey, have enough with additional taxes on whisky merthe Senate as Secretary of War, but his A large portion of the land in Johnson W. Burke. Vermont. and seamen who endured the hardships of electoral votes to dispel all loyal apprehen-sions. There is something magnetic in the equivocation upon either. The best proof campaign and cruise, imperriled their lives chants and a capacity tax on distileries. confirmation is preambled with a reaffercounty is prairie, which presents a lovely of their acceptability, even to the most cap-Virginia. Franklin Stearns. Samuel D. Kurns, in the service of the country; the bounties view at this season of the year; it looks like he estimates the revenue at Seventy mil- mation of the unconstitutionality of Mr. tions, was the irrepressible enthusiasin with West Virginia, and pensions provided by the laws for these lions, new candidate for Vice-President. Stern which the resolutions relating to them were in his fidelity to his party, early and earnest the richest wheat you could imagine .-David Atwood. Wisconsin. STANTON'S removal. brave defenders of the nation, are obliga-tions never to be forgotten; the wildows and received. We had been told that the West in the expression of his convictions, and al They are truly sweet fields arrayed in living We desire to see the tax not only on was committed to the Pendleton scheme of ways on the picket line of thought and ac-A ROYAL SCANDAL - The true cause of the green. The soil being as rich as you would orphans of the gallant dead are the wards of Whisky, but upon everything, reduced repudiation, but this cannot be, when no tion-a natural leader, because an educated Congress. the people---a sacred legacy bequeathed to the nation's protecting care, refusal of King Louis II. of Bavaria, to marhave it, you might object to them for want one voice was raised in opposition to the newspaper man-he is girded around with just as low as it can be, to keep the gov-The Senate has passed the bill admit-

that ensued. Suffice it to say that every candidate was fittingly championed. one will have a right to complain of his friends. Governor Curtin, of Pennsylvania, though assailed and traduced by men who. f they had rallied to his support, would have cortainly made him the most prominent of those put forward, may well point with pride to the manper in which his delegation adhered to him. I may seek another occa sion to refer to the influences which have dwarfed and which must continue to dwarf the great State of Pennsylvania in these quadrenulal convocations. If we were not able to carry him, however, we at least prevented the triumph of his ensuries. Noth ing ever surpassed the devotion of the friends of Wilson of Massachusests, Wade of Ohio, Collax of Indiana, and Fenton of New York. It is an historical, as it has become a philosophical fact, that if Wade had been as sure of being the immediate successor of Andrew Johnson as Ulysses S. Graut is of becoming the ultimate successor, his selection would have been easily and early accomplished. General Wilson was enthusiastically and steadily sustained by the most of the New England delegations and a large body of the Southern men, and Governor Fenton had the advantage of a close, com pact, and well organized party from his own State, which made rapid proselytes; but Schuyler Colfax soon became an object of general interest. Ills friends were not among the loud partisans. They made no noise and excited no enmities. Like their candidate, they were pleasant, agreeable, and indefatigable. They seemed to wait for the moment when his rivals might exhaust themselves upon each other; and that moment came after the third ballot, when, upon

tion, he told the liev. Mr Lates, a preacher stationed at this place, that during the time his regiment was stationed at Wilmington, he killed a man in a house of ill

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Correspondence of the Wilmington Journal.

Mesers. Editors :- On the 1st instant

Thomas C. Dula was executed in this place

for the murder of Lanra Foster. The homi-

cide was committed in Wilkes county, in May

1866. He moved his trial to this county

and was twice convicted here ; the first tri-

Rutherford County, June 6th, 1868.

More anon,

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For the Star.

fame in that city. His statement is that he met three blockade runners at the house and had a quarrel with one of them, and he [Duls] knocked him down with a chair. A second one attacked him, and Dula stabled him in the breast or

bowels, and he thinks killed him. He struck the remaining one on the right arm with a pistol and disabled him : he then escaped from the house and went back to the regiment. He did not tell Mr Yates the street, or house, or name of any of the parties where it occurred, neither did he mention the year, but his regiment was station-

ed in Wilmington as mentioned above. Some innocent man may have been suspected of the deed, and I write to you merely to let you know who the culprit was. He was only twenty four-years old when executed, but was the most hardened, desperste devil that was ever hanged in this or any other State. He made a speech at hour long at the gallows, charged perjury on the witnesses against him, but never once

denied his guilt of the murder for which he was hanged. From the Pioneer.

A Kansas Letter.

HARD SWRARING .--- We are credibly infomed that James Ham, who lived in this county, cursed himself to death a few days since. He owed a small sum for ment, and on being dunned for the money, began to swear very hard and finally said, "he hoped he might die and go to hell if he over paid a cent of that account !" and immediately fell dead. This is true, and should be remembered by by these addicted to swearing .--- Greensboro (N. C.) Times.

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