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Thrift of Freedmen.

It is learned from officers of the Freedmen's Bureau, that no part of the Arlington estate, opposite Washington, has been cultivated by the government this year. Nearly four hundred acres of the farm were rented to freedmen last spring in tracts of from five to ten acres each, and though some of the land had never been under cultivation before, having been cleared up during the war, they have all done well and the crops are good.

A considerable number of freedmen from this city and vicinity have become landholders by purchasing lots on the so-called "Barry Farm," just across the river, and not far from the Insane Asylum. This farm was bought last spring under orders from General Howard, and its three hundred and seventy-five acres were laid off into lots of one acre each, of which one hundred and eighty have already been sold to freedmen, on two years time, with equal monthly payments.

This experiment has been so successful, that the government would undoubtedly be justified in selling a part of the Arlington farm to this new class of citizens as proposed by the sub-commissioner.

In England, the newspapers seem to have expected some fresh revelations about Mexico from a volume which has been widely advertised and heralded, under the title of "With Maximilian in Mexico—From the Note Book of a Mexican Officer," by Max Baron von Alvensleben, late lieutenant of the Imperial Mexican Army.

The meeting then adjourned to Friday, the 15th inst.

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The ancient city of Frankfurt, on the Rhine, has conferred upon a lady, M^{lle} Pauline Lucca, the celebrated vocalist, the unusual honor of citizenship.

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Republican Meeting in Piney Woods.

At a meeting held at Piney Woods Precinct on Saturday, the 9th inst., for the purpose of forming a Republican Association, THOS. HAYES was called to the chair and explained the object of the meeting (to act in conjunction with the different associations throughout the county), and nominated WILSON T. MORTON as President, who received the majority of votes. THOS. HAYES was duly elected Secretary, and WM. HOLMES as Treasurer.

A committee was called to draft resolutions denoting the sense and feeling of the citizens present. The following resolutions were adopted:

Resolved, We, as citizens of Piney Woods Precinct, and as good and loyal Republicans, have unbounded confidence in the Fortieth Congress of the United States, and are opposed to the pet policy of Andrew Johnson.

Resolved, That we are willing to submit to the situation in good faith, and support the constitutional amendments of Congress, adhering to the Declaration of Independence, that all men are created equal and free.

Resolved, That we are opposed to the present State administration, and rebel rulers who are placed in power over us, and urge every true and loyal Republican to work through summer's heat and winter's cold, until this Union is restored and duly administered by true and loyal men, without distinction of race or color.

Resolved, We deprecate the acts of those traitorous men who openly avow that the loyal people of the South are so diminutive in their judgment as to be unable to represent themselves or to carry on a free State Government, and that we must have Northern Copperheads or secession chiefs to rule over us, and to fill places of trust and profit, and that we will support no person for office or as a public servant, who will not submit to instructions to support the Republican platform and give support to the members thereof.

Resolved, That we, as voters of the Republican party, recommend that the nominees for the Convention be duly supported, and no pretext or scheme of division be allowed in our ranks, but to march in a broad phalanx, with a firm resolve to do or die in the cause of the Republican party.

Resolved, We have confidence in the Wilmington Convention, and recommend all good men to subscribe thereto.

The meeting then adjourned to Friday, the 15th inst.

WILSON T. MORTON, President, WM. HAYES, Secretary.

The Cost of Education in New York.

At the meeting of the New York Board of Education, Wednesday evening, the following estimate of expenses for the ensuing year was adopted:

For salaries of teachers in ward schools, \$1,550,000; for salaries of janitors in ward schools, \$80,000; for incidental expenses in ward schools, including fuel and gas, \$310,000; for supplies through the depository, (books, &c.) \$180,000; for evening schools, (salaries, &c.) \$85,000; for normal schools, (salaries, &c.) \$120,000; for colored schools, (salaries, &c.) \$40,000; for rents of school premises, \$30,000; for salaries of officers and clerks of the Board of Education, \$65,000; for incidental expenses of the Board of Education, including shop account, \$50,000; for purchasing schools, (apportionment,) \$43,000; for purchasing, leasing, and procuring sites for erecting buildings, and for furnishing, fitting up, altering, erecting, and repairing the buildings and premises under their charge, for the support of schools which shall have been organized since the last annual apportionment of the school moneys made by the board, and for such further sum or sums as may be necessary for any of the purposes authorized by this act, \$563,000; making total amount asked for, \$3,000,000.

Gen. Grant and Mr. Washburne.

"Data," of the Baltimore Sun, in a recent special from this city, says:

It is asserted that the ex-Cabinet member who called on General Grant to learn if he authorized Mr. Forney's expose of political opinions of the General is Hon. Montgomery Blair. There is authority for saying that the report of that conversation which ascribes to General Grant irritation on account of the action of Mr. Washburne is wholly untrue. Their relations are of the most friendly, respectful, and confidential character.

The Tribune says, relative to the recent elections:

"The great Gorilla of the Democratic howling, and beating his breast like a tremendous drum, to express his savage joy over the first full meal he has had after years of enforced abstinence," and adds: "Eat your fill now, Gorilla, for you will never have another chance."

The Christian Sun, of Suffolk, says:

The staggers is still prevailing among the horses in this section. An observant gentleman says that 163 horses have died of the disease in Nansemond county. Estimating each horse at \$125, which, perhaps, would be rather low, the loss to the citizens of the county has been \$10,825.

These losses, with others which have preceded them, fall with crushing weight upon our people.

Massachusetts.

Bullock's majority, as far as heard from, is 27,817. Additional and corrections make the Senate stand now 29 Republicans and 11 Democrats and 29 license and 11 prohibition, with 1 neutral and 10 districts to hear from.

A young lady from the seminary at M—, being asked at the table if she would have some more cabbage, replied: "By no means; gastronomic satiety admonishes me that I have arrived at the ultimate culinary deglutition consistent with the code of Esclapius."

—O Lord, be pleased to shake your great spiritual tablecloth over your hungry children, that they may be fed with crumbs of your love," was the original simile used in prayer by a colored preacher of the South.

The assessed valuation of the real estate in New York is \$1,237,703,092; personal property, \$426,404,633; total, \$1,644,107,725. The assessed valuation of all the property in the single State of New York is equal to nearly two-thirds of the national debt.

TELEGRAPHIC.

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Important from Washington.

CHIEF JUSTICE CHASE IN RICHMOND.

MRS. LINA MILLER EXECUTED.

STORM AT SEA.

The Market Reports.

WASHINGTON, D. C., Nov. 13.—The Bureau functionary who arrested Judge Parker at Winchester, Va., charges that Union men can't get justice before him.

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Chase is quoted that he is more radical in name than in fact and is complaining that he has indiscreet friends.

Pope intends sending a list to Congress of rebels fit to be enfranchised.

Sitka advices of the 31st, state that the Russians made a formal transfer.

The Steamer Ossipee was nearly wrecked on the 27th, in the most terrific hurricane known for 70 years and lost all boats, and the rigging and chronometer was destroyed. She put into Sitka on the 28th.

The Secretary of War has ordered gratuitous the distribution of soldiers clothing, to replace that destroyed to prevent contagion.

Wm. M. Everts, R. H. Dana, Gen. Wells and District Attorney General Chandler, prosecution in Davis' case, had several hours consultation to-day. All of these gentlemen are ready to proceed on the 25th. It is the desire of the Council for the defense that Chase should prescribe in conjunction with underwood. It is they are influenced by important legal considerations. The trial will proceed on the original indictment. Mr. Davis will be present at the time required by his bond. Although it is doubtful whether the trial will immediately commence.

Senator Guthrie will attend the Senate this Session.

Internal Revenue Receipts to-day were two hundred and eighteen thousand dollars.

McClellan is mentioned in connection with the War Office.

The President and General Grant had a long interview to-day.

The Presidential Serenade this evening was a very enthusiastic one. An immense crowd assembled on the occasion.

From Alabama.

MONTGOMERY, Ala., Nov. 13.—General Swayne has issued an order, giving freedmen a lien on crops for their wages. This lien is to be subordinate to prior liens.

Two whites from Barbour county, were brought here to-day under military guard and imprisoned, charged with killing a freedman.

The Reconstruction Convention was engaged the whole day in discussing the disfranchisement question.

From Richmond.

RICHMOND, Va., Nov. 13.—Three citizens of Frederick county, who had held offices of Magistrate, Postmaster and member of the Legislature, were bailed in the U. S. Court to-day to answer charges of perjury in the registration.

Chief Justice Chase arrived this morning and stopped at the Spotswood Hotel and he is expected to arrive on the 23d inst.

Gen. Schofield left for Washington to-day. The cost of registration in Virginia, was \$380,000, and the cost of the military establishment in the State for the last ten months is five millions.

Foreign News.

LONDON, Nov. 13.—Late Florence despatches say that a note from Menekera has had a very quieting effect on the country press of Italy, but, however, they are almost unanimously of the opinion that it is an impossibility to reconcile the difference existing between the Italian Government and people on one side, and the Pope on the other.

The Galway Steamer Crusader, from New Orleans the 20th October, for Liverpool, put in here for coal. She had her deck burned considerable. Loss unascertained.

New York Market.

NEW YORK, Nov. 13.—Noon.—Sterling, long 9 1/2; short 9 1/4. Virginia Sixes 45. Tennessee Ex Coupons 63 1/2. Bonds, old 8 1/2; new 7 1/2. 10 40's 2 1/2; 7 30's 5 1/2. Stocks active. Flour 10 a 15c. better. Wheat 2 a 3c. better. Corn 1c better. Oats 1 a 2c. better. Mess Pork drooping at \$20.80. Lard dull. Cotton dull at 18 1/2. Turpentine 53 1/2 a 44. Rosin dull, common \$33. Gold 137 1/2.

NEW YORK, Nov. 13.—Evening.—Cotton declining—sales of 1600 bales at 18 1/2. Flour active—State \$8 25 a \$10 35; Southern \$10 a \$14. Wheat—No. 1 \$3 30 a \$2 32. Corn dull at \$1 36 a \$1 37. Pork heavy. Groceries dull. Spirits Turpentine 54 a 55 1/2. Rosin \$3 50 a \$3. Wool active—Texas 18 a 27c. Freights quiet.

Governments closed strong. '62 coupons 8 1/2. Gold 140 1/2.

From Savannah.

SAVANNAH, GA., Nov. 13.—The ship Gorilla from Liverpool, is being towed out, collided with the ship Elsinore, damaging the upper works. The Gorilla was brought back and the Captain and Mate, was arrested. The damage claimed is \$5,000.

The U. S. Court is in session taking the evidence of Blagden, ex U. S., adjourned to 10 A. M.

Hanged.

BROOKVILLE, Pa., Nov. 13.—Mrs. Lina Miller, who killed her husband last winter was hanged to-day. She made a full confession.

Foreign Markets.

LIVERPOOL, Nov. 13.—Noon.—Cotton dull—declined 1/4; sales 8000 bales; uplands 8 1/2; Orleans 8 1/2. Corn advanced 4d. Others unaltered.

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MADRID, Nov. 13.—Captain-General Lersundi sailed for Havana on the 30th inst. Porto Rico has been added to his command. Many political arrests have been made here. It is reported that a secret society has been discovered.

LONDON, Nov. 13.—A diplomatic circular has been issued by France, inviting the great powers to a conference, but suggesting no definite basis of action.

The deaf mutes at the New York institution for the deaf and dumb have been taught the Morse telegraph alphabet. They can detect the sound of a drum when they cannot distinguish that of any other musical instrument, and by this means they are enabled to read by the Morse alphabet any communication that may be made to them. They say they first feel the sound at the soles of their feet; thence it rises up the legs and communicates with the sympathetic nerve.

A confirmed cripple in Ohio fell the other day, and in so doing the muscles of his limbs were suddenly relaxed, and he now walks without crutches.

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