Weekly Oregon Statesman.

The City and County.

From Daily of Saturday June 22.

ROYAL ARCH MASONS.

Proceedings of the Grand Chapter—Annual Session—First Day.

SALEM, June 21, 1872.

Present—James R Bayley, M E G H P; Jacob Conser, Deputy G H P; J B Lee, G King; J B Congle, G Scribe; B F Goodwin, G Treasurer; R P Earhart, G Secretary; F. J. Babcock, G C H; D G Clark, G P S; A G Walling, G R A C; T H Cox, G M, 3 V; T H Cann, G M, 2 V; F N Shurtleff, G M, 1 V. Past Grand Officers—B F Brown, P G H P; T McF Patton, P G Secretary; and Grand Representatives from the Grand Chapters of Tennessee, Missouri, Vermont, Louisiana, Alabama and Pennsylvania.

Adjourned to meet at 2 o'clock.

AFTERNOON SESSION.

Lodge met at two o'clock and proceeded to elect Grand Officers for the ensuing year with the following result: Jas R Bayley, M E G H P; R E, J B Lee, Grand King; R E, J B Congle, Grand Scribe; R E, B F Goodwin, Grand Treasurer; R E, R P Earhart, Grand Secretary; R E, Rev I D Driver, Grand Chaplain; R E, F G Babcock, G C H; R E, D G Clark, G P S; R E, A G Walling, R A C; R E, F Wallace, G M, 3rd V; R E, T H Cox, G M, 2nd V; R E, F M Shurtleff, G M, 1st V; R E, A P De Lin, Grand Sec.

THE TURN VEREIN SOCIETY.—J. Henry Haas returned from Portland yesterday, where he had been in the interest of the above society, recently organized in this place. He was cordially received by the members of the Portland Turn Verein and in company with the President and Secretary visited their hall and took draughts of the various paraphernalia and made estimates regarding the cost of securing the same articles for the gymnasium here. On inquiry he found the articles could be made cheaper at home. He will therefore patronize home industry and immediately set men at work, rigging up an entire outfit. It is proposed to have every thing first class; and sufficient financial aid is expected to warrant the outlay. The Portland Society thought the movement was without foundation, but when they found the Salem boys were in earnest, they with generous enterprise promised them all the aid in their power and even went so far as to say that when our Society should be permanently organized and in running order, they would come up and give a public exhibition in aid of the institution and at the same time show their own skill as Turners. This is a very liberal offer and if accepted will do much toward placing this Society on a firm financial basis.

POSTPONEMENT.—Owing to some important changes having taken place in regard to rehearsal, Prof. Gatch has forbidden the College Base Ball Club's excursion to Albany, to play the Corvallis boys. It was found necessary to do this, owing to the hurry connected with the Commencement exercises which take place next week. A telegram was sent up last evening announcing the inability of the club to fulfill their engagement. Our boys are willing to pay one-half of their traveling expenses if the Corvallis club will meet them in this city next Wednesday.

COUNTY LODGE.—The County Lodge of Good Templars will meet at Rickey Lodge Room next Saturday at 10 A. M. There will be a Temperance Mass Meeting at the same place at 1 o'clock in the afternoon of the same day. L. Leland, the Hermit, will deliver an address, and a good time is expected. The public are invited to attend.

INJURIOUS REPORTS.—We are informed that certain parties have circulated reports through the country to the effect that a number of cases of small pox have occurred at the American Exchange Hotel, Portland. A gentleman who came up a day or two since, and who has lived for several months at that hotel, assures us that there has not been a case of small pox in the house this year.

CONGREGATIONAL ASSOCIATION.—This Association met in Portland yesterday and organized for business by the election of Rev. G. Dickinson, of this city, as Moderator, and Rev. W. R. Butcher, of Albany, Clerk. Rev. P. S. Knight, of this city, delivered the annual sermon last evening.

SEWER FALL.—Yesterday a young man named John F. Parrott, employed on the M. E. Church, while carrying a hod of mortar, fell from the upper story, a distance of about sixteen feet, to the floor beneath, alighting on the sleepers. It settled his victuals for him, but he is able to be around upon the street.

ORCHESTRA MUSIC.—Prof. Francis has been engaged to furnish orchestra music for the different societies at the University, at their Commencement Exercises during the coming week.

From Daily of Sunday June 23.

TARGET PRACTICE.—A small party of members of Russell Post, started out yesterday morning for a few hours of target practice preparatory to competing for the prizes which will be offered at the tournament to be held here the coming Fourth of July. The grounds chosen were at the foot of Mill Creek. "Yo local" was invited to participate and after mature thought, concluded he might as well take those prizes as any one else, and accepted the invitation. Taking a final leave of all our friends in the immediate vicinity and adding another codicil to our last will and testament we sallied forth, armed with a Springfield rifle, 69 calibre. Having been used to nothing more dangerous than an older pop-gun, we didn't exactly like the looks of that weapon but our reputation for courage was at stake and we said nothing but with a bold front shouldered the instrument of death and fell into rank as brave as the bravest. Arriving at the scene of action we carefully loaned our gun against a tree and awaited further developments. Our comrades in arms fastened a piece of paper on the side of a large stump and measuring off a hundred yards began business. They each fired a shot shattering the stump in various places, but missing the paper. They then said it was our turn, but we assured them we were in no hurry; in fact we enjoyed looking on first rate. But they insisted that we should shoot when our turn come and placed the loaded rifle in our hands. We saw we could not back out without disgracing ourself and we stepped to the front, raised the rifle as we imagined on a level with the target, closed our eyes, breathed a silent prayer and blazed away. We looked up expecting to see the paper perforated "center plump" and found we had shot a limb off from a neighboring tree about eighty yards short of the mark. The boys laughed a trifle, but spared our blushes with as much magnanimity as the circumstances would allow. Our second shot resulted in tearing the side of the hill away back of the stump. When our third trial came, we resolved to redeem ourself, and prepared to do our best. We bent one knee upon the ground and took aim for about ten minutes. Finally we had drawn the bead to a nicety and again closing our eyes we pulled the trigger. Jerusalem! how that gun did kick. We sat down rather suddenly after it went off. The gun went back on us and hit against a stump a few yards in our rear. We got up and those villains that accompanied us, asked us which stump we shot at. We couldn't appreciate that joke. We can't see the use of being so devilish precise in the matter of a stump, when there are so many of them. Our shoulder is lame yet and it ain't vaccination this time, either. We have concluded not to compete for any of those prizes; it won't pay.

Vivian appeared at Portland last evening. We hope Mr. Waldron's troupe will visit this city before his engagement closes.

EVERYBODY EXCITED.—Yesterday morning the streets were literally flooded with handbills announcing the sale of a large lot of paintings by a sort of lottery plan. The goods were divided off into different classes and sealed envelopes containing photographs with letters corresponding with the various classes printed on the back. These envelopes were sold, and by paying another dollar you were entitled to any article in the class your number called for. The room was crowded all day, and hundreds of dollars were paid in exchange for envelopes. The crowd were evidently fascinated with the chances for gain, and planked down the coin in a most reckless manner. Some were fortunate, of course, and drew some really handsome paintings, while the unfortunate ones did not seem to grow discouraged, but with renewed energy adopted the plan of "trying it again for luck." All day long the crowd poured in until about five o'clock when the proprietors closed the door to replenish stock. They again admitted the crowd in the evening, when the scenes of the day were re-enacted.

WHERE TO GO FOR GOOD FISHING.—J. M. Garrison returned from an extended tour on the Cascade range last Friday evening, and he reports the prospects for hunting and fishing as splendid. He was up near Cedar Camp, and spent a few hours fishing in the little Abiqua, where the mountain trout are very plenty and of a superior quality. There will be an abundance of blackberries there in about two weeks, and this, in connection with trout fishing and deer hunting will no doubt draw a great many excursionists thither.

WILLAMETTE UNIVERSITY.

Commencement Week—The Programme of Exercises for Each Day.

The Commencement Week of the Willamette University will begin to-morrow and continue till Thursday evening. The exercises will be as follows:

Monday and Tuesday, June 24th and 25th, Oral Examinations.

Tuesday 2 o'clock P M, Prize Declamations.

Tuesday, 2 o'clock, P. M., Annual Meeting of the Board of Trustees, At 8 o'clock, P. M., Address to the Literary Societies by Col B B Taylor.

Wednesday, 8 o'clock P M, Exhibition of the Hesperian Society.

Thursday, 10 o'clock A M, Commencement Exercises.

At 2½ o'clock P M, (1) Poem by S A Clarke, Esq. (2) Address to Graduates, by Rev S H Marsh, D D, President of the Pacific University. (3) Conferring Degrees.

At 8 o'clock, P M, Meeting of the Alumni.

COUNTY LODGE, I. O. G. T.—Parties who attended this Lodge yesterday at Rickey's School House, report a large attendance and an interesting session. Officers were elected in the forenoon and the private business of the Lodge attended to; and the afternoon was devoted to installations and a basket picnic. Mr. Leland disappointed them by non-attendance; but they were none the less merry on that account. Everything indicates evident interest in the Temperance cause throughout the county and their work is progressing finely.

From Daily of Tuesday June 25.

UNIVERSITY.—Yesterday being the first day of the public examination at this popular institution the chapel was well filled with spectators to listen to the exercises. We were not present in the forenoon but were informed that the classes acquitted themselves in a creditable manner. Special mention was made of the Theological Class, consisting of seven young ladies, who, without exception, won the highest number in merit marks. In the afternoon the exercises were of unusual interest. The programme consisted of music, recitations and examination of the classes in Trigonometry, Geology and German. The music, both vocal and instrumental, was rendered in an excellent manner. The various classes acquitted themselves in a commendatory manner and by prompt and correct answers to the various questions plainly showed close attention to their studies during the past term. The class in Geology especially showed accurate knowledge regarding their numerous topics and answered the various questions in the most concise manner. In fact all the students did nobly and may well feel proud of their achievements.

ANOTHER RUNAWAY.—Mr. A. A. Webber's horse was standing hitched in front of the express office yesterday afternoon, when he became scared at a demure looking donkey which passed in close proximity to his heels. He jerked loose and started down Commercial Street at a rattling pace. He kept the middle of the road, but was soon out of sight. Mr. Webber jumped on a horse and started in pursuit, and found his animal out near Lute Savage's, having ran the entire distance without breaking a thing on either the buggy or harness. This is about the poorest excuse of a runaway that we have had to record of late. The idea of a horse running two miles without breaking a buckle even. How are harness and carriage makers to live on such terms?

DOWN-EAST MAPLE SUGAR.—We received yesterday, a can of down-east maple sugar, shipped out from New York by Capt. J. M. Keeler to Leveridge, Wadhams & Co., Portland, and by the latter expressed to Salem. It carries us back to boyhood's days when, as an urchin, we used to linger in the "sap-bush;" and then forward to the future mornings when we shall revel in hot-cakes and maple-sweetness. In pursuance of Capt. Keeler's remembrance and request, we divided with our editorial predecessor. And we may mention that Leveridge, Wadhams & Co. have got a lot of the same sort, on consignment.

COUNTY LODGE OFFICERS I O G T.—At the recent session of the County Lodge, held at Rickey's School House, the following officers were elected to serve during the ensuing quarter: J B McClane, W C T; A J McClane, W V T; A Geaner, W Sec'y; Miss Addie Garrison, Treasurer; Miss Effie McClane, Financial Sec'y; M J Cartwright, W Marshal; Miss Allie Estes, Deputy Marshall; Miss Emma Garrison, W I G; B P Gesner, O G; J H Cartwright, Chaplain. The next session of the lodge will be held at Salem, the time to be determined on by the W C T.

PUBLIC INSTALLATION.—At a regular meeting of Olive Lodge No. 18 I. O. O. F., held at their hall last Saturday evening it was resolved to hold a public installation of officers. The ceremony will take place at Reed's Opera House on the evening of Saturday, July 13th. The Grand Officers are expected to be present, and a general good time will be indulged in.

PRIZE DECLAMATIONS.—Three young ladies and three gentlemen will compete for a couple of handsome medals which are to be awarded to the ones who deliver their orations in the most satisfactory manner. In the evening Col. B. B. Taylor, of Portland, will address the students. His lecture promises to be both interesting and instructive.

ELECTION OF OFFICERS.—At a regular meeting of Anniversary Lodge No. 13, I. O. O. F., held last evening, the following officers were elected to serve during the ensuing term: Geo Williams, N G; W J Polly, V G; Dr. Carpenter, R S. J H Bowman, P S; E C Churchill, Treasurer. Trustees—J H Moores, S C Adams, W L Wade.

ACCIDENTAL SHOOTING.—A gentleman named Peter Reidman, living about eight miles south of Dayton, met with rather a severe accident while out hunting Saturday last. In some mysterious manner his gun went off, the ball entering his arm. The wound, though painful, is not considered dangerous, and it was doing well at last accounts.

Everybody is complaining of the drouth. Weather clerk please take notice.

We will soon have to bid farewell to a number of our University students.

MASONIC LODGE OF OREGON.

FIRST DAY—MORNING SESSION.

The 22d Annual Communication of the Grand Lodge of Masons for the State of Oregon convened in the Masonic Hall in this city yesterday morning at 9 o'clock, the following grand officers being present: W D Hare, G M; T McF Patton, D G M; A Van Dusen, S G W; J B Congle, J G W; B F Brown, G T; J E Hurford, G Sec'y; Z H D Henderson, G Chap; T J Babcock, G M; J T Apperson, S G D; A Watt, J G D; Jacob Conser, G S B; H B V Johnson, G S B; Mart V Brown, G S; A G Walling, G S; A P De Lin, G Tyler.

Lodge opened in Ample Form.

U K Hicks, T J Stump and George S Ladd were appointed as Committee on Credentials.

Reported 127 delegates present.

Grand Lodge adjourned until 1 o'clock P. M.

AFTERNOON SESSION.

The Grand Master's Annual Address was read and referred to a special committee.

The Deputy Grand Master also made a lengthy report, which was referred to the same committee.

Past Grand S F Chadwick submitted a lengthy foreign correspondence, which was ordered printed.

Several resolutions pertaining to business of the Order were adopted.

A resolution for the Grand Lodge to adjourn from Salem to Portland to-day at 5 o'clock P. M. was adopted.

Adjourned to meet in the evening at 8 o'clock.

EVENING SESSION.

Lodge met and elected the following as Grand Lodge Officers for the ensuing year: T McF Patton, G M; A Van Dusen, D G M; J B Congle, S G W; J T Stump, J G W; B F Brown, G Treasurer; R P Earhart, G Sec'y; J R Bailey, Chairman Com. Educational Fund.

ARRIVED AT HOME.—Maj. M. P. Berry, formerly a resident of Salem for several years, Superintendent of the Penitentiary, under Gov. Woods' administration, and late Indian Agent at Fort Hall, arrived at home by the afternoon train yesterday. The Major has many warm friends here, by whom he was cordially welcomed.

PERSONAL.—Our young friend J. K. Buff has just returned from East Portland, where he has been teaching school, and we are indebted to him for favors. Mr. Buff is an old student of our Salem University, and we feel some pride in his success.

ADVERTISING:

Has created many a new business;
Has enlarged many an old business;
Has revived many a dull business;
Has rescued many a lost business;
Has saved many a failing business;
Has preserved many a large business;

LOCAL BREVITIES.

Public examination at the University commences to-morrow.

Read the advertisement in regard to the celebration of the coming Fourth. Hurrah for Salem.

Lady equestrians are no uncommon sight these pleasant evenings.

New pears appeared in market yesterday. The first of the season.

The subject of going to the coast is being generally agitated just at present. We want some of that in ours.

About twenty persons were converted at the recent campmeeting near Dixie. It closed last Sabbath.

New potatoes have made their appearance in market. Quite small and but few in a hill, and, oh! how expensive.

Spiritual meeting in progress at Woodburn. Quite a number gone from here.

The Mercury warns Salemites not to visit the metropolis the coming Fourth. Rather a sensible idea.

The Bulletin says our town clock will be lit by red headed girls in the absence of gas. Come up and visit our Salem Gas Works, Colonel.

Lots of hiyu Masons in the city, and more a' cummin'.

Can't we get up a parade of the plug-uglies for amusement on the coming Fourth.

Yesterday was the longest day in the year, and we hope the dullest.

Going in swimming is more popular than playing base ball this weather.

Some of our exchanges report an unusual amount of sickness around Salem. We were not aware of it before.

All our country friends must come to Salem on the Fourth. No danger need be apprehended from the small pox.

The firemen are dishing matters up lively in the way of canvassing for Chief Engineer.

The music of our numerous cow bells is worse to go to sleep by than all the noise made by the Boston Peace Jubilee.

The game of foot ball has become less popular since the recent accident happened to Norman Parrish.

Rev. J. F. DeVore has reached Salt Lake City on his return home from the east.

The excitement ran high at the picture store last evening. Several fine paintings were drawn.

TELEGRAPHIC SUMMARY

Numerous Democratic Conventions.

THE GREAT JUBILEE.

Fast Trotting—Second Best Time ever made.

Progress in Utah.

GENEVA CONFERENCE.

LETTER FROM THE POPE.

California Democratic Conventions.

EASTERN NEWS.

"My Maryland" for Greeley.

BALTIMORE, June 19.—The Democratic State Convention met here today. There was a full representation of every county in the State. Delegates were appointed to the National Convention, all of whom will be for the endorsement of Mr. Greeley.

The Great Jubilee.

BOSTON, June 19.—The third day of the Jubilee was devoted to Germany. The coliseum was well filled, the German element predominating. The programme included the choral from Luther, "A Strong Castle is our Lord," Wagner's overture from Tannhauser, Meudlesohn's chorus, "Yet Doeth the Lord," air sung by P. Plutner, "Farewell to Forest," Strauss, Morgenblatte Waltz, conducted by Strauss, and a piano solo by Franz Bendell. All were finely rendered, and great applause was made at the appearance of the band of Kaiser Fritz. The Grenadier Regimental Band created immense enthusiasm. Herr Saro led it through several selections. The German Union Hymn was sung by a grand chorus with an organ of the richest tone and band accompaniment—Franz Abt, Director. The peformance of his ballad, "When the Swallows Homeward Fly," was enthusiastically received, and at the conclusion the audience rose and cheered for several minutes. The Anvil Chorus, with all the accompaniments followed, and the Concert concluded with the hymn "Kingdoms and Thrones," with full chorus and accompaniments.

A Foolish Rumor.

It is rumored that Miss Nellie Grant is engaged to marry a Scotch Lord.

Very Fast Time.

BOSTON, June 19.—At the Mystic Park races to-day Goldsmith Maid trotted the second mile of the race with Lucy in 2:16¾. The first heat was trotted in 2:21; the third in 2:19¾. The first quarter of the second heat was made in 34¼ seconds; the second half mile in 1:7½.

Democratic Conventions.

PITTSBURG, June 20.—A large meeting of the Young Men's Jackson Association of Western Pennsylvania was held here last night. Resolutions were adopted endorsing Buckalew and the State ticket, but declaring it unwise to go out of the Democratic party for a Presidential candidate. They also resolved to get up remonstrances and have them numerously signed and placed in the hands of delegates, to be presented to the National Convention at Baltimore.

ST. PAUL, June 20.—The Democratic Convention which assembled here yesterday elected delegates to Baltimore, adopted resolutions endorsing the Cincinnati Platform and Greeley's letter of acceptance, and instructing delegates to Baltimore to vote and work for the endorsement of the Cincinnati ticket.

MONTGOMERY, Ala., June 19.—The Alabama State Convention, which met here to-day, is the largest ever held in the State. After organizing, the Convention adjourned.

THE INTRIGUERS IN COUNCIL.

Some for Greeley and Some Quite Otherwise.

Attorney-General Williams Arrives at Washington.

THE BOSTON JUBILEE.

Democratic Conventions and Conferences.

GENEVA ARBITRATION AND SAN JUAN BOUNDARY QUESTION.

Conference of Political Reformers—They fail to be Harmonious.

NEW YORK, June 20.—The Conference of Political Reformers at the Fifth Avenue Hotel elected Jacob G. Cox President, and W. C. Bryant and Gen. Dix Vice Presidents. Gen. Cox stated the object of the meeting to be the fusion of all the elements opposed to Grant.

Senator Trumbull rose and said that while he did not fully endorse the nominations of the Cincinnati Convention of Liberal Republicans, he had gone so far that retraction was impossible. If a man of acknowledged reputation could be brought into the field, he (Trumbull) would support him, but under the existing state of affairs he saw no option but to support Greeley.

The night session was exceedingly stormy and inharmonious, and continued until long after midnight.

Edward Atkinson and Parke Godwin made speeches strongly against Greeley.

William Vursheimer of Buffalo vehemently supported Schurz's proposal to call on the States to get an expression of the sentiments of delegates from each.

John Forsyth, representing Alabama, said he was for Greeley, as also did Rice of the same State.

Connecticut was represented by David A. Wells, who said that he was determined under no circumstances to support Grant. Whether he would support Greeley depended materially as to whether his opinion of Greeley was more favorable than to some other candidate yet to be presented.

Ex-Governor English representing the Democracy of Connecticut was all for Greeley.

General Warren of Iowa had not been in favor of Greeley, but would be if nominated by the Democracy.

Both Hillyer of Georgia, Haldermann, editor of the Louisville Courier-Journal, and Judge Brinkerhoff of Ohio, made strong Greeley speeches. Schurz made the chief speech, and said he must support Greeley from necessity. The conference shortly after, on motion, adjourned sine die.

Attorney-General Williams at Home.

WASHINGTON, June 20.—Attorney-General Williams has returned to this city and resumed his official duties.

The Boston Jubilee.

BOSTON, June 20.—Nearly 50,000 persons were at the Coliseum to-day, 30,000 being auditors.

The Gardier Republic Band of Paris next appeared on the platform, and was greeted with every sort of friendly demonstration. When the band, under the leadership of M. Paulus, unexpectedly struck up "Hail Columbia," a scene of indescribable enthusiasm ensued; cheers drowning the music for the time being. At the conclusion of the demonstration the organ and bands commenced the Marseillaise Hymn when the excitement was renewed, till the audience appeared almost wild with delight, the chorus, orchestra bands and the audience joining in the song.

Kentucky Democratic Convention.

LOUISVILLE, June 20.—The Democratic State Convention met at Frankfort to-day and elected delegates to the Baltimore Convention. They were instructed so as to unite all the elements of opposition to Grant. The delegates are all in favor of Greeley and Brown.

Connecticut Democrats for Greeley.

NEW HAVEN, June 20.—The delegates to the Baltimore Convention met here to-day. Although they are pledged to no candidates, the expression of opinion was unanimously in favor of Greeley and Brown.

A Movement for a Straight Ticket.

LONG BRANCH, June 20.—A number of Democrats, representing different States, were in Conference here today for the purpose of securing a straight nomination at Baltimore.

Nebraska Democrats for Greeley.

OMAHA, June 20.—The Democratic State Convention met at Lincoln today and adopted resolutions endorsing the Cincinnati Convention. Delegates were appointed to the Baltimore Convention and were instructed to act in accordance with the will of the Convention.

Opinions of the Press on the Liberal Conference.

Colfax Declines a Nomination for Congress.

FOREIGN INTELLIGENCE.

Indian Affairs in Arizona.

The Liberal Conference.

NEW YORK, June 21.—The World editorially treats the Liberal Republican Conference of yesterday as a fiasco.

The Herald thinks it develops the fact that the Democratic party, old and young, will go for Greeley.

The Times says it amounted to nothing.

The Tribune says nothing but good will result from it.

It is reported after the adjournment of the Conference last night, Judge Hall called a meeting for to-day of those who were dissatisfied with the result of yesterday's work.

Colfax Declines Being a Candidate for Congress.

CHICAGO, June 21.—The Indianapolis Journal of yesterday publishes the following:

To the editor of the Journal: While gratefully acknowledging the political regard which has connected my name with the nomination for Congressman at large, its acceptance, for many reasons, would be utterly impossible.

(Signed) SCHUYLER COLFAX.

From the Geneva Conference.

WASHINGTON, June 21.—It is reported and believed here that the arbitration at Geneva have expressed the opinion that indirect claims are not subject for money awarded, and it is understood in view of this that the declaration of the American Agent and Consul will not further press the indirect claims.

Alabama Democratic Convention.

MONTGOMERY, Ala., June 22.—The Democratic State Convention met here yesterday and nominated Thos. H. Hundon for Governor and a full State ticket. Resolutions will be reported to-day.

The Stokes Case.

NEW YORK, June 21.—Only four jurors have been obtained in the Stokes case, and the second panel is now exhausted. The defense used thirty peremptory challenges.

UTAH TERRITORY.

SALT LAKE, June 20.—Horse cars rolled over Salt Lake City railroad today, for the first time.

The Deseret telegraph line is completed 240 miles south, to the Star mining district.

The Union Pacific Railroad Company grants half fare tickets to delegates to the Baltimore Convention.

Rupture Among the Conspirators to Beat Grant.

A STRAIGHT TICKET IN PROSPECT

Charles Francis Adam's Views

SPECULATIONS ABOUT THE ARBITRATION.

The Jubilee to be Prolonged.

IMPORTANT NEWS FROM FRANCE.

Trouble in the Camp of the Anybodys to beat Grant.

NEW YORK, June 21.—The Convention called by Judge Stalls at the Fifth Avenue Hotel was secret, no reporters being admitted. It has transpired, however, that ex-Governor Cox spoke, endeavoring to harmonize on Greeley. Atkinson urged the nomination of Adams. After a long debate the question of nominating a ticket was decided in the affirmative, when Cox publicly withdrew from the Conference. A platform was adopted denouncing Greeley and the Cincinnati platform. The Convention pledges the Free Traders to support their own policy under all circumstances.

Price of Wheat at Liverpool.

SAN FRANCISCO, June 21.—Wheat at Liverpool, 12s 4d to 12s 6d.

Chas. Francis Adams Expresses Himself.

NEW YORK, June 21.—The World's special from Geneva, in an interview to-day with Charles Francis Adams, reports Mr. Adams as having said: I adhere to the principles laid before the Cincinnati Convention, but would accept a Baltimore nomination if the platform was a good one; but I will never be "wire pulled" into place. I am deeply concerned for State Rights.

Speculations About the Arbitration.

WASHINGTON, June 21.—From the latest reliable information received here there is no reason to believe that the supplementary articles to the Treaty of Washington on quite a new basis, submitted by Granville, are now the subject of negotiation between the British and American Governments. On the contrary, there is truth in the allegation made in some quarters in Geneva that at the next meeting of the Arbitrators the announcement will be made that the question of indirect damages is settled. There is the best reason for believing that at their brief session on the 12th the Arbitrators decided that such claims cannot properly come before them and must therefore be excluded.

The Boston Jubilee to be Prolonged.

BOSTON, June 21.—The Executive Committee have decided upon another social week, the programme to consist of all the most brilliant features of the present week.

Failure of the Strikers.

NEW YORK, June 21.—The strikers are dying out. The threatened demonstration at Steinway's factory this morning did not occur.

Japan Adopting the Greenback System—Denial of a Foolish Rumor.

NEW YORK, June 21.—The Japanese Government is having five-twenty bonds and greenbacks engraved, and monthly shipments are being made to Japan. About a million has been already sent.

There is absolutely no foundation for the report of Nellie Grant being engaged to marry a Scotch Lord.

A Fearful Railroad Disaster.

Nearly Sixty People Scalded to Death

ANOTHER PRESIDENTIAL CANDIDATE.

Trouble on the Mexican Border.

EUROPEAN NEWS.

California Intelligence.

Fearful Railroad Disaster.

BELLEVILLE, Canada, June 22.—The night express train went down past this place at 2:30 full of passengers, among whom were many ministers of the English Church, on their way homeward from the Synod at Toronto. About eleven miles below Belleville station the engine jumped off the track, carrying death and fearful torture to scores of passengers in the forward cars. The baggage car remained on the track and telescoped the smoking car and second-class passenger car, leaving the passengers on top of the engine and exposed to the escaping steam from the boiler. The poor creatures were hopelessly penned for some time, breathing vapors of death and suffering agony from immersion in a boiling cauldron of superheated water. O. M. Rody, an eye-witness, says that immediately after the disaster, he went to the second-class car; it and the smoking car telescoped a locomotive, the steam from which was issuing around so densely that he could see nothing. One after another of the scalded victims were crawling from openings. Crowbars were immediately put into requisition by the passengers of the first-class cars, all of which escaped injury, and openings were made. The passengers were extracted with the utmost difficulty, timbers having broken in half. The wounded were carried to the roadside, where they lay for three hours in the most fearful agony. Dr. Burdett, of Belleville, arrived at this time and had them removed to a Pullman car. On their arrival here, everything was promptly done to allay their suffering.

Sixty-five men and women were fearfully scalded and otherwise injured. Six died on the spot. The bodies were brought to Belleville. Four more died, and others are dying every hour. Not more than one-third of the injured will live. John Hibbert, engineer, was instantly killed. One leg had to be amputated. H. M. Neilson, conductor, and other train hands escaped uninjured. The wounded and dying are lying on stretchers and mattresses on the floor of the shed, some of them so disfigured as to be hardly recognizable. Five of the wounded who were able to walk left by express train for Toronto.

EVENING.—Since the report this afternoon 12 more of the injured by the railroad disaster have died, making 23 dead now. Others are dying. The physicians report that not more than six or seven of the 65 injured persons will live.

Groesbeck in the Field for the Presidency.

CINCINNATI, June 22.—The nomination of Groesbeck for the Presidency by the Free Traders excites little comment here. There is an impression that if the nomination is endorsed at Baltimore he will accept, but will not allow his name to be used against the Democrats.

Alabama Democratic Convention.

MONTGOMERY, June 22.—The Democratic Convention adjourned yesterday, after appointing delegates to Baltimore and adopting a resolution that the National Democratic Convention ought not, under existing circumstances, to make any nominations in opposition to the Cincinnati candidates.

THE CAMPAIGN IN INDIANA.

Sons of Temperance---National Division.

The Arbitration.

A Blair will Blare for Greeley

SPANISAH FFAIRS.

Joaquin Miller in Luck.

EASTERN NEWS.

The Campaign Opened in Indiana.

INDIANAPOLIS, June 23.—The Republicans opened the campaign by a mass meeting at Masonic Hall on Saturday. The meeting was addressed by Senator Morton and Gen. Coburn. Republican clubs have been organized in every ward in the city.

National Division Sons of Temperance.

CHICAGO, June 23.—The National Division of the Sons of Temperance of North America, which has been in session here for the past week, adjourned last evening.

A resolution was adopted yesterday, giving the Grand Division of California jurisdiction over Washington Territory, Nevada, Alaska, Idaho, Oregon and the Sandwich Islands.

O. D. Wettmore, of St. Johns, New Brunswick, was elected Most Worthy Patriarch for the next two years; S. W. Hodges, of Massachusetts, was elected Grand Scribe, and W. O. Clark, of California, Worthy Chief.

Dastardly Attempt to Blow up Statues of the Prince Consort at Dublin.

NEW YORK, June 23.—A foreign correspondent says that on the night of June 10th an attempt was made to blow up the statues of the Prince Consort and Lord Carlisle at Dublin.

Ex-Gov. Blair to take the Stump for Greeley.

GRAND RAPIDS, (Mich.) June 23.—The Daily Times of this' morning announces that Ex-Governor Austin Blair has declared his intention of taking the stump for Greeley if he is nominated at Baltimore.

CALIFORNIA.

The Democratic State Convention—Fire and destruction of Grain.

SAN FRANCISCO, June 20.—The Democratic State Convention this morning elected a State Central Committee as follows: First District, P. W. Murphy; 2d, P. O. Hundley; 3d, R. W. Coff; 4th, Tyler Curtis; 5th, P. O. Gallaghan; 6th, J. M. Coffroth; 7th, G. B. Walker; 8th, John Dogan; 9th, Dr. E. E. Pelpham; 10th, C. J. Wilcox; 11th, J. G. Farley; 12th, W. Hayes; 13th, G. B. Sansevain; 14th, Jo. Hamilton; 15th, H. Schroder; 16th, Thos. Lesferye; 17th, Wallace Woodward; 18th, Thos. Hamill; 19th, Frank Lawton; 20th, Anton Pray; at large, Gen. Hege and Col. Watt.

The Democratic State Convention concluded its labors this afternoon and adjourned. The following is a complete list of delegates to the Baltimore Convention: First District—C. T. Ryland of Santa Clara, McDowell and Verable, County Judge of San Luis Obispo. Second District—H. O. Cravens of Placer and George D. Roberts of Alameda. Third District—W. F. Good of Colusa and J. C. Wolfskill of Sonoma. Fourth District—Frank McCoppin and Henry George of San Francisco. Delegates at large are the Hon. Eugene Casserly, ex-Governor John G. Downey, William M. Gwin and James H. Hardy. All but Casserly are pledged to go for the nomination of Greeley.

After the State Convention adjourned the delegates from the different Congressional districts met and decided not to make Congressional nominations until after the Baltimore Convention. The members of the State Central Committee also met and organized for the campaign by electing Joseph P. Hoge, Chairman; Frank Lawton, Secretary. As the hall was being cleared a Republican nudged Frank Pixley, who was present, remarking: "Don't you find it a little hard to swallow Gwin?" Pixley instantly replied: "Well it ain't our Convention, and if it was I reckon it Gwin can swallow Greeley we ought to be able to swallow Gwin." It is stated as a fact that Gwin, since his return to this coast, has been an out and out Union man, and it is certain that he is now unqualifiedly for Greeley.

GILROY, June 20.—A large fire is raging near the Pajaro river on the line of the railroad, which destroyed several hundred acres of fine grain. At last accounts it was still raging, and it is feared very considerable loss will be entailed. It is supposed to have originated from sparks from the locomotive passenger train.

Demand for Freighting Vessels—The Women Suffragists—Explosion of Hercules Powder.

SAN FRANCISCO, June 21.—It is reported that as high as $20 per ton has been offered for vessels to load grain for Liverpool. Last year there was a surplus of tonnage here seeking unsuccessfully for charters.

The Woman Suffragers will close their session this evening. To-day they passed resolutions declaring that all men and women were born free and equal, and that all who denied this proposition are enemies and shall be punished by a withdrawal of their support, etc.

There was a tremendous explosion of Hercules powder which was stored in a shed on the Ocean House and Cliff House road this evening. The shock was felt all over the city. The explosion made a hole in the ground as large as a full-grown hay-stack—nobody killed.

Serenade to a Candidate—Failure of a Coffee firm—Disreputable Enterprise—A new Poem from "Joaquin" Miller—Sentenced to be hanged.

SAN FRANCISCO, June 22.—Col. J. C. Jenin, of Los Angeles, having been nominated for Congress will be serenaded at the Grand Hotel, at 8 o'clock this evening, and Senator Cole at the same place on the arrival of the cars from the East.

The failure of Nicholas Larco & Co., importers of coffee, etc., is announced. Liabilities, $750,000; asserts not determined. Many attachments have been levied.

Three men, disguised as women, were discovered endeavoring to enter Platt's Hall this afternoon when Miss O'Gorman was lecturing to women only. They were promptly arrested. It is understood that they represented a sheet for which they proposed to obtain a report of the lecture for publication.

Carmany, publisher of the Overland Monthly, to-day paid Joaquin Miller $2,000 in coin for the manuscript of a new Spanish American poem, to be published in chapters in that magazine.

VISALI, June 22.—W. A. Hart and K. H. Jenny, convicted of the murder of Levi Fletcher in April last, were this morning sentenced by Judge Bradford, to be hanged on Friday, August 6th.

Overland Passengers—Joaquin Miller and his Poem—The power of Nitro-Glycerine.

SAN FRANCISCO, June 23.—To arrive overland this evening—P. W. Spinks and son, Albany Oregon; J. W. Hayes, British Columbia.

Mr. Sickles, the superintendent of the U. P. R R., leaves here for the East with a special car to-morrow morning, accompanied by a party of ten friends, including his wife and two daughters, Mr. Lester of Rhode Island, Mrs. Lippincott (otherwise Grace Greenwood), Joaquin Miller, and Mrs. Stowe.

The poem entitled "The Isles of the Amazon," which has just been sold to Mr. Carmany, the publisher of the Overland, by Joaquin Miller, contains 1,500 lines, making the price realized 133⅓ cents a line, by far the largest price ever paid for a poem or poetical maker in America.

The telegraph house keeper at the Farralones reports that the shock of the nitro-glycerine explosion at Laguna Honda on Friday evening was felt with great force on the islands twelve minutes after it occurred, as nearly as the time can be computed. It rattled the windows of the building and caused the structure itself to tremble as if an earthquake had taken place.

FOREIGN NEWS.

The San Juan Boundary Question not to be Affected by Results of Geneva Arbitration.

LONDON, June 20.—In the House of Commons this evening Disraeli announced in reply to a question by Osborne that in consequence of the continuance of negotiations in reference to the Alabama claims he had concluded temporarily to postpone his motion of inquiry as to the relations between Great Britain and the United States.

Gladstone, in answer to inquiries by Walpole and Gregory, stated that the result of the labors of the Geneva Tribunal would have no effect whatever on the questions of the Canadian loan and San Juan boundary.

The Geneva Arbitration.

GENEVA, June 21.—The Representatives before the Tribunal have gone to Chimoni and will stay until to-morrow. The Americans have not gone to Paris, as they intended, but will remain here. It is believed that the reason for the change in the programme is that the supplemental article will be placed upon an entire new basis from the one presented by Granville. The subject of negotiation and chances for a satisfactory issue are now said to be increasing.

From Madrid.

MADRID, June 21.—It is reported that the Cabinet has decided in favor of the separation of Church and State in Spain.

From Paris.

PARIS, June 21.—Elie Erederic Fery, Marshal of France died yesterday, aged 68 years.

A Political Crisis in France.

PARIS, May 21.—A political crisis is apparently approaching. There is a complete rupture between the Right in the Assembly and Thiers' members. The Right, in the Assembly, to the number of 359, held a meeting and interviewed Thiers yesterday, and expressed great irritation at the attitude of the President. They resolved to entirely withdraw from his support during the session.

In the Assembly to-day the Right invited Daumale to a Conference in the Committee-room. The members of the minority all tendered their resignation to Thiers before his interview with the delegates from the Right, but were persuaded by the President to withdraw their resignations, except Larcy. Delegates of the Left are in the meantime watching the tone of affairs.

Adjournment of Geneva Conference.

GENEVA, June 19.—The tribunal of arbitration meets this afterno