

THE EVENING NEWS.

GEORGE Q. CANNON, EDITOR AND PUBLISHER. Monday, February 5, 1878.

From our Extra of Saturday Evening. PEOPLE'S TICKET! For Delegates to the Constitutional Convention.

OSORN FRATT, WM. HAYDEN, AURELIOUS MINER, THOMAS FITCH, P. EDW. CONNOR, EDWIN MITCHELL, WM. JENNINGS, GEO. Q. CANNON, JOHN T. CALNE, DAVID E. BUEL, A. CARRINGTON, THOS. P. AKERS, JOHN SHARP, A. P. ROCKWOOD, H. D. HODGINS, FRANK FULLER, S. SHARP WALKER, HADLEY D. JOHNSON.

Political Meeting of Citizens at the Tabernacle.

This afternoon at 3 o'clock a numerous assembly of citizens of both sexes convened in the Old Tabernacle for the nomination of candidates for the forthcoming city election and for delegates to the Constitutional Convention.

Mayor D. H. Wells called the audience to order, when the following gentlemen were elected officers of the meeting—Hon. Elias Smith, chairman; Paul A. Shetler, R. V. Morris; Theodore McKean and E. W. East, secretaries.

The chairman announced the purpose of the meeting. After 'Do What is Right' had been sung, J. C. Little, Esq., offered prayer. Hon. Geo. Q. Cannon proposed and the meeting approvingly agreed that a committee of seven, part of them ladies, be appointed to select names for nomination for city officers.

The chairman appointed Geo. Q. Cannon, J. C. Little, A. Carrington, W. O. Staines, E. D. Hoge, Mrs. Bathsheba Smith and Mrs. S. M. Kimball the committee, who accordingly retired.

Mayor Wells proposed and the meeting agreed that a committee of seven be appointed to select names for nomination as delegates to the Constitutional Convention.

The Chairman appointed D. H. Wells, Joseph Woodmansee, E. D. Woodley, John Van Cott, I. C. Bateman, Mrs. Wm. Howard and Mrs. E. W. East select committee, who also accordingly retired.

While the committee were consulting, Hon. Z. Snow addressed the audience upon the right of the people to petition for a State Government.

Hon. Thomas Fitch was also called for, but he declined to speak before the committee had reported.

Hon. George Q. Cannon, on behalf of the committee, presented the following names for city officers—

For Mayor: Daniel H. Wells. For Alderman: First ward, Isaac Green; second ward, Aurelius Miner; third ward, Nathaniel H. Felt; fourth ward, John Olinson; fifth ward, John Van Cott.

For Councilors: Lewis S. Hill, Robert T. Burton, John R. Winder, Alexander Majors, G. C. Fyres, Joseph P. Smith, John Clark, John McKean, Henry Gray.

For Marshal: John D. McAllister. For Treasurer: Paul A. Shetler. For Recorder: Robert Campbell.

The meeting accepted the list of names presented. Hon. D. H. Wells, in behalf of the committee, reported the following names for delegates to the Constitutional Convention—

Orson Pratt, David E. Buel, Wm. Hayden, Albert Carrington, Aurelius Miner, Thomas P. Akers, Thomas Fitch, John Sharp, P. E. Connor, A. P. Rockwood, Reuben Miller, D. H. Hodge, Wm. Jennings, Frank Fuller, Geo. Q. Cannon, S. Sharp Walker, John T. Calne, Z. Snow and Hadley D. Johnson.

The names were sustained by the meeting. Hon. Thomas Fitch, on being called for again, arose and addressed the audience in a spirit-stirring manner. He thanked the meeting for the honor of the nomination. He had been nominated delegate to a similar convention in Nevada, and the prospects there these for a State Government looked less promising than they do here.

The assembly was dismissed by Hon. W. Woodruff. SPECIAL TO OUR DESERT NEWS. By Telegraph.

AFTERNOON DISPATCHES.

EASTERN DISPATCHES.

NEW YORK, 5.—A special Mexican dispatch says the Juaristas have hung all the officers, including the leader of the revolutionary army captured at St. Fergo, about thirty miles from Matamoros.

A Washington special says that the excitement among high officials in that city in consequence of the relations with England is very great, and there have been constant conferences between representatives of the American Government and the English Embassy.

The situation in England, as represented by the English legation in Washington is of the gravest character. The Tory party, although represented by Stafford Northcote as the joint high commissioner, desire forcing the Alabama question upon parliament and to compel such a vote as would declare its want of confidence in the Gladstone ministry.

Dispatches have been received at Washington urging the administration to withdraw the claims for consequential damages. The President is firm in the conviction that the case, as represented by our government, shall not be amended or withdrawn.

Secretary Fish does not see how any claim can be withdrawn. In his judgment, if Alexander Cockburn should withdraw there would be no hope of an amicable settlement.

Mr. Evarts is about to return to this country for further instructions. A letter from St. Petersburg says the course of Cateaux has met with the approval of his associates in the foreign office, and secretary Fish is severely criticised.

Six Japanese gentlemen arrived at the Tremont House yesterday, from New York, having come on to meet to Japanese embassy now en route here from San Francisco.

Washington special indicates the final stage of the conference, reliable dispatches to which daily grows stronger. Senator Sherman will in his preface in his stand a direct appropriation of half a million for the treasury.

San Francisco, 4.—Owing to the blockade on the Union Pacific the America carried a very small number of passengers out to-day. Passengers by the Moses Taylor prior to New Zealand, Australia, and Honolulu bound east and for Europe are bitterly disappointed at the poor prospect of getting home.

Colorado as a State. It is not a matter of surprise that men influenced by sectional prejudices should legislate against the interests of Colorado and other Territories.

our country than that which would take away from them the hope of early attaining the independence of a State. Our fathers were wise and also bolded better than they know, when they prescribed, as the only qualification for new States into the Union, nothing more than that the State desiring admission should possess a constitutional government, republican in form and spirit.

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THE RAILROAD BLOCKADE.—The following was received by W. U. T. COMRADE, 4, 10 p.m. telegram from the west having arrived there as yet. The passenger train that left Ogden on the 2nd is lying at Milford. The passengers are lying on blankets and eating salted beef and hardtack.

MEDICINE BOW.—Several passenger trains from the west are still stuck at Wilcox, and one at Carbon. There is no prospect of getting out soon. A high wind prevailed during the day and it is said that when a severe snow storm set in, which still continues, about four inches of snow had fallen on the ground.

FIRE AT OGDEN.—A fire broke out in the ceiling of the kitchen at the rear of Mrs. Sarah West's house, in this city, last night. The fire was caused by a stove pipe which was fully equal to any of his former efforts.

PROF. FOWLER'S LECTURE.—There was a large audience at the Tabernacle on Sunday night, who appeared to appreciate the lecture of the learned Professor, which was fully equal to any of his former efforts. He stated that he would probably stay here one week longer, being compelled to do so by the snow blockade on the U. P. Railroad, and that he would probably give, at least, one lecture during the coming week.

GOLD ON THE COLORADO-SILVER AT PINO, ST. GEORGE, 3.—Rich discoveries of gold are reported on the bars of the Colorado river, below the mouth of Diamond river, and about 100 miles south of this place.

THE TERRITORIAL LEGISLATURE. HOUSE.—A petition of Geo. G. Snyder, for relief from the salt tax on Salt Lake City and Washup wagon road, was read and referred.

REPORT OF THE DESERT AGRICULTURAL AND MANUFACTURING SOCIETY, with financial exhibit, and report of Fish Association, also agricultural statistics, were presented by Mr. Rockwood, read and referred to the committee to whom the Agricultural Society reports were referred, for the consideration of an answer to be made.

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