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RALEIGH, N. C., 11.—The state constitutional convention adjourned sine die, this evening, after a session of thirty-one working days. In the last few days of the session many important ordinances were passed amounting to a general emancipation of the legislature from the restrictions under which it has labored since 1868, and giving it larger powers. The public debt question was not interfered with, several ineffectual attempts being made to repudiate the special tax bonds.

NEW YORK, 11.—The Springfield Republican, to-day, announces that General Bartlett has declined the nomination for Lieutenant-Governor of Massachusetts, on the democratic ticket.

CINCINNATI, 12.—On Change, to-day, not half the usual number were in attendance, the election absorbing all other interests. The indications are that an unusually large vote will be polled. At this hour nothing can be said as to the result. Both parties are confident of success. There were some attempts at repeating in the 18th and 19th Wards, but they were promptly frustrated.

COLUMBUS, O., 12.—The election passed off unusually quiet, no serious trouble having occurred in any ward. The challenge committees were very negligent, and a large and honest vote was polled at every voting place; an increased vote was polled for both parties, and it will be quite late before full returns can be had. The indications are that the republicans have largely increased their votes. The returns from 45 precincts, mainly from the northern part of the State, show a republican gain of about six hundred over 1873.

Up to 11 20 p.m. we have returns from 200 wards, townships and precincts, which give a net gain of 3,300 for Hayes; if the reported majorities in Hamilton Co. are correct Hayes is probably elected.

SANTANDER, 11.—A great fire is now raging in a timber yard near the railway depot in this city; the premises contain a great quantity of fine timber.

ROME, 11.—Italy will appoint a committee of Italians resident in America to act at the Centennial Exhibition at Philadelphia. The Pope will send two mosaics, representing a Madonna by Raphael, and St. Agnes by Gaetili.

PARIS, 11.—It is reported that the British and French governments are in communication relative to the steps to be taken in view of the recent edict in regard to the Turkish debt.

A Berlin dispatch to the same journal reports that the Turks have seized a quantity of gunpowder sent to Crete by the Greek revolutionary committee.

CINCINNATI, 12.—The election passed off quietly. The republicans claim the county for Harp, and the entire county ticket. It is certain that the republicans have made large gains.

Ohio has gone Republican by a decided majority. The republican State committee claim the election of Hayes by ten thousand majority.

NEW YORK, 12.—The failure of W. B. Hunter, tea merchant, No. 132 Front St. is announced; liabilities unknown.

NEWARK, N. J., 12.—The city election resulted in immense republican majorities. Henry J. Yates is elected mayor by 3,390 majority over Andrew Smalley, democrat.

CLINTON, Iowa, 12.—A very heavy vote has been polled and the republicans have been victorious.

OMAHA, 12.—The returns to this hour, 1.30 a.m., indicate that the republicans have carried the State by nine or ten thousand majority.

DES MOINES, Ia., 12.—The returns received at the office of the State Register, up to this hour, indicate a republican gain of about fifteen per cent. over the majority of 1874. The best informed republicans estimate the majority of Kirkwood, for governor, at 25,000. There is every indication of a republican gain in the legislature, a gain of ten or twelve republican members is assured by the returns already received on the joint ballot. The estimate now is, that there will be a republican majority of forty. These are republican figures. The democrats concede the state by 25,000.

The returns up to 1.30 a.m. give a republican majority of at least 20,000.

The bullion withdrawn from the Bank of England on balance to-day, is £166,000.

SAN FRANCISCO, 12.—Dates have been received by the Colorado, from Hong Kong to September 5th, and Yokohama to the 17th. A hostile feeling has been manifested by the Chinese in the north for some months, and it seems to be extending, venting itself in the mobbing of foreigners when opportunity offers. The P. and O. steamer Gwalior broke down 150 miles from Hong Kong, and being unable to sail drifted down to Hainan, where she anchored; a boat sent in charge of the second officer to Macao for assistance, was overhauled and robbed by pirates on the way, but was allowed to proceed, and eventually reached her destination.

Japan.—A sharp earthquake shock was felt at Nagasaki on the 25th ult. A heavy typhoon visited Kobe on the 8th inst. Several prosecutions have taken place under the new press laws. The excessive heat has given way to cooler weather. The government is actively constructing new roads. The rumors as to the visit of the Mikado to England are said to be premature. Notes of hand, payable on demand, having been issued by Mr. Blakiston of Hakodadi, their circulation has been forbidden by the government. The Coreans are still reported as disinclined to enter into diplomatic relations with Japan; one alleged reason is the adoption, by the Japanese, of European clothing. The Russian commission for the exchange of Saghalien having arrived, it is expected the matter will shortly be concluded. The British bark James Paton is stranded near Simodea. Torture will, it is said, be very shortly abolished in the Japanese courts. The Takashima mines are gradually being extended, and worked under the foreign system. The British men-of-war lying at Oaki have been ordered to China, and the fleet at Yokohama was, at last advices, under orders for the same destination.

A dispatch from Vallejosays that the evidence thus far taken by the naval court of inquiry, in the case of Pinney, the absconding purchasing clerk, has been chiefly the examination of Paymaster Spaulding's books and papers; important facts have been elicited, but no startling disclosures have been made. It transpires that Pinney plundered in company with others. Spaulding has not yet been placed on the stand. The inquiry will not be concluded before November 10th.

MONTREAL, 12.—St. Pierre and Theobald, lawyers, and Alderman Ray have been indicted for being implicated in the anti-vaccination riots.

INDIANAPOLIS, 13.—Joseph McCarty, of West Virginia, was robbed of \$1,700 last night while standing on the platform of the I. B. and W. railway, as the train was leaving the depot, by three men, who jumped on the train. Mr. McCarty thinks the men followed him from West Virginia.

AUGUSTA, Ga., 13.—Alexander H. Stephens is now considered out of danger.

COLUMBUS, O., 13.—The returns come in very slowly. It is yet impossible to give accurate figures on the result, but both republicans and democrats state that the committees agree that the state has not gone republican by over 10,000.

The most significant news of today is an official dispatch from Ross county, showing that Allen has only carried the county by 242, a republican gain of 45, which elects a republican senator, representative, treasurer and judge. Returns of all the figures on the lieutenant-governor and legislature make a definite statement regarding them impossible, while it is not certain that both committees agree that it is quite probable that the republicans have a working majority in both branches of the General Assembly.

Returns from 565 precincts give a republican gain of 5,405.

The democrats concede the State to the republicans by fifteen thousand and a fair majority in both branches of the general assembly.

CINCINNATI, 13.—The majority for Hayes in Hamilton county is about 1,500, for Hayes in the State about 20,000.

Seventy-one out of the eighty-five precincts in Hamilton county give Hayes a majority of 908, and sixty-eight precincts give Young, the republican candidate for lieutenant-governor, a majority over Samuel Cary, democrat, of 2,800.

The 4th ward, first precinct, gave Allen a majority of 72, 6 democratic gain. The republicans elect their legislators by an overwhelming majority of 2,000.

DUBUQUE, Ia., 13.—Later returns for this county make but little change in the state ticket, the democratic majority being about 1,500. For the legislature the republicans elect two out of three members, possibly the whole three of them. Special dispatches to the Dubuque Times show considerable increased republican majorities over last year from nearly all parts of the state. The majority for Kirkwood, it is believed, will reach 35,000, with a strong majority in the General Assembly.

TOLEDO, O., 13.—In Lucas Co., with one township to hear from, the majority for Hayes will be not less than 1,377 by official count.

NEW YORK, 13.—The annual election of officers of the Western Union Telegraph Co. resulted in the choice of the following board of directors—Wm. Orton, James H. Banker, Alouzo B. Carnell, Harris B. Durkee, Norvin Green, James Harker, Edwin D. Morgan, Augustus Schell, W. K. Thorn, C. Vanderbilt, Frank Work, Chester W. Chapin, Wilson G. Hunt, David Jones, C. Livingston, Jas. Milliken, John Duff, Levi D. Morton, O. H. Palmer, Geo. W. Pullman, E. S. Sanford, John Steward, Moses Taylor, Daniel Torrance, W. H. Vanderbilt, W. B. Vermalle, E. O. Wesley, E. D. Mills, and E. D. Worcester. The only change in the board is the selection of Mr. Duff in place of Mr. Mumford, deceased.

COLUMBUS, O., 13.—A most remarkable change in the political feeling occurred this evening. At noon the democrats conceded the State to the republicans by from 10,000 to 15,000, but this p.m. they received private advices which considerably changed their figures, steadily cutting down Hayes' prospective majority; to-night the democratic committee closed their headquarters to outsiders, and have since been figuring on the result, and now claim, that if Hayes is elected at all he will not have over 2,500 majority. This result, the committee claim is reached from figures received from their private correspondents in 53 counties, and 35 counties to hear from. Thompson, the democratic chairman, says that they yet hope to prove Allen's election by a small majority. This news has spread like wildfire, and men who were confident to-day, are jubilant over having won considerable sums of money on Hayes' election, now fill the republican committee rooms, anxiously inquiring the news. A. T. Wickoff, chairman of the republican committee, admits that the news this p.m. will cut down Hayes' prospective majority, but he claims that there is no news at all in keeping with that at the democrat's room; he declares that he can't see how it is possible to overcome Hayes' majority. The republican figures give the republicans nine majority in the house, not counting four which are considered doubtful, and six majority in the Senate, with four members in doubt yet.

A revision of the republican figures gives Hayes a net gain of 8,481 in fifty-six counties; on the other hand the democratic figures claim that Hayes will not have over 2,000 majority.

CHICAGO, 13.—President Grant and party arrived here yesterday, and left for Washington this p.m.

NEW ORLEANS, 13.—The following was telegraphed this p.m. to A. F. Wickoff, chairman of republican committee, at Columbus, Ohio—

"We celebrate your victory with one hundred guns, now being fired. The conservatives here are with the republicans in congratulations over the defeat of inflation."

(Signed) "S. B. PACKARD, Chairman republican committee."

DES MOINES, Ia., 11 p.m., 13.—Up to this hour the State Register has special dispatches giving pretty complete reports from 61 of the 100 counties of the State. Of these 53 give republican majorities, aggregating 25,589, and eight democratic majorities, aggregating 5,603. These counties represent three-fourths of the State, and the returns from them indicate a republican gain over 1574 of 3,000; the counties not heard from are mostly in the north-west part of the State, the strongest republican counties in the State. The Register estimates that this will make the total republican majority in the State 33,000, a gain of over 5,000.

OMAHA, 13.—The estimated republican majority in the State is 10,000.

BOSTON, 13.—The executive committee of the democratic party, of Mass., decided, to-day, to place the name of Jno. Quincy Adams upon the ticket, as candidate for Lt. Governor, vice General Bartlett, declined.

Mathias Keller, composer of the "American Hymn," died here yesterday.

PITTSBURG, Pa., 13.—Stedford & Co's planing mill, at Alleghany city, was burned this evening; loss about \$70,000.

SYRACUSE, N. Y., 13.—The National Woman's Congress met in Weiling's Opera House to-day; the attendance was not as large as at Chicago last year, though there was a number of prominent women present, among them Prof. Maria Mitchell, Julia Ward Howe, Rev. Phoebe Hannaford, Miss Louisa Alcott, and Mrs. Livermore. All professions are fairly represented. In the morning an executive session was held from which all non-members were excluded. At the afternoon session Prof. Maria Mitchell delivered the annual address. Mrs. Edna Cheney read a paper on woman's work in the schools, and Mrs. Antoinette Blackwell Brown spoke on woman's work at home. At the evening session Miss Phoebe Hannaford addressed the congress on the statistics of woman's ministry, followed by Mary Eastman, of Tewkesbury, Mass., on the educational interests of the country. The audience attending was large. The congress will continue on Thursday and Friday.

COLUMBUS, O., 14.—There is still intense excitement here over the election news, and much figuring is being done. The democrats do not expect to dissipate Hayes' majority entirely, but claim that it will be very small. The republicans figure very close, but still rely on several thousand majority. After very carefully figuring, A. T. Wickoff, chairman of the republican State committee, states that the sixty-six counties now reported give 10,607 majority for Hayes; the twenty counties not heard from gave a democratic majority of 5,271 in 1873. The democrats here claim a gain of 1,402 in sixteen of their counties, and the republicans a gain of one thousand in four of them. This would leave a net majority of 4,934 for Hayes. The democrats concede the State to the republicans by 4,000.

CINCINNATI, 14.—The following is bulletined at the Gazette office—"Returns from seventy-five counties give a net republican gain of two thousand; the thirteen counties yet to hear from are such as to inspire more doubt than hope."

NEW YORK, 14.—The Peace Union was addressed, last night, by Commissioner Meacham, Judge Westbrook, John W. Browning and others, and adopted a resolution demanding a Congressional investigation of Indian troubles; a mass meeting will be held on the subject at an early day.

Claflin and Company have concluded to move to quash the indictments charging them with smuggling, instead of pleading not guilty; there is no general belief that the firm was guilty of substantial fraud, while trickery in the prosecution is largely suspected.

Attorney General Pierrepont gives his personal testimony disproving the charge that eighteen trunks, brought by Secretary Bristow's family from Europe, were landed without examination; there were only five trunks, and they were all carefully inspected by order of Bristow, who paid the customs on every dutiable article.

The Tribune says the lesson of the Ohio election is a curt, sharp decisive contradiction of the libel upon the people that men never oppose a political policy that puts a dollar in their pockets, no matter how crooked or dishonest. The World thinks the Ohio result makes Governor Hayes the foremost republican presidential candidate. The Times points out that the republicans can't rest here, but must work vigorously if they will achieve success.

Asher & Redlick, dealers in lace, have suspended; also Fay & Co., dealers in hats and caps.

The new Western Union Telegraph bonds of 1890 have been added to the Stock Exchange list.

The sub-treasurer made an award of a million in gold, at 116.05 to 116.55.

Judge Lawrence, of the supreme court, has denied the motion for a stay in the suit against Taced, holding that the orders of the general term, which it is proposed to

appeal from, are not appealable, being entirely discretionary with the court.

The yacht Resolute was victorious in the ocean race with the yachts Dreadnought, Vesta, and Comet, from Sandy Hook to Cape May light and return.

BALTIMORE, 14.—Jas. W. Hewlitt, dealer in hides, leather and oil, under the firm name of John A. Hewlitt & Son, Water Street, has suspended.

WASHINGTON, 14.—Senator Edmunds, in a letter of the 26th ult. to Attorney General Pierrepont, declining the offer of the U. S. Circuit Judgeship for the second judicial district, expresses thanks for the honor tendered, but says his friends advise him to remain in the Senate; besides, a salary of six thousand dollars is insufficient as an inducement for him to resign his present position.

MEMPHIS, 14.—A committee, composed equally of white and colored citizens of Corbama county, Miss., have issued a circular invoking the efforts of all good citizens of the county in behalf of peace, and to protect the private property of the people from the incendiary's torch. It charges colored Sheriff Brown with having sought to arouse the colored people to lawless acts, by declaring to them in his harangues that while the gin houses are the property of the whites the torch is the remedy for grievances in the hands of colored men. It appears that Col. Stovall's steam gin house was burned by incendiaries a few weeks ago, and on the night of the 10th inst., his stable and thirteen mules were burned, and an attempt was made to burn his dwelling. The circular urges well disposed citizens to organize for common protection against incendiaries, and nightly to patrol the plantations. It is signed by nine colored men, and among the signatures of the white men are the names of United States Senator Alcorn and the Rev. R. R. White.

INDIANAPOLIS, Ind., 14.—The trains, this morning, brought large delegations from every part of the State to attend the Soldiers' Reunion; the camp is located on the grounds of the state board of agriculture, old Camp Morton, in connection with the exposition buildings.

FOREIGN.

LONDON, 12.—The news to the effect that Holland had sent men-of-war to the Caribbean Sea is said to be entirely without foundation. The Netherlands are sitting up their usual squadron for naval practice in American waters, but no vessels have gone yet, and the preparations now making have no connection whatever with the Venezuelan affair.

The admiralty exonerates Vice-Admiral Sir W. Tarleton, commanding the fleet, and Captain Hickley, of the Iron Duke, from responsibility for the sinking of the iron-clad Vanguard.

PARIS, 12.—Five hundred and sixty Carlist soldiers have crossed the frontier, at Port Devonasque, into France, and have been disarmed by the French authorities.

Gen. Sebail will be summoned to appear before a Carlist court martial, for his failure.

Jean Baptiste Corpeaux, the sculptor, is dead.

LONDON, 13.—The Admiralty minute which was promulgated yesterday has called forth much criticism by the London press. The Times, this morning, in an article on the subject, says it is not clear that the minute fully observes the rule, and that the conditions of the service in the navy ought to be upheld without favor or distinction. The Daily News and Telegraph also have editorials on the subject, and condemn the minute. The Standard, the government organ, in comments, says the minute will not secure more public approval than the notorious Admiralty circular in regard to fugitive slaves, which the government found it necessary to suspend last week. The Morning Echo says that Mr. Hunt is mistaken if he imagines he can satisfy the country by offering a navigating lieutenant as a scapegoat.

The match between H. Bird's Lowlander and Prince Bathany's Galopin, for £1,000, was run to-day at Newmarket, and was won by Galopin.

A telegram to the Times, from Shanghai, says the aspect at Pekin is more satisfactory, and that Mr. Grosvenor will probably proceed to Lunan shortly.