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GENERAL ELECTION, 1879.

THIS Registered Voters of Salt Lake

County will take notice that the

General Election for the current year will be

held in the several precincts of Salt Lake

County on Monday, the 29th day of August,

A. D. 1879, for the purpose of electing the

following officers:

The Commissioners to Locate Un-

dered Land to the Legislative Assem-

blies for Salt Lake, Summit and Tooele

Counties.

A Territorial Superintendent of District

Schools.

For Salt Lake County.

One Elector, to fill the vacancy caused

by the expired term of R. M. Wells.

A County Superintendent of District

Schools.

Also, Justices of the Peace and Con-

stant Justices in several of the precincts.

Said Election to commence at the several

places of holding elections, one hour after

sunrise, and continue until sunset on the

day aforesaid.

D. ROCKHOLT,

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BY TELEGRAPH.

THE SCOURGE SPREADING.

Memphis Memphis New York is

highly affected.

MEMPHIS, 28.—Ten additional

cases were reported to the board of

health this afternoon, six of whom

are colored. Two deaths from yel-

low fever occurred, one, however,

beyond the city limits.

The special policemen engaged

in taking a census of the city, com-

pleted their task to-day. The re-

sult shows the population of Mem-

phis to be 16,110; whites 4,288, col-

ored 11,822; adults 10,551, children

5,559; of the whole 8,743 have had

fever, leaving 11,369 susceptible to

the disease.

Failing to secure transportation

to the site selected for the establish-

ment of a camp on the Paducah

Railroad, this afternoon, at five

o'clock, Col. John F. Cameron, with

a detail of 16 colored soldiers took

passage on a train furnished by Su-

perintendent Mike Burke, of the

Mississippi and Tennessee Railroad,

and established a camp five miles

south of the city, half a mile below

where Camp Joe Williams was es-

tablished last year. Tents were taken

along, and by morning the detail

will have 60 tents ready for occu-

pation.

The Secretary of War has tele-

graphed to D. T. Porter, Chief Ex-

ecutive of the city, that rations will

be furnished only to those sick

with yellow fever, or in camps.

A. D. Longstaff, President, and

Gen. W. J. Smith, Vice-President of

the Howard Association, have been

added to the executive com-

mittee of safety.

The wife and two daughters of

Thomas S. Easton, formerly of New

York, were stricken by fever this

morning. The wife died last night.

New Orleans, 28.—There was one

fatal case of yellow fever here, and

the board of health report another

case in the neighborhood of the

fatal case.

Michael Fitzgibbons, a Memphis

refugee, died to-day at quarantine,

of yellow fever.

Louisville, 28.—Mrs. Pomeroy,

who, with her child, was removed

from Preston Street to the hospital

last week, died last night. The

child was suffering from the fever,

but is doing well. They arrived

from Memphis only the day before

they were removed to the hospital.

The death of Mrs. Pomeroy is the

third that has occurred here since

THE CONGRESSIONAL COMMITTEE.

Taking testimony in Chicago.

CHICAGO, 28.—The congressional

committee, of which Hon. Hend-

rick H. Wright is chairman, began

its inquiry to-day into the causes of

depression in trade and industry.

Lynman J. Gage, cashier of the

First National Bank, was the first

witness. He regarded the present

supply of money in the country as

ample, although ten years ago we

had much more money in circula-

tion, yet the business of Chicago

is sounder to-day than ever before.

He thought the return of

prosperity began about 18 months

ago, and the outlook now is

very favorable. Answering ques-

tions by Chairman Wright, he said

that doubtless the withdrawal of

currency had operated to depress

business during the past 10 years,

but had not operated so as to be

a very essential factor. The de-

pression was a reaction toward the

normal standard, which had been

naturally disturbed by the war and

its results. Being asked what he

would suggest in the way of leg-

islation, he said he would repeat

the legal tender quality of the United

States notes, pay them to bearer on

demand, make gold and silver dol-

lars interchangeable at the United

States sub-treasury, suppress the

issue and retire outstanding notes

under the value of five dollars as

quickly as possible. He believed

that to repeal the national bank

law.

George Schneider, President of

the National Bank of Illinois, tes-

tified that he believed in the cur-

rency. The city and its banks were

in a healthy state to-day. The

panic and the season of bankruptcy

had strengthened, rather than

weakened Chicago, and business

which began to revive a year and

a half ago is in this condition. He

thought that the issue of money

bothered with finances the better

for the country.

George M. Sloan, a farmer in

Wisconsin, testified that farms were

mortgaged to the full value

throughout the State. The price

of farm labor was lowering, at pre-

sent being from seventy to eighty

cents per day to ten dollars per month.

The penal law of Wisconsin against

begging had destroyed the surplus

of labor. Farmers seemed blind to

the fact that three-fourths of the

so-called tramps are honest labor-

ers, out of work. He thought an

AT WASH. WITH LIBERTY.

NEWARK, N. J., 28.—Four thou-

sand Germans, in mass meeting,

protested against the enforcement

of the absolute Sunday laws, which

are chiefly directed against the

Germans and are at war with the

spirit of liberty and humanity.

The Great Trotters.

PEORIA, Ill., 28.—Colonel Dow-

dall has arranged for a trot between

Barus and Hopeful, on September

24. Other speedy races, includ-

ing Sleepy Tom, will be present.

Misses Welch assist.

WASHINGTON, 28.—The State De-

partment presumes the letter of re-

signation of Minister Welch, who

is on his way to the United States,

Secretary Blaine has received a dis-

patch from the Minister stating

his resignation has been sent by

mail. The London Daily News of

yesterday announces in conse-

quence of domestic bereavement

Mr. Welch, Minister of the United

States, has resigned, and will sail

for home about August 29th.

A Diplomat Prevented.

RICHMOND, Va., 28.—Judge

Robert Ould, a prominent lawyer

of this city, and well known as a

confederate commissioner for the

exchange of prisoners during the

war, and a Special George, also of

this city, were arrested this eve-

ning, charged with being about to

engage in a duel. The trouble be-

tween the parties grew out of a

law suit.

WESTERN.

News from the West.

SAN FRANCISCO, 28.—A Seattle

dispatch says: A fire last night

originating in the American Hotel,

burned the entire block, and cross-

ing Mill Street, swept it on both