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CHICAGO, 25.—An *Inter-Ocean's* Washington special says: The registration troubles in New Orleans called out the following telegram to-day:

New Orleans, Oct. 25.

To the Hon. J. A. Hubbell, Chairman of Congressional Committee, Washington:

Officers of registration and parties illegally registered were arrested to day. Republican supervisors report that the registration officers register white men, many of whom are unknown and refuse to register colored men. The State supervisor of registration refused to allow it until the State supervisors take positions as officers of instruction to enable them to scrutinize. The manner of registration is a clear violation. The democrats evidently intend to adopt desperate means to prevent the election of a republican congressman.

(Signed) W. P. KELLOGG.

Washington, Oct. 25, 1880.

Wm. Pitt Kellogg, United States Marshal, New Orleans, La.:

The law clearly authorizes the appointment of deputy marshals to attend to the registration as well as elections, and it is the duty of the marshal to appoint, when properly called on, and suitable persons can be found. The law expressly forbids the crimes now being committed, according to your dispatch, in open defiance of the United States authority. Get warrants out for these offenders. Deputies cannot be paid for attending at registration on elections, owing to the failure of the appropriations. They can be paid for all service of a paper regularly issued by a court of commissioner.

(Signed) J. A. HUBBELL.

This afternoon's *Picayune* says: The fight between the State and United States officers upon the registration questions is assuming grave proportions and a conflict may be expected at any moment. Arrests are already made of parties registering within ten days prior to election, as specified in the law for the revision of lists. At noon to-day, Chas. Cavarac, supervisor of registration, informed Col. William Ray, chief supervisor, he would resist further arrests with all the power of the State. The deputy United States marshals have received instructions to caution every person attempting to register a vote, that they do so under pain of arrest. When the forewarning is unheeded, arrest will be made. Registration is going on briskly at the registration office, even the negroes taking advantage of the few days yet remaining.

NEW YORK, 25.—A *World* London special says: The post office at Manchester is in flames and will be destroyed. All telegraph communication with London is now (12:15 a. m.) suspended. Great alarm is felt here, as there are plain indications that the fire was incendiary, and it is believed by many persons that this indicates the intention to organize disturbances in England in aid of the land league in Ireland. Two regiments of infantry, at Davenport, have been ordered by telegraph to the suburbs of Manchester, which were under orders for Ireland.

Arrangements are being made for a grand republican ratification meeting in front of the sub-treasury, on Wall street, Thursday afternoon. Secretary Schurz and Hugh McCullough will be among the speakers. A large delegation from the Produce Exchange will march to the meeting, and the republican members of the Stock Exchange are to appear with badges. It is expected the democratic demonstration at the same place last week will be thrown in the shade.

The democratic committee sent to California on Friday last electrotype plates of the forged Garfield-Morey letter, with a view of flooding California with copies. The republican committee to-day sent out many thousand of fac similes of copies of the Garfield autograph letter exposing the forgery. No one can compare the respective hand-writing without being convinced that they are the work of different hands.

Pat Donan, who edited the red-mouthed, Bourbon, copperhead organ, the *Caucasian*, during the war, and who, 18 months ago, after taking a trip through the north for the first time, wrote to the *Chicago Times* a letter adjuring the South to reform from its weakness and shiftlessness and hatred of laborers, and

urging them to invite the wonderful thrift and industry and economy of the growing north, and who predicted, unless they gave over their sectional prejudices and did so, that the solid north would cease to hold out the fraternal hand, and would array themselves against an aggressive and insolent solid South, writes again to the *Times*, anent the Indiana and Ohio elections and in view of the promised republican successes in November, and says, "I told you so." He says, "I am a democrat and a southern man, Mr. Editor. I never voted the republican ticket or wrote or uttered a republican sentiment in my life, but must say that if the election of Garfield and the overwhelming triumph of the republican party next month shall forever end the South's long-cherished dream of political domination in the republic, and drive her people at last to work to develop the boundless resources which God and Nature have lavished upon their magnificent region, and achieve for themselves material independence, I shall not consider it an unmixed evil. If the election of the devil himself on a republican platform would break up the solid south and lead her people to retire from the public gaze, and all such clamorous old skeletons of the dead and damned past as the Blackburns, Hamptons, Tuckers, Lamars, Becks, Chalmers and Ben Hills, recognize the fact that they live in the 19th century, instead of the 18th, lay aside their false pride and antiquated notions of gentility, make labor gentility, make labor respectful, even for gentlemen, put a proper estimate on human life, understands that difference of opinion is not a capital crime, encourage immigration and education, and turn their faces forward instead of backward, I am not certain, but I should regard the inauguration of his Satanic majesty as a blessing in disguise to a hapless region whose only folly has for nearly a generation closed its doors against all the blessings. Whether disguised or undisguised, I am for anything that will benefit the South by cultivating the common sense which has heretofore been the most uncommon thing imaginable among her people.

DES MOINES, 25.—The fraudulent and forged letter business has broken out in a new spot and on a new person. This time Weaver, greenback presidential candidate and his fast political friend Gillette, of Iowa, come forward and declare that the letter from Weaver to Gillette, published in the *New York Star*, was neither written nor sent and that its allegations are absolute lies, and the letter itself a forgery. The letter declares that Weaver is against fusion everywhere, because it would be injurious to the republican party in whose interest he is laboring. Weaver makes his denial before a notary in the strongest terms.

PHILADELPHIA, 25.—A sensation has been created here by the discovery that Mary Ann Conner, who died six weeks after marriage, and just after making her will, leaving all her property (about \$60,000) to her husband, Michael Connor, was the seventh wife of the man, his sixth having died within a few months of his marriage to the woman who expired last week. It is alleged he treated his wife with brutality, and that immediately after death her face turned blue and her body became swollen.

CHICAGO, 25.—This afternoon the body of Mrs. Vasserman was washed ashore near the Illinois Central freight house. The woman, who had evidently committed suicide, was clasping closely in her arms the body of her infant child which was bound tightly to her by a veil. The cause of the act is said to be jealousy. She had been in the water nearly a week, from appearances.

DENVER, 25.—The *Republican's* Leadville special says: The body of Michael Hendricks, said to be a nephew of Governor Hendricks, of Indiana, was found murdered three miles from here. The murder is supposed to have been committed by the two McCullough brothers, young Hendricks having been implicated in the murder of their brother and acquitted.

GALVESTON, 25.—A *News' Belton* special says: Mata McKnight to-day shot James Dirrick, the ball passing through his neck and striking John W. Kemp under the right eye, killing him instantly. Dirrick is mortally wounded. The officers are in pursuit.

CHICAGO, 26.—Astounding registration frauds have been discovered here to-day. Investigations set on foot by the republicans as a test of the fair dealing of the democrats,

reveal the startling fact that in one precinct alone, 49 fraudulent names have been registered. The names of suppositious men who do live in the places are given on the poll book, and places are also given where there are but vacant lots. Registration papers at the rate of 500 per day are being ground out by the democratic committee. Some men represented thereby have barely touched American soil. If the proportion of fraudulent registration should hold out in the remaining precincts, there would be over 5,000 democratic votes gained. The republicans will now make a thorough examination of the lists and of the precincts.

LOUISVILLE, Ky., 26.—The *Courier-Journal*, Tuesday, publishes the following from Col. Blanton Duncan: An utterly mendacious editorial from Lee Crandall, alleging that I tempted Gen. Hancock with the suppositious greenback nomination, absolves me from withholding the correspondence upon which Crandall marked "confidential" and from which I had been perfectly convinced that Dyer L. Lums' charges were true as to purchase of men in the control of the greenback organizations. Letter from General Hancock to me together with the one of October 28th, 1879, have already been published. The letter suggesting a greenback nomination, to which I wrote, recommending Hancock not to reply, came to me from Lee Crandall, secretary of the greenback executive committee voluntarily. The first paragraph was, "for some time past Judge Warwick Martin and myself have been talking over a plan to elect Gen. Hancock president of the United States. Crandall supported Hancock indirectly for some months thereafter, and published several articles under my signature. He got restive, however, and on February 19th, 1880, wrote complaining that the friends of Hancock have not done anything for them, and booming him reduces my receipts. It is strange that Hancock don't send a contribution to me for the men. I am not able to continue the fight in his behalf, unless I receive some financial aid. Please write to Hancock and friends to give the view a financial boom at once, which will place me in position to give more space to their interests." The reply was instantly made by me that General Hancock was not seeking to buy the nomination nor influence, and that Crandall would have to seek elsewhere for money. He ceased booming Hancock at once. Pity for his poverty and compulsory prostitution has kept me silent, though it was long ago evident to me that the whole greenback machinery was permeated with corruption and purchasable, the elements of which the honorable portion were in ignorance.

(Signed) BLANTON DUNCAN.

NEW YORK, 26.—The *World's* London special says: Two thousand and fifty Irish constabulary have been ordered immediately to rendezvous at Curragh of Kildare. Tonight the town is filled with the gravest rumors. I learn on the authority of a member of the government that the very highest importance is attached to the serious intelligence received to-day from Ireland. I am informed that Parnell and his friends have held a private council and have resolved to discard the policy of exhorting the people to keep the peace the moment the land league is struck by the government, and the whole west and south of Ireland, the seat of almost all the national discontent and desperation, will become the scene of the most exciting events. It is said to-night that an early meeting of the cabinet will be called.

The *Herald's* Columbus, Ohio, special says: Notwithstanding the present denouncement of the authenticity of the alleged Garfield letter on the Chinese question, the democratic State committee is devoting its entire time this week to flooding Ohio with fac similes of the document. At the republican headquarters little is being done to urge upon the local committees the importance of keeping the campaign machinery in running order. It would not be surprising if the total of the November vote would fall somewhat below that cast for the State ticket owing to the apathy or weariness of the people induced by the long-exciting campaign just closed.

The *Times* says: The total registration of New York City this year is 216,929, against 167,837 last year. An analysis of the table shows the rate of increase has been much greater in republican than in democratic districts. In the seventh,

ninth, eleventh and thirteenth assembly districts, all republican, the rate of increase over the registration of '79 is 30, 33, 23, 46 per cent. The total vote bears the same proportion to the registration as in '76. There will be 202,600 votes polled next Tuesday. Adding to the vote cast for President by each party in '76, its due proportion of increase as indicated by the above percentages we have a democratic total in round numbers of 130,600 and a republican total of 72,000, giving a democratic majority of 58,000. This is what the table shows if it shows anything. But the real increase in republican strength in this city does not appear on the registry lists. The completed registration in this city shows an apparent net republican gain of five and one-third per cent. compared with a year ago. Experts carefully estimate the aggregate city vote will be 200,000, unless democratic indifference decreases it. This is on the basis of the percentage obtained by Tilden four years ago and allowing for the net republican gain as above would give Hancock less than 50,000 majority here, against eighty to a hundred thousand majority for Garfield, confidently expected elsewhere in the State. A moderate defection among democratic business men and manufacturers reduces the probable city majority to 45,000 or less.

The *Express* (dem.) claims only 41,000. Kings County registration indicates 10 per cent net republican gain which would leave about 10,000 majority for Hancock. Adding Queen's, Suffolk and Richmond Counties, 63,000 democratic majority below Harlem river is the most that judicious democrats claim as probable or possible. The republicans came down to Harlem River last year with a larger majority than that in the foregoing calculations. No allowance is made for the undoubted falling off in the democratic vote this year by indifference, desertion to the republican ranks and the return of business republicans who voted for Tilden four years ago. Twenty-five thousand republican gain from these causes is a very moderate estimate, consequently shrewd betting men are staking their money generally and freely on the republicans carrying New York by a handsome vote. Personally I consider 25,000 a very low figure as the canvass looks to-day, and 50,000 will be no surprise.

CINCINNATI, 26.—The Honorable Richard Thompson, Secretary of the Navy, left the city to-day to meet a campaign appointment in Indiana. Speaking of the political situation in the States of the Pacific Coast which he has lately visited he said: I have had an opportunity for observing the sentiment in California and Oregon, and from my observations there, I have no doubt of the result. I have not had the same opportunities for observation in Nevada, but believe that State will go as the others on the Pacific Slope. "What effect do you suppose the so-called Morey letter will have in the Pacific States?"

"I don't believe it will have any. The letter is a forgery, and when that fact becomes known, its effect will be rather favorable. In California the Chinese question is unquestionably a very serious one. It is the greatest problem they have to deal with there, and we do not fully appreciate it here. It is everything to them there. But this letter carries forgery upon its face. It would be of no consequence if genuine, except in the Pacific States, but it will be of none there."

## BRIEF TELEGRAMS.

A Russian clipper ship has left Cronstadt for the Pacific.

The proposal to meet at Antivari clearly indicates the Turkish policy of delay.

The Basutos have cut the land lines of telegraph between Durban and Cape Colony.

Much damage was done shipping in Halifax and on the coast owing to a gale on Saturday night.

The favorite American stocks in London are New York Central and Baltimore and Ohio, and Union Pacific.

Kellogg has arrived in New Orleans, and will make a strong effort to detach Louisiana from the solid south.

A fire last night in Clyde, Ks. destroyed some livery stables. Forty horses were burned to death; loss \$7,000.

The flood near Cherbourg has subsided. Only two children were drowned. Much damage was done to property.

The French government has decided to dissolve all non-authorized religious orders before the reassembling of the Chambers.

Anarchy reigns in Cabul and the Amerer has been murdered. There has been no news by post from Cabul for several days.

It is stated William E. Forster, chief secretary for Ireland, has placed his resignation in the hands of Premier Gladstone.

Mr. Brand's celebrated three year old colt "Robert the Devil," will be sold on Wednesday, the reserve price is said to be £15,000.

There was a slight fall of snow yesterday at Albany, and a heavy wind all day. The water in the Hudson was never lower.

A great land league meeting was held in Galway yesterday. Fifty thousand people were present. Parnell addressed the meeting.

There is talk of importing anthracite coal from America to England, for burning in London, so as to cure or prevent the London fogs.

Negotiations have been resumed at Mirbaza, Montenegrin territory, which is more conveniently situated for communication with Scutari than Rjeko.

The condition of John S. Clark, the American comedian, in England is critical. Two eminent Virginians are in constant attendance upon him.

The people of the cotton States accept the result in Ohio and Indiana as a declaration of a want of confidence in the loyalty of the southern people.

The Porte has made arrangements for the dispatch of 10,000 men to Adrianople in view of preparations for the union of Bulgaria and Roumania.

The Kurds have invested the fortified town of Arumiah in northern Persia, near the Armenian frontier, and summoned it to surrender in three days.

Charles Crocker arrived in San Antonio to-day to arrange for the extension to the Southern Pacific to the Galveston, Harrisburg and San Antonio road.

A careful canvass of Connecticut shows the republicans will doubtless carry the electoral ticket and legislature by one to three thousand, and elect three Congressmen.

It now appears that the Morey Chinese document is an exact reproduction of the handwriting of the forged Springer epistle in the Washburne-Donnelly contest.

The news from Cabul relative to the murder of the Amerer is from the civil and military *Gazette* of Lahore. The India office, however, has no confirmation of the report.

Prof. C. M. Woodward, of Washington University, Mo., has been commissioned supervisor of census to re-enumerate the population of St. Louis, and will organize a force at once.

It is considered unnecessary to strengthen the powers of the Irish executive for the repression of outrages. Parliament therefore is not likely to be summoned before the usual time.

There has been considerable rise in London in American securities throughout the week, and the opinion prevails that no other securities present an equally good field for investment.

The English Reform Club has raised £270,000 for general election purposes. The Dukes of Bedford and Devonshire each gave £45,000 and the Duke of Westminster a still larger sum.

All shades of political opinion in England unite in denouncing the Government's action in relation to the land league as a weak reaction. But the ministry will stand or fall by its policy.

Minister Lowell leaves London next week to visit the Duke of Argyll at Inverary Castle, whence he will go to Edinburgh, to become the guest of Findlay, chief proprietor of the *Scotsman*.

Parnell at Galway to-day, said: I feel convinced that if ever you call upon your countrymen in America for aid, you will have their trained and organized assistance in breaking the British yoke.