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## EASTERN DISPATCHES.

PHILADELPHIA, May 6.—K. McClure, chairman of the liberal Republican State Convention, has been elected to the position of president of the convention.

NEW YORK.—Only one of the walls of the new building of the Metropolitan Museum of Art, which is being erected on the corner of 81st street and Madison avenue, has been completed.

AT A special meeting of the Chamber of Commerce, Samuel B. Ruggles presented a report on coinage and offered a resolution requesting Congress to make the gold dollar legal tender only for amounts not exceeding five dollars, thus putting an end to a double standard for legal money, and that the silver dollar be made the weight of 412½ grains, instead of 385 fourth grains, in order to correspond with certain foreign coins.

WASHINGTON.—The Supreme Court has adjourned until the 20th of October. A memorial was presented to the House today, signed by three thousand citizens of Utah, protesting against the admission of the Territory into the Union. It was accompanied by the affidavit of thirty apostate Mormons against Brigham Young and the Utah Territory.

The Senate confirmed Thomas B. Shannon collector for San Francisco.

The Democratic convention in New York, which is being held at the Waldorf-Astoria, has adjourned until the 10th of May.

NEW YORK.—The Irish Citizen, which is a weekly paper published by the Democratic party, has been ordered to pay a fine of \$100 for publishing a false statement.

DAVIS says that Kentucky will rally to the life-long support of Clay.

GREELY has received congratulatory dispatches from Chief Justice Chase, Garret Davis, Leslie Coombs, John B. Deffenbacher, and others.

CHICAGO.—The Post believes that Greely will be successful if endorsed by any of the leading newspapers.

CINCINNATI, 6.—D. W. Voorhees telegraphs to the editor of the Journal that the Democrats will meet in convention, nominate candidates and declare their policy. He says that the right is not the best that could have been made, there can be no question that it means honest reform, as between Greely and Grant; and appeals to all liberals to support the ticket. It reminds the German of the course of the *Freiheit* during the Franco-German war, and thinks they will not forget it.

NEW YORK, 6.—August Belmont was interviewed yesterday on the result of the Cincinnati convention. He said it may be policy to adopt the ticket, and believed Greely would run well in the South, still, it was too soon to judge what was best to be done. The Philadelphia convention had not yet been held, and he thought the Democratic party must act wisely. His opinion was that the Liberal ticket would be defeated in November, if the Democrats did not act wisely. He thought the Democratic party must act wisely. His opinion was that the Liberal ticket would be defeated in November, if the Democrats did not act wisely.

THE Brooklyn Eagle (Dem.) endorses Greely.

The entire interior of Nible's is destroyed. The loss is supposed to be not less than \$500,000. The hotel is only slightly damaged. It is not known how the fire began. Some suppose it was the work of an incendiary.

WASHINGTON.—There is no change in the position of the Alabama question since the recent semi-official publication, in which it was said the claims for indirect damages had not and would not be withdrawn. The government did not in its statement or counter statement draw any distinction between the country for direct and indirect damages, but had also been admitted together in the hope that the tribunal will exercise the power conferred upon it, to award the same in proportion to the loss sustained by the United States. The government would not ask the tribunal for any money consideration for indirect damages, but it did not claim compensation for similar injuries under like circumstances as discussed by prominent gentlemen of both countries before the intimation was made to Britain that it would accept it as a ready and satisfactory solution of the present difficulty.

NEW YORK.—The Herald states that Granville's response to the American proposition that the British government would propose to establish an

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## EUROPEAN.

MADRID, 4.—A dispatch from San Sebastian, the Basque coast, says that the Carlist forces were completely defeated after a nine hours' battle, the government troops carrying the village of Corras at the point of the bayonet. The Carlist leader was captured and it is reported that Carlos himself is a prisoner.

LONDON.—The Marquis of Camden died today, aged 93.

There is no confirmation of the reported capture of Carlos by Spanish troops.

The dock laborers have joined sailors in the demonstration against the strikers make noisy demonstrations. Police have been sent from London to assist in the preservation of order.

## CRAGIN'S AMENDMENT.

MR. CRAGIN, from the Committee on Territories, to whom was referred the bill (S. 323) to add the execution of the law against polygamy, and to prevent that crime in the Territory of Utah, and for other purposes, reported it, with the following amendment, in the Senate of the United States, April 29, 1912.

AMENDMENT.

Strike out all the words relating to the male and insert the following: "That the male citizens of the United States, residents of Utah Territory, shall be competent to serve as grand and petit jurors in said Territory."

SEC. 2. That whenever a district judge of said Territory shall determine that a grand jury or petit jury will be needed in any county of said Territory, he shall cause to be drawn a list of the names of the male citizens of said Territory, who shall be competent to serve as grand and petit jurors in said Territory, and shall cause the same to be filed in the office of the clerk of the said court. And whenever the judge shall order the clerk to issue a venire, the clerk, in the presence of the said attorney and marshal, or their deputies, shall write the names contained in the list of the names of the persons constituting each panel so drawn; and the clerk, attorney and marshal, or their deputies, shall file the same in the office of the clerk of the said court. And whenever the judge shall order the clerk to issue a venire, the clerk, in the presence of the said attorney and marshal, or their deputies, shall write the names contained in the list of the names of the persons constituting each panel so drawn; and the clerk, attorney and marshal, or their deputies, shall file the same in the office of the clerk of the said court.

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