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Capital, \$ 4,500 000  
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Assets.  
 United States 4 1/2 per cent registered  
 Bonds \$345,000.00  
 United States 4 per cent registered  
 Bonds 218,240.00  
 New York Central & Hudson River  
 Railroad Bonds 48,500.00  
 Georgia State Bonds 27,000.00  
 Cash deposited in State of Missis-  
 sippi 15,000.00  
 Cash in Bank 19,875.28  
 Premiums in course of collection 762,206.76

LIABILITIES. \$ 954,517.62

Re-insurance reserve \$456,566.31  
 Unpaid losses 28,140.23  
 Other liabilities 29,141.28 \$ 565,453.82  
 Surplus in United States \$ 389,063.73  
 Premium deposits in United States, 1874 to  
 1883, inclusive \$5,200,202.29  
 Total Fire losses paid in United States, 1874 to  
 1883, inclusive 2,363,535.69

**QUEEN**  
**Insurance Co**  
 LIVERPOOL.

Semi-annual statement of the United States  
 branch on the 31st day of December, 1883.

JOSEPH M. ROGERS, Manager Western De-  
 partment, Chicago, Ill.

Assets in the United States.

Cash Items \$ 188,983.66  
 Real Estate, Unincumbered 352,599.18  
 United States Bonds 1,096,853.11  
 Other Securities 169,129.39  
 Other Items 21,641.65  
 1,732,207.89

Liabilities in the United States.

Losses Unadjusted and  
 in Suspense \$438,934.20  
 All other Claims against  
 the Company 4,676.75  
 143,610.95

Amount necessary to re-  
 insure all outstanding  
 risks 176,672.32  
 Net surplus in United  
 States \$38,924.52

Net Surplus in United States Dec. 31  
 1882 \$383,124.52  
 Losses paid since Organization \$,000,000.00

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**PLATTSMOUTH, NEBRASKA.**

**Telegraphic.**

**CONGRESSIONAL.**

**Closing Days in Congress.**

**The Fitz John Porter Case.**

**The Democratic Convention.**

Washington, July 3.—After reading  
 the journal the chair laid before the  
 senate the Fitz John Porter veto mes-  
 sage, which was read, the question  
 being, "Shall the bill pass notwithstanding  
 the objections of the president?"  
 The yeas and nays were taken without  
 debate and resulted in a tie vote, yeas  
 27, nays 27. Two-thirds not voting in  
 the affirmative, the bill failed to pass.

The vote in detail is:  
 Yeas—Bayard, Beck, Brown, Butler,  
 Call, Cameron (Pa.), Cockrell, Coke,  
 Fair, Farley, Garland, George, Groome,  
 Hampton, Harris, Hoar, Jonas, Jones  
 (Fla.), Maxey, Morgan, Pike, Pugh,  
 Ransom, Sewell, Vance, Vest, Voor-  
 hees.

Nays—Aldrich, Allison, Blair, Bow-  
 en, Cameron (Wis.), Conger, Dawes,  
 Dolph, Edmunds, Hale, Harrison, Haw-  
 ley, Hill, Ingalls, Lapham, Logan, Mc-  
 Millan, Mitchell, Morrill, Palmer, Platt,  
 Plumb, Sawyer, Sherman, VanWyck,  
 Wilson.—27.

Mr. Davis, from the committee on  
 appropriations, reported the fortifica-  
 tion bill with amendments. Ordered  
 printed.

Mr. Jones (Nev.), explained that he  
 had been necessarily absent during the  
 vote on the Fitz-John Porter bill and  
 if he had been in the chamber he would  
 have voted in favor of the bill becom-  
 ing a law, notwithstanding the presi-  
 dent's objections.

Mr. Blair, from the committee on  
 education and labor, reported favorably  
 the bill to legalize the incorporation of  
 the national trades union. Calandered.

The resolution offered yesterday by  
 Sherman was agreed to, providing for a  
 session of the senate to-morrow (July 4).

A resolution was agreed to authoriz-  
 ing the appointment of a committee of  
 five senators to examine into the capac-  
 ity of steel-producing works in the  
 United States to make steel for guns of  
 high power, plate suitable for war ships,  
 and into the character and sufficiency  
 of the tools in the navy yard and found-  
 ries suitable for the manufacturing of  
 engines for such vessels and sea coast  
 defenses. Also to inquire as to the  
 best method of manufacturing the same,  
 whether by government or contract  
 with private parties.

The senate insisted upon its amend-  
 ments to the sundry civil bill, and or-  
 dered a conference.

**A COCK-EYE CONSPIRACY.**  
 Chicago, July 3.—Certain members  
 of the committee of arrangements for  
 the democratic convention profess to  
 have discovered a conspiracy on the  
 part of the friends of Benjamin But-  
 ler, to get up a grand demonstration  
 for "The Cock-Eyed Man of Destiny"  
 with a view to nominating him by  
 clamor and enthusiasm.

**AFTER THE STYLE OF BLAINE'S SELEC-  
 TION.**  
 It is known that it is the intention of  
 the trades assemblies and labor unions  
 to give Butler a rousing welcome, but  
 the investigation of the committee men  
 is said to have developed further that  
 an effort is to be made to take the en-  
 thusiasm into the convention hall.  
 How this is to be done is not related  
 by the committee men, but outsiders  
 say that Butler's friends are in com-  
 munication with delegates and others  
 entitled to tickets, and that they are  
 endeavoring to buy them at pretty  
 steep figures. This statement chimes  
 with the information that

**THE GENERAL'S BARREL**  
 has already arrived at the Palmer  
 house. It is further given the air of  
 plausibility by the mysterious acts of  
 Col. Plympton, General Butler's agent.  
 Plympton has a room at the Palmer  
 house, but he is seldom there. A pile  
 of papers and miscellaneous odds and  
 ends is the only indication of occupa-  
 ncy which greets the visitor to No. 214.  
 Many call but few find Plympton in.  
 Those who have watched his move-  
 ments report that he is in close com-  
 munication much of the time with

**SECRETARY SHRIVELY,**  
 of the recent anti-monopoly conven-  
 tion. Secretary Shrively has been in  
 the city for several weeks strengthen-  
 ing the intrenchments of the labor and  
 trades assembly fortifications. What-  
 ever truth there is in these rumors, that  
 strong endeavor is being made to  
**POAK THE CONVENTION FOR BUTLER.**  
 Those who have charge of the tickets  
 are redoubling their vigilance and es-

tablishing an extra watch on the cham-  
 nels through which tickets are given  
 out. The sergeant at arms, it is said  
 has been warned by the friends of other  
 candidates to increase his precautions  
 against all conceivable means of ingress  
 to the hall. He has reported that there  
 is no possible chance for claquers to  
 get in save by ticket. If they have  
 tickets, Bright says he has, of course,  
 no means of preventing their entrance.  
 There appears to be no doubt that the  
 tickets held by the Massachusetts dele-  
 gates will be placed where they will do  
 the most good.

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