

IMPARTIAL POLITICS. The Sentiment of Various People and Papers on the Nominations. Flowers Budding Into Bloom as Democracy's Candidate. Some Secrets of the Late Chicago Convention Coming to Light. How Blaine Could Have Been Beaten by the Arthur Men. The Vice-Presidency, and What Fresham's Chances Were. Logan's Candidacy, and the Hole It Made in Illinois' Politics.

It is hardly necessary to say that Mr. Blaine was not the first preference of the masses of the people; and the advent of the last few days have demonstrated that he is the unmistakable choice of the republican voters of the country for the great office to which it is now the duty of every sincere and loyal member of the party to help to elect him by a rousing and splendid majority.

There is a certain use and object to-day, he stands not only for himself any longer, but for the heroic and potent organization that has declared him to be its "leader of leaders" and its bright champion. His personality has ceased to be a question for republicans to dispute about, or to deal with otherwise than as the verdict in his favor requires.

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he is, by the admission of high republican authorities, the man most easily beaten. Nay, he is the man whose defeat is already assured; for, it is admitted that he cannot carry New York, the state whose vote will decide the contest. He represents sharply the policy of high protection on the tariff; he represents what may be called a war policy with England and France on South and Central American questions; and his public record is marred by unfortunate and indefensible relations with railroads which give cause to the independent republican organs of New York for asserting they will never support him.

Democrats are more than satisfied with the nomination of Mr. Blaine. The streets in over, and the name of James G. Blaine, like that of Abou Ben Adhem in the vision, "leads all the rest." Upon his shoulders at last has fallen the honor which has been the ambition of his whole life—to his hands has the republican standard been entrusted for the campaign which is to decide what political principles and which of the two great parties shall control the administration of the government during the next four years.

The Illinois Staats Zeitung (Rep.) The convention has done its work. Past and prospective triumph over reason. Blaine, of Maine, has been selected as the pugilist to knock out the democratic nominee. How this fight will end it is not in the power of any man to tell, while it is not yet known who the democratic candidate will be. The time when a republican nomination was equivalent to an election has passed away forever.

New York Sun (dem.) A great many republicans are opposed to Mr. Blaine, but those who imagine that because of that disaffection the country is now to witness a spirited canvass and an easy triumph for the opposition are, in our judgment, very much in error. Mr. Blaine is a fertile and sensational politician and will force the fighting from the start.

New York Commercial Advertiser (rep.) President Arthur can afford to be beaten by the elements which have prevailed at Chicago. If the opinionated route gang did not openly clash hands to compass this result, they worked for a common object. Can the party successfully fight through a campaign in which it must be constantly on the defensive? Can the upright and intelligent voters of the party be persuaded to support Mr. Blaine? If the man the convention has chosen to supplant President Arthur can approach in dignity, purity and in patriotism the administration we are now to lose, he will do no more than the best judges of events and character have thought to be possible.

added to the republican national executive committee. Senator J. Jewell, of New Jersey; S. M. York, of Virginia, and Church Howe, of Nebraska.

WASHINGTON, June 8.—It is suspected by democrats here that representative Darshiemer, of New York, is posing for the democratic nomination for president and that Dana, of the New York Sun is managing the case for him. This will explain the recent publication of Darshiemer in connection with Tilden's nomination. It is now generally believed that the story of Tilden, having written a letter declining to permit the use of his name before the democratic convention is not true, and that it was invented to assist one of Tilden's competitors.

NEW YORK. FLOWER'S CHANCES. NEW YORK, June 8.—The friends of Mr. Flower, who has been canvassing the political situation of this state, says that of the 108 delegates elected outside of New York city to the Saratoga convention, the first choice of all is Tilden, except in Syracuse where the feeling is for Cleveland; the second choice, according to their observations, stand, Flower 82, Cleveland 26.

ST. LOUIS, June 8.—The corner stone of the new Catholic church of St. Francis Xavier, at the corner of Grand and Lindell avenues, was laid this afternoon with very imposing ceremonies and in the presence of an immense crowd, there being fully 30,000 assembled to witness the event. The corner stone was laid by Most Rev. Patrick J. Ryan, of Clamas, at present coadjutor to Arch-bishop Kenec of St. Louis.

ROME, June 7.—The consistory for the creation of cardinals has been deferred until autumn, owing to a disagreement between the vatican and the government.

STORM STRICKEN. A Hail and Rain Visitation Brings Devastation to Emmetsburg, Iowa. A Ploughing Farmer and Horses Struck Dead by Lightning. A Fishing Schooner and 13 Sunk in Trinity Bay. Which Includes Every Soul on Board the Boat.

EMMETTSBURG, IOWA, June 8.—A heavy hail and rain storm passed over Emmetsburg yesterday. A farmer plowing corn was found dead having been struck by lightning. His two horses were also killed. No damage to the crops.

DES MOINES, June 8.—The most disastrous fire for the past year and a half occurred about half-past eight this evening. The large round house and repair shops of the Wabash, St. Louis and Pacific, the St. Louis, Des Moines and Northern, and the Des Moines and Northwestern railroads burned to the ground. It is supposed to be the work of an incendiary, as when the alarm was given the fire was burning from the center and both ends of the round house, which contained twenty stalls. Nine engines were destroyed, No. 5, 6, 7, 8, 12, 13, 15, and 16 of the Des Moines and Northwestern. All the machinery and tools in the repair shops, together with one passenger coach, were destroyed.

DUBLIN, June 7.—Earl Spencer has issued a proclamation forbidding Orangemen to make a counter demonstration to the nationalists at Newry to-morrow. The stopping of the Orange counter-demonstration is regarded as the greatest concession to the Irish nationalists for fifty years. There is intense excitement among Orange organizations. Thousands of Orangemen have arrived at Belfast from England. Geddis, secretary of the Orange committee at London, has sent the following: "I leave for Ireland to-night with 5,000 Irishmen from London, Manchester and Liverpool. No surrender." The Orangemen are determined to hold a meeting.

NEWRY, June 8.—The Nationalists paraded the streets with bands and banners. The meeting was held outside the town. On the return of the Nationalists from the meeting they threw stones, and when the procession reached the protestant quarters of the town the protestants retaliated. Several shots were fired. The police and troops interfered. Four Nationalists and several orange men were arrested. Many persons were injured.

A Dramatic and Tragic Scene at a Cincinnati Wedding. CINCINNATI, June 8.—A scene occurred at the Cathedral this evening when Tom Patterson arrived in a coach with Ella Keating to be married. Ann Flynn, a woman with whom Patterson has been living, was there waiting also, and when Patterson stepped out of the coach, she seized him, tore off his cravat and tore his clothing. The police took Anna Flynn to the station. The clergyman refused to marry Patterson and Ella Keating. Patterson is under indictment for murder committed 18 months ago.

CONVINGTON, Ky., June 7.—Mile and a quarter: Kocousko won, Fern Kyle second, Adair third. Time, 2:17. Five furlongs, Maiden two-year-olds: Falconer won, Gold Ben second, Lepic third. Time, 1:36. Mile and a half: Forrestal won, Vanguard second, Ironora third. Time, 2:45. Hmyst stakes, two-year-olds: foals of 1881, mile and three furlongs: Lofin won, Swinney second, Gen. Harding third. Time, 2:25. NEW YORK, June 7.—American Jockey Club, mile, three-year-olds: King Ernest won, Minnie Cole second, Equator third. Time, 1:40. Half-mile: Richmond won, Teumsh second, Petition third. Time, 50 seconds. Mile, all ages: Halseon won, Cesar second, Thadrey third. Time, 1:18. Jockey Club handicaps, mile and three-quarters: Hartford won, Kinney second, Eoliat third. Time, 3:12. Mile and a quarter, all ages: Wall Flower won, Trafalgar second, Girofa third. Time, 2:17. Steeple chase, full course: Echo won, Abraham second. Time, 4:13. BRIGHTON BEACH, June 7.—Five-eighths of a mile: Miller won, Hickory Jim second, Glenalle third. Time, 1:33. Five-eighths of a mile: Tattler won, Erin Burke second, Ecolie third. Time, 1:04. Mile and an eighth: Marmaduke won, Barbarian second, Luteostring third. Time, 1:58. Mile and a quarter: Farwell won, Tiana second, John Ledford third. Time, 2:14. Hurdle race, one and a half miles: Hally won. Time, 2:50.

PARIS, June 8.—The race for the grand prize of Paris (Paris proximum) 100,000 francs, today, was the Duke of Coctre's brown colt Little Duke; M. S. C. Byner's bay colt Lambkin, second; M. P. Aumont's chestnut colt Fro Diavolo, third. DES MOINES RACES. Des Moines, June 8.—The grand Iowa trotting circuit, composed of Marshalltown, Council Bluffs and Des Moines, promises to be a grand success. Entries are closed to date here. July 1st, 2d, 3d, 4d and 5th which eighty-nine entries are divided as follows: Ten, 2,40 class; eight, 2,25 class; nine, 2,35 class. Racing—Forteen, 3-minute class; eleven, 2:25; seven, 2:38; nine, 2:33; ten pacing free for all; seven 2:30. Entries are closed to date here. July 1st, 2d, 3d, 4d and 5th which eighty-nine entries are divided as follows: Ten, 2,40 class; eight, 2,25 class; nine, 2,35 class. At Baltimore—Baltimore, 5; Indianapolis, 5. At Fort Wayne—Minneapolis, 2; Fort Wayne, 5. At Bay City—Bay City, 4; St. Paul, 3. At East Saginaw—Saginaw, 9; Quincy, 6. At St. Louis—St. Louis Unions, 8; Cincinnati, 5. At Boston—Boston, 1; Providence, 2. At Detroit—Buffalo, 6; Detroit, 6. At Pittsburgh—Allegheny 5; St. Louis, 15. At New York—Metropolitan, 6; Louisville, 2. At Philadelphia—Columbus, 12; Athletics, 1. At Muskogee—Poria, 11; Muskegon, 3. At Grand Rapids—Grand Rapids, 18; Stillwater, 12. At New York—Philadelphia, 6; New York, 10. At Chicago—Chicago, 13; Cleveland, 6. At New York—Cincinnati, 2; Brooklyn, 3. At Kansas City—Unions Chicago, 6; Kansas City, 5. At Ft. Wayne—Ft. Wayne Reserves, 9; Cincinnati Wayne, 4.

THE ORANGE. OAK POINT, N. Y., June 7.—Courtney failed to appear to-day at the Orange falling in the race with Loss, who rowed over the course in twenty-three minutes and fifty-nine and one-half seconds, a distance of three miles with turn. FORTY-EIGHTH CONGRESS. HOUSE. WASHINGTON, June 7.—The house took up the bill declaring forfeited the unearned Atlantic and Pacific land grant. After a brief explanation by Mr. Cobb the bill was passed, and the general deficiency bill was reported from the committee on appropriations and referred to the committee of the whole. The bill repealing the pre-emption and timber culture law and amending the homestead laws was called up and after the adoption of a couple of minor amendments, Mr. Holman offered an amendment providing that no public lands of the United States adapted to agriculture shall be sold except for mineral lands for actual and bona fide settlers, and only under the provisions of the homestead law, subject however, to bounty land warrants and college scrip issued by the authority of congress, and grants which congress made for the purpose of education. In the debate which followed, Gov. of West Virginia gave a slightly political turn to the declaration that the homestead law had been almost solidly opposed by the democratic party and voted by a democratic president. Mr. Cobb retorted by the statement that since the republican party had come into power he had in the most dignified manner wasted and given away public lands. Holman contended that the homestead law was essentially a democratic measure. Upon an amendment offered by Herbert, no quorum voted and the house adjourned.

ST. LOUIS, June 8.—The Orange meeting held here to-day protested against the proclamation of Earl Spencer directed against the meeting of their brethren, which was announced for to-day at Newry.

OVER THE OCEAN. England Getting in a Bad Position on the Egyptian Question. And Earning Contempt of Tories and Conservatives. The Russian Bear Bristling Up its Back at the British Lion. Great Distress Among the Laboring Poor in North England. The Nationalist Meeting at Nery Tape's Place. No Disturbance by the Government—A Small Row With the Orangemen.

FOREIGN NEWS. ENGLAND AND EGYPT. Special Dispatch to The Bee. LONDON, June 8.—It is very apparent the present English government is rapidly weakening in its attitude upon the Egyptian question. It is even evident that the ministry is seeking to find some honorable line of retreat from its recent positive declaration in favor of exclusive control. This state of affairs is attributed to the aggressive attitude of France, which means to insist, in the coming conference, upon joint control. Italy will back up France, and by the time the conference assembles it is believed England will be fully prepared to accede gracefully to the claims of its partners in Egypt. The government's weakness in this respect is intensifying the contempt in which the ministry has long been held by the tories and conservatives, but the opposition is practically powerless, because it has no leaders.

RUSSIA AND ENGLAND. Much uneasiness has been caused among government officials in London by the latest imperial utterances from St. Petersburg. This is attributed to a growing belief in Russia that England is gradually retreating from its foreign policy of empire extension. Russia has formally announced that it has decided to abandon its recent intention of evacuating Central Asia, and has proclaimed her intention to extend her Asiatic frontier. This announcement contains for England a stinging threat, being coupled with the declaration that Russia believes it will be better for England to confine her energies in the east, in the future, within the natural bounds of India. The czar's advisers go to great pains to assert that Russia has no designs on India, but it is impossible for Englishmen to believe the Russian statements are not engaged in constant intrigues in that direction.

STARVATION IN ENGLAND. LABOR SUFFERING IN THE NORTH. Special Dispatch to The Bee. LONDON, June 8.—Thomas Burt, who represents Morpeth in the house of commons, and perhaps the only true exponent of labor in that body, expressed himself very freely to a correspondent regarding the present great depression in the shipping industry in north of England. The ship building trade of north England is practically at a standstill, said Burt, "and there probably never has been a time in its history when the outlook for improvement is as indefinite and uncomforing, as at present whole fleets of large steamers are lying idle in the Tyne and on the Wear. Ship building, in the old sense, has almost ceased as an industry, and thousands of persons are unemployed, and the distress and actual want of food and shelter are fearful in extreme. The labor organization, usually strong in the north, are wholly unable to answer the calls upon them for the relief of those few members who have managed to retain work, being unable to meet the demands made upon them. The distress in Sunderland is particularly marked; many hitherto well-to-do families have had to apply to the authorities for relief."

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