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## TELEGRAPHIC NEWS

Associated Press Dispatches

## DOMESTIC.

MOON DISPATCHES.

## Chicaneau Convention.

MEETING OF THE LOUISIANA DELEGATION.  
Chicago, June 14.—At the meeting of the Louisiana Delegation, Governor Kellogg did not attend, and of those who did with him in the party, only United States Marshal Packard, and Chief of Police Leary, of New Orleans, were present.

Mr. Finckhback introduced a resolution directing that the vote of the Louisiana delegation be cast as a unit on all questions arising in the Convention. Mr. Packard objected to the adoption of this resolution. He said he was willing to cast one vote for Senator Morton in accordance with the instructions of the State Convention, but after that he intended to vote for Mr. Blair as long as he is a candidate.

Mr. Finckhback said he had followed it a very careful study of the platform, and attributed to the platform the credit of the present success of the party. He said, on the day when the Casey Packard Custom House Convention in New Orleans refused to admit a certain class of Republicans, he had introduced the resolution in the Convention. In conclusion he asserted that amid all the corruption and mismanagement which has surrounded the South since the war, and for which northern adventurers, who have to so great an extent held control of those, are principally responsible, not a single negro political party has ever been organized in the South.

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THE REPUBLICAN BLAINE VOTE.  
The committee of the party made up by Mr. Blair's friends have been known to some of them are now corrected. The votes of the delegations at their meetings have been obtained: California 7, Delaware 1, Illinois 2, Iowa 2, Kansas 1, Maine 1, Massachusetts 7, Maine 1, Maryland 1, Nebraska 6, New Hampshire 10, New Jersey 10, North Carolina 10, Oregon 1, Texas 4, Virginia 2, West Virginia 10, Wisconsin 10, Arizona 3, Colorado 2, Dakota 1, Idaho 1, Montana 2, New Mexico 2, Utah and Washington 2 total 200.

THE OTHER CANDIDATES.  
Chicago, June 14.—The friends of the other candidates do not make their votes public. A rumor is abroad, however, that the Cocking, Morton and Baskett men will unite to support Mr. Blaine by the vote of the Louisiana delegation.

PACKED FOR BLAINE.  
Washington, June 14.—Marshall Packard of New Orleans is a Maine man and a personal friend of Blaine, and is represented by reports here from New Orleans as having been always for Blaine.

THE CONVENTION MEETS.  
The Louisiana Convention met in the vast Exposition Hall, which seats five thousand people. The weather is clear, and Mr. Morgan called the Convention to order. Prayer followed. The temporary chairman is not named, but his speech has been coming by telegraph for some time.

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## THE MARKETS.

Galveston, June 12.  
GOLD.—Closed at \$1 1/2 per 100.  
SILVER.—Closed at 20 per 100.  
KANSAS.—New York—eight 1/2 per 100.  
NEW ORLEANS.—Eight 1/2 per 100.

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THE OUTLOOK TOWARDS ST. LOUIS.

There are some constant and some variable elements of calculation relating to the choice of the Democratic National Convention. The variable elements depend on the as yet uncertain action of the Republican Convention next week. But there are other elements which will remain unchanged by anything which may be done at Cincinnati. It is only these fixed points in the canvass that we propose to consider at present and their bearing on the selection of the Democratic Presidential candidate.

No conceivable action by the Republican Convention can alter or dwarf the fact that there is a dangerous collision of sentiment between the democracy of the East and the democracy of the West on the money question. This difference must be reconciled, and reconciled, too, in some way that will permit the selection of a hard money candidate. This necessity is inevitable if the party is to succeed, because none but a hard money candidate can carry New York, and without New York the election of a Democratic President is out of the question. This being a necessary condition of success the difficult part of the problem is to soothe and reconcile the West. The inflationists would more easily acquiesce in the selection of an Eastern than a Western hard money candidate, because they look upon hard money as a thing which is in the way of their action and of doubtful allegiance to their party. Ohio, for example, attracts Thurman, accusing him of opposition to the general sentiment of the party in his own State, which has repeatedly bestowed upon him the highest honors in its gift. Every prominent and genuine hard money democrat in the West is regarded as a traitor to his Western constituency, and for this reason the soft money democrats could more easily accept an Eastern candidate. They might consent to Hendricks, who is a hard money man with soft money principles; but it would be impossible for Hendricks to carry New York as far as "Old Bill" Allen himself. Allen has the bold, blent honesty of a man who stands by his colors, and if the citizens of New York could vote for an inflationist at all they would prefer one who seems to wear a mask. Hard money men who have any sincerity despise Hendricks as a cowardly trimmer, and they would rather have a candidate like Allen, who they merely feel called upon to oppose to one like Hendricks or Judge Davis, whom they would loath and detest. The Eastern democrats will not give their vote to an inflationist like Allen or Pendleton, much less to an unprincipled trimmer like Hendricks or Davis. Thurman might be accepted by the Eastern democrats if he were strong in his own State; but with the single exception of Governor Tilden there is no hard money democrat in the United States whom the Ohio democrats would oppose in a more resolute spirit.

Co-operative building societies in Canada are very thriving institutions. Real estate valued at nearly \$15,000,000 is mortgaged at their various loans, and the influence they have gained thereby is so considerable as to inspire nervous people with little alarm. In Ontario the amount of loans they have made is said to be \$15,000,000, and in Quebec \$2,720,000.

New York and into the party. There is no Western man who can do both, but there are two good hard money democrats in the East who would command a full party vote in all sections of the country. These two are Senator Bayard, of Delaware, and ex-Governor Parker, of New Jersey.—N. Y. Herald.

"THE HEATHEN CHINESE"

The Chinese question is assuming grave proportions. We have a despatch from California embodying a singular letter from a secret or, in plain language, opposing Chinese labor and all employment of Chinamen. There are two sides to this, as to all questions. But there is one point that should not be overlooked, and that is the Chinese come to this country and claim the protection of a constitution which insures them all the rights of citizenship they should become citizens. As it is the Chinaman's coming here without any intention of making his home with us, without any desire to identify himself in any way with our fortunes or our national prosperity, he comes without his family and never becomes a citizen. He gives as his labor for about one-half of what we could obtain the labor of other nationalities. He goes home when he has saved enough to live on. This is not the industry we desire, and if it is encouraged we shall find ourselves in line under the control of the most degrading aristocracy. As a machine the Chinaman is one of the best, but we want a Republic of men and not of machines.—N. Y. Herald.

POTATOES AS FOOD FOR STOCK.

Potatoes in many localities plentiful from market are this season abundant and cheap, and they can only be used to advantage for feeding out to stock. It is true that certain agricultural writers have of late endeavored to show that this valuable tuber was of little or no value for such purposes, but it is very probable that the gentlemen who advance such theories are not practical agriculturists. The value of the potato as food for many kinds of our domestic animals is too well known to be discarded at this late day in consequence of anything which may be written by theoretical chemists or agriculturists.

But while the potato has been a bone of contention among agriculturalists for many years, its practical and specific value as food for stock has never been disproved when put to the test. The celebrated veterinarian, William Youatt, in speaking of the value of the various kinds of roots as food for stock, says of the potato: "Among the various vegetable productions that have been appropriated to the stall-feeding of cattle, none have occasioned greater discussion than potatoes. They furnish an excellent supply, particularly when cut and steamed, they appear adequate to the support of the best cattle in comparison with comparatively small quantities of other food." In the eighth volume of the British "Annals of Agriculture," we find some statements from Mr. Campbell, of Charlton, Eng., which bear directly upon this question. He observes that 100 bushels of potatoes and 200 pounds of hay are sufficient to fatten any animal that thrives tolerably well. They should at first be given in small quantities and gradually increased to one or two bushels per day; dry food being always intermixed, and the proportion of hay being uniformly regulated by the effect which the potatoes produce on the bowels. The hay should always be cut in order that it may be more readily mixed with the potatoes.—N. Y. Sun.

THE BANKER DISTRICT.—Speaker Keor testifies that he offered an appointment for him in the regular army, one of the most valuable in the gift of a member, to two of his constituents, and that, when they refused, he could not find any one else to whom to offer it, and consequently selected a New Yorker with recommendations so complimentary that he was afterwards dismissed. Mr. Keor's district deserves to be known as the banner district of the Union. We do not know of another which would allow an appointment to go begging as far as New York.

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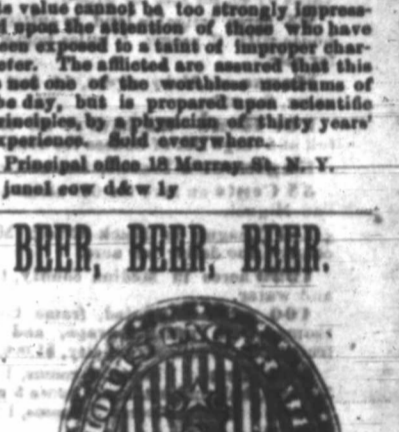
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