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NEWS CONDENSED.

Telegraphic Summary.

EASTERN.

Charles W. F. Dare, carriage-maker in New York, failed.

Relic-hunters or ruffians have defaced Daniel Webster's statue at Marshfield, Mass.

Levy Brothers & Co., clothiers on Broadway, New York, have handed over their assets of \$2,000,000 to meet liabilities of \$1,500,000, giving preferences for \$900,000.

F. Mayer & Bros., woolens, have made an assignment in New York, giving preferences to Simon Danzig for \$810,513. The total liabilities will exceed \$1,000,000, and the assignees believe the assets will nearly cover the firm's debts.

President Arthur and Attorney General Brewster lent their presence to the exercises in connection with laying the corner-stone of the Brunswick Memorial Hall at Bristol, R. I.

The Huntington (Pa.) Car and Wheel Works have succumbed under financial pressure with liabilities at \$200,000. The 400 employees who are thrown out of have not been paid for two months.

The boiler of the steamer J. S. Robinson exploded at the wharf at Albany. Capt. George S. Warner, Fireman William Cleary and Richard Van Zandt were killed, and several others were seriously injured. The tug Cora was totally wrecked. The Robinson sank immediately after the accident.

President Arthur landed a bass weighing eighty pounds at West Island.

Forty thousand persons witnessed the race at Fleetwood Park between St. Julien and Jay-Eye-See. The track was heavy in spots, but generally in fair condition. Jay-Eye-See won in straight heats in 2:20 1/2, 2:18 1/2, 2:19.

The Coroner's jury in the case of Rose Ambler, murdered near Bridgeport, Ct., found that she was choked to death, and reported that suspicion pointed toward William Lewis, with his relations with her and his conduct since her demise.

WESTERN.

By the bursting of the boiler of a steam threshing machine near Osika, Dakota, four men were instantly killed and two others dangerously hurt.

Sitting Bull has caused an indefinite postponement of the ceremony of uniting with the Catholic Church at Fort Yates, because he cannot decide which of his two wives to set aside.

The Illinois State Fair, which was held this year in Chicago, proved a great financial success, the attendance far exceeding that at any previous exhibition. Over 50,000 people paid admission to the grounds in one day. All methods of conveyance to and from the grounds were strained to the utmost capacity in the effort to furnish transportation to the great throng of humanity. It is said that Chicago has not been so crowded since the Knights Templar Conclave was held there three years ago.

At the foot of a steep grade near Shakopee, Minn., a freight train on the Minneapolis and St. Louis road broke into sections, which crashed together, killing engineer Snow, Fireman McCann, Brakeman Malony, and a driver named P. H. McAniff. Nine cars were completely wrecked.

Jacobus & Werner, retail notion dealers of St. Louis, handed to an assignee goods valued at \$25,000 for the benefit of creditors.

The north express train on the Eel river branch of the Wahash and Detroit railway, when near Peru, Ind., on the night of the 28th ult., was boarded by three men wearing dark masks over their faces. They confronted Bart Loomis, the messenger of the Pacific Express Company in his car, leveled revolvers at his head, and demanded the keys of the safe. The robbers overpowered him, and beat him with the butts of their revolvers. At last he surrendered the keys to the safe. He was then bound and a gag placed in his mouth. The robbers then opened the safe, abstracting some \$15,000 in express packages, besides other valuables, and jumped from the platform, locking the express car behind them. When the train reached Peru the agent and others forced the doors, and found the messenger insensible. Telegrams were immediately sent in all directions.

St. Paul and several other places in Minnesota experienced a mild fall of snow.

As a Santa Fe train was about to leave Coolidge, Kan., a robber leaped into the cab and shot Engineer Hilton in the heart and Fireman Fild through the neck. Another raider simultaneously sprang into the express-car and fired at the baggage-master and Conductor Greeley. As the express messenger appeared the robber leaped out and retreated with two comrades. Two of the party were captured. They had for some days been lounging about the depot.

John McCullough, the eminent tragedian, did an immense business at McVicker's Theater, Chicago, last week, the house being packed at every performance. "Virginius" was presented each evening, and so popular did it prove that the same bill will be presented for another week, after which Mr. McCullough will appear in his great role of Spartacus.

Fire at Milwaukee totally destroyed the Conway Manufacturing Company's works. Loss, \$100,000; insurance, \$94,000.

The Illinois State Fair realized about \$40,000 from tickets and \$3,000 from privileges. The expenses were about \$35,000, leaving a handsome surplus, forcing the officers to acknowledge the wisdom of permanently locating the fair in Chicago.

A disreputable house kept by Kittie Wells, at Shelbyville, Ind., was destroyed by fire, and Maggie Wells and Flora Garrett were cremated. A large dirk was found in the ashes, which caused an investigation, revealing the fact that the women had been murdered and the building set on fire. Two men who had spent the night in the house, named Herman Tornella and Nelson Purdham, have been jailed for the murder.

Forty Chinamen were killed and

horribly mangled by the explosion of a powder-mill near San Francisco.

SOUTHERN.

A Fort Smith (Ark.) dispatch reports that between Childer's Station and Webster's Falls, Indian Nation, while Deputy United States Marshals Beck and Merrill were attempting to arrest John Bark and a Cherokee named John M. Jacks, whisky peddlers, both officers were killed. Merrill was shot several times, and had his head smashed in with revolvers. Bark escaped.

A will-breaking contest in Kentucky resulted in a double fratricide. Sam Rogers, thinking his brothers, Bill and Tom, were about to pull their guns on him, got the drop on them and sent them to their last account.

Isaac Evans, Reuben King and Sawney Young, negroes, were executed at Chatham, Va., for murder. For a similar crime, George Wallace, also colored, was hanged at Savannah, Ga.

In Pittsylvania county, Va., in the moonlight, George Thomas and Bowman Doude settled a family trouble by fighting an impromptu duel, one having a shot-gun and the other a revolver. Doude was peppered in the face and arms.

At a camp-meeting near Winston, N. C., the appearance of a number of moccasins snakes caused fifty ladies in the congregation to faint. Several persons were bitten before the men could kill the reptiles.

WASHINGTON.

Value of exports of breadstuffs for August, 1893, \$18,816,123; same month 1892, \$28,951,320; eight months, ended Aug. 31, 1893, \$114,237,045; same time 1892, \$110,275,898.

Gen. Sherman has decided to relinquish the command of the army to Gen. Sheridan Nov. 1. He will be placed on the retired list Feb. 3. The announcement is made from Washington that Gen. Pope will probably be assigned to the command of the Military Division of the Missouri.

The cadets who have recently been dismissed from the Naval Academy for hazing all belong to families of influence. Their friends will make very earnest appeals to Secretary Chandler to reinstate the young men.

A good deal of influence, both personal and political, has been brought to bear. Secretary Chandler has in every instance refused to reinstate dismissed hazers. He says that the young men were guilty, and that they had a full and fair investigation. He intends to break up the practice of hazing at Annapolis, if it is possible to do so.

The Postoffice Department has learned that figures on the postal notes have been altered by filling a hole through a small figure with a bit of paper punched from a higher figure, and removing the written words with acids.

The Hon. James G. Blaine has leased his new and magnificent residence in Washington to Mr. L. Z. Leiter, of Chicago, for a term of years.

The following statement, showing the gross revenues of the Postoffice Department for the last two fiscal years, has been prepared by the Sixth Auditor:

Gross revenues for the year ended June 30, 1893, \$44,827,473
Year ended June 30, 1892, \$41,265,317
Increase for 1893, \$3,562,156
Stamps sold in 1893, \$2,923,561
In 1892, \$2,933,317
Increase for 1893, \$3,900,241
Stamps sold for the quarter ended June 30, 1893, \$10,892,212
For the quarter ended June 30, 1892, \$9,880,612
Increase for 1893, \$1,011,600

POLITICAL.

The Greenback State Convention in Massachusetts was attended by 375 accredited delegates. Ben Butler was nominated for Governor, and John Howes for Lieutenant Governor without the formality of a vote. Howes declined to serve, and joined with other prominent Greenbackers in calling a new convention at Worcester for Oct. 16.

Ben Butler was renominated by acclamation for Governor of Massachusetts in the Democratic State Convention. William A. Simmons, in seconding the nomination, said the blue blood and cavaliers must go down. Frederick O. Prince was selected for Lieutenant Governor.

The Republican State Convention of Nebraska nominated M. B. K. Reese for Judge of the Supreme Court.

The Republicans of Maryland met in convention at Baltimore and nominated Hart B. Holton, of that city, for Governor by acclamation; Washington Smith, of Dorchester, for Comptroller, and R. S. Matthews, of Baltimore, for Attorney General. The resolutions adopted cordially approve of the course of President Arthur, but declare that grave abuses continue to exist in the administration of the State Government, and that the rulers must be deposed.

The New York Democracy held their Convention at Buffalo, and disposed of the business for which they met, without a row, though there was some wrangling among the contesting delegates. Isaac H. Maynard was nominated for Secretary of State, Alfred C. Chapin for Comptroller, Robert A. Maxwell for Treasurer, and Dennis O'Brien for Attorney General. The platform denounces taxation to raise a surplus fund for distributing among the States by the Federal Government, and heartily indorses Gov. Cleveland's administration.

The Washington correspondent of the Chicago Times has canvassed members of Congress-elect on leading questions. Fifty-two Democrats favor a revision of the tariff, and sixty-four oppose a repeal of the compulsory coinage of the silver dollars. Carlisle leads the list as a candidate for Speaker. All the Republicans who expressed themselves on the tariff question are opposed to a general reopening of it; twenty-six favor stopping the coinage of the silver dollars; eleven desire the total repeal of the Internal Revenue laws, and the majority are for Hisscock for Speaker.

MISCELLANEOUS.

The death is announced of Col. George Knapp, of the St. Louis Republican. Deceased left St. Louis early in the spring in somewhat feeble health, accompanied by his son, with the expectation that a sea voyage and European tour would be beneficial. He sailed from Antwerp Sept. 15, homeward bound, and died the 19th, aged 69 years. He was the oldest journalist in the State of Missouri, and among the oldest in the whole country. He began his service on the Re-

publican fifty-three years ago, and his connection with that journal was continuous up to the day of his death. He served as a Lieutenant in the Mexican war.

The Pacific railroad managers have agreed that Portland and San Francisco shall have the same rates to the East, the Northern Pacific to charge the same price for freights to San Francisco via Portland as are exacted by direct lines.

Mr. Armstrong, Commissioner of the Railroad Bureau of the Interior Department, has spent four months in inspecting the land-grant roads on the Pacific coast. He reports a gap of 258 miles in the track between California and Oregon, which is being rapidly reduced. The Roseman and Mullen tunnels on the Northern Pacific will probably be completed this year.

With oppressive heat, the yellow fever rages at Hermosillo, Mexico, where it is estimated 1,000 people are down with the disease.

Ex-Judge Fullerton and Gen. Roger A. Pryor, of New York, have been engaged to assist in the defense of O'Donnell, the "avenger."

Bradstreet's reports 164 business failures in the United States for the week ending Sept. 20—thirteen less than the preceding week, and a reduction of nine when compared with the corresponding period in 1892.

The base-ball season closed on the 30th of September. Boston wins the championship of the National League from Chicago, which has held it for the past three years. Philadelphia captures the American Association flag, while Toledo will next year tie the new Northwestern League pennant. The following table shows the games won and lost by the eight clubs comprising the National League:

CLUBS.	Boston.	Chicago.	Cleveland.	Pittsburgh.	Philadelphia.	St. Louis.	Washington.	Grand Total.
Games won.	7	10	10	7	10	10	10	64
Games lost.	10	7	7	10	7	7	7	64
Games tied.	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Games lost.	33	39	40	42	45	50	58	317

Henry G. Vennor predicts for the lake region, between Oct. 12 and 20, a series of severe storms, with furies of snow.

Dun's agency reports that the business failures for the nine months just ended number 4,400, with liabilities of \$118,000,000; while for the same period of 1892 the failures aggregated 4,877, and the liabilities amounted to \$29,000,000. In Canada, for the past nine months, the commercial disasters also show a large increase.

FOREIGN.

One of the Pope's agents is heading for Montreal to inquire why so many Catholics are becoming Free Masons.

The official report of the fatalities consequent upon the late earthquake in Iochia states that 1,900 persons were killed and 374 injured.

At Dunganon, Ireland, a party of Orangemen drove Thomas P. O'Connor and Mr. Small from the Market Hall, refusing them an opportunity to speak. The Orangemen held a meeting in the street, and their bands played through the night.

American exhibitors at the Vienna Electrical Exhibition have been awarded three diplomas.

Russia is in high dudgeon over the removal of Soboleff and Kaulbars in Bulgaria, and will let the powers hear from her in a note soon to be issued.

It is thought that Roumania's entry into the German-Austrian alliance has finally been effected.

The third wedding in St. Paul's Church, London, since 1858 took place last week, a daughter of the Lord Mayor being united to Mr. Aitken. The great bell was rung for the first time for a marriage. Three hundred guests were present at the wedding breakfast.

The French papers look upon Alfonso's appointment to the Colony of a Prussian regiment as a Bismarckian scheme to excite French wrath, and are urging the excitable Parisians to cruelly disappoint the German Chancellor by keeping cool.

The status of Germania, which cost over 1,000,000 marks, was unveiled at Niederwald by the Emperor, Princes, and Generals of the late war, in presence of 250,000 persons. The villages and castles along the Rhine were illuminated at night, and salutes were fired from batteries on the hills.

The Dublin Nation says the American Legation and British Cabinet have conspired to implicate friends of Mr. Parnell in the murder of the informer Carey by O'Donnell.

The Aldermen of London elected Hoa R. N. Fowler Lord Mayor, although Alderman Hadley had been unanimously named by the Livery and Freeman.

O'Donnell, the slayer of Carey, was committed at London to the next session of the Criminal Court for trial. Carey's son and widow testified at the adjourned preliminary examination. While the former betrayed a somewhat treacherous memory, the latter insisted that O'Donnell said to her just after the shooting, "Don't blame me; I was sent to do it," a statement from which no amount of cross-examination could shake her.

The French Minister of the Interior has prohibited the holding of meetings by the Salvation Army at Savoy, and ordered the expulsion of exhorters should they disobey.

The Admiralty has decided that black or colored men can not enter the British navy.

One sheep out of a cargo of 1,000 from Canada having been found affected with scab on landing at Liverpool, the authorities have ordered the slaughter of the entire invoice.

A body of 3,000 Orangemen paraded the streets of Omagh, Ireland, and at a subsequent meeting passed resolutions denouncing the National League as traitorous and conspirators, and urging the Government to take action against them.

The Convention of the Irish National Land League met at Leeds. Thomas P. O'Connor presided. Speeches were made by Kelly and O'Connor, and it was predicted that the day would come when the Irish people would assemble on College green.

Resolutions of confidence in the Irish leaders were adopted.

When King Alfonso arrived at Paris he was met at the railway station by President Grevy and the Cabinet. Large crowds of workmen who were gathered along the route hoisted and hissed the royal guest, drowning the Spanish anthem played by the band, and the troops and police had great difficulty in preserving peace.

Bartholomew Binns has been appointed public executioner in London, and expects to try his hand on O'Donnell.

LATER NEWS ITEMS.

Inquiries from many persons as to whether they could be compelled to pay for newspapers sent to their address without authority have received the following ruling from the Postoffice Department: "The liability of a party to pay for a newspaper must be determined by the rules applicable to other contracts. When a publisher without request from a party, either express or implied, sends a paper, the mere fact that the party addressed takes the paper from the postoffice does not of itself create a liability to pay for it. It takes two to make a contract, and one party without the consent of the other cannot make him a debtor."

It is telegraphed from Washington that since November last the redemption of 3-per-cent bonds has caused a contraction of the currency to the amount of \$10,000,000, and that the banks are trying to devise some means of relief.

At the city election in Boston the Democratic ticket was chosen, except City Clerk, one Councilman, and one Assessor. The Democrats have one majority in the City Government. The complexion of the School Board is Democratic.

Trains on the newly-opened West Shore road collided at full speed on a curve near Fort Plain, N. Y. Engineer Gyon and a passenger were killed, and five persons were seriously injured.

Passenger tickets from Omaha or Kansas City to San Francisco have been reduced to \$95. Rates from St. Paul to San Francisco by the Northern Pacific will be the same as to Portland.

The District Court at Cincinnati decided that the churches held by Archbishop Purcell could not be subjected to the payment of his debts; likewise the Orphan Asylum at Cumminsville and St. Mary's Cemetery. The cathedral and its school, having been built by the Archbishop directly from funds placed in his hands, the amount advanced should be paid to Assignee Mannix for the benefit of creditors.

In a political quarrel at Liberty, Miss, Eugene McElwee stabbed and killed Sheriff A. J. Whittington, and McElwee was shot by one of a crowd who surrounded him after the murder, and died in ten minutes.

Mr. Partridge, of the New York Produce Exchange, appeared before the Blair Committee and advocated the enactment of a law making it a penal offense to corner the necessities of life.

Colman Brothers, clothiers, New York and San Francisco, have made an assignment. The liabilities are placed at \$30,000, but the assets are unknown.

Passenger fares on the Iron Mountain road in three States have been made uniform at 3 cents per mile by recent reductions.

A conference concerning contagious diseases among domestic animals has been called by Commissioner Loring, of the Department of Agriculture, to be held in Chicago, Nov. 15 and 16.

Spani-h ire has been greatly aroused by the treatment King Alfonso received in the French capital. It is stated that Alfonso did not know he was to be made Colonel of the Uhlan regiment until his appointment and uniform arrived simultaneously, which was intended as a surprise by the German Emperor.

Fifteen thousand steel and iron workers of Glamorganshire, England, have struck against a reduction in wages.

"O, it was the horriblest thing you ever seed," said a lady in velvet and diamonds to her companion, "I watched her going down the street, and she fell down, and I thought it was very queer, but when I seen her falling three times I knew something was the matter." So did the individual overhearing these remarks, and walked on feeling dizzy.—Carl Pretzel's Weekly.

THE MARKET.

NEW YORK.	
BEEVES—Good to Fat Steers.	4.60 @ 6.40
Common to Fair.	4.00 @ 6.15
Medium to Fair.	5.30 @ 5.65
HOGS—Good to Choice.	4.40 @ 5.15
Flour—Fancy Western Extra.	5.40 @ 5.60
Good to Choice Super Extra.	4.75 @ 5.00
WHEAT—No. 2 Red Winter.	.94 1/2 @ .95
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CORN—No. 2.	.27 1/2 @ .27 3/4
OATS—No. 2.	.55 1/2 @ .56
RYE—No. 2.	.62 1/2 @ .63
BARLEY—No. 2.	.62 1/2 @ .63
BUTTER—Choice Creamery.	.26 @ .28
EGGS—Fresh.	.21 @ .22
PORK—Mess.	10.80 @ 11.75
LARD.	.07 1/2 @ .07 3/4
CHICAGO.	
BEEVES—Good to Fat Steers.	6.10 @ 6.40
Common to Fair.	5.40 @ 6.15
Medium to Fair.	5.30 @ 5.65
HOGS—Good to Choice.	4.40 @ 5.15
Flour—Fancy Western Extra.	5.40 @ 5.60
Good to Choice Super Extra.	4.75 @ 5.00
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CORN—No. 2.	.27 1/2 @ .27 3/4
OATS—No. 2.	.55 1/2 @ .56
RYE—No. 2.	.62 1/2 @ .63
BARLEY—No. 2.	.62 1/2 @ .63
BUTTER—Choice Creamery.	.26 @ .28
EGGS—Fresh.	.21 @ .22
PORK—Mess.	10.80 @ 11.75
LARD.	.07 1/2 @ .07 3/4
MILWAUKEE.	
WHEAT—No. 2.	.94 @ .94 1/2
CORN—No. 2.	.51 @ .52
OATS—No. 2.	.27 @ .27 1/2
RYE—No. 2.	.54 @ .54 1/2
BARLEY—No. 2.	.62 1/2 @ .63
BUTTER—Choice Creamery.	.26 @ .28
EGGS—Fresh.	.21 @ .22
PORK—Mess.	10.80 @ 11.75
LARD.	.07 1/2 @ .07 3/4
ST. LOUIS.	
WHEAT—No. 2 Red.	1.00 @ 1.03 1/2
CORN—Mixed.	.46 1/2 @ .46 3/4
OATS—No. 2.	.25 1/2 @ .25 3/4
RYE—No. 2.	.61 @ .61 1/2
BARLEY—No. 2.	.62 1/2 @ .63
BUTTER—Choice Creamery.	.26 @ .28
EGGS—Fresh.	.21 @ .22
PORK—Mess.	10.80 @ 11.75
LARD.	.07 1/2 @ .07 3/4
CINCINNATI.	
WHEAT—No. 2 Red.	1.03 @ 1.06
CORN—No. 2.	.53 @ .54
OATS—No. 2.	.23 1/2 @ .24
RYE—No. 2.	.57 @ .57 1/2
BARLEY—No. 2.	.62 1/2 @ .63
BUTTER—Choice Creamery.	.26 @ .28
EGGS—Fresh.	.21 @ .22
PORK—Mess.	10.80 @ 11.75
LARD.	.07 1/2 @ .07 3/4
TOLEDO.	
WHEAT—No. 2 Red.	1.06 @ 1.07 1/2
CORN—No. 2.	.52 @ .53
OATS—No. 2.	.26 1/2 @ .27
DETROIT.	
WHEAT—No. 2 Red.	1.03 @ 1.06
CORN—No. 2.	.53 1/2 @ .54
OATS—No. 2.	.27 @ .27 1/2
RYE—No. 2.	.57 @ .57 1/2
BARLEY—No. 2.	.62 1/2 @ .63
BUTTER—Choice Creamery.	.26 @ .28
EGGS—Fresh.	.21 @ .22
PORK—Mess.	10.80 @ 11.75
LARD.	.07 1/2 @ .07 3/4
INDIANAPOLIS.	
WHEAT—No. 2 Red.	1.01 @ 1.01 1/2
CORN—No. 2.	.51 @ .52
OATS—No. 2.	.27 @ .27 1/2
RYE—No. 2.	.54 @ .54 1/2
BARLEY—No. 2.	.62 1/2 @ .63
BUTTER—Choice Creamery.	.26 @ .28
EGGS—Fresh.	.21 @ .22
PORK—Mess.	10.80 @ 11.75
LARD.	.07 1/2 @ .07 3/4
EAST LIBERTY, PA.	
CATTLE—Best.	4.25 @ 5.00
Pair.	4.25 @ 5.00
Common.	3.90 @ 4.75
HOGS—Good to Choice.	5.00 @ 5.40
Common.	3.50 @ 4.50

POLITICS.

Meeting of the New York Democratic State Convention.

The Maryland Republicans Nominate a Ticket and Adopt an Elaborate Platform.

Butler Renominated by the Massachusetts Democrats and Greenbackers—The Nebraska Convention.

NEW YORK DEMOCRATS.

THE STATE CONVENTION DISPOSES OF ITS WORK WITHOUT A ROW.

The Democracy of New York held its State Convention at Buffalo. As John Kelly, the Tammany chief, entered the hall, he was cheered by the Tammany and Irving Hall delegations in the gallery. The delegates arrived in a body, no preference being shown to any distinct body on admittance.

Alfred C. Chapin, of Kings county, was made temporary Chairman. Loud applause greeted the roll-call when the name of Samuel J. Tilden, Jr., was reached. A protest against the admission of Ulster county, was made permanent Chairman.

The Committee on Resolutions made the following report, and it was unanimously adopted:

The Democracy of New York reaffirms the platform adopted at its last State Convention, which has received the approval of the people, as shown by a majority of nearly 200,000 at the last election; and they especially denounce the proposition that the people should be taxed to raise a surplus fund for the Federal Government to distribute among the States. We claim with pride and satisfaction, that every pledge therein made has been in good faith redeemed. Valuable reforms have been wrought, useless offices have been abolished, the civil service has been reformed, the debasing and injurious influences of partisan manipulation, freedom and purity of the primaries have been secured, political assessments have been abolished, receivership abuses have been reformed, the principle of local self-government has been adhered to, the efficiency of the National Guard has been increased, taxation for the support of the Government has been reduced, a State Bureau of Labor Statistics has been established, the rights of the workman have been protected, and the injurious competition of convict labor has been curtailed, and business methods have been the rule in the management of State affairs.

On record thus made, and to which it will steadfastly adhere, the Democratic party asks a renewal of the confidence of the people. We invite with reason all friends of an improved State administration, irrespective of party, to join with the Democracy in preserving and perfecting the reforms in progress, and in extending them to all branches of the State service. We heartily indorse Gov. Cleveland's administration. It justifies the great vote which elected him. He has deservedly won the affection of the people by his industry, firmness and intelligence, his aggressive honesty. The result is a more efficient administration of the best the State ever had.

Isaac H. Maynard was nominated for Secretary of State, Alfred C. Chapin for Comptroller, Robert A. Maxwell for State Treasurer, and Dennis O'Brien for Attorney General.

It was agreed that the State Committee shall have the power to decide who shall be a member from a district where there is a tie vote, except in New York city.

On motion of Mr. Grady, of Tammany, it was decided that the county Democratic Executive Committee shall name four of the members from New York county, Tammany Hall three, and Irving Hall one.

MARYLAND REPUBLICANS.

THE STATE CONVENTION—A LONG PLATFORM.

There was a large attendance at the Maryland Republican Convention, in Baltimore. J. Morrison Harrison presided. Hart B. Holton, of Baltimore, was nominated by acclamation for Governor; for Comptroller, Washington Smith was named; and R. Stockett Matthews was nominated for Attorney General. A colored delegate pledged 40,000 black votes for Holton.

After long deliberation, a platform of principles was adopted. The platform is very elaborate. It approves of the administration of President Arthur, and declares in the administration of the State