

The Republican.

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Confidence is restored in Montreal and the run on the banks has subsided, but greenbacks command a premium.

There is but little news to report in regard to the yellow fever, save that it is rapidly increasing at Menphis both in and out of the city.

Hendricks is in New York, trying to organize a boom. He declares positively that he will not accept a nomination for Vice President. Hendricks will know in less than a year from now, what everybody else knows now—that he is a “dead duck.”

A paragraphist in Ohio calls our Daniel W. Voorhees the “Bawl Talker of the Chawbush.” If Daniel ever gets into Ohio, and makes that speech against resumption which he promised us last September, that paragraphist will never try to talk any more.

English financiers predict that large amounts of gold will be sent from England to the United States within the next few weeks to pay for American produce. America’s good time is coming and we shall soon get back the wealth that foreign nations received from us during the rebellion.

The great Greenback party, that we were told was going to sweep Kentucky like a prairie fire, failed to put in an appearance in many counties in that State at the election Monday of last week. The exact vote is not yet returned, but it is not probable that more than one voter in a hundred voted the Greenback ticket.

The Tammany Hall Democrats of New York have adopted a resolution declaring that they will under no circumstances support Lucius Robinson if the Democrats nominate him for Governor. This may be considered as an official notice that they will not support Tilden for President, as Robison is Tilden’s man for Governor. But Samuel can bring them to terms if his barrel holds out.

The steamship City of London, which sailed from New York Saturday, took out, among other freight, 500 head of cattle, 72,000 bushels of grain, and a large quantity of miscellaneous provisions. The golden eagles are coming home from Europe, while the glorious sun is making the corn boom. That’s why “Brick” Penney and Phil. Corcoran have the call. The good times are coming and the Greenback party is “bailed.”

The States that vote tall will show that the Greenback party is dying. Eleven States hold State elections this fall, and we expect the Greenback party to get at least 1,000,000 votes. This is less than a third of the States of the Union, and if we get 1,000,000 votes from them we will get about 4,000,000 in 1880.—*Beulon (Ia.) Legal Tender.*

One of those States (Kentucky) has voted and the Greenbackites did not get as many votes in the entire State as they claimed in a single county. At this rate the Greenback party will cease to exist before 1880. Truly the vote shows that the Greenback party is dying.

A disgraceful affair took place at Narragansett Pier on Friday last between Senator Conkling and Governor Sprague, of Rhode Island. Sprague ordered Conkling to leave his house and threatened to shoot him if he ever crossed his path again. It seems that jealousy on the part of Sprague was the real cause of the trouble. Sprague’s wife is the daughter of the late Chief Justice Chase, and is one of the most talented and ambitious women of the nation. Conkling’s friends claim that Sprague was excited in regard to a music teacher named Link, but there seems to be but little room for doubt that Sprague was angry because of the attention paid his wife by Conkling. The affair has caused intense excitement in the East, and hundreds of stories are afloat with regard to the affair.

At the municipal election in Chicago last spring, the Chicago News, an independent paper which usually leans toward the Republican party, supported Carter Harrison, the Democratic candidate for Mayor. By combination of Democrats, Greenbackers and Independents, Harrison was elected. Ever since he went into office nine out of every ten men that voted for him have been cursing him. For months the News and other independent papers that supported him have been remonstrating with him for his extreme partisan conduct. The Times has alone stood by him, but it can no longer stand the storm, and acknowledges that Harrison is a failure. Perhaps the Republicans of Chicago have learned a lesson that will do them good in the future, and teach them what has been taught disatisfied Republicans throughout the Union, that to desert the Republican party is to ruin the country. The Daily News says: “We never doubted the honesty of Mr. Harrison, supposing that a lack of common sense was responsible for his assuming conduct, but in the light of recent events it is hard to be assumed, either by him or by the people of Chicago, that we can continue to look upon him as a man of truth or strict integrity. Mr. Harrison has himself to blame for the utter failure of his administration. He allowed that dreadful disease, the big-head, to gain too much headway. The result is, that if Mayor Harrison should appear to the people to-morrow he would not receive 500 votes.”

A Democratic member of the City Council of Quincy, Ill., has introduced a resolution to abolish the high school of that city, and not allow much learning in the other schools. The preamble to the resolution declares among other things that “Our best public writers begin to admit that a nation highly educated is not strong politically, or prosperous and happy socially, on account of their heads being full to overflowing with all sorts of impractical theories.” That fellow is a genuine Democrat who understands that education and intelligence will eventually wipe the Democratic party out of existence.

One hundred and seventy-two children under one year old died in Detroit during the month of July. This alarming mortality led to an investigation which showed that a large majority of those that had died were not nursed but were fed on dairy milk which had been adulterated by the use of fine white clay. The object of the adulteration was to give the milk a rich, creamy appearance, but it was death to the unfortunate little ones who were compelled to drink. Some of the dairymen have been arrested, and it is said that others will be. There is no punishment too severe for such persons. It is said that every quart of the adulterated milk would, in five or six hours deposit half a teaspoonful of sediment. It seems that parents who would allow the use of such milk were almost criminally negligent to not know that it was adulterated.

For nearly three years the Democratic papers and speakers have lost no opportunity to denounce John Sherman, for contracting the currency. But Sherman has gone along quietly attending to his own business, paying no attention to their denunciations. All the time the currency has been increasing gold has been accumulating and times have been getting better. These men see now that it is useless to longer call John Sherman a contractor, and a new programme has been agreed upon. The New York World leads off in attacking Sherman of inflation. It is not improbable that next year every Democrat will swear that Sherman is the boss inflationist and that the Democratic party has always been in favor of nothing but hard money. Indiana’s darling, Daniel W. Voorhees, will stamp the State in favor of hard money only, and “Brick” Penney, Sam Cary and all the Greenback leaders will assist him. If Samuel J. Tilden will just open his barrel and pay them what they think their services are worth. It is a privilege freely exercised by both the Democratic and Greenback parties, to change principles whenever they think that they have anything to gain by so doing.

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Nasby is in Ohio waiting and praying for an early frost to destroy the corn in that State. He thinks this is the only chance for Democratic success in October. His report is to this effect: “It is a corn country, and the farmers depend upon that crop for the theft of their profits. If the Lord would only take pity on the Democratic party and send a heavy frost, a regular black frost, this month, I should have some show. It would derange things and rear up matters to such an extent that it would give us a chance. But then the wheat crop was so heavy that I am not sure that even the total destruction by the corn crop would save us. The hog-chokers must be off soon enough, and if they fasten on the horses, I never saw ‘em so disgustingly healthy.” Weaver, of Iowa, months ago exhorted his brethren to pray for a drought in that would cut short the crops. For awhile it seemed that the corn crop would be injured considerably by the dry weather, but the recent rains have blasted the hopes of Weaver, Carey, Pomeroy, and the lesser lights who have grown thin off the laboring men who have paid them fifty dollars a day for laying. They gnash their teeth because their occupation is gone; and their deluded victims feel like one man who has lost half that he was worth betting against a three card monte man.

Washington Letter.
Washington, Aug. 8, 1879.

The amount of principle to be found in the average Maine Democrat is surprisingly small. At present the papers of the party, with one honorable exception, are pretending to support the candidate of the party, while doing all they can for the election of another. The people of Maine are too intelligent, and have too much respect for common honesty, to countenance a fraud like this. The flurry of last year is in a great measure over, and the rule of reason and common sense is returning. It is believed that not only will the Legislature be Republican in both branches, but the Republican candidate for Governor will be elected by the people. To do this latter will require a majority, but it is believed that a majority will be forthcoming.

That was an amusing mistake made by General Ewing, who, when he went to Ohio to meet defeat at the hands of Foster, made arrangements to have the Statehooded with printed speeches from this city. He left “thanks” for the purpose. But by some mistake his subordinates filled up the franked wrappers with sound Republican documents, and sent them broadcast among the men Ewing was depending upon for votes. But Ewing was bound to be beaten, anyway, as he cannot lay defeat, when it comes, to a little mistake like this.

From Plymouth to Michigan City and return only \$1.30, children under 12 years, 60 cents. For particulars see large bills.

The revenue from customs for 1879

was greater than for 1870, and that for 1878 greater than that for 1877. But though the receipts increased every year the cost of collection decreased. These are facts which it is well to remember. In the Internal Revenue branch of the Treasury, an examination has been made of the returns of 121 of the 126 collectors, and besides the great and increasing efficiency of administration shown, it has been found that not one of the officials have stolen, misappropriated or withheld a penny. This is another fact Republicans and Democrats, as well, should bear in mind.

The Bankers’ Convention at Saratoga seems to be a great success, over a thousand delegates coming from all parts of the country, being in attendance, and the proceedings are of greater interest than those of any previous year.

LEO.

News of the Week Condensed.

Rev. Newman Hall has obtained a divorce from his wife in London.

Great shoppers are making their appearances in alarming numbers in Wisconsin.

Alexander Hesse, the eminent French painter, died in Paris, Mon. day, aged 73 years.

Frederick P. King died of yellow fever in Brooklyn, N. Y. He contracted the disease at Havana.

Twenty-five thousand United States gold eagles, worth \$250,000, are now on their way to New York from Eng-

land.

The London Standard’s Paris correspondent states that a St. Petersburg letter shows an enormous increase of the number of nihilists in Russia.

The silver market is improving in London under the statement that Germany is willing to negotiate with the United States concerning the bimetallic standard.

The London Times says It is understood that large amounts of United States funded bonds are freely taken up there on American account and shipped to New York.

A call has been issued for a Prohibition State Convention at Altoona, Pa., the 9th of September, and it is expected that a State ticket will be nominated and an address issued.

During the last week the deposit of bonds to increase bank circulation has exceeded the withdrawal of circulation by nearly 200,000. The increase is almost equal to the entire increase for the previous month.

A dispatch to the London Standard from Rome says that in the recent correspondence between the Vatican and Prince Bismarck it has been agreed to observe scrupulous secrecy until the conclusion of the present treatise.

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WALKERTON.

BY ST. JOSEPH.

Walkerton is to have a new paper which will be neutral in politics and independent in religion. Its first issue will appear this week.

Corn in this locality suffered somewhat from the drought but the recent rains have improved it considerably and the prospect is fair for an average crop.

One firm from this place that had no license to sell at the marsh toll in \$170 for liquors sold here on a single Sabbath. Perhaps Uncle Sam might obtain some revenue if his agents would look after the matter.

W. McCLELLAN, Cor. Secy.

Anniversary Picnic.

The Walnut National Christian Temperance Union will have an anniversary picnic Saturday, Sept. 6, 1879, commencing at 10 o’clock a. m. Noted speakers from a distance will address the audience. After the speaking a grand walking match will take place. A cordial invitation is extended to all temperance societies and churches.

W. McCLELLAN, Cor. Secy.

By Order of Committee.

LEONARD & WILTON have added to their fine stock of Groceries a Coffee and Spice Mill and are now prepared to grind your Coffee and Spices just as you need them, then you are sure you get nothing but pure, fresh goods. The boys are bound their customers shall not be swindled.

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BENNETT BROTHERS always keep on hands Fresh Meats of all kinds and of the best quality.

The Bakery on LaPorte street is the best place in Plymouth to buy Groceries, sell Produce or to get a Warm Meal.

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Don’t Read This.

Fargo, the Merchant Tailor, has just returned from Chicago with the finest lot of pieces goods ever brought to Plymouth. He can fit you out with a nobby suit as cheap as the cheapest. If you want to dress like a gentleman you will not forget to call and see what he can do for you.

A RESPONSIBLE, industrious man, wanting a job of clearing land will find it to his advantage to call on John W. Thomas.

AN immense stock of Boots and Shoes at Little Mack’s, also first-class stock of Clothing and Dry Goods. My opposition run me down and say I have only a country store. I am happy to inform the farmers that I appreciate the name, so come to Little Mack’s Country Store.

No Sympathy

For those who are about suffering with Lime Rock, caused by alkali water from Kilkenny, I now offer Kilkenny Extract of Rhubarb and Celery, which will make a permanent cure, and from those to four doses will relieve the severest cases. For sale by L. Tanner.

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Not withstanding the advance on all Goods, we shall

Through the month of

AUGUST,

And offer our

Summer Goods!

At Prices Never Before

Dreamed Of.

Notwithstanding the advance on all Goods, we shall

Through the month of

September,

And offer our

Winter Goods!

At Prices Never Before

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Notwithstanding the advance on all Goods, we shall

Through the month of

October,