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What the Papers say.

The Southern papers are accepting the resolutions of the Philadelphia convention with many wry faces. We have not seen a single Southern journal which unreservedly endorses the platform adopted by the convention. The Richmond papers condemn the Cowan resolves with a spirit and tone of unanimity best shown, upon the whole, in the following from the *Despatch*:

In so far as the address assumes that the people of the South are responsible for the war; that the war was a rebellion; that they are disposed to acknowledge culpability and contrition; that the Federal government acted in self-defense, and under the Constitution, &c., it assumes what the people of the South do not feel to be true and what, therefore, they have no thought of admitting.

That is to say, in short, that there is nothing whatever in the resolves to which the South can subscribe except the inevitable and incontrovertible facts that—first, the war is ended and the South beaten; 2nd, that it is impracticable, and, therefore, impossible to pay the Confederate debt; 3d, that the National debt must be paid, perforce; 4th, that Slavery is dead, in name, beyond recall; 5th, that Mr. Johnson's course deserves approval because he is the enemy of the Radicals.

The *Richmond Enquirer* is astonished to hear the declaration of Mr. Cowan, that the resolves were passed by a unanimous vote. It says, "we protest in the name of our people that they be considered no unanimous vote." The *Examiner* denies more boldly that the platform is in "any just sense a National one," and regrets that the "right kind of delegates" were not sent to the Convention, and "that the South has once more been left out in the cold."

The *Richmond Times* says that "the delegates were requested to swallow resolutions that must have tasted as pleasant as a mixture of gall, senna and wormwood." The *Petersburg Express* says that the resolves were "permitted to pass by default of the Southern members." The *Wilmington Dispatch* professes its contempt for the War Democrats who sat in the Convention, and calls Mr. Raymond a "trimmer." The *Richmond Enquirer* again blames the Southern delegates for "sanctioning the constitutionality of the coercion of a State." The *Raleigh Progress* continues: "The most Gov. Graham and others from this State could do was to protest against the introduction of the subject." The *Charlottesville Chronicle* ironically says that Virginia is willing to

"hob-nob with Mr. Randall or Mr. Browning," "to thank Northern soldiers for shooting her children and striking her to the ground." The *News*, of New York declares that the South obtained too little in the Convention; that it "was the slave of expediency," and that the South, furthermore, "should have sent its women whose courage never faltered."

What does it mean?

The *Cheraw Advertiser* closes an editorial about burglars, robbers, murderers, etc. with the following:

Why then do you wait for the political robbers, incendiaries, burglars and murderers to accomplish their works before you raise your hand in self-defense?

Mr. Powel is evidently on the rampage, but who are to be the victims?

Rations stopped.

The following important order was issued by Gen. Howard, Commissioner of the Freedmen's Bureau, on the 23 ult.

CIRCULAR NO. 19.—In accordance with the instructions of the Secretary of War, it is ordered that on and after the 1st day of October next, the issue of rations be discontinued, except to the sick in regularly organized hospitals; and to the orphan asylums for refugees and freedmen already existing, and that the State officials, who may be responsible for the care of the poor, be carefully notified of this order so that they may assume the charge of such indigent refugees and freedmen as are not embraced in the above exceptions.

At COUSAW MILL, Mr. D. C. Wilson has a lot of Seasoned Lumber. See advertisement.

Those who desire new butter, Lard, Potatoes, &c., should call on Mr. M. M. Kingman. See advertisement.

The General Assembly of this State convenes on the 4th inst. at Columbia. The modification of the laws in reference to the freed people, the measures for the relief of debtors and provision for the destitute of the State will occupy its attention.

Thanks to our Marshal, the town now presents a cleanly appearance. In view of the proximity of contagious diseases we urge our residents to renewed care in the matter of keeping their premises clear of filth. A little labor may preserve us from many forms of disease.

With regret we call the attention of our readers to the notice of the death of Mr. G. W. DRUMMOND in another column. He was, during the greater part of the war, Adjutant of the 1st South Carolina Colored regiment, and was known as a brave and efficient officer. During the past year he was engaged in business in Florida.

Two colored women had quite a row at the well near the Baptist Church, on Tuesday morning last. One charged the other with stealing a piece of cloth, which so enraged the accused that she stabbed her opponent in the shoulder, with a knife, inflicting a dangerous and painful wound. Quarrels are becoming very frequent among the colored residents in that vicinity and they should be stopped.

Women often fancy themselves in love when they are not. The love of being loved, fondness of flattery, the pleasure of giving pain to a rival, passion for novelty and excitement, are frequently mistaken for something far better and holier; marriage disenchant the fair self-receiver, and leaves her astonished at her own indifference and the evaporation of her romantic fancies.

We call attention to the changes in the advertisements of the Steamer lines. The Semi-weekly line ply until further notice between Charleston and Beaufort and the *Kate* plies between Charleston and Jacksonville, Fla.

A SIGNIFICANT PREDICTION.—Considering that the *Louisville Journal* is a great foe of universal suffrage, the following prediction is significant, to say the least. We quote:

"The shouts for Jeff. Davis, etc., Lee which have been heard at many a gathering in Kentucky during the late canvass which were heard at the Court house in Louisville on Friday night last, and again, boisterously, for Lee and Johnston at Fest Hall on Saturday night and on the streets of Louisville, after the Duvall triumph on Monday, following the riot in Memphis and the late riot in New-Orleans will, in all human probability, lead to a train of events that will establish negro suffrage throughout the Southern States within two years and a half or three years, at the farthest."

President Johnson has issued a proclamation declaring Maximilian's blockade of Matamoras null and void, because it is not supported by a sufficient force.

Max. Strakosch is coming South with his fine Italian Opera troupe. He will bring IRFKE, the great basso, with him, and will open in Charleston early in October.

We have received from the publishers, the Messrs. Church, of New York, the "Galaxy" for September 1st. It has increased in value and interest each number and this last is filled with choice articles from able authors.

The North Carolina Radicals have met in convention in the western part of the State and passed a series of resolutions, declaring their earnest desire to be in the enjoyment of representation in Congress, but prefer to remain as they are to being ruled or represented by the men who attempted to subvert the government.

Four bales of new Cotton, classed as Middling Fair, were sold in Savannah on Aug 27th at 40 cents a pound.

It is reported that there was a heavy frost in Littleton, N. H., and in many places in Vermont, on the night of the 17th inst.

A writer to the *New York Tribune* says:—The Shenandoah Valley is unsurpassed by any section of our country in abounding natural resources of wealth. I have traveled through all the Northern States, east of the Mississippi and north of the Ohio and Potomac rivers, and I am free to say that this part of Virginia, for the same number of square miles, distances them all. Those several States have one or more elements of material empire, but this section has all of them—I mean natural elements—though at present but imperfectly developed. Fertility of soil, a genial climate, abounding in fruit, mountains of iron ore, inexhaustible deposits of coal, forests of the choicest trees for timber, and convenient, universal, extensive water-power, are the leading features of the country.

We call the attention of our EXCHANGES, and parties communicating with us, to the fact that our Post-office address is BEAUFORT, S. C. and not PORT ROYAL. They will save us much trouble and delay by making this correction.

EDITORIAL AND OTHER ITEMS.

—Two hundred Mormons—men, women and children took a "buff bath" at West Quincy Ill., a few days ago.

—Over eighty woolen and calico mills are at present being built in Georgia.

—Seven thousand negroes convened in Choctaw, Ala., to discuss the subject of emigration.

—There were 120 deaths in St. Louis; 33 in Cincinnati; 9 in Philadelphia and 27 New Orleans, on Aug 23 of cholera.

—A train of cars loaded with petroleum, collided with another near Narrowsburg, N. J., on August 27th. The petroleum caught fire and burned the whole train, together with three dwellings in the vicinity of the accident and fifty thousand feet of lumber. Mr. Williams, whilst endeavoring to rescue two children from one of the houses, was fatally burned, and his wife jumped from the second story window and immediately gave birth to a child. Loss \$80,000 (by the fire we presume.)

—Under the provisions of the new army bill all enlistments in the regular army must be for five years in the cavalry and three for other branches of the military service.

—Gov. Fletcher, of Missouri, has ordered the enrollment of negroes. Gen. Hancock is said to have special instructions to stop the enrollment of negroes.

—At a meeting of the Philadelphia Corn Exchange, held on the 23d ult., a resolution was offered, providing for the reception of President Johnson by that body. It was defeated, receiving only four votes.

—It is reported that General Sheridan has been removed from the command of New Orleans and General Steedman appointed to succeed him.

—The Radical candidate for Congress has been elected in Colorado.

—Gov. Lham G. Harris, was in Selma, on the 4th, registering from Mexico.

—General Rosecrans has resigned his position in the army. General Sickles is spoken of as his successor.

—A popular toast: President Johnson and Chimborazo, of all the Andys, the most renowned.

—The following is the estimate of rations for September for the States of Arkansas, Missouri, and the Indian Territory: Whites (refugees) 35,000 rations; freed people, 5,000 rations.

MAGENTA.—The tinting power of the salts of Magenta seem incredible. One grain in a million times its weight of water gives a pure red; in ten millions, a rose pink; in twenty millions, a decided blush; and even in fifty millions, in which it is discovered, an evident glow.

—Gov. Hahn and Judge Warmouth, of Louisiana, arrived at St. Louis, Mo. Aug. 13th. Gov. Hahn is suffering severely from his wounds.

—The Turks have commenced hostilities against the Christians in the island of Candia, in the Mediterranean. Several Consulates, especially those of Holland, Sweden, and the United States having suffered much damage, have protested. The insurgents, 25,000 strong, hold important points.

—It is stated that Gen. Lew Wallace, late of the U. S. Army, has arrived at Matamoras, Mexico, with 500 armed emigrants, and with a heavy battery for the Liberals.