

THE ARCTIC HEROES.

WELCOMED WITH GRAND DEMONSTRATIONS IN PORTLAND.

Being Home in the Rescued Expedition—Many Prominent People Present—A Reception Over a Mile in Length.

PORTSMOUTH, N. H., August 4.—Portsmouth was carried away with enthusiasm over the demonstration in honor of Lieutenant Greely and his men. It was a joint affair between the naval and civil authorities.

A meeting of citizens at Music Hall this evening to extend the official welcome of the city of Portsmouth to Lieutenant Greely and the remainder of his crew, was largely attended and was characterized by unbounded enthusiasm.

The meeting was called to order by Rev. W. A. McGinley, who very briefly stated in eloquent terms the objects of the meeting.

Rev. W. H. Alder then made a fitting prayer and was followed by Mayor Treat, of Portsmouth, who read an address in which he extended the hospitalities of the city of Portsmouth to Greely and his little band.

Secretary Chandler closed with a high eulogium upon the officers and men of the rescuing expedition, thanking each of the three commanders personally for their gallantry and success.

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THE DEMOCRATIC OUTLOOK.

Confidence and Enthusiasm in All Parts of the Nation—Senator Butler's Speech—The Democrats are Busy.

WASHINGTON, August 5.—Senator Butler, of South Carolina, left here today for New York to be present at the organization of the committee appointed by the Senate to make an inspection of the various shippers and the steel producing capacity throughout the United States.

Referring to politics the Senator said the information received from Democratic managers all along the line was of the most encouraging and promising nature.

A gentleman from Buffalo, who is a personal acquaintance of Governor Cleveland, says that his letter of acceptance of the Democratic Presidential nomination, which is now in course of preparation, will be, in the matter of diction, one of the ablest papers that has ever been presented to the public.

Report of the Agricultural Department for the Month of July.

COLUMBIA, August 6.—The following is the report of the crops throughout the State for the month of July:

The reports of county correspondents to the State Department of Agriculture, April 1, show a decline in the condition of cotton from the previous month.

During the early part of July the rains were very heavy, and this, following the excessive wet weather of June, caused the plants to be very fat and succulent.

Both Irish and sweet potatoes are reported in fine condition and promise good average yields, and the present condition of sorghum and sugar cane indicates the usual yield.

Rice is reported in Lower Carolina at 99 and upland rice in Upper and Middle Carolina at 95.

On the Ducktown branch of the Western and North Carolina Railroad yesterday a material train that was climbing the mountains broke loose from the engine and ran back at a terrific rate.

BLAINE TO COME OUT.

The Campaign in Mood of Shaking Up—More Fifth Wheel for Using.

WASHINGTON, August 5.—In leaving Bar Harbor Mr. Blaine broke up his camp for good. The movement was made in response to a request and protestations from many quarters that he should come out and show himself—should exist in the arena of his supporters at the dullness of the canvass, a dullness which he only could break.

Mr. Blaine will gradually work himself upon the stump and into the campaign instead of standing aside in obedience to what Mr. Steve Elkins described as his "sense of delicacy," a remark which caused Mr. Elkins to be laughed at and Mr. Blaine to be admonished against adopting any such nonsense for his rule of action.

Mr. Blaine had concluded to make only an occasional appearance in speech-making. His friends who find a void in the canvass which only he can fill will not exact much formal speech-making, but the frequent showing of himself, hand-shaking, congratulatory and a swinging around the circle to make things in general lively.

For the present Mr. Blaine will move about in Maine, where the September election may yet prove a battle on the skirrnish line. It will, unless Mr. Blaine's opponents have given up their original intention. If they have done so, that fact means more than permitting Mr. Blaine to have in his own State whatever majority he can get, be it five or ten thousand.

AN INTERVIEW WITH McDONALD.

WASHINGTON, August 8.—Ex-Senator Joseph McDonald arrived here today from Indiana en route to Deer Park.

He says that the campaign in Indiana is just beginning to take form. The Democrats will undoubtedly carry the State, although both parties at present claim it. The party lines will be drawn very closely throughout the State.

THE PROGRESS OF THE PLAGUE.

THE CHOLERA SPREADING THROUGH FRANCE.—The Panic Among the People.

MARSEILLES, August 9.—The area affected by the cholera epidemic is, beyond question, widening. Yesterday there were five deaths at Arles and five at Salin, a village of only 400 inhabitants near Arles.

A VERY HAZARDOUS FEAT.

Three Young Men are the Courageous Riders and Escape Uninjured—Graphic Description of One of the Most Daring Feats on Record.

Mount Washington has been ridden down by a tricycleist and by riders of the "Extra" and the "Star" bicycles, but it has been considered impossible of accomplishment on an ordinary crank bicycle.

The Government Determined to Expel Settlers From the Indian Territory.

WASHINGTON, August 7.—The intruders in the Indian Territory are said to be in those portions of the Territory known as the Oklahoma land, Cherokee strip and Panhandle.

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THE FIRST BATTLE-GROUND.

West Virginia Chosen by the Republicans—Money to be Used Without Limit.

DEER PARK, Md., August 7.—Another conference was held here today between Stephen B. Elkins and several leading Republicans and Greenbackers of West Virginia.

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A Georgia Tragedy.

MAON, GA., August 9.—Last night as the family of James Higgs was returning from church in a wagon at a point near Mount Vernon, Montgomery county, the party was fired upon by David B. Connor.

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