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will be charged extra for advertisments out o never before been witnessed in Richmond. their regular line of buisness.

Primary Meetings.

meet at the usual places of voting in lan's Peninsula campaign, and that Richmond held at the Court House, in Easton, rung with great fury, and they left a scene of work. on TUESDAY, the 16th instant, at before witnessed in this most turbulent city:to the Union State Convention, ten thousand caralry would have found but day, the 22d of February.

CHAS. R. MULLIKIN, SAM'I. T. HOPKINS, Cen. Committee. feb 6-2t

NEWS SUMMARY.

Army of the Potomac on Saturday to the Rapi- Meade had crossed the Rapidan. dan River. Considerable canonading was heard at Marton's Ford during the day, and in the

the gunboats Sassacus and Florida have des-Dayrell," near New Topsail Inlet where she got ashore and had discharged part of her car-

R chmond papers to the 3d instant have been was advancing on Knoxville, are unfounded.

The Nashville Union of the 2d isnt. announces that a portion of General Grant's army has the State to meet the requirements of the occrossed the Tennessee River at Lackinsville, casion and to do its part towards re-inforcing ponents of the bill to delay the action, but were Sheriff so refusing or neglecting, shall be liable to in- after which the Provisional Governor elect arose, and will be disposed of at very small profits. Ala. Larkinsville is a station on the Mobile and our grmy and suppressing the Rebellion. What voted down. Charleston Railroad, about thirty-five miles west remains now to be done is to improve the time of Stevenson. It is several miles north of the between this and March in filling as rapidly as pedition is intended to capture the manufactur- possible the necessity of the draft. ing town of Rome, Georgia.

The Missouri Legislature has passed the Emancipation Convention bill by a vote of 80 to this State has passed both branches of the Legis-34, after amending it so as to postpone the election of members of the Convention to November. The amendment was adopted by the close vote of 60 to 57.

been received at Washington. The Rebel Congress has ordered the conscription of printers in These amendments exclude members of Conthe South under forty-five, making it necessary to suspend nearly all the newspapers. But thirty-five daily papers are now published in the

for a Major General, down to 27 for a Lieuten ant. Col. Comman is President, and Prof. Quorum. Church Treasurer of the Association.

The Union Convention at Little Rock has nominated Judge Isaze Morphy for Provisional Gov.

ranks is sacrificed to gratify the obstinancy and Baltimore. pride of the Rebel leaders, who intend, in the extremity, to save themselves by flying to a foreign country, which you cannot do, for the Creswell, M. C., for a copy of the "Finance Re-

Illinois boasts that she has furnished, up to port for 1863." January 1, all the men required of her under all calls up that period.

A few days ago Gen. Butler sent out an expedition under command of Gen. Wistar, with
the object of making, if possible, a sudden dash
printed list of the members of the Legislature,
herein provided, if it shall appear from the count that sons who under the former laws were axempt Bridge, on the Chickahominy, ten miles from Swift, of that State,

They found that the enemy had been informed of the expedition and had obstructed the ford by falling trees. Unable to cross, they waited ed from this county, to attend the Methodist the arrival of the infantry, and the whole force Protestant Conference, which assembles in Bal-subsequently returned. The betrayal of the times to subsequently returned. The betrayal of the timore in the coming month: plan was attributed to a deserter. But a small force was in or near Richmond, as Lee's army was held upon the Rapidan by the demonstration of General Sedgwick on Saturday.

Point, on the flag of truce boat, and in his letter

of the 8th says:-Shultz were, however sent on board the New the 18th inst., at 3 o'clock P. M. York on Sunday evening, and stepped under cellorsville, on the 28th November. They were completion. released through the interposition of the Rev.

mond, which they represent to have been in a cold" in the first stage; that which, in the beginstate of feverish excrement from midnight on ning, would yield to a mild remedy, if neglect-Saturday up to the time they left, at 2 o'clock on Saturday ed, soon attacks the lungs. "Brown's Bronchial the bells of the city were jung and men were Troches" give sure and almost immediate relief. St. rushing through the streets, crying, "To arms to Military Officers and Soldiers should have them, as atms, the Yankees are coming!" During the they can be carried in the pocket, and taken as ocremainder of the night there was an intense com- casion may require. motion everywhere visible. The Home Guard was called out, and the tramp of armed men

On Sunday morning there was no abatement Marriages and Deaths inserted at 50 cents in the excitement. The guards were all marchto advertising rates, (81 for 6 lines close matter.) citizens placed on guard over the prisoners .-Horsemen were dashing to and tro, and the ex-The unconditional Union men of force, with artitlery, had made their appearance on the Peninsula at Bottom's Bridge, within ten Talbot County, are requested to miles of the city a point so famous in McClelwild, and it was their impression that eight or prisoners, destroying the torts and public properry, and retiring by the Peninsula before any sufficient force to resist them could be brough to the aid of the small garrison left to defend it.

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The despatch of the events which have already transpired.— shall transmit to be despatch. A despatch from Washington states that a General Meade. In this they were right, as The progress of the war has rendered them com- the organization thereof as may be practicable, a list reconnoissance in force was made from the during the progress of the excitement on Sunday intelligence was received that General

THE BOUNTY BILL .- This important bill is at evening considerable musketry firing took place. last a law. It passed the House of Delegates The Navy Department has information that on Saturday without amendment, despite the efforts of the enemies of the country to defeat it, contest could be accurately stated, and its im- Pleas or Criminal Court of the City of Baltimore, troy of the new and fast blockade runner "Wild and of the absence of many members who would portant facts profitably applied. For those rea. Clerks of said Courts, Registers of Wills, or Sheriff, fore.) that not one drop of higher of any kind have voted for it it present. It gives, in ad- sons, we regard this work as decidedly superior shall be eligible to said Convention. dition to the bouty offered by the United States, fidence and patronage. We commend it, there in either of the delegation of said delegates, army, and of all other truly good and sensible NOW OPENING AT THE OLD STAND who have been in the service six months), mak- full, reliable and cheap History of the Great whose delegation such vacancy may occur, shall, ureceived at Fortress Monroe. The Rebel stea- ing the total bounty to recruits of this class of be obtained much cheaper in this work than in President of said delegation, by the Governor of From the Union, Jan. 23. mer Preston, from Nassau, attempted to run 8725. To new volunteers it gives 8300 in adthe early Histories; even for those who already the State, immediately issue public notice for a special into Charleston on the 2d. Our gunboates open- dition to the United States bounty, making to- have the first volume of the latter. The early election, to be held at the unual places of holding eed a heavy fire on her at daybreak and kept it gether \$600. The owners of slaves who agree period and great haste in which they were pre- more than ten days after said notice, for the purpose up all day. She will be a total wreck. The fire to their enlistment and execute a valid deed of pared prevented the adoption of any systematic of supplying such vacancy. on Sumter had been discontinued. During the manumission, receive \$100 for each slave so plan, and made their works needlessly elaborate Section 6. And be it exacted, That the Constitution twenty-four hours, ending on the 2d instant, enlisting. The intent of this section as explain. The work is having a very large sale, the utone hundred and thirty-six shots were fired into
Charleston. A Rebel despatch from Moris.

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Charleston are the demand. It is fully and finely illustrated with portraits, maps, and battle-scenes, prescribe; and the provisions hereinbefore contained, with portraits, maps, and battle-scenes, prescribe; and the provisions hereinbefore contained, mander of the State, for their adoption or requalified voters of the State, for their adoption or requalified voters of the State, for their adoption or requalified voters of the State, for their adoption or requalified voters of the State, for their adoption or requalified voters of the State, for their adoption or requalified voters of the State, for their adoption or requalified voters of the State, for their adoption or requalified voters of the State, for their adoption or requalified voters of the State, for their adoption or requalified voters of the State, for their adoption or requalified voters of the State, for their adoption or requalified voters of the State, for their adoption or requalified voters of the State, for their adoption or requalified voters of the State, for their adoption or requalified voters of the State, for their adoption or requalified voters of the State, for their adoption or requalified voters of the State, for their adoption or requalified voters of the State, for their adoption or requirement of the Senate Chamber, beautifully decorated with MADE CLOTHINGABLE READITIONAL PROPERTY AND ADDED TO THE SENATOR AND ADDED TO THE SENATOR town, East Tennessee, dated on the 21 instant, States on like conditions. To the slave on en says there is a perfect dearth of news there, and listing the bill gives 850. and a similar sume that the situation is unchanged. This shows when he is honorably discharged from service. that the despatches representing that Longstreet Four millions of dollors are appropriated to

meet the expenditures under the bill. Tennessee. The Union intimates that the ex- possible the quota of the State, and avoiding it posed by the Conference Committee. The vote term of not less than six months.

for the call of a Constitutional Convention in ture and is now a law. We publish it in full in another column. With the main provisions Maryland, Thaton the first Wednesday in Aptil next. of the bill our readers are already familiar. As the several counties and the city of Baltimore for the passed it includes amendments agreed to by the election of delegates to the General Assembly, ever Richmond papers to the 6th instant have been received at Washington. The Rebel Con
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Assembly shall be written or printed on the convention as a call of a this law as a call of ing votes of the two Houses were referred .gress, Judges, and Clerks of all the courts in the said Convention, the words 'For a Convention' or 'A. State, except the Court of Appeals-Sheriffs there should be any ballots cast without the designation and Registers of Wills in all the counties and herebefore prescribed the same shall not be count A project has originated at: West Point to Baltimore city, from seats in the Convention, turn shall be made of the same by the judges of elecerect threre a "Battle Monument," upon which allow members of the State Legislature that pri- tion as aforesaid; and that at the same election the le shall be inscribed the names of all officers of the vilege, and retain the feature of the Senate bill gates to the said Convention, whose qualifications Regular Army who shall have been killed or relating to military interference with elections shall be the same as those now required for a seat in died of wounds received in the field during the and giving the power to the judges to question ty of Baltimore shall be entitled to elect the same present war. The expense of the monument is challenged parties as to their loyalty. Sixty-five number of delegates to the said Convention as ther peal all laws in relation to the rendition of fuci to be defrayed by a sliding scale of taxation members of the Convention are to be elected, assembly of Maryland; and it shall be the duty of the upon the officers of the Regular Army—827 under the provisions of the bill, before it can or-

THE BOUNTY BILL-GOVERNOR BRADFORD .-Governor Bradford has issued his Proclamation several Clerks of the Circuit Court of this State, and thony introduced a joint resolution, repealing the riginating from al diseases and abuse of the slave is with the owner's consent musered into announcing the passage of the Bounty Bill, ex- respectively, who shall, within ten days after said e- resolution of March, 1861, which declared that General Debility. ernor, and have organized a Provisional State plaining its provisions, and calling special attention to the fact that the bounties provided for Convention, and of the number of blank ballots cast, giving power to interfere with any State institu-County officers will be elected in many parts of National Government, will only be paid to vol
National Government of the number of ballots cast for the several particle of the number of ballots cast for the several particle of the number of ballots cast for the sever unteers who enlist before the first of March next. United States shall appear at the places where the Government in reference to the rebellion. Captain J. M. Streetman, 56th Georgia Regi-ment, is out in a card, urging his fellow soldiers. The Governor urges a prompt response on behalf tion, unless such military or armed force shall be cal-led out by the judges of election or other civil auto desert. His reason for this is, that "the Re- of our citizens, so as to avoid the necessity for a bellion must finally fall; better that it should do draft. He will officially announce in a few the said judges of effection, shall, under oath, certify the Fugitive Slave Law. The Committee on so soon and before the last poor fellow in the days the quota of each county and of the city of

THE following are the delegates appoint- and interfered with said election, unless such milita-

tin, Jas. Harrison, Jne, Small.

C. C. Fulson, one of the edges of the Balti- | W- THE Ladies' Union Relief Association with the assembling of the Convention as herein pro- Lieutenant-General in the army, with an amend.

the folds of the old flag with a demonstration of 05- We see that Hon. John. A. J. Creswell, joy that was truly impressive. They were both M. C., from this District, advocates the en. rectly or indirectly given aid, comfort or encourage. In the House of Representatives on Tuesday, Oars-Maryland, Marylanders. One of them, Mr. A. F. Brengle, rollment of all able-bodied negroes, both free and of Frederick, Maryland, was captured at Middetown on the 20th of June last, whilst acting slave, for the military service. This will meet not a legal voter in the manner and form provided by to a seat in the House as Representative for as a rolucteer assistant to the Sanitary Com with a hearty response from those who sent him of Public and General Laws, relating to elections; was debated in Committee of the Whole without mission, and the other, George W. Longley, of there, viz: the bone and sinew of the Disrict, and with the provisions of this act, shall be liable to the mission, and the other, George W. Longley, of there, viz: the bone and sinew of the District, and with the provisions of this act, shall be fiable to the Baltimore county, was captured. whilst driving we hope he will push on the good work to its same penalties as he or they would be by the non-compliance with the existing election laws of this State. Wood offered an amendment exempting those compliance with the existing election laws of this State. Wood offered an amendment exempting those compliance with the existing election laws of this State. Wood offered an amendment exempting those compliance with the existing election laws of this State.

"A SLIGHT COLD," COUGHS .- Few are aware They brought us exciting news from Rich- of the importance of checking a Cough or "slight and the blank ballots cast, it shall be the duty of the

OF READER, if you want a mild purgative for could be heard in all directions. Cannon were children, or one powerful for adults, take Ayer's being hauled throug the streets, women and children were hurrying to and fro, and there Pills. They are sugar coated and pleasant to sixty-four, and shall continue in session from day to the second Monday of March next, the 10th; Merchants and others advertising by the yea were all the evidences of such a panic as had use and are wellenough known to be good, without recommendation.

THE LATEST-HISTORY OF THE REBELLION .each. Obituary notices charged for according ed outof the city to the detences, and the armed We desire to direct the attention of our readers to a history of the present war, written by Eiliof all this commotion became intense. It was being exhibited through the county by the A. tion of the business of the Convention, and to fix their of loyal citizens. ott G. Storke, a specimen copy of which is now soon learned that a large cavalry and infantry gent. In speaking of this work the Auburn ryland shall, upon the order of the President of said slavery question, the only portion of the Consti- be suitably rewarded. New York Northern Independent says :

their respective districts, on SAT- was actually threatened by the Yankees. The bracing the Causes, Events and consequences. the Speaker of the House of Delegates, and of the Speaker of the House of Delegates, and of the Speaker of the House of Delegates, and of the Speaker of the House of Delegates, and of the Speaker of the House of Delegates, and of the Speaker of the House of Delegates, and of the Speaker of the House of Delegates, and of the Speaker of the House of Delegates, and of the Speaker of the House of Delegates, and of the Speaker of the House of Delegates, and of the Speaker of the House of Delegates, and of the Speaker of the House of Delegates, and of the Speaker of the House of Delegates, and of the Speaker of the House of Delegates, and of the Speaker of the House of Delegates, and of the Speaker of the House of Delegates, and of the Speaker of the House of Delegates, and of the Speaker of the House of Delegates, and of the Speaker of the House of Delegates, and of the Speaker of the House of Delegates, and of the Speaker of the House of Delegates, and of the Speaker of the House of Delegates, and of the Speaker of the House of Delegates, and of the Speaker of the House of Delegates, and of the Speaker of the House of Delegates, and of the Speaker of the House of Delegates, and of the Speaker of the House of Delegates, and of the Speaker of the House of Delegates, and of the Speaker of the House of Delegates, and of the Speaker of the House of Delegates, and of the Speaker of the House of Delegates, and the House of Delegates, and the House of Delegates, and the Hous by Elliott G. Storke, editor of the Family, Farm debates and proceedings of said Convention who shall purpose of selecting five delegates the alternoon, when the prisoners were obout to the alternoon arriving at the to the County Convention, to be leave in truce-boats, the alarm bells were again per vol. A second vol. of the same size and be

2 o'clock, to select three delegates The rumors that prevailed were conflicting and the "Cause" of the Rebellion," and the remain. "I do swear, or affirm, that I will, to the best of my or contract while in a state of perfect freedom, skill and independ distributions. der of that volume contains a full and well ar skill and judgment, diligently and faithfully, without and on condition of a bona fide consideration reranged account of the civil, military, and naval ber of the Convention to frame a new Constitution ceived, or to be received for their services. which meets in Baltimore on Mon- little difficulty in entering the city, liberating the events of the war from the attack on Fort Sum- and form of government; that I will support the Conter to the Battle of Fredericksburg.

tion is well chosen. During the first year of the and that I have never, either directly or indirectly, For several days previous to this alarm the war, several Historians were rushed out in great by word, act or deed, given any aid, comfort or enparatively worthless. Second and even third of the members and officers who shall have taken and volumes have followed, and more still will be elected as a delegate to said Convention shall be au- During the time the

LLGISLATIVE .- In the House of Delegates, on This is a generous and adequate provision by of the day, and was finally passad-year 40. Baltimore city, to make any of the returns, or per- Third Minnesota discoursed patriotic music. The above goods have all been selected with

vention bill was passed with amendments pro and to imprisonment in the jail of the city or county on its final passage was ayes 14, nays 2. The

THE COVENTION BILL .- The bill providing A Bill entitled an Act to provide for the taking the sense of the people upon the call of a Convention to frame a new Constitution and form of Government for this

State, to provide for the election of Delegates to said Convention, and the assembling thereof. Section 1. Be it enacted by the General Assemb'y of Convention to frame a new. Constitution and form of Government, by expressing in writing or in print: form, on the same ballot he may cast for delegates led out by the judges of election or other civil au- Mr. Spaulding introduced a bill for the repeal of

son has served in the Rebel army, or has either di- President and Vice President.

Governor shall receive the return of the number of; ballots cast in this State for or against a Convention, Governor to count and east up the same, and if, upon casting up and counting said returns so as aforesaid made to him, it shall appear to the Governor that The Birthday of a Free Stole-The Abolition more votes have been cast by the legal voters of this State in favor of the call of a Convention than have been cast against the call of a Convention, then it shall be the duty of the Governor to issue his proclamation for the holding and assembling of said Con-

the time and place hereinafter specified. ity of the bailots cast shall be in favor of the call of tional Union, together with an address to the a Convention as aforesaid, then the said Convention people of Arkansas. The address states that the shall meet at the city of Annapolis, on the last Wed- Constitution is to be submitted to the voters on I THREAD.—Just received Nos. 35 and 40 nesday of April, in the year eighteen hundred and day until the business for which said Convention shall that it is simply the old Constitution with some shall have been assembled shall be fully completed and few amendments; that slavery is forever probibifinished, and said Convention shall have full power and ned, as peace made on any other plan would be land and Thomas' Shorels and Forks, just authority to determine on the validity of the election of short duration. Twenty-two counties were received and for sale by J. W. Cherry, journal of qualification of its members, and the compensation of short duration. of the delegates to said Convention shall be five dollars : present at the opening of the Convention, and six per day, and the mileage allowed to membersof the Gen- others had held elections. The Convention rely eral Assembly of this State, and the said Convention shall for authority for the instrument they have prebave power to appoint such clerks and other others pared, not upon its authors, but upon the votes compensation, and the Treasurer of the State of Ma- The tollowing is the article bearing upon the of that month they will center a favor and that Convention, pay to each member thereof their per mutton in which the old instrument is very madiem and mileage as hereinbefore provided, and shall "The Auburn Publishing Co., Auburn, N. also pay to the officers of said Convention, upon the ., have just issued the first volume of the com- order of the President, such compensation as the Con-

judicious and the time selected for its publica- dinance of any State to the contrary notwithstanding;

to its rivals, and more worthy of the public con- vacancies occur by death, resignation, or otherwise, esteem of the Major-General commanding this lections in said county or city, not less than five or

and form of government adopted by the said Conven- rated,

In the Senate, on Tuesday evening the Con- sentenced to a fine not less than five hundred dollars alike to himself and the occasion. where such offence may have been committed, for a

Section 8. And be it enacted, That when the Gover- cumbents, amid a silence and an awe that was nor shall receive the return of the number of ballots following is the bill as it passed both Houses: cast in this State for the adoption or rejection of the Constitution submitted by the Convention to the prople, if upon counting and casting up the returns as made to him by the judges of election as hereinbefore prescribed, it shall appear that a majority of the legal istered, the convention, by request, was addressvotes cast at said election are in favor of the adoption the said Constitution, he shall issue his proclamation to the people of the State, declaring the fact, and he The convention then adjourned until ten o'clock shall take such steps as shall be required by the said on Thursday morning. Constitution to carry the same into full operation, and to supersede the old Constitution of this State. this law, shall be written or printed, on white paper, time, but, owing to some previous engagement, has just passed an act authorizing the payment and any ballot or ballots written or printed on color- he did not reach the chamber until the ceremo- of a liberal bounty in addition to that already of ed paper, shall not be received by said judges of elec- nies were nearly over. He regretted it very fered by the General Government. tion; and this act shall be published, under the order much. of the Governor, in three of the newspapers in the city

of Baltimore, one of them to be a paper printed in German, and one in each county where a newspape is printed, once a week for three weeks before the day Section 10. And be it enacted, That this act shall take effect from the day of its passage.

Congressional. In the United States Senate finally called, and the year and navy being tak- per month, at the end of every month, for fire the House of Delegates, and each county and the ci- on Monday, Mr. Sumner introduced a bill to re- en, resulted in thirty-three nays to one yea .- months thereafter, and the residue, viz: fitty col-

now have respectively in both Houses of the General tive slaves; submitting an amendment of the U Take no more unpleasant and unsafe Medicines timore to give notice of said election, in the same abolishing Slavery, and abolishing the exclusion whenever honganize, and fifty of the sixty are to constitute a manner and for the same length of time as is now required in the election of delegates to the General Assembly of this State, and that the several judges of count of color. The bills were referred to the so now offered to afflicted humanity as a certain. To the owner of every slave ealisted as afore election of this State shall receive, accurately count count of color. The only were fully so now offered to affected numanity as a certain and election of this State shall receive, accurately count of color. The only were current to the so now offered to affected numanity as a certain and election of this State shall receive, accurately count of color. The only so now offered to affected numanity as a certain and election of this State shall receive, accurately count of color. The only so now offered to affected numanity as a certain and election of this State shall receive, accurately count of color. The only so now offered to affected numanity as a certain and election of the only state of the old state of t

to the Governor such unwarranted military interfer- Elections reported against the claims of both Mr. precinct, and the Governor shall immediately there- McKenzie and Mr. Kitchen to represent the upon order a new election of delegates to said Con- Seventh Congressional District of Virginia .-WE are indebted to the Hon. John A. J. vention, after ten days' notice, to be given by the Creamell M. C. for a copy of the "Finance Re. Sheriff as aforesaid, in such election district or precinct and such new election shall be held and conduc- to General W. T. Sherman and the officers and To A. J. Willis, Esq., of the State Senate, for legislative proceedings, and to J. H. McNeal, armed interference with the election shall be certified.

To A. J. Willis, Esq., of the State Senate, for from time to time, as often as such illegal military or armed interference with the election shall be certified.

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the object of making, if possible, a sudden dash into Richmond and releasing our prisoners, has their residences, boarding houses, &c. Also to a majority of all the votes cut in the election districts a majority of all the votes cut in the election districts except the Vice President, Judges of the Courts returned. This force left York-town on Satur- Jno. Nicols, Esq., of the Minesota State Senate, and precincts, where no such illegal military or armday morning, and our cavalry reached Botton's for a nameblet copy of the Message of Governor ed interference shall be certified to have taken place of the United States, of the Executive Departare in favor of the call of such Convention under this ments of the Government, Governors of States, that no organized military or other armed force had and those released by reason of physical disability.

terference within any election district of the counties, thousand memorialists. After some debate the Rd. Thomas, E. F. Jump, J. M. Lowe, R. the judges of election under oath, it shall be the daty of the Governor to order a new election, after ten days' very. The Committee on Military Affairs rereturn and order of a new election shall not interfere ported back the House bill reviving the grade of

GAZETTE C. C. Fulson, one of the edices of the Date and those that feel an interest in the State Fair, be elected according to the provisions of this act, bewill hold their next meeting at "Oak Hill," the bre said Convention shall organize, and provided fur- the bill shall take command of the army, and ther that fifty members at least shall be necessary to striking out the clause recommending General the 8th says:—
Two citizen prisoners brought down by the residence of Mrs. Thos. C. Nicols, on Thursday, constitute a quorum after organization; and the judg. Grant for the position. Mr. Powell introduced WHEAT—Fair to prime, White, es of election shall at said election administer the oath of the Constitutional Red. or affirmation to every person offering to vote, whose a joint resolution to amend the Constitutional rote shall be challenged on the ground that such per- provisions in relation to the mode of electing the Conn-White,

section twenty-one, of article thirty-fire, of the Code Louisiana, was passed. The Enrollmant bill Section 2. And be it enacted, That as soon as the "who were conscientiously opposed to the prosecution of the war," which got twenty-three votes

FROM ARKANSAS.

Article of the New Constitution

The State Convention of Arkansas, after a ses sion of nearly three weeks, held at Little Rock, vention, and of the delegates duly elected thereto, at has completed a new State Constitution, whick Section 3. And be it enacted, That in case a major- is publisded in ful! in the Little Rock Uncondi-

ternally departed from:-

Article V. - Abolition of Slavery. Section 1 .- Neither slavery nor in voluntary servitude shall bereatter exist in this State, otherwise than for the punishment of crime wherever THOSE wishing such situations will find it cess of law; nor shall any person arriving at the These lands present particular inducements for Section 4. And be it enneted. That before any mem | age of twenty one years, nor female at the age | settlers, capitalists and white labor-the colored ber or officer of said Convention shall enter upon the of eighteen years, be held to serve any person as inhabitants having been removed. Apply to fore the Governor of this State, who is hereby au- a servant under indenture or contract made, un-Seven chapters of the first vol. are devoted to thorized to administer the same, the following oath : Icss such person shall enter into such indenture

Nor shall any indenture of any negro or mustitution of the United States, and will be faithful latto herealter made and executed out of this The plan, size and execution of the work are and bear true allegiance to the State, or it made in this State, where the term TO ALL WHOM IT MAY CONCERN. of service exceeds one year, be of the least validity, except those given in cases of apprenticeship. has been made to the Governor for a pardon in which shall not be for a longer remod than until the case of the State vs. Nathan Tue, (slave) troops in and around the city, to the number of haste, in order to secure the first market. couragement to those in rebellion against the Govern-

The Little Rock Union speaks as follows of

During the time they have been in session, it needed. These early histories therefore are ne- thorized or deemed qualified to enter upon the dis- has been our good fortune to mingle fully and cessarily imperfect in plan and execution, un-charge of his duties as such until he shall have taken treely in all their discussions, and to become ac-Those objections are, in this work, avoided .- "Senator or Delegate may be eligible to a seat in said quainted with their designs, and it affords us not Convention, but that no Senator or Representative in less pride than pleasure to attest the patriotism t was intentionally, and, we think, wisely de the Congress of the United States, or Judge of any of their motives. Let us say, too, (and whoever) layed until the great and significant events of the Circuit Court, Superior Court, Court of Common heard of such a thing in any Legislative body behas been drank since they assembled. It is not SPRINGAND SUMMER Section 5. And be it enacted, That if any vacancy or surprising, then, that they have so won upon the The Inauguration. ~

> Wednesday, the 20th of January, 1864, will long be remembered in the annals of Arkansas. It will be commemorated as the birth-day of a

The seene was as sofemn as it was sublime. assortment of FASHIONABLE READY. and it is beautifully printed and substantially for the qualification of voters, and the holding of the filled to overflowing by eager and anxious spec- Pants and Vests of every description; Shirs and elections provided in the previous section of this act, tators. A committee of the Convention waited Collars in variety; Neck Ties and Suspenders; shall be applicable to the election to be held under upon Governor Isage Murphy, Lieutenant-Gov- Hats and Caps of the latest styles; Trucks, Car-Section 7. And be it enacted, That in case of any eroor C. C. Bliss, and Mr. R. J. T. White, Sec- pet Bags, and other articles. A well selected Saturday, the Bounty Bill came up as the order refusal or neglect of any judges of election, or of any retary of State elect, and escorted them to the assortment of Boys' and Servants' Clothing. clerks of the court, or of any Sheriff of any county or Chamber, while the splendid band of the gallant Also, Oil Cloth Fishing Coats, &c., &c. dictment for such offence, and upon conviction there- and with evident and uncontrollable emotion. of shall be deemed guilty of a misdemeanor, and be addressed the vast crowd in a manner creditable ledgements to a generous public for the very lit-

> This over, the president of the convention ad- and respectfully solicits a continuance of public ministered the oath of office to each of the in- favor. the many spectators were moistened with a tear, Proclamation by the Governor. so full were all with the solemnity of the scen. After the oath of office had been duly admined by W. M. Fishback and Rev. Jas. A. Butler

The Major-General commanding the Army of SERVICE OF THE UNITED STATES:

Dr. Jacks (Helena) offered an amendment to enlist before the first of March next, for three the slavery article of the Constitution (Art. V.,) years, in regiments or batteries already existing as tollows :- "Strike out the word 'hereafter," or to be here-after organized, the State will pay and insert fafter the first day of January, 1865. a bounty of three hundred tollars, of which, one After an animated discussion, which was pro- hundred and fifty dollars will be paid when the tracted throughout the day, the question was volunteer is mustered into service; twenty dollars lars, at the end of his term of service, or when-Glorious for Arkansas.

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