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MARYLAND CONSTITUTIONAL CONVENTION.

Annapolis, September 1st, 1864.

Afternoon, and Night Session.—The Convention received the report of the committee on the constitution for submitting the constitution to the voters of the State—the second and last session being before the House.

Mr. Billingsley addressed the Convention in opposition to the report of the committee. He was followed by Mr. Daniel on the other side, after which the previous question was decided and adopted, the amendment of Mr. Kent was rejected.

The report of the committee was then adopted, providing for taking the vote of the people on the tenth of October, on the propriety of adopting or rejecting the proposed Constitution.

Mr. Edmon addressed the Convention in opposition to the report and Mr. Cushing, of Baltimore, in its favor.

The report was then ordered to be engrossed for a third reading.

The Chicago Convention.

Thought of Monday Night—The Lesser Lights—Bynders, Gov. Francis Train, &c.

[Correspondence of the New York Times.]

Gatago, August 30, 1864—8 A. M.—The scenes in this city last night beyond description. The multitude, in full force from the convention assembled in several different places, and public speaking was going forward with great vehemence at least six stands at the grand hall, Belvoir, in full house.

Everybody was on the rampart, and every village politician was willing to have a drive at the Administration; and some twenty-five or thirty, more or less, were gratified; and the bitterness, hate and malignity displayed toward the Administration, all toward Mr. Lincoln personally, knew no bounds. It could have been surpassed in the Richmond Congress, and in the Carolina Legislature.

No man in this audience of spectators has been better abased than Mr. Lincoln. All the elements of detraction and slander were let loose upon him last night.

At the principal club room the redoubtable Capt. Ryders gave one of his characteristic exhibitions. It was a rich treat for the crowd assembled. Somehow or other our Dum confreres of love to give homage to such characters as this. The worst man in or about the convention are apathetic the loudest.

I was attracted by a loud ringing voice issuing from amidst the crowd in the Court house square. It proved to belong to a Rev. Mr. Johnson, of Missouri. I listened long enough to find out that it should be necessary, for the sake of our difficulties, to sit in a few states for a time, and by themselves, we can be just as safe as a Union of Republicans as under a Union of States. "I want to see this whole continent bound together by a Union of Republicans." This is doubtless as the prevailing sentiment of the people here, but most of them have neither honesty nor courage to assert it.

A brother, a person of note, of New Jersey, followed. He threatened that the same scene which had convulsed Missouri would be witnessed in Illinois in less than six months, if peace was not secured. His audience amended this, by averring that they would prevail all over the country. They evidently will, if these demagogues can accomplish their purpose.

The next speaker I happened upon was G. H. Ross, who I believe, makes no secret of his full approval of the doctrine of secession, and he made a speech in exact accordance with his principles. He waxed wroth, and exclaimed,

"We have been living under a despotism of 18 months, and the rebels have been a thousand times worse than that of Austria. If we are to remain, the remarks back in those parts of the Confederacy will have to be repeated."

There was a torchlight procession, representing the friends of Mr. Seymour. They paraded the streets with banners and music. Upon the banners were various inscriptions, denoted in spirit of the new arrest of Pendleton, and dedicated to justice and humanity the unthinking multitude while things passed off with general good humor, notwithstanding the vast amount of blood which had been absorbed. There were several personal encounters between these men and McClellanites, but nothing serious.

THE ADVANCE—CAVALRY FIGHT. CHARLESTON, VA., August 29.—The new movement of the Army commenced yesterday morning, and it appears that the enemy's main force left on Friday night. The fact was immediately known, and took advantage of it. The movement to this place had been made without material opposition. During the march yesterday morning, information was obtained as to the importance of the cavalry fight on Thursday last. It is now known that that fight prevented Early from crossing the Potomac. In that fight General Gordon was slightly wounded, and Cartwright was cut off, and took to fall back through Shepherdstown, killing and wounding at the crossing no less than four hundred and eight other officers. The rebel prisoners taken were several personal encounters between these men and McClellanites, but nothing serious.

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LOCAL NEWS.

Generalities in the Parallel Legion.—The following are the names of the killed, wounded and missing from this regiment since the 1st of August:

Company A, Lieutenant Thomas A. McLean, commanding. Killed—Private John Stearns, Private John S. Stevens, Private George A. Ambridge, James Dryden, James G. Graham, Frederick Midhouse, William S. Pelegry, Wm. H. Kirby and First Sergeant J. T. Barker, August 18; John Jones, August 19; First Sergeant John F. Adams, August 20; Second Sergeant John F. Adams, August 21; Third Sergeant John F. Adams, August 22; Fourth Sergeant John F. Adams, August 23; Fifth Sergeant John F. Adams, August 24; Sixth Sergeant John F. Adams, August 25; Seventh Sergeant John F. Adams, August 26; Eighth Sergeant John F. Adams, August 27; Ninth Sergeant John F. Adams, August 28; Tenth Sergeant John F. Adams, August 29; Eleventh Sergeant John F. Adams, August 30; Twelfth Sergeant John F. Adams, August 31; Thirteenth Sergeant John F. Adams, August 32; Fourteenth Sergeant John F. Adams, August 33; Fifteenth Sergeant John F. Adams, August 34; Sixteenth Sergeant John F. Adams, August 35; Seventeenth Sergeant John F. 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