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THURSDAY, JUNE 7TH, 1888.

ST. LOUIS CONVENTION

St. Louis, June 6.—The Convention gathered slowly this morning owing probably to a protracted meeting of the platform committee last night and further conference at 9 o'clock this morning.

BULLETINS

10.44 a.m.—The committee on permanent organization has reported the names of the officers. Gen. Collins' name was greeted with applause and cheers.

South Carolina Still Shaking

COLUMBIA, June 2.—Seismic disturbances of a pronounced character have been experienced every night for the past ten days in certain sections of this city.

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ered on the east wall. The wildest enthusiasm prevails.

12:14 p. m.—Hats are being thrown into the air, and the excitement increases.

12:15 p. m.—The cheering continues. Bandanas are waving all over the hall and delegates are standing on their seats.

12:17 p. m.—Chairman rapping for order; cheering continues; horns blowing in the gallery.

12:18 p. m.—Delegates have picked up State banners and are waving them in the air.

12:20 p. m.—Delegates grouping all State banners and waving them high in air cheering with renewed vigor.

12:22 p. m.—A woman's red hat dropped from the gallery. The delegates are tossing it about and still cheering and waving their hats and umbrellas.

12:24 p. m.—Delegates are returning to their seats with state banners, but the cheering continues.

12:26 p. m.—Dougherty has returned to his seat. A flag has been fastened to the New York banner. Cheering continues.

12:27 p. m.—The crowd in the galleries is tearing the eagles from the gallery decorations and waving them. Cheering renewed, and the band strikes up "Star Spangled Banner."

12:28—Cheering has continued twenty-one minutes.

12:31—Some one placed a bandana on Cleveland's bust. It aroused great enthusiasm, but was immediately removed by those on the platform.

12:32—Delegates have taken their seats but the audience is still cheering.

12:34 p. m.—Cheering ceases after twenty-four minutes. The Kentucky delegation asks and is granted unanimous consent to second the nominations. James A. McKenzie recognized.

12:32 p. m.—Renewed, but not prolonged cheering, at the mention of Cleveland's name by McKenzie, and wild enthusiasm at the mention of Mrs. Cleveland.

12:36 p. m.—Mr. McKenzie says Mrs. Cleveland is the only better democrat than Mr. Cleveland in the country. [Laughter and applause.]

12:38 p. m.—Mr. McKenzie addresses the convention as "gentlemen of the jury." [Laughter.]

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MINOR OCCURRENCES

NEWS OF THE WEEK BRIEFLY TOLD BY OUR PERPETUAL PENCIL PUSHER. Water! water! water! Miss Nannie B. Keller is at home on a visit. Mr. R. L. Thaxton, of Bedford is in the city. Mrs. J. L. Thornton was visiting in the Valley last week. Mr. J. D. Abell returned from his trip East, Saturday last. Miss Emma Killinger is visiting her sister, Mrs. Geo. Wright. The Misses Gunthers of Bristol are visiting friends in the city. A. M. Dickenson went to Grayson county on legal business this week. Miss Lilly McEwen of Jefferson, N. C. is the guest of Mrs. Robert Dickey. Plattering prospects of getting water from the City Water Works this week. Mrs. Mattie McIntye, sister of Mrs. Wm. Seaver, was visiting in the city last week. The town has been filled with stangers all the week attending commencement. Miss Lizzie Malcott, of Washington county is attending Commencement of M. F. C. "Bumy" Folden went all the way to Pulaski by himself this week. He has returned. Our country friends have been attending the commencement exercises faithfully this week. A normal school for colored teachers will be held at Staunton commencing the 27th instant. The local optionists of Richmond are endeavoring to secure another election on the liquor question. To see a man come up Main street during muddy weather, one would think he wanted the earth. Of all the station along the N. & W. railroad, Bluefield is said to be the highest above tide-water. Mr. Pannell of Mt. Carmel has moved to town and is residing at the residence of Mrs. T. W. Maury. The family of the late "Buck" Horton have received \$5,000 from the Legion of Honor on a benefit certificate. A very large congregation was in attendance at the asylum last Sunday to hear the Rev. Yonce of Salem preach. Ten thousand crates of Maryland strawberries arrived in Baltimore on Wednesday last. The season is at its height now. Misses Jennie Poston and Bertie Musselwhite, after several weeks stay in the city have returned to their home in Saltville. In another column of this issue is offered for sale a good threshing machine. A good bargain will be offered to the purchaser. If a democrat and a half tell a lie and a half in a minute and a half how many lies will a democrat tell between this and the election? The new Methodist church is being rapidly pushed forward. The building will be one of the handsomest in this section when completed. The printer anxious to see and hear the sweet girl graduate read her peace we are not able to give the usual amount of ready this week. The case of Edwin Barbour for the killing of Elias Williams in March last at Culpepper will be tried at a special term of court in July. Mr. John R. Pafford went to Abingdon last Friday morning and returned Saturday. John, what can be so attractive about Abingdon? Many of the farms along the Dismal Swamp Canal are four feet under water, damaging, is not destroying the crops of Irish potatoes and corn. Messrs. Heugear & Wolf are again in the butchering business. This little announcement is sufficient, for these gentlemen are well known to all our people. During a terrific thunder storm at Norfolk last Thursday several buildings were struck by lightning and a number of valuable bridges carried away by the floods. The Georgia peach crop is now being marketed. The fruit is larger and more luscious than last season. The peach crop in this county will not be a large one this season. Rumors were afloat that one of Marion's respected young men was married last week. The report must have been false as we received none of the wedding cake. The Norfolk and Western Railroad Company's water works, which the Glamorgan Company have under contract at the town of Crewe will cost in the neighborhood of \$75,000.

Johnny Russell, Esq., Jessie Jones and Jimmy Mercer left last Sunday morning for Bluefield. They will labor on the water works at that point. Gov. Lee will attend the military encampment at Greenville, S. C. next month and make an address before the reunion meeting of Confederate survivors to be held there at that time. We take this method of returning our heartfelt thanks to the citizens of Marion for their kindness shown during the sickness and death of our father and husband. Very Respectfully, Mrs. JOHN IRON and FAMILY. Mr. Peter J. Huddleston and family, of Bedford county, are visiting at Mr. C. F. Thomas. Mr. Huddleston is a true Virginia gentleman and expresses himself delighted with the Southwest. The Board of Visitors of the Medical College of Virginia, will meet in Richmond June 20th, to elect a professor of anatomy to fill the vacancy occasioned by the resignation of Dr. George Ben Johnson. All attempts to survey the disputed lands in Wise county have been strenuously resisted, and the end of the trouble is by no means at hand, as the decision of the United States Supreme Court, when rendered, will still further complicate matters. Chas. W. Grant, of Abingdon, and son of the late H. M. Grant, & J. H. Morgan, of Abingdon, Dentists, offer their professional services to the people of Marion and vicinity. One of the firm will visit Marion at county court. Crown and Bridge work a specialty. Marion was visited this week by a genuine Texas cow-boy with a herd of western ponies. He placed the ponies in a large pasture field and when a customer wished to examine a steed he would lasso it in less time than it takes to tell. Mr. C. F. Thomas our enterprising leveryman purchased a pair of sorrels. An exchange says: "During the past two days two hundred foreign immigrants have passed on the Norfolk and Western railroad to their new home in Southwest Virginia. They are Italian men, women and children, of a hardy appearance, the women wearing the picturesque dress of the mountain peasantry of Southern Europe and the men showing in their free swinging steps that they have been in the hands of the drill sergeant. They have settled at and near Saltville, Va., and are to be engaged in mining. A word to our correspondents. Write only on one side of the paper and sign your own name at the bottom of each and ever letter. Your name is simply for our use. Do not mix up neighborhood quarrels in the letters you send us. All we want is the news and when you throw off on you neighbor in print you take the advantage of him. Your county paper is no place to vent your ill will. We cannot and will not be mixed up in neighborhood quarrels over church, school or social matters. We will always publish your letters with pleasure when newsy. Skint and the festive William goat have been holding high carnival in the garden patch. Skint got in his work at rosy dawn and dewy eve but William never put in his appearance till darkness had cast her sable mantle over the town and Skint had long since been wrapped in peage slumbers. Then William got in his work. The garden that the evening before blossomed like the rose, in the morning was like a desert waste. And this will lead to blood shed for Skint has put on his war-paint and sits nightly at his chamber window gazing out into the night. In his hand he holds a glistening revolver and by his side his trust rifle. He awaits the coming of his foe. The night winds blow cool over his features set with firm resolve, the quiet is broken by a low, plaintive sound—to be continued in our next. With my NEW and FRESH SPRING GOODS JUST RECEIVED, I have a VERY LARGE STOCK of GOODS on hands. In order to REDUCE THIS LARGE STOCK I shall, FOR THE NEXT 90 DAYS, give the BIGGEST DRIVES in PRICES EVER OFFERED in Marion for CASH IN HAND. TO CLOSE OUT MY CLOTHING, HARDWARE, QUEENSWARE, &c., I OFFER THEM AT ABSOLUTE COST FOR CASH. NOTHING BUT CASH AND GOOD PRODUCE WILL BUY THESE GOODS AT THESE REDUCED PRICES. CASH BUYERS are respectfully INVITED to AVAIL THEMSELVES of these GREAT BARGAINS. April 5th '88. J. B. RHEA. The general assembly of the Northern Presbyterian Church had an exciting debate over a Decoration Day resolution.

Children's Day. The celebration of Children's Day at the Baptist Church on last Sunday was very entertaining. The exercises consisted of singing, recitations and addresses by visitors. The singing was splendid and the children acquitted themselves with credit. The collection taken up for the benefit of home missions amounted to over \$14.00. Obituary. Sarah E. Hunter, beloved wife of Charles Hunter, was born Feb. 14th 1837, and departed this life May 9th 1888, after an illness of one week. Her numerous friends hoped as they watched by her bed side that the crisis had passed and that she would be restored to them well once more, but alas, about three o'clock in the afternoon of the 8th. Her symptoms grew alarming, and when the physician made the usual visit his fears were so much aroused that he used all the remedies that a skilled physician, also called in other doctors. The funeral services were conducted at the Mt. Pleasant M. E. Church on the 10th of May. Rev. J. W. Banks and leading members of the church officiating. Her remains were interred in Roundhill cemetery to await the final resurrection. Her body sleeps in the cold and silent grave where the disquietudes disturb not her slumbers and the cedar grows now grows above her head, the ivy twines itself through the sod that covers her sacred mound, but her immortal soul has passed beyond the reach of change, her spirit will flourish and bloom in immortal youth in the Paradise of God. There will be no separation, nor tears, no snow clad mountains or swollen rivers to cross, while eternal spring shall bloom and winter is eternally classed away by the smiles of the God of love. M. C. Sir Knights, Attention. A stated convocation of W. H. H. Lynn Conclavers will be held at their assembly room on Saturday night next, 9th inst. All Sir Knights are requested to attend. By order of Eminent Commander. J. M. LUTHER, Recorder. Council Meeting. At a regular meeting of the town council of Marion, held June 2d, the following business was transacted: The committee to draft a code of ordinances for the management of the Water works submitted their report of ordinances prepared by them, which was on motion adopted and will hereafter be published for future guidance. Councilmen Miller, Lincoln and Rice were appointed a committee for the purpose of explaining the water ordinances so far as adopted and see that the same are carried out until the appointment of a regular water committee and Superintendent of the water works are appointed. J. H. FRANCIS, Recorder. Read and Heed. I have on my books a great many accounts which have been running a long time. To those of my patrons who owe me, I take this method of announcing that I too, owe debts and must meet them within the next 30 days. I cannot meet them without collecting from those who owe me. So I shall expect all who are indebted to me to come forward and settle within one month from this date. At the expiration of that time I shall be compelled to place all unpaid notes and accounts in the hands of those who will proceed to collect by law at once. I mean business and no one must think it strange or hard if he finds his account in the hands of an officer. I cannot keep up my stock and pay my debts without money. jan26-tf. S. C. PAINTER. Notice. TO SAVE MONEY IS TO MAKE IT—EVERY ONE TAKE HEED. In order to reduce my stock preparatory to take an inventory and buy a new stock, I will for the next sixty days sell all my goods at greatly reduced prices, and for cash will sell my queensware, glassware, tinware, hats, clothing and many other articles at cost. Nothing sold at cost except for cash. Let every one be sure and examine my stock and prices before buying elsewhere, because I mean exactly what I say. R. M. GOODELL. Fresh Bread. Mr. J. L. Thornton has engaged a first class baker, and he authorizes us to say to the public, that he will keep constantly on hands fresh bread, cakes etc. When you dont feel like baking call on Shorty and get your bread. The general assembly of the Southern Presbyterian Church resolved to take no steps toward organic union. Mrs. Mary Hayden died recently at Abingdon, Va., aged sixty-six years. She was a sister of Gen. J. E. B. Stuart.

Apalling Loss of Life. ROCKDALE, TEXAS, June 5.—This morning at a few minutes before four o'clock the Mundine Hotel, a three-story brick building, was found to be on fire, and according to those who were on the ground it was all on fire at once. Inside were thirteen souls, only two of whom escaped alive. Dr. W. A. Brooks, the proprietor, was pulled out of the burning building with hair and beard singed off and otherwise badly burned, leaving behind him his wife and four children, who perished. Pemberton H. Price representing the firm of George H. Zeigler, of Philadelphia, jumped from the burning building and was killed. D. M. Oldham, of Dallas, representing the firm of F. Cannon & Co., of Galveston, escaped barely tined. The mystery the thing is that so many should have perished when none were higher up than the second story, and there were galleries and exits on both sides of the building occupied by the sleepers. No one was heard to call or scream, all dying without a cry for help, though a great crowd quickly gathered, and exhausted every effort to afford a rescue. The remains of several have been recovered from the ruins, but they are unrecognizable. A great pall rest over Rockdale, and every business place is closed. Mr. Price is the only victim not a resident of Rockdale. A Great Battle. Is continually going on in the human system. The demon of impure blood strives to gain victory over the constitution, to ruin health, to drag victims to the grave. A good reliable medicine like Hood's Sarsaparilla is the weapon with which to defend one's self, drive the desperate enemy from the field, and restore peace and bodily health for many years. Try the peculiar medicine. BUCKLEN'S ARNICA SALVE. THE BEST SALVE in the world for Cuts, Bruises, Sores, Ulcers, Salt Rheum, Fever Sores, Tetter, Chapped Hands, Chilblains, Corns, and all Skin Eruptions, and positively cures Piles or no pay required. It is guaranteed to give perfect satisfaction, or money refunded. Price 25 cents per box. For sale by J. S. Pendleton Druggist. A Schooner Sinks. NORFOLK, June 4.—The schooner Rattler, Captain Simpson, from Bonning's Mill, N. C., to Baltimore, with a cargo of lumber, sunk in Pamlico sound last Thursday. The crew were taken off by the tug Chowan and carried to Bonning's mill. The deck-load has entirely washed off and the rigging and sails are gone. Wreckers will go to the assistance of the schooner to-morrow. Undertaking. T. J. Wilmore has just received a large lot of fine coffins and burial cases, and he is now fully prepared to attend all calls made upon him day and night. His prices will be reasonable. He will also fill orders for metallic cases on short notice as he will soon close a contract with a large city establishment to fill telegraphic orders. The public will find him at his ware rooms on Main St. Miss Nannie, Scott, wishes to inform her friends, that she has rooms at Mrs. C. W. Gillispie's opposite Opera House, and is prepared to do mantua-making, in the very latest and improved style, with efficient help which she has trained she is DETERMINED she will not be UNDERSEWED, but will dress-make as REASONABLY as ANY ONE. Thanking her friends, for past patronage, she desires a continuance of the same. An aprising of the Indians at Pine Ridge Agency, Dakota, is threatened. A widespread storm caused a great amount of damage to property and crops in Ohio valley May 29. The lately elected Methodist bishops were consecrated at the Opera House, New York, May 29th. Mr. Alan Arthur, son of the late president of the United States, has been "presented" at a levee of the Prince of Wales. Norfolk & Western Railroad. TIME TABLE IN EFFECT MAY 14, '88. Trains Leave Marion—Eastward. No. 2. No. 4. No. 6. 10:38 P. M. 9:08 A. M. 12:37 A. M. WESTWARD: No. 1. No. 3. No. 5. 7:00 A. M. 9:15 P. M. 2:18 P. M. No. 1, 2, 3 and 4 run daily between Bristol and Norfolk. No. 5 and 6 run daily between Bristol and Lynchburg. NEW RIVER DIVISION.—Leave Radford 6:35 a. m. daily and 12:01 p. m. Daily Pocahontas. CRIPPLE CREEK BRANCH.—Leave Pulaski 6:30 a. m. and 2:40 p. m. Daily except Sunday. Sleeping Cars on all Trains. For further information apply to Ticket Agent, at Depot or to W. B. BYRILL, Gen. Pass'r & Ticket Agt. Roanoke, Va.

COLLEGE WEEK. EXERCISES OF MARION FEMALE COLLEGE. PROGRAMME FOR MARION HIGH SCHOOL. —EMORY AND HENRY COMMENCEMENT—LARGE ATTENDANCE. The closing exercises of Marion Female College were held in the college chapel from Sunday to Wednesday. Large crowds were in attendance at all the exercises and the parents and friends of the institution were more than pleased with the marked progress made by the pupils. The Baccalaureate sermon was preached on Sunday morning by the Rev. Dr. Yonce, of Roanoke college and was a masterly effort and we heard words of praise on every side. On Tuesday at 13:30 a. m. the Rev. Dr. Brown, of Tenn., delivered the annual sermon before the Graduating class. His was a very fine address, interspersed with logic, wit and poetry, he held his audience for over an hour. On Monday night the exercises consisted of recitations, music both vocal and instrumental by the under graduates. The young participants won the admiration of all by their most excellent rendition of their different parts, and reflected great credit on their teacher, Mrs. Sally Helms. The celebration of the Palladian Literary Society at 7:30 p. m. Tuesday, was made up of music, essays and charades. Several amusing scenes were presented by the young ladies and the music and essays were much enjoyed. Wednesday, June 6th, at 10:30 a. m. the exercises by the graduating class concluded the scholastic year and the young ladies are to be highly complimented on the excellence of their essays. Every subject was well handled and delivered in nice style. Diplomas were awarded by the president of the college, Rev. J. J. Scherer. This was the 15th celebration of Marion Female College and it presented a free showing. The next session will open on the first Monday in September and we trust the attendance will be much larger than it was this year. Marion High School. The following programme will be given at the College chapel to-night: 1. Prayer—2. Music. 3. Contest in Declamation. 1. Alf. H. Blount, The West. 2. Hugh T. Sheffey, Boys that are wanted. 3. W. C. Pendleton, Jr., There is a God. 4. J. Preston Sheffey, Jr., Let well enough alone. 5. Robert Goolsby, Jr., Boy's Rights. 6. A. T. Crockett, Licking the teacher. 7. A. M. Dickenson, Jr., Brutus & Caesar. 8. J. S. Pendleton, The dying soldier. 9. Willie Wright, How beautiful the world. 10. W. D. Gillespie, The troublesome wife. 11. T. J. Hull, The race—the crown. 12. T. F. Staley, I'll take what father takes. 13. W. M. Hull, A Daniel come to judgement. 14. Arthur Hull, I'm the superfluous man. 15. Walter Thomas, Little by little. 6. Music. 7. Contest in Declamation. 1. D. D. Cole, America's progress. 2. H. B. Hull, Truth is mighty. 3. T. W. Harris, A joy forever. 4. W. H. Copenhaver, The Union—an extract. 5. C. A. Copenhaver, The natural world inferior to the moral. 6. A. T. Hull, History. 7. G. H. Harmon, Silent voices. 8. G. C. Umbarger, Life. 9. A. B. Greiner, The boy of today. 10. H. B. Staley, Influence of oratory. 11. A. M. Newman, Education. 12. J. T. Gollehon, Chinese Gordon—Martyr of Khartoum. 9. Music. 10. Benediction. Emory and Henry College. GLADE SPRINGS, VA., June 5.—Yesterday evening the contest for the declaimer medal in Hennesian Hall of Emory and Henry took place. The committee was composed of Revs. W. W. Pyatt, B. W. S. Bishop, and Sam Small. Three young men entered the contest, and after a long and close race the medal was decided in favor of Mr. Walter L. Stanley, of Wytheville, Va. Tuesday morning June 5th, the contest for the Robertson prize-medal took place. This medal is the result of a fund deposited for the purpose

by the late ex-Governor Wyndham Robertson. The contest was exceedingly close. Any one of half a dozen may have the medal, but until to-morrow no one will know who that fortunate one is. President Jordan has resigned the presidency to accept the chair of Latin in the Tennessee University. Three new men are expected to be elected—a president and two professors, one for Latin and one for mineralogy geology, and chemistry. This evening the contest for the Willoughby Read elocution medal took place. Eight young men contested. After a very warm contest the medal was decided in favor of and awarded to Mr. Thomas Howard Kinser, of Christiansburg. A Good Woman Gone. Mrs. Josephine, wife of J. Palmer Stephenson, who has been sick for several months with consumption died at her home in this place last Tuesday morning, aged 33 years, leaving a kind affectionate husband, two small children and many relatives and friends. She was an exemplary member of the Baptist church and was a true christian lady. Funeral services were held on Wednesday at the Baptist church, conducted by Rev. S. A. Glenn (the pastor) after which her remains were taken to Round Hill Cemetery for interment. The husband, parents and relatives have the sympathies of all their friends in Marion. Elocutionist. Prof. Barber gave one of the finest entertainments last night we have ever witnessed. The Prof. is master of the art of Elocution and his audience were more than pleased with the evenings exercises. English Beige at 12 1/2c. per yd. at Thomas & Waldrop's. Dr. Pendleton made a professional call in Tazewell county last week. Miss Mary Schlegel, of Gettersville, Amelia county, is visiting her aunt Mrs. W. P. Francis. Harry N. Thompson the popular commercial tourist of Knoxville, is at home on a rest. Misses Susie Fell, Josie Sheffey and Belle Painter returned Rogersville, last night. These young ladies have been going to college at that place. A fine line of selected Square pianos, both high and medium priced will be sold at cost for cash or interest added for time. We are largely overstocked with Squares and if you want a piano it will be to your interest to write us at once. We mean business. J. D. Hobbie & Co., Lynchburg, Va. ROYAL BAKING POWDER Absolutely Pure. This powder never varies. A marvel of purity, strength and wholesomeness. More economical than the ordinary kinds, and cannot be sold in competition with the multitude of low test, short weight alums or phosphates powdered. Sold only in cans. ROYAL BAKING POWDER CO., 106 Wall St., N. Y. EXHAUSTED VITALITY THE SCIENCE OF LIFE, the Great Medical Work of the age on Manhood, Nervous and Physical Debility, Premature Decline, Errors of Youth, and the most mysterious consequences thereon, 350 pages 50c, 125 prescriptions for all diseases. Cloth, full gilt, only \$1.50, by mail, sealed. Illustrative sample free to all young and middle aged men. Send now. The Gold and Jeweled Medal awarded to the author by the National Medical Association, Address P. O. box 1265, Boston, Mass., or Dr. W. H. PARKER, graduate of Harvard Medical College, 25 years' practice in Boston, who may be consulted confidentially. Specialty, Diseases of Men, Women, & Children. MARVELOUS MEMORY DISCOVERY. Wholly unlike artificial systems. Any book learned in one reading. Classes of 1067 at Baltimore, 1005 at Detroit 1500 at Philadelphia, larger classes of Columbia Law students, at Yale Wesleyley, Oberlin, University of Pen., Michigan University, Chautauqua, &c., &c. Endorsed by Richard Proctor, the Scientist, Hons. W. W. Astor, Judah P. Benjamin, Judge Gibson, Dr. Brown, E. H. Cook, Principal New York State Normal College, &c. The system is perfectly taught by correspondence. Preceptus Post FREE FROM PROF. LORETTI, 387 Fifth Avenue, New York. WANTED—LIVE AGENTS.—write G. A. Sanborn Secretary Buffalo Mutual, Life, Accident and Sick Association Buffalo, N. Y.

Important Land Sale. A Valuable Farm For Sale. By virtue of a deed of trust executed by M. F. Umbarger and wife to D. A. Whisman trustee dated the 5th day of March 1888 and of record in Smyth County clerk's office, and by virtue of a decree of the Circuit court of Smyth county, had and entered at the April term 1887 in the Chancery cause of A. S. Blair, Admr. vs. M. F. Umbarger et als. We the undersigned acting in conjunction for the parties represented by and respectively will proceed to sell to the highest bidder, in public auction before the front door of Smyth courthouse on Monday the 18th day of June 1888 (that being court day) a sufficient quantity of the lands mentioned in the deed of trust above recited, and the decree aforesaid to satisfy the debts secured thereon. Said land will be sold upon a credit of three, six and twelve months, with interest, for a sufficient amount to pay off the amount of the decree in favor of A. S. Blair, Adm. and on six, twelve and eighteen months, with like interest for enough to pay off the debt secured by the deed of trust. In addition to these sums the purchaser will be required to pay in cash on the day of sale a sufficient amount to defray the cost of suits and expense attending sale. The purchaser must execute bond for the deferred payment, with approved security and a lien will be retained until the purchase money is fully paid. D. A. WHISMAN, Trustee. A. M. DICKERSON, Comr. COMMISSIONER'S SALE OF LAND. By virtue of a decree of the Circuit court of Smyth county rendered on the 28th of March, 1888, in the Chancery cause of G. B. Blankenbecker, admr. vs. S. M. Blankenbecker, admr. et als., I shall as commissioner, on Monday, 21st day of MAY, (court-day) proceed to sell at public outcry in front of the court house of Smyth county the land in the bill mentioned of which Joseph W. Blankenbecker, died seized, lying in Rye Valley, Smyth county, Va., adjoining the lands of W. J. Chisenhall, W. F. James, and others. There are about 150 acres in the tract of land. Terms of Sale.—Cash sufficient to pay the costs of this suit and the costs of sale including commissions; and for the residue a credit of one, two and three years will be given, the purchaser giving his bonds with good security, for deferred payments. W. C. PENDLETON, Commissioner. I hereby certify that W. F. Pendleton has given bond in the penalty of \$1,500 in the cause of G. B. Blankenbecker, admr. vs. S. M. Blankenbecker et als. LAND FOR SALE. NOTICE is hereby given that I will on Monday the 18th day of January 1888, in front of the Courthouse of Smyth county proceed to sell a tract of land sold by Joseph W. Blankenbecker, to J. M. Wheeler and G. W. Blankenbecker being the same tract of land on which said Wheeler resides lying in Smyth county, on South Fork of Holston River, containing 98 acres be the same more or less. Cash sufficient to pay costs of suit at law and the Chancery suit and costs of sale including commissions will be required and for the residue bonds of the purchaser with good security, payable in 6, 12 and 18 months with interest from date. A. G. PENDLETON, Com. Virginia Smyth county clerk. I hereby certify that bond has been given according to the provisions of a decree in the above named cause. Teste: J. H. Gollehon, D. C. The above sale is postponed until the 18th day of June 1888. A. G. PENDLETON, Com. THE NEW YORK MAIL AND EXPRESS. The advocate of the best interests of the Home—The enemy of the saloon—The friend of American Labor—The favorite newspaper of people of refined tastes everywhere. For many years the daily addition of the New York Mail and Express has been recognized as the leading afternoon paper of the metropolis. Its weekly edition has been the favorite home paper in thousands of families in every state in the Union. It has attained its great popularity and influence by its enterprise in the collection of news, the purity of its tone, and the ability and courage of its advocacy of the right, on all questions of public interest. For 1888 the Mail and Express will be a better paper than ever, and, as a clean, instructive Home Newspaper, it solicits comparison with any other in the country. It is one of the largest papers published anywhere, and spares neither labor nor expense to secure for its readers the very best in all departments of newspaper literature. Our Politics. We believe the Republican party to be the true instrument of political progress of the American people; and holding that the honest enforcement of its principles is the best guarantee of the national welfare, we shall support them with all our might; but we shall always treat opposing parties with consideration and fair play. Against the Saloons. The Mail and Express is the recognized leading journal of the country in the great Anti-saloon Republican movement. It believes that the liquor traffic as it exists to-day in the United States is the enemy of society, a fruitful source of corruption in politics, the sly anarchy, a school of crime, and, with its avowed purpose of seeking to corruptly control elections and legislation, is a menace to the public welfare and deserves the condemnation of all good men. In brief, all who wish to have in their homes a first-class newspaper of national scope, a kindly, clean paper, and courage, yet keenly attuned to all questions of general public interest, will not be disappointed in the Mail and Express, and we respectfully solicit their influence and support. Subscription Rates.—Weekly, per year, \$1.00; six months, 60 cents; three months, 30 cents. Daily, per year, \$6.00; one month, 50 cents. Every subscriber to the Weekly who sends ten cents to pay for packing and postage receives as a present from the Mail and Express any two of our elegant Premium Portraits of Lincoln, Grant, Garfield, Logan and Beecher, exact copies of the finest crayon likenesses, 12x27 inches in size, sent to his address free and postpaid. For \$1.50 we send the Mail and Express one year and a copy of Muncay's great painting of Christ before Pilate, richly and artistically reproduced in 20 colors. The original of this great painting was recently sold for over \$100,000. A large list of other popular and valuable premiums are offered to subscribers and agents of the most liberal terms. They cannot be described here send for circular. Agents Wanted. We want a good agent in every town and village where we have no one now at work. Send for our special circular to agents and see our liberal offers.

**Republican League Address**  
**HEADQUARTERS**  
**STATE REPUBLICAN LEAGUE OF VA.**  
**RICHMOND, VA., April 9, 1888.**  
**VIRGINIA REPUBLICANS:**

The Republican League of Virginia organized in this city, January 17, 1888, under a call authorized by the Republican League of the United States (which was instituted by a National Convention of Republican clubs, held in the city of New York, on the 15th, 16th and 17th of December, 1887), respectfully and earnestly urges you, wherever you have not already done so, to form yourselves into clubs for the purpose of promoting the success of the principles, measures and nominees of the party, by organized effort to increase the number of our voters and to deliver their ballots in full at the polls on election day.

The closer association of Republicans in clubs will tend to increase mutual esteem, sympathy and confidence; to develop greater zeal; to insure a firm unity; and to attract recruits to our solid army. The harmonious understanding and combined action thus secured cannot fail to bring about the best possible results. In a circular issued by the National League exhorting to this club organization, it is emphatically declared that "The League plan is to enlist Republicans under one National banner of Republicanism, and not to antagonize anything but the common enemy."

The 13th article of the constitution of the National League proclaims that it "shall not in any manner endeavor to influence the action of any national, State, county, or municipal convention; nor shall it indicate as a league any preference for any candidate before any political convention; nor shall it as a league recommend any person as an applicant for any official position."

The National League has also adopted a form of constitution for clubs, which binds every one of them that it "shall not be used in any way to further the interest of any candidate for office previous to nomination, but shall reserve its force to be exerted in behalf of all candidates nominated by Republican conventions."

It is very desirable that there shall be a Republican club in full affiliation with the State and National Leagues in every county, city, and district of this State; and every Republican club now formed in Virginia or yet to be organized, is requested to connect itself promptly with this State League by reporting its organization, with a list of its officers and their addresses, to J. L. McGlone, secretary, Richmond, Va. The clubs will thus become a member of the League, and will receive such documents for information and distribution as the League shall have at its command.

This is a very important year in Federal politics. A President and a Vice-President of the United States are to be chosen. A new house of Representatives is to be elected. The protection of our home labor, enterprise, resources and production is at stake. Free-Trade manning ruin to all our domestic interests was never more treacherously rampant and dangerous—back as it is by the Democratic administration and the dominant faction of the Democratic party. Upon the result of the next election not only depends the "American policy" of protection, but whether or not we are to come under the oppression of the internal revenue, and whether or not our free schools are to be aided by proper and sadly-needed appropriations by Congress as proposed in the Blair School Bill. The records of the parties on these and other grave issues must be laid fully before the people, and, this being done, the popular judgment will be sure and swift. Let us rally shoulder to shoulder in this work for Virginia and our common country. Letickerings cease, and let us move forward in close column to victory!

Appended is a brief form of constitution for clubs, but fuller information to the secretary of the State League.

By order of the Executive Committee:  
**W. C. ELAM, President.**  
**J. L. MCGLONE, Secretary.**  
**HOW TO FORM CLUB.**

The first step (unless a meeting of Republicans for the purpose can be safely called without it) is to circulate for signatures the following declaration, or a similar one:

"We the undersigned Republicans of—, hereby enroll ourselves for the purpose of organizing a Republican club in this— (ward, district, town, or other limitation)."

Then call a meeting and organize under this or some similar CONSTITUTION:

**Article I.**

Section 1. The name of this organization shall be—Club of—.

Section 2. The object and purpose of this club shall be to strengthen the Republican party organization, and promote by all legitimate agencies the success of the Republican party and its candidates, thereby exerting the most potent influence in behalf of good government.

Section 3. This club shall not be used in any way to further the interest of any candidate for office previous to nomination, but shall reserve its force to be exerted in behalf of all candidates nominated by Republican conventions.

**Article II.—Membership.**  
 Any person over eighteen years of age, who is a Republican, and in hearty sympathy with the principles of the Republican party and a supporter of its candidates, shall be eligible to membership in this club.

**Article III.—Officers.**  
 The officers of this club shall be

president, two vice-presidents a secretary, and an executive committee of five, of which the president and secretary shall be members of the club, and shall be elected by ballot at such time as may be prescribed in the by-laws.

Section 1. The regular meeting of this club shall be held at— on the— and—

Section 2. Five members shall constitute a quorum at any regular or duly called special meeting of the club.

**Article V.—By-Laws, Resolutions, Amendments, etc.**

Section 1. All by-laws and resolutions of this club shall require a majority vote of the members present at any regular meeting for their adoption.

Section 2. Amendments to this constitution shall only be made upon previous notice of two weeks in writing, and shall require for their adoption an affirmative vote of two-thirds of the members present at a regular meeting, the two-thirds affirmative to be not less than one-quarter of the club. Provided, that no amendment shall at any time be made that will conflict with the provisions of the constitution of the Republican League of the United States, or the State Republican League of Virginia.

**Article VI.**  
 This club shall become and be a member of the State Republican League of Virginia, and be in all things subordinate thereto.

**Republican Platform.**

We, the Republicans of Virginia, in convention assembled, proclaimed our fidelity to the Republican party, State and national, its organization, platforms, measures, and principals, as the best guarantees of common rights and interests, certified no less by performance than by promise.

We again arraign the Democratic party for its falsification of its professions: its delusive double-dealing with public questions: its opposition to equal rights; its denial of honest elections; its assaults against protection; its refusal to abolish the aggressive war taxes of the internal revenue; its failure to reduce the growing surplus in the National Treasury; its mockery of civil-service reform; its trucking and feeble foreign policy; its continued obstruction of the Blair school bill; its subordination of the Administration to partisan ends, and its utter lack of the wise capacity and sincere intention that alone provide good government.

We therefore earnestly urge all the voters of Virginia to unite with us in this most important election to dispose the incompetent and partidious party now in power and secure the continuance and extension of the protective system, the repeal of the internal-war taxes, and the speedy passage of the Blair school bill—all so necessary to our material prosperity and popular elevation, and all dependent upon the vote in next November. These and their related issues include every substantial and practical question involved in this great Federal contest (for civil rights at last depends on State law and local sentiment) and all else is but sound and fury, signifying nothing save an eager desire to divert popular attention from the main concerns now in imminent jeopardy.

That our representatives now in Congress or to be chosen next November are urged to use every proper effort to maintain and extend protection over all our interests; to remove internal taxes from our tobacco and fruit; to secure the appropriations of the Blair bill for our schools, and to obtain liberal provision for the improvement of our rivers and harbors and especially of Chesapeake bay and its tributaries, now so important to national commerce and defence.

That Virginia is Republican, and that in this Federal election on the national issues presented we are confident that she will resolutely stand out her electoral votes for the presidential nominees of the Chicago Convention, and in this connection we pledge our united and vigorous exertions.

That we are opposed to a convention to revise the State Constitution as unnecessary, costly, and dangerous; and that we hold that all desirable constitutional amendments can be more wisely and safely adopted by legislative action, ratified by the people.

That we proudly endorse our existing plan of party organization in Virginia and its sagacious administration, and gratefully acknowledge that to these we largely owe our past victories, our present strength, and our bright prospects of future success. The committee also repaired the following:

That the present plan of party organization be adopted for the future management of our party affairs in this State.

That the delegates and alternates appointed by this convention to represent the Republican party of this State at the Republican National Conventions to be held at Chicago on the 19th day of June, 1888, be, and they are hereby, instructed to vote in the said National Convention on all questions as a majority of the delegates shall agree.

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