

Soldiers' Meeting.

Johnson, Clymer and the Union.—A Mass Convention to be held in Harrisburg, August 1st.

In accordance with previous notice, a large number of honorably discharged officers and soldiers met at the Buehler House, Harrisburg, Pa., on Thursday afternoon, June 28th to take into consideration the propriety of holding a State Convention of Soldiers and Sailors favoring President Johnson's restoration policy, and the election of Hiestor Clymer and opposed to the Radical Congress, and the action of the Soldier's Convention held at Pittsburg.

On motion of Major Lewis, General Davis, of Bucks county, was unanimously elected as Chairman of the meeting. General Matthews, Colonels Linton, Lyle, Leech, and Owens, Major Lewis, Captain Weaver and Lieutenant Boyer, were elected as Vice Presidents, and Captains C. B. Brockway and J. A. Graham, Secretaries.

The room not being large enough to hold the meeting, a motion prevailed to adjourn to the Democratic reading room. After Gen Davis had stated the object of the meeting, on motion, Colonel Ent, Captain Woodruff, Colonel Lyle, General Matthews, and Adjutant Becker were appointed a committee to report the time, place and plan of holding the proposed Convention.

While the Committee was out, General McCandless, on invitation, addressed the meeting.

The committee reported the following preamble and resolutions:

That Whereas, Delegates regularly elected to the Soldier's Convention which assembled at Pittsburg on the 5th instant, were excluded therefrom because they were opposed to the radical measures of Congress and the election of John W. Geary as Governor of Pennsylvania.

And whereas, The said Convention tried to commit the honorably discharged officers, soldiers and seamen of Pennsylvania to the fanatical and revolutionary policy of Thaddeus Stevens, Charles Sumner & Co., a policy which is in direct conflict with the objects of the war as set forth in the joint resolution of Congress of July 22d, 1861.

And whereas, The said Convention did not represent the true sentiments of the tried soldiery of Pennsylvania, who sustained the Federal Government on land and sea during the late rebellion; therefore be it

Resolved, That the honorably discharged officers, soldiers and seamen of this State who approve the constitutional, conservative and humane restoration policy of President Johnson, opposed to negro suffrage and in favor of electing Hiestor Clymer Governor, will meet in convention at Harrisburg, on Wednesday, the 1st of August, 1866.

Resolved, That each county be entitled to seven delegates, and where a county has more than one member in the House of Representatives such county may send seven delegates for each member, the delegates to be selected by the honorably discharged officers, soldiers and seamen of the counties respectively favorable to the objects to be set forth in the general call for the State Convention.

On motion, the following named gentlemen were appointed a local committee to make arrangements for the State Convention:

Col. Asbury Awt, Capt. Wm. McCarroll, Capt. Thomas Maloney, Surgeon, Charles Bowers, Lieut. Wm. B. Carson, Sergeant D. Knighton, Privates Edward Leasure, Thomas Forster and Edward Finney.

On motion, it was resolved that General McCandless, Col. Lyle, Col. Linton, Col. Davis, of Berks, Embeck and General Sweitzer, of Pittsburg, be a committee on transportation, to negotiate with the several railroad companies of the State as to the terms upon which they will convey the delegates and others wishing to attend the convention and to advertise the result to the public.

On motion, it was resolved that General Davis, Col. Linton, Col. J. Wesley Awt, Col. Jones, Capt. M. Williams and Capt. Brockway be appointed a committee to prepare a call for the Convention; and in addition to the representation called for, that they invite all soldiers and seamen sympathizing with the object in view to meet at the city of Harrisburg on that occasion.

On motion, the thanks of the Convention were tendered the Democratic Club of Harrisburg for the use of their reading room.

On motion, adjourn.

C. B. BROCKWAY, J. A. GRAHAM, Secretaries.

Dismissed the Service.

Capt. Philip R. Forney, of the 14th U. S. Infantry, son of that distinguished patriot, John W. Forney, has been dismissed the service for disobedience of orders and conduct unbecoming an officer and gentleman; having failed to report to his regiment after repeated orders, and having given in payment for a debt a check signed by himself, in his official capacity, on a banking house where he never had any money deposited.

Apology to the President.—General Howard has addressed a letter to the President, apologizing for his letter recently published in New York in defence of the Freedmen's Bureau officers in the Southern States. His excuse is that it was written hastily, and before his knowledge of the facts set forth in the Steedman and Fullerton report. His confidence in Gen. Fullerton is such that he is now compelled to believe these charges have much foundation in fact.

Another Good Veto.

President Johnson has vetoed the bill passed by Congress granting to a mammoth Corporation called the "New York and Montana Manufacturing Company," a pre-emptive right to twenty sections of the public lands, containing 12,800 acres, three sections to be of iron and coal lands and the remainder timber land.

The Cincinnati Times, (a Republican journal) in alluding to this bill, speaks out its honest sentiments, in the following words:—"Congress must have been deaf and dumb and blind, besides being asleep when it was passed. So complete a violation of the land policy of the Government for the last quarter of a century, in order to build up a huge monopoly, is too abominable to admit of the idea that a single member of the House or Senate, except some hired agents of the company, could have known what they were doing.

"Mr. Johnson shows by this veto that he is watchful of the interests of the people, and it is an interesting coincidence that it comes to strengthen our demand yesterday upon the approaching convention at Columbus, to recognize the President as having deserved well of his country."

Part of the abolition press of the North would like to manufacture a little political capital out of the arrest of the Fenian leaders, if they knew just how to get about it. The fact, however, of their being the bitterest enemies Ireland and the Irish people ever had, and their attempts a few years since to disfranchise all foreigners, is a stumbling block that they can't well get over. They had better stick to the nigger.

The Freedmen's Bureau.

The freedmen of the Southern States are getting heartily tired of the men who are delegated to take care of their interests, as well as to the system under which they act. A Freedmen's Convention is called to meet at Augusta, Georgia, in July. The object of the meeting is to memorialize Congress on the right of franchise and of trial by jurors of their own color. The question of an indorsement of the Freedmen's Bureau was mingled with the other questions, and the anti-Bureauists carried a majority of the districts yet heard from. At a meeting of colored people recently held in Griffin, the colored delegates from that section "denounced the Bureau as mischievous and a source of disturbances between the races." They declared themselves willing "to trust the laws of the State and their old masters and friends for justice." For this expression of opinion Pitts and Beck delegates to the Augusta Convention, were arrested by the agent of the Freedmen's Bureau. On the case being reported to the civil authorities the offending colored delegates were released.

—Mr. Horace Greeley is among the glorious company of "patriots" who have been shocked at the utterances of the President. Long ago Mr. Greeley said:—"All nations have their superstitions, and that of our people is the Constitution."

And in his Tribune, of June 13th, 1854, published the following "Ode to the American flag."

"All hail the flaunting lie!
The stars grow pale and dim,
The stripes are bloody scars,
A lie the vaunting hymn.

It shields a pirates deck,
It binds a man in chains,
It yokes the captives neck,
And wipes the bloody stains.

Tear down the flaunting lie;
Half mast the starry flag,
Insult no sunny sky
With hate's polluted rag!

Destroy it, ye who can,
Deep sink it in the waves,
It bears a fellow man
To groan with fellow slaves.

Furl up the boasted lie
Till freedom lives again,
To rule once more in truth,
Among the untrammelled men.

Roll up the starry sheen,
Conceal its bloody stains;
For in its folds are seen
The stamp of rustling chains!"

Now all these leading Abolition Traitors are pretending great veneration for the flag, and act with, what is mis-called the "Union," but truly named the disunion party.

—It seems that the colony of freedmen sent out to Hayti by the United States Government in 1863, has proved a failure. The colonists, four hundred and fifty three in number, have been brought back to the United States, and the parties who got up the scheme are now petitioning Congress to reimburse them the amounts expended in bringing the negroes back, etc. Their little bill is only eight thousand dollars!

—A boy once purchased a knife with several blades, which, one by one, were broken out and replaced by new ones. Finally the handle broke, and that also was renewed. The question then presented itself to his mind whether he still owned the knife he bought or another. We believe it will not be long before the same question will occur in regard to the Constitution of the United States, if radicalism rules the day.

Brown vs. White.
One of the beauties of the Freedmen's Bureau is set forth in the following official communication:
The issue of white sugar to dependent freedmen and others was in obedience to an order from Brevet Brigadier General H. T. Clark, Assistant Commissary General, a copy of which is now on file in the office of the Depot Commissary at Newbern, North Carolina.
Very respectfully, your obedient servant,
ISAAC A. ROBERTSON,
Captain Co. D, U. S. V.

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" pair matched horses, 4 " 3
" pair horses for all work, 4 " 3
" single driving horse, 3 " 2
" brood mare and colt, 3 " 2

Sub-division 2—Colts and Mules.
Best pair 3 year old colts, \$3 2d best \$2
" pair 2 year old colts, 3 " 2
" three years old colt, 2 " 1
" two years old colt, 2 " 1
" one year old colt, 2 " 1
" pair mules, 2 " 1

CLASS II.—CATTLE.

Sub-division 1—Full Bloods.
Best Durham bull over 2 yrs old, \$4 2d best \$3
" " 1 year old, 3 " 2
" cow over 3 yrs old, 3 " 2
" devon bull over 2 yrs old, 4 " 3
" cow one year old, 3 " 2
" cow over 3 yrs old, 3 " 2

Sub-division 2—Grade Durhams.
Best bull over 2 years old, \$3 2d best \$2
" bull one year old, 2 " 1
" bull calf, 2 " 1
" cow, \$3 2d best \$2 3d best \$1
" three yrs old heifer, 2 2d 1
" two years old heifer, 2 " 1
" one year old heifer, 2 " 1
" heifer calf, 2 " 1
" three yearlings, 3 " 2
" three calves, 3 " 2

Sub-division 3—Grade Devons.
Best bull over 2 years old, \$3 2d best \$2
" bull one year old, 2 " 1
" bull calf, 2 " 1
" cow, \$3 2d best \$2 3d best \$1
" 3 years old heifer, 2 2d 1
" 2 years old heifer, 2 " 1
" one year old heifer, 2 " 1
" heifer calf, 2 " 1
" three yearlings, 3 " 2
" three calves, 3 " 2

Sub-division 4—Natives.
Best bull over one year old, \$2 2d best \$1
" cow, 2 " 1
" 2 years old heifer, 2 " 1
" 3 yearlings, 2 " 1
" 3 calves, 2 " 1

Sub-division 5—Oxen and Steers.
Best pair working oxen 5 yrs or over, \$4 2d best \$3
" pair do 4 yrs old, 4 " 3
" pair fat oxen, 3 " 2
" pair steers 3 years old, 3 " 2
" pair steers 2 years old, 3 " 2
" pair steers one year old, 2 " 1
" pair steer calves (broke), 2 " 1

CLASS III.—SHEEP AND SWINE.

Best fine wooled buck, \$3 2d best \$2
" 3 ewes, 3 " 2
" 3 lambs, 2 " 1
" middle wooled buck, 3 " 2
" 3 ewes, 3 " 2
" 3 lambs, 2 " 1
" coarse wooled buck, 3 " 2
" 3 ewes, 3 " 2
" 3 lambs, 2 " 1
" buck lamb of each, 1 " 1
" boar, 4 " 3
" breeding sow, 4 " 3
" spring pig, 3 " 2
" fall pigs (not less than four), 3 " 2

CLASS IV.—POULTRY.

Best pair turkeys, \$1 2d best \$1
" pair geese, 1 " 1
" four ducks, 1 " 1
" five fowls, 1 " 1
" five spring chickens, 1 " 1

CLASS V.—GRAIN.

Best peck winter wheat, \$1 2d best \$1
" spring wheat, 1 " 1
" rye, 1 " 1
" oats, 1 " 1
" half bushel corn in the ear, 1 " 1
" peck clover seed, 1 " 1
" peck timothy seed, 1 " 1
" peck flax seed, 1 " 1

CLASS VI.—BUTTER, CHEESE AND BREAD.

Best firkin butter, \$2 2d best \$1
" pair butter, 2 " 1
" jar butter, 2 " 1
" roll butter, 2 " 1
" loaf wheat bread, 50c
" loaf Graham bread, 50c
" Indian bread, 50c
" soda biscuit, 50c

CLASS VII.—FRUIT AND VEGETABLES.

Best fall apples, at least 3 varieties, not less than 1 dozen of each, \$1 2d best 50c
" winter apples, ditto, 1 " 50c
" pears, 1 " 50c
" quinces, 1 " 50c
" peaches, 1 " 50c
" grapes, 1 " 50c
" and greatest variety of fruit, 1 " 50c
" 3 bu. potatoes 2 or more va., 1 " 50c
" winter squash, 50c
" pumpkins, 50c
" three heads cabbage, 50c
" three onions, 50c
" six beets, 50c
" six tomatoes, 50c
" & great variety of vegetables, \$1 2d best 50c

CLASS VIII.—VINEGAR, WINE, HONEY AND SUGAR.

Best currant vinegar, 50c
" blackberry wine, 50c
" elderberry wine, 50c
" grape wine, 50c
" wine-plant wine, 50c
" 10 lbs. honey, \$1 2d best 50c
" caked or stirred sugar, 1 " 50c
" drained sugar, 1 " 50c
" maple syrup, 50c

CLASS IX.—LEATHER, &c.

Best two sides harness leather, \$2
" upper leather, 1 " 1
" sole leather, 1 " 1

" two calf skins, 2
" pair fine boots, 2
" pair coarse boots, 2
" carriage harness, 2
" sett team harness, 2

CLASS X.—AGRICULTURAL IMPLEMENTS AND CARRIAGES.

Best common plow, side hill plow, cultivator, corn sheller, straw cutter, horse rake, horse hay fork, and churning machine, each \$1
" mowing machine, 3
" threshing power, 3
" double carriage, 2
" single carriage, 2
" market wagon, 2
" lumber wagon, 2
" single sleigh, 2
" lot of agricultural implements, 2

CLASS XI.—CABINET WORK, HARDWARE, &c.

Best specimen of cabinet work, \$2
" sett chairs, 1
" rocking chair, 1
" sewing machine, 1
" churn, 1
" butter pail, 50c
" butter firkin, 50c
" sett horse shoes, 50c
" lot tin ware, 50c
" cook stove for coal, \$1
" cook stove for wood, 1
" parlor stove, 1

CLASS XII.—DOMESTIC GOODS.

Best 5 yards wooled flannel, \$2 2d best \$1
" 5 yards plaid, 2 " 1
" 5 yards full cloth, 2 " 1
" pair wooled blankets, 1
" 8 pairs wooled socks, 1
" 2 pairs wooled mittens, 1
" sample wooled yarn, 2 " 1
" 5 yards linen cloth, 2 " 1
" 3 yards linen toweling, 2 " 1
" 10 yards wooled carpet, 2 " 1
" rag carpet, 2 " 1

CLASS XIII.—ORNAMENTAL NEEDLEWORK, &c.

Best patchwork quilt, \$2 2d best 50c
" quilt of any other kind, 1 " 50c
" bed spread, 1 " 50c
" worked skirt, 1 " 50c
" collar, 50c " 25c
" sp'n wooled embroidery, 50c " 25c
" speck'd silk embroidery, 50c " 25c
" bonnet, 50c " 25c
" ladies' saque, 50c " 25c
" knit hood, 50c " 25c
" tidy chair cover, 50c " 25c
" fine shirt, 50c " 25c

CLASS XIV.—PAINTINGS AND FLOWERS.

Best oil painting, \$1 2d best 50c
" painting, any other kind, 50c " 25c
" drawing, 1 " 50c
" exhibition of photographs and ambrotypes, 1 " 50c
" picture frame, 50c " 25c
" variety of flowers, 1 " 50c
" floral design, 1 " 50c
" exhibition artificial flowers and fruit, 1 " 50c

CLASS XV.—PLOWING.

Best plowing, \$6
" Second best plowing, \$6
" Third " " 4
" Fourth " " 3
" Fifth " " 2
" Sixth " " 1

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