

FIRST EDITION.

TWELVE O'CLOCK M.

CHICAGO.

Delegates Arriving - Discussion of Pennsylvania Delegates - A Meeting Held - Advance Glance at the Campaign - Colfax Stock Rising - What is Damaging Wade - Grow Not a Candidate - Hamilton, Fenton and Curtin Put Forward - Political Rumors - Grant the Unanimous Choice For President - Visitors

Delegates continue to pour in from all sections of the country and the hotels are already taxed to their fullest capacities. The Pennsylvania delegation is very strong and each train arriving adds materially to the number.

The dissatisfaction which grew out of the passage of the coercive resolution at the Philadelphia Convention, instructing the delegates throughout the State to support Mr. Curtis for the Vice Presidential nomination, and providing for the appointment of new delegates in place of those who would not accept the power of the Convention so to instruct, has, as predicted in the Gazette at the time, ripened into bitterness, and the friends of Curtis discover wherein they made a mistake. There are in some instances two sets of delegates representing different shades of opinion regarding the prominent candidates, who will claim seats in the Convention.

The New York delegation arrived here today. Many of their number are in favor of Fulton, a few for Colfax and Wilson, but the feeling of sympathy for Ben Wade, which has sprung up since the betrayal of the party by Ross, Trumbull, Fessenden and others, will bring many friends to his side from this delegation as well as others. Mr. Colfax has developed considerable strength, it seems as if he had the inside track of the others. The Northwestern and many New England delegates seem favorable to him, and the chances for his nomination are bright and rosy, his friends feeling sanguine of success.

How Wade is Incubated. The bitterness with which Wade has been followed by some members of Ohio has interfered with his chances, as his friends are met with the assertion that "he cannot carry Ohio, and we can't afford to lose so important a State." Of course the popularity question of Wade in his State is only a speculation started by his personal enemies to defeat him in the Convention.

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Special Dispatch to the Pittsburgh Gazette.

Washington Topics and Gossip.

Specials from Washington state the excitement of Saturday has passed into perfect quiet. It is generally understood that the Senators from several of the Southern States will be admitted before the Impeachment Court adjourns, and that the President may yet be removed. It is known, also, that the action of the Chicago Convention will influence one or two of the Radical Senators to vote guilty, who voted the other way on Saturday.

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