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FRIDAY, SEPTEMBER 4, 1868.

National Union Republican Ticket.

NATIONAL.
President—ULYSSES S. GRANT.
Vice President—SCHUYLER COLFAX.

PRESIDENTIAL ELECTORS.

AT LARGE.

G. MORRISON, of Philadelphia.
THOS. M. MARSHALL, of Pittsburgh.

District.

W. B. BARNES, 14. B. B. BROWN,

RICHARD WILLET, 15. CHAS. H. MILLER,

A. C. HARRIS, 16. JAMES E. STEPHENS,

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J. R. COOPER, 18. J. T. STEPHENS,

FRANCIS C. HEATON, 19. JAMES SILL,

E. FRANCIS HOOPER, 20. H. C. JOHNSON,

DAVID M. BANK, 21. W. M. FREW,

L. L. BROWN, 22. J. D. BRADFORD,

W. W. W. KETCHUM, 23. A. T. BUTAN.

STATE.

Auditor General—J. F. HARTMAN.

Surveyor General—J. M. CAMPBELL.

DISTRICT.

Congress, 22d Dist.—JAS. S. NEGLEY.

23d Dist.—DARWIN PHILIPS.

COUNTY.

State Senate—JAMES L. GRAHAM.

GENERAL.

GEORGE WILSON, M. S. HUMPHREYS,

GEORGE F. MORGAN, VINCENT MILLER,

JAMES TAYLOR, SAMUEL KERR.

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Ass't District Attorney—J. B. FLACK.

Commissioner—JONATHAN NEELY.

Surveyor—H. L. McCULLY.

County Home Director—J. G. MURRAY.

CITY.

Mayor—JARED M. BRUSH.

Controller—ROBT. J. McGOWAN.

Treasurer—A. J. COOCHMAN.

We print on the inside pages of this morning's GAZETTE—Second page Campaign Poetry, "Let Us Have Peace," (Original) Ephemeris, Interview with Gen. Longstreet. Third and Sixth pages: Commercial and River Intelligence. Seventh page: Interesting Letter Concerning Affairs in Tennessee.

Gold closed in New York yesterday at 143.

The article on Tennessee affairs, to which we alluded yesterday, appears on an inside page of this morning's GAZETTE.

The fifty-fifth anniversary of Perry's victory on Lake Erie, will be observed with a grand Republican mass meeting at Erie on the 10th inst.

The appearance of the cattle plague in Portage county, Ohio, on or near the line of the Cleveland and Pittsburgh Railway, is reported. Vigorous measures have been taken to check it.

The news from Vermont continues to grow better. There is no shrinkage in the returns, which, when fully in, will bring the majority for the Republicans quite up to thirty thousand!

The THANKS of all Republicans of the city are due to the Secretary of War, Gen. J. M. SCHOFIELD, for his prompt response to a request for artillery at the Vermont celebration last night.

THE VICTORY was celebrated last night in an appropriate manner by the Second Ward Grant Club and citizens generally. One hundred guns were fired at midnight on the Monongahela wharf, in honor of the Green Mountain State.

"IF ANY MAN PULLS DOWN THE AMERICAN FLAG, SHOOT HIM ON THE SPOT." Such were the orders of a distinguished Democratic official under Mr. BUCHANAN, who loved his country more than his party. The man who made that memorable order was General JOHN A. DIX, who afterwards, when in command at New York, told Gov. SEYMOUR that he had troops enough to manage his "friends" and him too, and who is now the American Minister to France. No one, therefore, need be surprised to learn that General Dix declares now earnestly in favor of the election of GRANT and COLFAX.

SECRETARY McCULLOCH, declaring that "the financial policy of the Democratic party will certainly bring financial ruin to the country," yields, nevertheless to his "paramount aversion to the reconstruction" of the South, and, therefore, pronounces for SEYMOUR and BLAIR, that is to say, he is willing to swallow BLAIR's rebellion and PENDLETON's repudiation together. Henceforth, the Democracy are precluded from holding the Republicans responsible for his financing. Henceforth, it is possible that the public debt statements and other official expositions from the Treasury will be "cooked up" as electioneering documents for the Democracy. Henceforth, it may be regarded as openly acknowledged, that the whisky and other "rings," which have long been omnipotent in the Executive departments, will continue to run the governmental machinery in the interests of their own perpetuation.

INDEPENDENT VETERANS FOR THE UNION.

A meeting of the Veteran Soldiers of Allegheny county is called, for assemblage on the 10th inst. Gen. A. L. KING, of Baltimore, formerly Adjutant General on Hancock's staff, and Gen. J. F. HARTMAN, will be present. Let every soldier, independent of party, who is in favor of Peace and the Union, attend.

I. THE BONDS.

At the outset of the argument upon which we are about to enter, it is best to obtain full and definite ideas as to how many kinds of United States Bonds there are, when they are redeemable, and what is the amount of each sort.

\$100's of \$1, dated in 1861, and redeemable 20 years from January 1st, and July 1st, of that year. They are called 1861's, being due. Interest on them is 6 per cent. Gold, payable January 1st and July 1st.

There are three series of the Bonds, to wit:

Issued under Act of Feb. 8, 1861, \$18,415,000

Issued under Act of July 17 and August 5, 1861, \$60,000,000

Issued under Act of March 3, 1863, \$150,317,150

Total, June 1st, 1868, \$282,732,150

Old 5-20's, called old because they were designated 5-20's, and for the same reason to run. They bear date May 1st, 1861.

Redeemable after May 1st, 1867, payable May 1st, 1882. Interest at 6 per cent. in Gold, payable May and November 1st.

Old 5-20's, called old because they were designated 5-20's, because having been the first to be placed upon the Foreign Market, and largely sold abroad, they are always in demand for remittance to remit there.

These Bonds are redeemable under

Act of Feb. 25th, 1862, and amount to

\$514,771,600

5-20's of 1861, dated Nov. 1st, 1861, redatable after Nov. 1st, 1869; payable Nov. 1st, 1881. Interest at 6 per cent. in Gold, payable May and November 1st.

Old 5-20's, called old because they were issued under two acts of Congress, viz:

March 3d, 1861, (Principal specie

in the Act as payable in Coin,) \$125,561,300

June 30th, 1864, \$3,882,500

Total, June 1st, 1868, \$129,443,800

5-20's of 1865, Nov. Issue. These Bonds bear date Nov. 1st, 1865, redatable after Nov. 1st, 1870, payable Nov. 1st, 1885. Interest 6 per cent. in Gold, due January 1st and July 1st.

Act of March 3d, 1865, also authorizes

the issue of these Bonds, which amounted June 1st, 1868, to \$334,972,500

5-20's of 1867, issued also in exchange for 7-30's converted for 1867, redeemable after July 1st, 1872, and payable July 1st, 1887, interest 6 per cent. in Gold, due January 1st and July 1st.

The Act of March 3d, 1865, also authorizes

the issue of these Bonds, which amounted June 1st, 1868, to \$317,421,500

5-20's of 1868. These bonds are issued

by authority of the Act of March 3d, 1865,

in exchange for 7-30's converted; are

dated July 1st, 1868, redeemable after July 1st, 1873, and payable July 1st, 1888.

Interest 6 per cent. in Gold, payable January 1st and July 1st.

Act of March 3d, 1865, also authorizes

the issue of these Bonds, which amounted June 1st, 1868, to \$317,421,500

5-20's of 1869. These bonds are issued

by authority of the Act of March 3d, 1865,

in exchange for 7-30's converted; are

dated July 1st, 1869, redeemable after July 1st, 1874, and payable July 1st, 1889.

Interest 6 per cent. in Gold, payable January 1st and July 1st.

Act of March 3d, 1865, also authorizes

the issue of these Bonds, which amounted June 1st, 1868, to \$317,421,500

5-20's of 1870. These bonds are issued

by authority of the Act of March 3d, 1865,

in exchange for 7-30's converted; are

dated July 1st, 1870, redeemable after July 1st, 1875, and payable July 1st, 1890.

Interest 6 per cent. in Gold, payable January 1st and July 1st.

Act of March 3d, 1865, also authorizes

the issue of these Bonds, which amounted June 1st, 1868, to \$317,421,500

5-20's of 1871. These bonds are issued

by authority of the Act of March 3d, 1865,

in exchange for 7-30's converted; are

dated July 1st, 1871, redeemable after July 1st, 1876, and payable July 1st, 1891.

Interest 6 per cent. in Gold, payable January 1st and July 1st.

Act of March 3d, 1865, also authorizes

the issue of these Bonds, which amounted June 1st, 1868, to \$317,421,500

5-20's of 1872. These bonds are issued

by authority of the Act of March 3d, 1865,

in exchange for 7-30's converted; are

dated July 1st, 1872, redeemable after July 1st, 1877, and payable July 1st, 1892.

Interest 6 per cent. in Gold, payable January 1st and July 1st.

Act of March 3d, 1865, also authorizes

the issue of these Bonds, which amounted June 1st, 1868, to \$317,421,500

5-20's of 1873. These bonds are issued

by authority of the Act of March 3d, 1865,

in exchange for 7-30's converted; are

dated July 1st, 1873, redeemable after July 1st, 1878, and payable July 1st, 1893.

Interest 6 per cent. in Gold, payable January 1st and July 1st.

Act of March 3d, 1865, also authorizes

the issue of these Bonds, which amounted June 1st, 1868, to \$317,421,500

5-20's of 1874. These bonds are issued

by authority of the Act of March 3d, 1865,

in exchange for 7-30's converted; are

dated July 1st, 1874, redeemable after July 1st, 1879, and payable July 1st, 1894.

Interest 6 per cent. in Gold, payable January 1st and July 1st.

Act of March 3d, 1865, also authorizes

the issue of these Bonds, which amounted June 1st, 1868, to \$317,421,500

5-20's of 1875. These