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LATE DEPARTMENT NEWS.

RECEIVED FOR REDEMPTION.—The nationa bank notes received at the Treasury for redemption to-day amounted to $240,000.

DR. HAMILTON LEAVES.—Surgeon General Hamilton left yesterday for Chicago. Dr. Stoner will be in charge during the General's absence.

THE PRESIDENT'S CALLERS.—Among the President's callers to-day were the following: Chief Justice Fuller, Senators Gorman and Barbour, Judge Goode, of Virginia; Commissioner Miller, Col. Ward, U. S. A., and Representative Allen, of Mississippi, and W. H. Crain.

RELIEVED OF DUTY.—The Treasury Department has ordered the refund of duty on a seal ring imported by Rt. Rev. Abiel Leonard, missionary bishop of Nevada and Utah. The bishop states that the ring was especially purchased for his own use in attesting official documents in his ecclesiastical capacity.

YELLOW FEVER REPORTS.—The following was received at the Marine Hospital Bureau this morning from the yellow fever districts: "Gainesville, Fla., reports six new cases; three white and three colored. There are no new cases at Live Oak, and the last case is eight days old. The town is being cleansed and disinfected."

MEDICAL DEPARTMENT CHANGES.—The following changes have been made in the Medical Department: Major Ely McClellan, surgeon, is relieved from duty at Jefferson Barracks, Mo., and will report to the commanding general division of the Missouri, for duty as attending surgeon at the headquarters of the division as examiner of recruits at Chicago, Ill. Major John H. Bartholf, surgeon, is relieved from duty in the Department of Texas, and will report to the commanding officer, Plattsburgh Barracks, N. Y., for duty.

ARMY ORDERS.—Lieut. Col. Basil Norris and Maj. Henry R. Felton, surgeons, U. S. A., are detailed as members of the army retiring board appointed to meet at San Francisco, vice Col. Elisha I. Bailey, surgeon, and Capt. John J. Cochran, assistant surgeon, relieved. Post Chaplain George W. Dunbar is relieved from duty in the Department of Dakota, and will report to the commanding general, Division of the Pacific, for duty at the presidio of San Francisco. Lieut. Stephen J. Mulhall, Fourteenth Infantry, is granted leave of absence for eight months, with permission to leave Division of Pacific.

NAVAL ORDERS. — Ordered — Lieutenant Commander J. J. Brice, to duty at the Navy-Yard, Washington; Assistant Engineer F. H. Eldridge, to examination for promotion; Assistant Surgeon J. S. Lagree, to examination for promotion; Gunner George L. Albro, to the receiving ship St. Louis; Lieut. C. R. Mills, to the Kearsage. Detached—Ensign C. P. Plunkett has reported his return home, having been detached from the Pinta on the 17th of October, and placed on waiting orders; Passed Assistant Engineer F. H. Hoffman, from the Pinta and ordered to duty in connection with machinery of the Charleston, building at San Francisco, Cal.; Passed Assistant Engineer William A. Murtzer, from the Mohican and ordered to the Pinta.

THE DISTRICT GOVERNMENT.

The Industrial Home School.

The twentieth annual report of the Industrial Home School, which has been heretofore briefly referred to, states that during the two decades over 2,000 children have received the benefits of the home, and many of them have become good members of the community. The number of wards in the institution on July 1, 1887, was 80; admitted during the year, 50; discharged, 45; remaining at end of fiscal year, 850. There were 23 returned to friends, 14 placed in homes and 8 left without leave. The total cost of maintenance was $10,237.26, and the cost per capita was $116.33.

Before applicants for admission are received into the school they are passed upon by a medical examiner, who reports on their physical and mental condition. The ages of admission have been limited between five and twelve years. In speaking of the health of the institution the report says it was unprecedently so. No deaths occurred. There were two cases of cholera, and of the thirty cases of ringworm of the scalp only two remain. The children are given food of a fair quality, but more animal food for breakfast would probably be an improvement. Two schools are maintained on the premises under the management of Mr. and Mrs. John W. Douglass, public school teachers, and the scholars compare favorably with those in the public schools. The total receipts were $13,941.91, and the expenditures were $12,504.42.

Mr. Max Lansburgh and his attorney were at the District buildings yesterday, and took copies of all the official orders and correspondence in the condemnation of land to widen Columbia road. The Commissioners have refused to compensate Mr. Lansburgh for land taken from his estate, and he will resist in the courts the action of the Commissioners to take his land without compensation.

Mr. N. T. Haller, who was refused a permit to erect some frame dwelling houses in Le Droit Park, recently requested the Commissioners to refer his petition for the permit to Attorney Riddle. The Commissioners have replied that they deem the regulation concerning the extension of the fire limits embracing the park to be so plain that no opinion of their legal adviser is needed.

The applications of J. J. Clark, of 742 second street, and Barbara Baier, 1002 Pennsylvania avenue, for bar-room licenses were rejected some days ago, but the Commissioners reconsidered their action last evening and granted their licenses. A bar-room license was also granted to Frank Gallagher, of 1136 Twenty-first street.

School Trustee Cornish asks that the chain gang be put to work to put the sidewalks near the Lovejoy Building in a passable condition. The commission of Special Policeman James McKenny has been revoked for being intoxicated on the streets in full uniform.

The Commissioners have notified President Gallaudet, of the Deaf and Dumb Institute, that they cannot lay a water main on M street until a petition, signed by the owners of a majority of the property, is filed with them, asking for the same.

Recent Robberies Reported.

An empty umbrella-stand was stolen from the hallway of Dr. J. W. Hayward's house, at 1219 D street.

Miss Jennie Stone's silver watch was lost or stolen while she was at school at the Dennison building yesterday.

Policeman Dubois' overcoat, umbrella and hat were stolen yesterday from the rooms of the Central Mission, on the Avenue.

Four or five yards of cloth were stolen from Owen Owen's store, at Tenth street and New York avenue, by a shoplifter Wednesday.

Damages Against the District.

Seven hundred and fifty dollars damages was awarded to Edward Mueller in his suit against the District of Columbia. Mueller was injured by stepping upon some loose projecting flagging on Fourteenth street about five years since.

THE COURT RECORD.

Court in General Term—The Chief Justice, Justices James and Merrick.

Reynolds vs. Smith; argued.

Circuit Court—Justice Cox.

U. S. Electric Light Company vs. Wilson; judgment for defendant. Muller vs. District of Columbia; decided for plaintiff, $750. Whittingham vs. Owen; confirmed at the cost of plaintiff. Goodyear Rubber Co. vs. Killeen.

Equity Court—Justice Cox.

O'Neal vs. O'Neal; testimony before C. Ingle, examiner, ordered taken. Bellen vs. Helien; testimony before R. Wilson, examiner, ordered taken. Walker vs. Walker; appearance of absent defendant ordered. Frick vs. Allman; testimony before John Cruikshank, examiner, ordered taken.

Real Estate Transfers.

James H. Callan and Albert Smith, $5, sublot 18, square 829.

Benj. E. Figart to same, $2,675, sublot 18, square 829.

James H. Meriwether to Fannie E. Gregory, $3,250, sublot 27, square 28. Harvard University Subdivision.

W. A. Gordon, trustee, to A. Frey et al., $800, part lot 15, square 24.

W. W. Boarman, trustee, to C. R. Newman, $1,007.24, part 14, square 636.

Parker Mann to J. B. Wimer, $5, lots 52 and 53, Washington Heights.

J. B. Wimer to Julia Mann, $5, same property.

Belinda Kirk to H. L. Strange, $2,000, part lots 2 and 3, square 559.

Belinda C. Hayden to Edward A. Knapp, $2,625, one-half interest in 15 acres on road from Tenleytown to Brookville, Md.

Fannie W. Washington to same, $2,625, one-half interest in same.

LATE SHOTS FROM THE FIELD.

Delayed Reports as to the Result of Tuesday's Fight.

WEST VIRGINIA STILL DOUBTFUL.

California Said to be Republican by 12,000 Majority.

Wheeling, W. Va., Nov. 9.—The State is still in doubt. All the reports so far received show Republican gains, some of them greater than expected, and if continued Harrison will get the State by about 900. Goff, for Governor, is probably about 1,000 ahead of his ticket. The Legislature will be close. The returns so far indicate a Republican majority of two in the Senate and one in the House—a majority of three on joint ballot. This will make Goff United States Senator.

In the First Congressional district, Atkinson, Rep., is elected to Congress by from 70 to 150 majority. In the Second, the Democrats claim 150 majority for Wilson, but there is a prospect of the election of Flick, Rep., by a small plurality. In the Third the result is still in doubt, with the prospects in favor of McGinnis, Rep. In the Fourth the Republican Committee claims that the election of Smith, Rep., is beyond doubt or danger.

LATEST FROM CALIFORNIA.

No Hope for the Democrats on State or National Ticket.

San Francisco, Nov. 9.—The latest returns leave the Democrats no hope of the State or majority of the Congressional delegation. The Republican majority in California will be fully 10,000, and four of the Congressmen will be Republicans. Los Angeles County gives Harrison 4,300 majority, which shows the influence of the influx of Yankees into the land of orange groves. The Congressional delegation will stand as follows:

First district—J. J. Behaven, R.
Second district—Marion Biggs, D.
Third district—Joseph McKenna, R.
Fourth district—William Morror, R.
Fifth district—T. J. Clunie, D.
Sixth district—William Vandever, R.

San Francisco, Nov. 9.—166 precincts in the city out of 176 give Harrison 24,980; Cleveland, 27,691. The Republican State Committee claim the State by from 10,000 to 12,000. The Democrat State Committee conceded the State to the Republicans, but by a small majority. According to the latest figures, four Republican Congressmen are elected. Three of the Congressional districts are very close.

TWELVE THOUSAND.

The Republican Majority in California, According to Senator Stanford's Advices.

Mr. John B. McCarthy, private secretary to Hon. Leland Stanford, received to-day the following from a reliable source:

San Francisco, Cal., Nov. 9.—Probably five Republican Congressmen and one Democratic Congressman—Marion Biggs—have been elected. The state, on the Presidential ticket, has given Harrison and Morton a majority of about 12,000.

Late Returns From Illinois.

St. Louis, Mo., Nov. 9.—At 2:30 a. m., what are claimed to be the official pluralities in the Eighteenth Illinois district, were received in this city, as follows:

For Baker, Madison, 324; Bond, 386; Washington, 72. Total, 782.

For Forman, Monroe, 560; St. Clair, 229. Total, 789.

Plurality for Forman, the Democratic candidate, 7. Baker carried the district over Morrison in 1886 by 1,162.

Late Returns from Oregon.

Portland, Ore., Nov. 9.—Three-fourths of the returns of Oregon are in, and show a ten per cent. larger vote than in June and about ten per cent. increase in the Republican majority, which will be about 8,000. Allen, Rep., is elected to Congress by about 5,000 majority in Washington Territory, a Republican gain of 7,000 since 1886. The Territorial Legislature will be Republican in both branches.

Harrison Has 70,000 in Kansas.

Topeka, Kas., Nov. 9.—Returns have been received from every county in Kansas. An estimate by Chairman Booth from the reports received gives Harrison 70,000 plurality over Cleveland, and 65,000 over the entire Democratic State ticket. The Legislature is almost solidly Republican.

Indiana Safely Republican.

Indianapolis, Ind., Nov. 9.—The official count: Democratic plurality on the Electoral ticket in Marion County is 381, a gain of 609 over 1884. This is not enough to offset the Republican gains in the State. Harrison electors are chosen by about 3,000 plurality.

Republican Gains in Colorado.

Denver, Col., Nov. 9.—The Republicans claim 13,875 majority in the State, a gain of 5,000, and also claim every member of the lower house and twenty out of twenty-six Senators.

Gains in Iowa.

Des Moines, Ia., Nov. 9.—Sixty-one counties complete give Harrison a net gain of 10,583, or a plurality so far of 26,000. The remaining 38 counties will probably raise the plurality to 34,000.

Idaho Sends a Republican Delegate.

Boise City, Idaho, Nov. 9.—Political returns from the counties in this Territory give Hawley, Dem., for Delegate to Congress, 1,336; Dubois, Rep., 1,602.

The Second Louisiana District.

New Orleans, La., Nov. 9.—Complete returns elect Coleman, Rep., in the second Louisiana district by 320 majority.

The Next Congress.

The returns on Congressmen are not complete. The figures are favorable to a Republican control of the House, but several districts are so close that either party may have a small margin. The following table is based on Associated Press calculations:

50th Cong.			51st Cong.		
States.	D.	R.	States.	D.	R.
Alabama	8	..	Alabama	8	..
Arkansas	5	..	Arkansas	5	..
California	2	4	California	2	4
Colorado	..	1	Colorado	..	1
Connecticut	3	1	Connecticut	1	3
Delaware	1	..	Delaware	1	..
Florida	2	..	Florida	2	..
Georgia	10	..	Georgia	10	..
Illinois	6	14	Illinois	7	13
Indiana	6	7	Indiana	6	7
Iowa	3	8	Iowa	1	10
Kansas	..	7	Kansas	..	7
Kentucky	8	3	Kentucky	9	2
Louisiana	6	..	Louisiana	5	1
Maine	..	4	Maine	..	4
Maryland	5	1	Maryland	3	3
Massachusetts	4	8	Massachusetts	2	10
Michigan	5	6	Michigan	2	9
Minnesota	2	2	Minnesota	..	5
Mississippi	7	..	Mississippi	7	..
Missouri	12	2	Missouri	10	4
Nebraska	1	2	Nebraska	..	3
Nevada	..	1	Nevada	..	1
New Hampshire	1	1	New Hampshire	..	2
New Jersey	2	5	New Jersey	2	5
New York	15	19	New York	15	19
North Carolina	8	1	North Carolina	8	1
Ohio	6	15	Ohio	5	16
Oregon	..	1	Oregon	..	1
Pennsylvania	8	30	Pennsylvania	7	21
Rhode Island	..	2	Rhode Island	..	2
South Carolina	7	..	South Carolina	..	..
Tennessee	8	2	Tennessee	7	3
Texas	11	..	Texas	11	..
Vermont	..	2	Vermont	..	2
Virginia	3	7	Virginia	8	2
West Virginia	3	1	West Virginia	..	4
Wisconsin	2	7	Wisconsin	2	7
Total	171	154	Total	156	169

SOWDEN NOT GRIEVING.

What the Allentown Member Has to Say of the Result.

Pacing the Girard House corridor yesterday, the most observed of all the guests, Congressman Sowden's face wore an expression that seemed closely akin to satisfaction, says the Philadelphia Press. The war which President Cleveland had waged against Mr. Sowden on account of his opposition to the Mills bill had proceeded to the length of vetoing his bill for an appropriation of $100,000 to build a postoffice in Allentown. He said:

"President Cleveland, no doubt, sees now where this Free-trade heresy, which he took up at the instigation of Southern Free-trade Congressmen, has led him. When Mr. Randall and myself stood up in the House of Representatives against the Mills bill, because of our convictions, which told us that it would injure the business interests of our country, not to speak of the interests of our districts, we were denounced right and left as traitors. Then our censors, who were among the President's closest advisers, began to threaten us, and finally put their threats into practical execution by turning all our friends who had been appointed to places in the Federal service through us, against us. Not content with this, the President went out of his way to strike at me by vetoing a bill which I had passed through the House and Senate by unanimous vote, appropriating $100,000 for the erection of a postoffice building in Allentown.

"I had been approached before I voted against the Mills bill and told that if I would absent myself from my seat when the bill came up for passage it would serve the purpose about as well as if I voted against it. I declined to do that. I said I was ready to stand by my convictions. I said I regarded the Mills bill as a measure that would injure the manufacturing interests and the labor interests of the country. They told me then that if I wanted to get my $100,000 appropriation bill signed by the President I had better not oppose the Mills bill. Well, I would not stand that kind of bulldozing. I answered that I should rather the people of Allentown would transact their postal business on the street or public highway than that I should support a bill so manifestly against the interests of the people."

"To what do you attribute the defeat of the Democratic party?"

"To the attempt to force upon the people of the country an economic policy that was directly against their interests and in favor of the British Free-traders.

"I can only say with regard to the result of the election that President Cleveland brought it on himself. The people have decided that the industries of this country shall be protected, and their decision in the matter is final and not to be set aside by Mr. Cleveland nor his handful of Southern members of the Ways and Means Committee, not one of whom can show as much money invested in manufactories in his entire district as is represented by the industries of the single town of Allentown in my district."

AN EXTRA SESSION.

President Harrison to Call One in March to Reduce Taxation.

New York, Nov. 9.—The Herald's Washington correspondent telegraphs as follows:

"It now appears probable that General Harrison will, immediately upon his induction to office, call the members of the Fifty-first Congress together. His motive for this will be to arrange some plan for the reduction of taxation. There is no reasonable ground for the belief that any concurrent action upon the matter will be had at the session beginning in December next. To wait until the regular assembling of the Fifty-first Congress, which will be Republican in both branches, would be to postpone the subject until the session was well under way.

"In other words, a year and a half from the present time would necessarily elapse before a tariff bill acceptable to the Administration could be passed. Gen. Harrison's friends say he is unwilling to wait eighteen months before moving in a matter so important, and that the outlook is that an extra session is one which may be classed among the strong probabilities of the near future."

MILLS DISAPPOINTED.

He Claims That Cleveland Was Knifed by Hill and Other Democrats.

Chicago, Nov. 9.—A Globe special from Corsicana, Tex., says.

Roger Q. Mills is disappointed, but not discouraged, at the national Democratic disaster. He attributes the defeat of Cleveland in New York to knifing of him by Hill, Hewitt and Grant. He is particularly sore over the evidences of trading off the electoral ticket for votes for Hill for Governor. On tariff reform Mr. Mills is as firm as ever. He says it must be the keynote of the campaign for 1892. He says Cleveland will retain his popularity with the people, and that if a candidate is taken from New York in 1892 Cleveland must be the man.

The Solid South Breaking.

Baltimore, Nov. 9.—Leading Republicans now predict that if the result in Virginia does not break the solid South this time, the Maryland Republicans will do it at the next election. The Republicans have also tied the first branch of the Baltimore City Council. To show the immense gains of the Republicans in the State it need only be told that Cleveland's actual majority will not be over 1,300, and his plurality but 6,000, as against a majority in 1884 of 7,713 and a plurality of 11,118. But for the Prohibition vote, Maryland would this time have been in the Republican column. Fisk's vote in the State is 4,741, and St. John received but 2,827.

Not a Political Riot.

Louisville, Ky., Nov. 9.—The report of a political riot in Livingston, Ky., and that five men were killed on Tuesday, is untrue and wholly without foundation. The report originated by the local Republican ticket being completely snowed under, and one of their members sent a telegram as a hoax to a friend here stating that he was wounded and five others killed.

A Heavy Winner on Harrison.

Nashville, Tenn., Nov. 9.—William Riley, the Chicago bookmaker, is an enormous winner on Harrison, he having bet everyone here to a standstill Tuesday night, first at even and then at odds of 100 to 90. Among the bookmakers alone now doing business at the West Side Park it is estimated that $25,000 has changed hands.

An Election Judge Killed.

Santa Fe, N. M., Nov. 9.—The name of the election judge at San Rafael, who was shot and killed on Tuesday, was T. Provencher. The trouble is said to have grown out of an attempt of the Republican judges to secure the poll books.

A Defeated Candidate Goes Crazy.

St. Louis, Mo., Nov. 9.—Renshaw, campaign manager of George W. Castleman, the defeated Democratic candidate for Congress in the ninth district, is a raving maniac. He became very violent Wednesday night, and smashed nearly all of the furniture in his house. He imagines that water is pouring in upon him, and that he is in danger of drowning.

Langston Will Contest.

Petersburg, Va., Nov. 9.—It is announced that John M. Langston, the defeated colored candidate for Congress in this district, will contest the seat of E. C. Venable, Democrat, on the ground of alleged irregularities and also that Judge Waddell will contest Congressman Wise's seat in the Richmond district.

THE FIRST INAUGURATION.

Preparing to Celebrate Its Centennial In New York City.

NEARLY $200,000 TO BE COLLECTED.

The Ceremonies to be of the Most Impressive Description.

New York, Nov. 9.—The Sub-Committee on Plan and Scope of Centennial Celebration April 30, 1889, of the inauguration of George Washington as President of the United States, met yesterday at the Mayor's Office.

The committee reported that $175,000 would be needed to carry out the celebration as proposed. Of this sum it is expected to derive $50,000 from private subscriptions, $50,000 from the State and $75,000 from the city. Mr. Pierrepont said that $75,000 would be needed for the military and naval display, and Mr. McAllister thought $20,000 would be required to provide the banquet and ball. The committee reported that commissioners have been appointed by the States of Rhode Island, Pennsylvania, New Jersey, New Hampshire and Virginia.

It was decided that all moneys be expended under the direction of the Mayor and upon vouchers to be approved by him.

The celebration will begin Monday, April 29, when the President, Justices of the Supreme Court, and other distinguished guests will come on from Washington and be met at Elizabethport, as Washington was, and escorted to this city. That same evening a ball will be given at the Metropolitan Opera-House, for which 12,000 invitations will be issued.

Religious services will be held at 9 o'clock the next morning, April 30, in all the churches and a special service in St. Paul's, at which Bishop Henry C. Potter will officiate. This service will be similar in character to that performed on the day of the inauguration by the Right Rev. Dr. Provost, Bishop of the Episcopal Church in this city and Chaplain to the Senate, which services were attended by the President and Vice-President of the United States and the two houses of Congress.

The formal literary exercises will take place at 10:30 a. m., on the steps of the Sub-Treasury Building, at the corner of Wall and Nassau streets, where stood Federal Hall, the scene of the inauguration ceremonies. A prayer will be offered by Rev. Richard S. Storrs, D. D., LL. D.; a poem is expected from John Greenleaf Whittier, if his health will permit; the oration will be delivered by Chauncey M. Depew, the President of the United States will speak, and Archbishop Corrigan will pronounce the benediction. At the close of the literary exercises the military, industrial and civic parade will take place and will be reviewed from the steps of the Sub-Treasury as outlined in the report of the Committee on Army.

Street stands will be erected along the line of march to which an admission fee of twenty-five cents will be charged.

In the evening there will a banquet at the Metropolitan Opera House, for which 3,000 invitations will be issued. The names of the speakers who will respond to the toasts will be given later. Mr. McAllister promised that the banquet and ball shall exceed in magnificence anything of a like nature ever before attempted in this city.

W. A. Coffin, the artist, of No. 138 West Fifty-fifth street, will probably be asked to manage the art exhibition.

The Navy Committee report that the Secretary of the Navy has promised the cordial co-operation of the Navy Department in the proposed celebration, and will, for this purpose, assemble in the harbor of New York such available naval forces of the United States as can be spared from other duties.

The French Government and other foreign nations and all the yacht clubs will also be invited to take part in the naval display. At its conclusion the President and his escort will be met at the foot of Wall street by the Mayor and the reception committee and escorted uptown.

A special salute of twenty-one guns will be given to the American flag April 30, 1889, at 12 o'clock noon, from ships of war of every nationality in New York Harbor and from the batteries at Castle Williams and Forts Hamilton and Wadsworth.

The active work of preparing for the celebration will be begun at once. Gov. Hill has placed the Governor's room at the City Hall at the disposal of the committee, and this will be made its headquarters. The Mayor has also turned over to them the large room used by him as a private office, which will serve the purpose of a committee room.

KNOCKED UNCONSCIOUS.

Frank Johnson Felled to the Floor in a Fight for $200.

Chicago, Nov. 9.—Frank Skinner and Frank Johnson, both clever lightweights, met in the ring near Jefferson early this morning. The battle was for $200 a side and gate receipts, and with two ounce gloves, Queensbury rules. At the start Skinner rushed upon his antagonist and dealt him a terrific blow in the mouth. Before Johnson could recover he was felled to the floor by a sledge-hammer twister on the left jaw. He fell unconscious and lay upon his face twenty-five seconds before he showed any signs of life. He was then lifted to his corner and the fight was awarded to Skinner.

Running Amuck in Swampoodle.

Willard F. Wells ran amuck in "Swampoodle" Monday with a butcher knife and a leg of mutton. He chased Mr. O'Brien around his saloon and was finally arrested by Roundsmen Mooney and Bushall.

On the way to the patrol box, where the wagon was pulled, Roundsman Bushall says he kicked him, injuring him so painfully that he almost fell. Then the officer hit him with his club, breaking both the club and Wells' head.

On the New Jersey avenue station house blotter Wells was charged with disorder, assaulting an officer and carrying a concealed weapon. A dozen people living about the scene of the difficulty testified for the defense on the trial of the case this morning, and Judge Miller took personal bonds for the last two charges and fined him $5 for the disorder.

A California Hotel Burned.

Los Angeles, Cal., Nov. 9.—The large hotel at Long Beach on the coast, about twenty miles from this city, with nearly all its costly furniture, was totally destroyed by fire Wednesday night. Loss $80,000; insurance $45,000.

A Short-Lived Honor.

New York, Nov. 9.—George H. Foster, president of the Board of Alderman who was reelected on Tuesday, died at his home at Riverdale yesterday. He had been ill with pneumonia.

Burglars Go Through a Jeweler's.

Anderson, Ind., Nov. 9.—Burglars entered Shirk's jewelry store at 6 o'clock last evening, while the proprietor was at supper, and robbed it of $2,000 worth of watches, rings and chains. The burglary was a bold and skillful one.

WHAT THEY THINK OF IT.

Public Printer Benedict and General Harris on the Situation.

Public Printer Benedict has returned from New York and was at the Printing Office this morning. An Evening Post reporter found him up to his head in work, but when asked what he thought of the result the Public Printer stopped long enough to say:

"The defeat of the Democrats is due to Quay's organization and the unlimited fund at his command to carry out his schemes. The tariff issue was the collateral on which the Republicans raised their fund. Troy and Albany, both large manufacturing cities, gave increased majorities for Cleveland."

Mr. Benedict said no one would question Hill's loyalty, and that the factional fight in New York city served to bring out a larger vote than would, perhaps, have been otherwise polled. The Public Printer is not a bit cast down, but accepts the result philosophically.

Gen. Harris, Third Assistant Postmaster General, said he hardly knew what to think of the election.

"It looks to me something like the campaign of 1840 over again. Then again, you know, as a rule the 'outs' are apt to work harder than the 'ins,' who as a matter of course, feel in a more or less degree a certain sense of security. I think Hill's election is due mainly to the large German element, which is Republican. While the Germans voted for Hill for Governor, they voted for Harrison for President."

Gen. Harris takes a rosy view of the situation, and believes that the change will only be for four years. He attributes the defeat to the lavish use of money. "The floating vote is an unknown quantity, and the party that can vote it will always win. The 'floaters' in the close States," said he, "turned the tide of victory."

COL. LAMONT'S PLANS.

He Will Enter the Service of a New York Insurance Company.

Col. Lamont, President Cleveland's private secretary, has completed all his arrangements to cut adrift from politics altogether, says the World, and take up his residence in this city as a business man when the President shall have completed his term of office. Mr. Lamont had arranged to give up his office on the 1st of next January, but will now stay with the President until the end of his term.

St. Clair McKelway, the manager of the Brooklyn Eagle, says of Col. Lamont's intentions:

"He has accepted a position in the office of one of the large life insurance companies of New York, and will devote himself henceforth to that. I think he is well qualified for such a place. Mr. Lamont was with me for five years at Albany. I made him managing editor of the Argus. His duties consisted of reading the exchanges, selecting a certain class of reading matter for the paper, and reporting the proceedings of the Assembly. That was the work he was engaged in when Mr. Cleveland, upon assuming the office of Governor, made him his private secretary. Even then I think Mr. Lamont was dissatisfied with his position, and I know that he intended, when Mr. Cleveland was elected President, to retire and go into business.

"I will remember the scene when Mr. Lamont decided to go with the President to Washington. Mr. Cleveland was sitting in an easy revolving-chair writing at a table. Lamont had informed him several days previously that he could not afford to go to Washington and begged that the President-elect choose another secretary, and this Mr. Lamont had been repeating. Mr. Cleveland stopped writing, turned his chair around so that he faced Lamont, and, putting his hand down firmly on his knee in a way he has when he is determined, he said: 'Dan, if you won't go I won't go.' 'All right,' said Lamont, with a smile of resignation. 'That settles it.'"

REPUBLICAN REJOICING.

Preparations Being Made for a Parade Next Week.

The Republican National League have decided to have a grand demonstration on next Wednesday night, to commemorate the election of Harrison. A parade will be given in which all the Republican clubs of the District as well as other loyal followers of the Tippecanoe banner are expected to participate. Dr. E. A. Adams, chairman of the finance committee, is collecting funds for the music and other expenses and will doubtless meet with generous treatment.

The Marine and the Third Artillery bands will be engaged and there will be doubtless other music as a great turnout is expected.

East Washington will contribute to the parade a large float on which their campaign glee club will sit, the members being accompanied by a piano.

An effort will be made to secure the great Harrison ball which rolled up the Avenue a few weeks ago.

The Harrison and Morton Club of South Washington held an enthusiastic meeting last night when committees were appointed to arrange for taking part in the coming demonstration. A large number were admitted to membership and several addresses were delivered.

LIQUOR LICENSES.

Applications Approved and Rejected by the Commissioners.

The Commissioners approved and rejected, respectively, the applications of the following for bar-room licenses:

Approved.

Northwest—W. H. Quackenbush, 1038 Thirty-second street; Myles Gibbons, 946 Twenty-seventh street; J. W. Powers, 1123 Twenty-ninth street; William Hessler, 1017 E; G. E. La Barre, 200 Eleventh street; Charles Klotz, 1508 G street; John Daly, 311 Pennsylvania avenue; Charles Dietz, 239 New Jersey avenue; John Callaghan, 319 Thirteenth street; J. B. Benchling, 123 Pennsylvania avenue; Henry Rupertus, 635 L street; P. Ward, 1035 Seventh street; P. Ragan, 2009 Seventh street; F. Hall, 923 Eleventh street; G. F. Marcey, 3328 M street; J. V. Geisler, 1261 Twentieth street.

Southwest—J. Fegan, 638 Sixth street; Jacob Kreis, 468 K street; Mary C. Hall, 225 Sixth street; Ed. Flynn, 129 G street; E. T. Gibbons, 504 Third street; Jefferson & Co., 321 C street.

Northeast—Julia Walsh, 234 C street; J. Witt, H street extended.

Southeast—David Nagle, 153 H street.

County—Mary Clarke, Bates' road; George W. Richardson, Bowen road; Ed. Kelly & Co., Rock Creek Church road; Susannah Ludwig, Rock Creek Church road; A. Schmidt, Fourth and Pomeroy streets.

Rejected.

Northwest—Francis Karsch, 1400 Pennsylvania avenue; T. A. Duffy, 1004 Fourth street; Delia Keefe, 1603 Third street; Felix Shannon, 1012 P street; Daniel Giesler, 1701 Eighth street; T. F. Darcy, 1916 Seventh street; John Brosnan, 700 Second street; Ed. Murphy, 1155 Fifteenth street; John Keefe, 103 O street.

Southwest—John T. Clark, 1024 Seventh street; H. M. DeAtley, 701½ Ninth street.

Northeast—Julius Egloff, 901 A street.

RIGHTS OF PEDESTRIANS.

A Careless Driver Fined For Running Over a Little Boy.

Johnny Miller, a 11-year-old boy who was run over by a slop-wagon driver by Arthur Worn's some time ago, hobbled into the Police Court on his crutches to testify regarding it. Dr. Leach said that the boy might lose a leg.

Johnny was riding his bicycle on G street toward Sixth when the wagon came along at a pretty rapid rate, according to the testimony of several Pension Office clerks.

He was knocked over and badly bruised. Judge Miller fined the prisoner $25 and costs, as he was clearly criminally negligent, but he gave notice that he would not, while judge, hold that pedestrians had the right of way on a street.

The Heaviest Winner in Town.

Andrew Gleason is the heaviest winner in the District on the election. He captured $10,000 against $5,000 at 9 o'clock Tuesday night, which put him $14,000 ahead.

THE CZAR'S LIFE IN PERIL.

A Deadly Conspiracy Believed to Have Been Discovered.

NIHILISM AND ITS AWFUL WORK.

The Russian Officials Ready to Deal Summarily.

London, Nov. 9.—The efforts of the Russian Government to conceal the real causes of the accident to the Czar's train have proved futile. The stories about the defective railway sleeper which gave way at an inopportune moment and derailed the train, and high rate at which the engines were driven under the Czar's order for the sake of making up lost time, are very ingenious, but it is too evident that they were manufactured for the occasion. The arrests that have been made since the accident tell quite another story, and one which, in the light of recent discoveries of infernal machinery at Sebastopol, will be more readily believed than those circulated by the authorities.

The other day fifty or more suspected Nihilists were arrested in Moscow, while numerous other arrests have been made in other parts of Russia. The Government, it is thought, have got on the track of a gigantic conspiracy to kill the Czar, one part of which was the attempt on his railway carriage last week.

The Russian censors have suppressed most of the facts and information on the subject is very meagre at best. It appears, however, that the headquarters of this latest conspiracy was in Moscow, from which city subordinates were directed. A portion of the latter was stationed at Sebastopol and it is said that they rank among high officials there.

That the "accident" which befell the imperial train was arranged by these Czar-haters can hardly be doubted. This plan, as is known, failed of execution on the man for whom it was intended, though it proved fatal to a number of others, but unless the Government has succeeded in breaking up the band of nihilists who planned this plot, other details of the conspiracy will be forthcoming, which may be more successful.

ANOTHER HORRIBLE MURDER.

The Whitechapel Fiend Again Engaged In His Bloody Work.

London, Nov. 9.—Another horrible murder has taken place in the East End. A woman's body, hacked and cut into pieces, was found this morning in Dorset street. The body was found at eleven o'clock this morning. The police are endeavoring to track the murderer with blood hounds.

The victim of the Spitalfields murder was, like the rest of the Whitechapel victims, an abandoned woman. She had a husband who was a porter, but she lived with him only at times. Her name is believed to be Lizzie Fisher, and she was nicknamed Mary Jane. As she entered the house where she lodged by means of a latch-key, probably no one saw the man who accompanied her.

Hence it is doubtful if the murderer is ever identified. The man might easily have left the house at any time between the hours of one and six without attracting any especial attention. The physicians who viewed the corpse reserve their statements for the inquest which will follow. Three bloodhounds which are owned by a private citizen have been placed on the scent but they are useless.

BRODIE'S LAST JUMP.

He Seriously Injures Himself in a Leap at Poughkeepsie.

Poughkeepsie, N. Y., Nov. 9.—Steve Brodie, the champion jumper, who once jumped from the Brooklyn bridge, sprang from the bridge which is now being built across the Hudson River at this point at six o'clock this morning. The jump was made from the West Pier. Brodie sustained severe injuries in the jump, breaking three ribs and blood was freely running from his mouth and ears when picked up by a boat. He was rowed to Highland, opposite here, and put on a train for New York. It is said that Brodie may die from his injuries.

New York, Nov. 9.—Brodie, on his arrival in this city, was taken to his home, 117 Hester street, where he was examined by a physician, who said that the jumper would be all right in a few days. The jump was for a wager of $500, and the distance jumped is said to be 222 feet.

FIRE IN ALBANY.

The South Wing of the University Burned, With the Records.

Albany, N. Y., Nov. 9.—The south wing of the Albany University building was destroyed this morning, and it is feared that all the records are destroyed. These cannot be replaced. In this building, which has stood for nearly a century, Joseph Henry, while professor of physics, from 1828 to 1832, made his first experiments with electricity through circuits of wire. The building holds an important part in the State's history.

THE GREAT RACE.

Teemer Arrives in the City With Hamm and Goes to Georgetown.

Teemer, the oarsman who is to row O'Connor on the 24th instant on the Potomac, arrived in the city to-day with Hamm, his trainer, and went to the Morgan House, in Georgetown, which will be his headquarters. He brought two boats with him. Teemer is in excellent condition, and will make O'Connor row for his life.

Notes from the Workshops.

New York, Nov. 9.—It is stated that one-half of the 600 hands now employed at Higgins' carpet factory, in West Forty-third street, will be discharged to-morrow night. The factory has been running with a two-thirds force since June last, and a further reduction is now found to be necessary.

Canajoharie, N. Y., Nov. 9.—Sanford & Sons' carpet mills at Amsterdam, which have been shut down lately, will resume operations on Monday next. Two thousand persons are employed at the mills.

Greenway Defends Himself.

Winnipeg, Man., Nov. 9.—In the Legislature yesterday Premier Greenway spoke for three hours in defense of himself and the Government against the charges of corruption which have been so freely made. He concluded by moving for a royal commission to investigate the charges fully.

Mrs. Gould Dying.

New York, Nov. 9.—Advices received at Jay Gould's office this morning state that the death of Mrs. Jay Gould is momentarily expected.

AT THE HOTELS.

C. H. White and wife, of Newark, N. J.; J. H. Kinshow, of New Orleans, and John E. Higgs and wife, of Long Island City, are at the Ebbitt.

R. MacMasl and wife, of N. J., and Arthur Hill and A. G. Clarke, of London, are at Willard's.

T. H. Wilson and wife, of Logansport, Ind.; Cornelt Woolley; S. J. Harriot and D. J. Dean, of N. Y., are at the Arlington.

Mr. and Mrs. John A. King and family, of Long Island, and D. D. Washburn, of N.