MR. O'BRIEN AT HOME

His Friends at Washington Are Reasonably Confident

OF HIS COMING APPOINTMENT

Though His Own Hopes Are Moderate. John C. FitzGerald's Opinion as Given on His Return.

The Hon. Thomas J. O'Brien and the Hon. John C. FitzGerald arrived home from Washington late last evening, where they were each called upon shortly afterwards by a reporter for THE HERALD. Asked as to the work in Mr. O'Brien's behalf, Mr. FitzGerald said: "We reached Washington last Monday, and on Tuesday morning Mr. Patton, Mr. Smith and myself called on the president, in company with Senators McMillan and Stockbridge. In calling with the senators there wasn't the slightest difficulty in getting an immediate audience. The interview was not long. The president listened attentively, and asked several questions regarding our candidate, but said nothing to commit himself either way. My own opinion is that he had not then made up his mind on the appointment.

Urged His Qualifications.

"No, we didn't urge any questions of claims of the state or anything of that nature. Mr. Harrison would not have listened to that in connection with that appointment. We urged solely the qualifications of the man and the fact that our state had united on him. I heard since that Joseph R. Moore of Lapeer is a candidate and is supported by ex-Senator Palmer, but believe there is little to it.

"Of course you understand that there will be no vacancy unless the senate confirms Judge Jackson's appointment. That was referred to the judiciary committee last Monday and will be acted on, no doubt, next week. The general belief in Washington is that Judge Jackson will certainly be confirmed. This sentiment which we hear about the country of opposition to Judge Jackson doesn't prevail in Washington at all. From my observation I believe there is scarcely any opposition to him among the senators. Senator Harris of Tennessee is opposed to him on account of a difference in opinion as to their state debt policy, but he is the only one I know of. It is the very general impression there that it is an excellent appointment. I should say there isn't one chance in a million against his confirmation. As to action being postponed by filibustering there is no likelihood of that.

Other Things Are Equal.

"Tennessee has a candidate in the person of Justice Wallace and Kentucky has Judge Bradley. I don't know whether special efforts have been made for either. Each of these states will now have an associate justice: Michigan has Brown, Kentucky, Harlan, and Tennessee, Jackson. If the appointment comes to Michigan, and there is no reason why it may not, Mr. O'Brien will get it. I feel quite hopeful about it from the encouragement given me by our senators, who are on intimate terms of course with the president and who feel very confident. Congressman O'Donnell of Jackson, who is a great friend of Mr. O'Brien, is doing all he can also to secure the appointment."

Mr. O'Brien's Ideas.

Mr. O'Brien was found in his library enjoying the comforts of home. With his usual modesty he said that he should much prefer not to be quoted personally. He regards the situation calmly and said that the only conclusion he could reach in his own mind is that the chances for each of the four states getting the appointment are relatively equal, "though," added he, "if the appointment comes to Michigan, I see no reason why it will not come to me." He did not call on Mr. Harrison at all, he said, and has no acquaintance with him other than to have met him on one or two formal occasions. "You may, however, quote me as saying this, if you will," said he. "Whichever way this appointment goes, I cannot but express my warmest gratitude to the newspapers, to my friends for their kind and unanimous support and especially to Judge Montgomery for his very generous act in withdrawing from his candidacy in order to indorse mine. It is not always so in such contests. It is exceedingly rare and I assure you I deeply appreciate it."

WAS BADLY THUMPED.

Charley Nichols Wants a Warrant but Tells a Crooked Story.

Charley Nichols, a tough looking fellow whose tough appearance and ugliness enhanced by a black eye and a well pounded face, hung around the police station all day yesterday asking for a warrant for a hackdriver, whose name he did not know. He said the hackdriver was trying to get his wife to leave him and when he objected the hackdriver thumped him. Officer Wells, who has been called to Nichols' rooms over Metzler's saloon several times, tells a different story. He says Nichols was beating his wife and the hackdriver took the wife's part and gave Nichols what he deserved. Assistant Prosecuting Attorney Hodgers would not give an order for a warrant until he could investigate the case.

Didn't Use Them Well.

"I think the aldermen do very wrong in not allowing a fair salary to members of the board of review and equalization," said Simon Sullivan, clerk of the board, yesterday. "Now there's the sealer of weights and measures. He gets $75 a month, nearly as much as members of this board do, who are men of long experience and judgment. No common man could do it. The city marshal gets $1,300 year and has an assistant to do the outside work at $2.50 per day. If these places were fixed at at salary the amounts would be drawn from the contingent fund and the various improvement funds charged therewith, so that it would come out of the improvements just the same."

Big Deal In Dirt.

One of the largest real estate deals of the month was made yesterday. W. H. Raguel bought from the South Grand Rapids Improvement company 200 lots in the village of South Grand Rapids, paying $54,000. It is claimed that the transfer was made so that money could be borrowed on the lots from a building and loan association. According to law, the building and loan associations are not allowed to loan money to corporations. The property was therefore transferred to Mr. Raiguel, who will be able to make the loan legally.

Litigation Over Wool Deals.

Denny & Rice, of New York, began suit in the United States court yesterday against Lamoreaux & Co. Damages of $10,000 are nominally claimed for alleged refusal to settle in full in the matter of a woolbuying contract. The difference is largely in reference to the quality of the wool purchased. Mr. Lamoreaux said yesterday that there is a difference of $7,000 and upwards. The plaintiffs claim $4,400 from the defendants, and the latter claim the plaintiffs owe them from $2,500 to $3,000.

Gone on a Sad Journey.

The remains of Clarence F. Leidy, who died on Thursday night, were taken to Detroit yesterday afternoon in charge of T. W. Fletcher and H. M. Rose of the Press club. A dozen of his newspaper friends accompanied the body to the station. Mrs. Leidy went on the same train. The interment will be at Toledo, which was the former home of Mrs. Leidy.

Innes Rifles Officers.

The Innes Rifles has elected Lieutenant Schouters president, Sergeant Haze treasurer, Private Titts secretary. The company officers will give a handsome gold medal to the company, to be drilled for about March 8. An entertainment and dance will also be given.

Will Be Accommodated.

J. C. Schmidt was arrested last night for having broken into Metzger's commission house on South Ionia street and stealing a number of oranges. He acknowledges his guilt and offers for an excuse that he wished to go to jail for the rest of the winter.

Death of Mrs. Burman.

Hannah A. Burman, wife of Phillip H. Burman, died at 1:25 yesterday morning at the age of 39 years. The funeral will be held Sunday at 10 a. m. from the residence, No. 69 Turner street.

To Consid er Justices' Bills.

There will be a meeting of the bar in the circuit court rooms at 3 p. m. today to make recommendations concerning the justice bills pending in the legislature.

City News in Brief.

Bishop W. X. Ninde of the M. E. church will arrive this afternoon and will be the guest of the Rev. F. L. Hamilton of Ames church. He will preach Sunday morning in the Ames and at 3 p. m. in the Division street church.

The West Side Building and Loan association has elected the following officers: President, William E. Gill; vice president, William M. Adams; treasurer, S. G. Ketcham; secretary and attorney, Gerald Fitz Gerald.

Oliver S. Crawford and Mrs. Zenas Swett, widow of a Saginaw merchant, were married in Saginaw on Thursday. Mr. Crawford was once associated with Farmer Reynolds in a weekly newspaper venture in this city.

The funeral of Mrs. Cornelia Hoogesteeger will be held at 2 p. m. today from the residence of her daughter, Mrs. John Du Free, No. 106 Page street. Mrs. Hoogesteeger had lived in western Michigan since 1847.

The horse and cutter found in the barn of Abram Van der Velde has been identified as Thomas Kelly's, who was nearly frozen to death near the D., G. H. & M. junction the other night.

Donald McLean and E. L. Shirley of Detroit and Fleming Carroll of Ann Arbor have accepted invitations to the Academy of Medicine banquet on Monday night.

Theodore Lee, a colored man, fell on the sidewalk near the Blodgett block yesterday and was somewhat injured. The ambulance took him to his home on Grandville avenue.

The supreme sick benefit league of Michigan will give a pedro party in Hanish's hall, on Waterloo street, this evening. A cordial invitation is extended to all.

The "Second Ten" of the Ladies' Aid society of East street M. E. church gave a social at the home of Mrs. John Gulliford, No. 156 Henry street, last night.

Pharis S. Griffin was arrested last night on a warrant sworn out by his employer, C. C. Burleigh, charging him with having, on August 17, embezzled $43.

Andrew Alva, an employe of Nelson, Matter & Co. for twenty years, had two fingers and a thumb cut off by a rip saw at the factory Thursday.

Niram A. Fletcher was summoned to Alma yesterday on account of the dangerous condition of his father, who has been sick for several weeks.

There will be a veteran's service on Sunday morning in the East street M. E. church. Subject: "A Grand Old Man in the Old Testament."

Fred Saxton has resigned his place with Foster, Stevens & Co. to join his father in the lumber business at Pomona, near Manistee.

The temple of earnest workers gave a musical and literary entertainment at the corner of Lane avenue and Third street last night.

The Methodist union will give a reception and banquet to Bishop W. X. Ninde, on Monday at 11:30, in the Eagle hotel.

Friends of Unity church enjoyed a social last evening at the residence of Gerald Fitzgerald, No. 285 West Bridge street.

Mrs. C. A. Chapman, head trimmer in the Boston store, left yesterday for the millinery opening in New York.

The councils of Pioneer Tent, Rechabites, have been discontinued after a two years' existence.

William Austin, traveling freight agent for the C., B. & Q., was in the city yesterday.

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ITS REPORT IS LOST

The Minority Report in the Wayne Contest

IS LOST IN THE SHUFFLE

The Majority Report Recommends the Unseating of Griffin and Rusch. Little Legislative Business.

LANSING, Mich., Feb. 10.—Both houses held morning sessions today. Mr. Barkworth had not decided on a course of action relative to the rejected protest which he declares must yet appear on the journals, and in the lower house nothing occurred out of the routine. Bills authorizing incorporated towns to own cemeteries within or without their limits, and prohibiting the catching of small mottled black bass in Walloon lake, Cheboygan county, during certain months of the year passed the house. The majority reports recommending the unseating of Griffin and Burch, were presented this morning. The minority report was lost in the shuffle in some manner. It was decided to make the matter the general order of business for next Friday. The house adjourned at 11:30.

The senate held a long session, but accomplished nothing of startling importance. Senator Doran offered a resolution claiming that there is some question in regard to the different acts that have heretofore been passed for the purpose of bringing all railroads in this state under the operations of the general law, and resolving, that a committee of three be appointed by the senate to examine, with the attorney general, the different laws relative thereto and employ, if they deem it necessary, counsel to prepare a bill that shall bring all said railroads under the operation of the general laws of the state.

Supreme Court Decisions.

LANSING, Mich., Feb. 10.—The following opinions were handed down by the supreme court today: Affirmed—Graaf vs. Chicago & Northwestern Railroad company; Barron vs. City of Detroit; Nichols vs. Nichols; Damon vs. DeBar. Reversed—Monroe vs. Meech; Toliver vs. Brownell; Hensel vs. Maas; Crowell vs. Truax; Wolf vs. Troxell estate; Webb vs. Turner; Harrison vs. Harrison, decree modified: Atlee vs. Wexford; county supervisors, writ dismissed.

Muskegon Suckers.

MUSKEGON, Mich., Feb. 10.—Muskegon merchants are having their eye teeth cut slowly. Wednesday a big, hulky fellow visited several stores, made purchases and tendered checks for $15 signed Hackley & Hume and made payable to James Richards. "James" found it an easy field and is about $200 ahead of the game. But few people dreamt of questioning the checks.

Charged With Forgery.

FLINT, Mich., Feb. 10.—Loren E. Case was arrested today, charged with uttering a forged note on the Citizens' bank in this city, for $200.11. The note bore the names of Case's father, who lives at Swartz Creek, and E. S. Dart, a wealthy Gaines farmer. Case is in jail in default of $800 bail.

Sawmill Burned.

MAPLE RAPIDS, Mich., Feb. 10.—The sawmill of Jones, Barnard & Co., located in the northern part of the village, burned to the ground at an early hour this morning. Cause of the fire unknown; total loss.

Saginaw's New Library.

SAGINAW, Mich., Feb. 10.—Isaac Bearinger, Saginaw's public-spirited capitalist, has decided to establish a $20,000 law library in his magnificent $175,000 block now approaching completion.

School House Ablaze.

UNION CITY, Mich., Feb. 10.—Fire broke out in Union City's $20,000 school building this morning. Four hundred pupils were let out in safety. The fire was confined to two rooms.

Landmark Gone

FENTON, Mich., Feb. 10.—An old landmark was burned this morning. It was the residence of Luke Tyree, valued at $1,500. It was built in 1834 by Governor Fenton.

SHE IS A TERROR.

The Vesuvius on Her Trail Proves Herself a Destroyer.

PORT ROYAL, S. C., Feb. 10.—A clear day enabled the Vesuvius to resume the tests of her pneumatic guns this morning. A stiff southwest wind made the harbor rather lumpy in the early morning, but before the first shot was fired the breeze was no more than fresh and the water was fairly smooth. Promptly at 11:10 the Vesuvius hoisted signals announcing that she was ready to fire the first shot, and would aim from the 2,000 yard buoy. The board had gone aboard the Vesuvius early in the morning and watched the day's experiments from her docks.

With her signals flying the Vesuvius steamed slowly up to the 2,000 yards buoy, headed slightly to the north of the target line. A momentary pause followed while she swung slowly into position. Then the signals dropped and almost instantaneously there followed a white cloud of compressed air, indicating the firing of a shot. The observer's eye took up the projectile before it had gone a hundred yards on its flight.

The Vesuvius the second time crawled up to her buoy before firing. The shot was as pretty as its predecessor, or more nearly attained its target. The shell fell but ten feet feet short. A third shot was fired a few moments later, falling short of the target, but practically on the buoy line. An interval of an hour followed and then the remaining two projectiles were fired. The fourth shot fell on the buoy line, but the fifth and last shot fell so close to the target that the spray thrown up by the projectile obscured it. An instant afterwards an explosion was heard and the water behind the target was disturbed.

So far as could be seen, the fifth shell was the only one exploded, though the officers of the vessel and members of the board said that they had distinctly heard the explosion of the fourth shot. It was learned during the afternoon that after firing the first three projectiles the gun cotton primers had been replaced by gun powder primers, the supposition being that the gun cotton had failed to detonate the powder. Many of the officers maintain that this view is probably correct. The second and fifth shots fell so accurately that they would have fallen on an ordinary sloop stationed for a target.

The officers of the Vesuvius are greatly elated over the results of the day's tests. The Vesuvius returned to the naval station in the afternoon and took seven shells from the lighter. The gun cotton has been removed from these projectiles and will be replaced by powder to enable the continuance of the experiment tomorrow.

KILLED BY THE SNOW.

A Snow Plow Overturned by an Avalanche in Colorado.

BRECKENRIDGE, Colo., Feb. 10.—In the twinkling of an eye this morning two trainmen lost their lives and four others were injured by a snow-slide near this place.

The dead are: Engineer Lynch, Fireman Smith.

The injured, none of whom are dangerously hurt, are: Engineers Boynton and McGreevy, Fireman Bowan and Brakeman Hawkins.

About 5 o'clock this morning a rotary snow plow left Como in front of Union Pacific train No. 499, a fast train clearing the track westward. While the plow was laboring in the drifts close to Frisco, a small station eleven miles west of Breckenridge, a snow-slide came tearing down the mountain without a moment's warning. It struck the snow plow with terrific force and overturned both the plow and the locomotive.

HENRY DE MILLE DEAD.

Typhoid Fever Carries Off the Bright Playwright Yesterday.

NEW YORK, Feb. 10.—Henry De Mille, the playwright, died at Pompton, N. J., at 5 o'clock this morning of typhoid fever. His death was not expected, although he had been ill for over a week. Mr. De Mille was in good health up to two weeks ago, when he caught cold and was confined to his bed. Typhoid fever developed last Friday. He was reported to be very low on Monday, but rallied, and his physicians and the members of his family thought he would get well. There was a change for the worse late yesterday afternoon and he continued to sink until 5 o'clock this morning, when he died.

STRUCK A ROCK.

A. B. & O. Freight Train Wreck Attended by Fatalities.

PARKERSBURG, W. Va., Feb. 10.—Last night a freight train on the B. & O. railway ran into a rock that had been washed down by the rain near Tollgate, and wrecked the engine, piling ten loaded cars on top of it. William Spotts, of Grafton, engineer, was instantly killed, his fireman, Bruce Watkins, fatally injured, and a brakeman named Foley cut and bruised, and may die. The wreck was a very costly one. The freight train was just ahead of the through express. All trains were delayed twelve hours.

Another Anti-Nude Crank.

MILWAUKEE, Wis., Feb. 10.—Brother Maurelian, secretary of the catholic exhibit at the world's fair, has written the catholic clergy of Milwaukee, asking their assistance in securing the banishment of nude pictures and statuary from the fair. Brother Maurelian has already filed a protest with the world's fair officials.

WAS NOT AN ELOPEMENT.

How a Maid and Youth Heard the Gondoliers at Kalamazoo.

A cab appeared out of a flurry of snow at the union depot at five minutes after six last night, and two figures hastily alighted and sped away for the south bound G. R. & I. train. Cabby followed his fares.

A charming face peeped from a gray hat and a svelte figure was but partially concealed by a long gray cloak. The man, barring his mustache, looked like one of Gibson's men in Life.

As the couple passed through the gate, the individual who inspects tickets made a remark which brought a blush that died away in the aforesaid gray hat.

In the drawing room car the young man and woman met acquaintances.

"I thought I'd die," said the girl in gray, "as we came through the gate. The gateman said to a person standing by: 'It's an elopement sure, Bill. I can tell them.'

Everyone smiled at this.

"Thank goodness that we caught the train and can hear the Gondoliers tonight," continued the young woman when the laughter had ceased.

At this juncture cabby came into the car and, stopping by the young man, said: "Two dollars."

"Two dollars," echoed the young man. "What for? The regular fare is only $1."

"Double price for elopements," responded cabby. And the persons in the car roared.

An unusual sight was presented at the same station earlier in the afternoon. Some seventy amateurs strolled about the "deppo" wearing small grips attached to a minute strap. Their other raiment was too good for professionals; it had a sort of "special occasion" appearance, and plainly said the wearers were "new to the business." Aside from society members in the "coterie," a large number of the 150 also were there and went to Kalamazoo to add eclat to the event.

The duchess of Plaza-Toro stood at the gate and saw that the gondolier had a return ticket. This aggregation is not investigating roadbeds this trip. Luiz stood on the rear platform of the buffet, smoked a cigar and communed with himself. Tessa carried a huge box, said to contain sandwiches, and steadfastly refused all requests of "permit me." And so it was, the chorus flocked by themselves and talked about "big jumps" and "rocky one-night stands" with "dire bad dressing rooms."

John E. Brower consented to act as impressario "for this occasion only." "He dressed the part" in accordance with "his conception of it." He wore a smooth face, surmounted by a Langtry hang and topped with a silk hat. A yellow top coat was jauntily thrown open and revealed a long, shaggy cloth frock coat; a pair of gray unmentionables covered his nether limbs and his feet graced patent leathers. A large bunch of white hyacinths was in the lapel of his top coat and a diamond glistened in a French cravat. Mr. Brower also wore yellow gloves and a tightly rolled umbrella. On the third finger of his left hand sparkled a diamond ring, but the stone was turned in.

"Do I talk this way?" he demanded, gesticulating with his palms down, "or this way?" Up went his shoulders, and the palms also; then the beauty of the ring was patent.

The company left on a special train, consisting of a baggage car, two coaches, a smoker and buffet. The train was in charge of General Passenger Agent Lockwood and returned after the performance.

BUSINESS FALLS OFF.

The Sherman Bill Debate Affected the Banking Business.

NEW YORK, Feb. 10.—Bank clearing totals at seventy-eight cities for the week ended February 9, 1893, with comparisons as telegraphed to Bradstreet's:

New York	$740,161,861	dec 14.3
Chicago	96,087,696	inc 9.4
Boston	99,263,379	inc 3.9
Philadelphia	73,132,025	dec 9.4
St. Louis	23,561,136	dec 4.8
San Francisco	11,970,340	dec 21.1
Baltimore	14,595,379	dec 9.5
Pittsburg	13,898,983	inc 12.4
Cincinnati	15,045,850	.....
Kansas City	10,348,785	inc 17.1
New Orleans	12,801,254	inc 2.7
Minneapolis	6,361,126	dec 22.3
Buffalo	8,112,974	dec 9.9
Louisville	9,401,454	inc 27.4
Detroit	7,747,165	inc 28.1
Milwaukee	8,772,179	inc 32.8
Cleveland	5,883,511	inc 16.0
Omaha	7,285,426	inc 29.5
Providence	8,255,100	inc 49.1
Denver	7,600,424	inc 14.6
St. Paul	4,761,524	.....
Indianapolis	3,640,720	.....
Columbus	3,239,800	inc 3.4
Houston	6,855,955	inc 65.5
Memphis	2,727,056	dec 23.6
Richmond	2,092,730	dec 12.0
Hartford	2,453,426	inc 9.4
Portland, Ore.	1,749,000	dec 13.8
Washington	2,208,248	inc 19.4
Dallas	2,204,498	inc 4.6
Peoria	1,985,000	inc 2.7
Nashville	2,580,794	inc 24.5
Salt Lake City	1,057,383	dec 24.0
St. Joseph	2,053,408	inc 34.4
Duluth	2,198,830	inc 10.4
Rochester	1,696,620	inc 18.0
New Haven	1,722,689	inc 21.5
Springfield, Mass	1,601,946	inc 32.0
Worcester	1,200,855	inc 6.8
Portland, Me.	1,218,853	inc 26.5
Fort Worth	1,612,417	inc 42.2
Seattle	949,958	inc 2.7
Sioux City	1,245,415	inc 21.5
Waco	1,546,786	dec 2.1
Des Moines	1,140,005	inc 6.8
Grand Rapids	1,034,183	inc 41.2
Norfolk	876,528	dec 14.7
Syracuse	987,009	inc 10.0
Wilmington	858,598	inc 10.0
Tacoma	838,441	inc 4.8
Lowell	744,930	dec 13.9
Los Angeles	892,999	inc 10.2
Lincoln	536,238	dec 14.5
Wichita	530,882	dec 4.1
Birmingham	572,204	dec 5.4
Lexington, Ky.	489,728	inc 5.4
New Bedford	525,515	inc 26.2
Topeka	373,366	inc 4.1
Binghamton	767,500	.....
Savannah	1,877,750	inc 11.2
‡Helena	986,589	.....
‡Spokane	1,061,983	.....
‡Saginaw	459,583	.....
‡Jacksonville	512,649	.....
‡Great Falls	146,048	.....
‡Emporia, Kas.	45,290	.....
‡Fall River	917,958	.....
‡Albuquerque	131,832	.....
‡Sioux Falls	120,109	.....
‡Akron	253,441	.....
‡Springfield, O.	221,787	.....
‡Galveston	6,440,590	.....
Total for the United States	$1,247,506,572	dec 7.9
Cities excluding New York	505,344,709	inc 3.4
Dominion of Canada—		
Montreal	$11,704,792	inc 7.3
Toronto	6,242,208	dec 4.4
Halifax	1,138,316	inc 1.4
‡Hamilton	794,743	inc 11.6
Total	$19,930,099	inc 2.5

‡—Not included in totals.

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