MAY BE FIGHTING.

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point a sufficient number of Deputy-Sheriffs to attend at all the polling-places. The Committee was also directed to confer with the District-Attorney as to measures necessary to be taken to prevent violations of the law of the State.

A Letter to Davenport.

The committee of lawyers appointed yesterday under Mr. Croker's resolution to devise means for protecting the Democratic voters of the city against intimidation by the Federal authorities, held a busy session this morning in the office of David Leventritt, the Chairman, in the Stewart Building.

Besides Mr. Leventritt, David McClure, H. D. Hotchkiss and John M. Bowers were present. The resolutions of yesterday were discussed, and it was decided as a first step to send a letter to United States Supervisor John I. Davenport protesting against the arrest and intimidation of Democratic voters, and informing him that steps would be taken for their protection.

It was also said that the Committee will meantime confer with the District-Attorney, although Mr. Bowers said after the meeting this morning that the subject of presenting the names of any of those concerned in making arrests of voters to the Grand Jury had not yet been discussed.

The following letter which it was decided to send at once to John I. Davenport:

"We understand that it is contemplated by you to make certain arrests of electors of this county for alleged illegal registration.

"If such offense of illegal registration has been committed by any person, it was committed either as early as the eleventh day of October, the first day of registration, or, in any event, not later than the twenty-ninth day of October, the last day of registration.

"The lists of each day's registration are at once placed in your hands, and you must have long since completed your work of inspection of such lists.

"It has frequently happened, however, that you have withheld making arrests for alleged illegal registration, until election day. And as we are informed, have held the persons so arrested until the election was over, thereby causing the elector to lose his vote, even though entitled to cast it.

"As you can just as well execute your warrants for illegal registration now as on Election Day, we have to request that you will forthwith issue and execute any warrants you may intend to issue for illegal registration, in order that the elector, if entitled to his discharge, shall receive the same in time to cast his vote.

"Assuming that the intent of the law under which you act was not to interfere with lawful voters, but to punish and restrain illegal voting, we take it for granted that you will co-operate with us in determining all such questions in advance of the day of election, and that you will therefore comply with our request."

After the meeting the entire committee proceeded to Davenport's office in the Post-Office Building, but he could not be found. It was decided to leave the letter to be transmitted to him, and another meeting was called for the Committee early to-morrow morning.

Mr. Croker Not Scared.

The general conclusion expressed at Tammany Hall to-day regarding the instructions sent to Federal deputy marshals and supervisors defining their powers on election day in polling places, was that the Administration had decided to capture the election at all hazards. Leader Croker said:

"It seems as if the Government had formed itself into a trust and intended to take anything and everything it wanted. Of course, I am in no position to say now what the result will be, but I have no doubt that the Democrats will defend their rights. Members of Tammany Hall will not, I know, allow themselves to be interfered with in their rights.

"This is clearly an attempt to rob people of their rights, and my only hope is that nothing serious will eventuate. As to the possible arrest of Chairman Brennan of the Campaign Committee, I don't take much stock in it. What can he be arrested for unless for giving his opinion?

"After all, it makes very little difference whether the marshals are inside or outside the rail as long as a voter can cast his ballot without any trouble. Of course, trouble may arise in the challenging of a vote, but we hope for the best."

Col. Murphy's Law Point.

Ex-Senator Col. Michael C. Murphy did not think that the Federal authorities, through the Attorney-General's office, would attempt to enforce the interpretation of the law as laid down by Judge Aldrich.

"There is another point," said Col. Murphy, "and that is the question whether the Federal authorities can interfere, even with Presidential electors. Mr. Aldrich says in his opinion that the Supreme Court of the United States has ruled that Federal supervisors have jurisdiction in election of Presidential electors. I hold that the Presidential electors are exclusively State officers, and consequently not under the jurisdiction of the general Government.

"However, there may be trouble over the enforcement of the construction of this question, but if there is it will operate against those who enforce it."

We Have Stood It Long Enough.

"It is time we took some steps," said Commissioner Gilroy, of the Public Works Department. "We have stood this sort of interference with our elections long enough."

Democratic leaders declare that the steps thus far taken by the Federal authorities are all deliberately intended and designed to invite disorder. Marshal Jacobus informs his deputies that ample force will be provided to back them up in insistence upon their demands to control the polling places, but this does not terrify old politicians who know how efficient the New York police are in quelling riots. The opinion is expressed at Democratic headquarters that the Federal marshals will stop just short of overt acts that would bring them into actual conflict with Supt. Byrnes's well-drilled and well-equipped officers.

No Violations of Law Will Be Allowed.

Nelson Smith, Chairman of the Tammany General Committee and a lawyer of high standing, could not believe this morning that the Attorney General or the Acting Attorney General of the United States would affix his signature to any statement declaring that United States Marshals or Supervisors had a right to enter polling booths.

Mr. Smith read the published despatches to convince himself that such was the case, and then said:

"Notwithstanding the instructions issued to the supervisors and marshals I do not anticipate any conflict with them. They will be allowed to proceed to the full extent of the law, but no further. Our men will be instructed to give the Federal officials every facility to see that a fair election is held. But they have no more right than any other citizens to interfere with voters."

May Try It, but will Regret It.

Ex-Excise Commissioner Meekin said: "It looks to us as if the law was a farce. The Republicans are compelling it to sell themselves, and I have no doubt that they may attempt to enforce it. If they do I think they will regret it."

A Shame and a Disgrace.

County Clerk McKenna said: "It is a shame and a disgrace to our civilization that the Federal authorities can interfere in our elections. We do not need any advice from the Attorney-General on our rights, and we know that we will take care of ourselves even in the presence of United States marshals."

Other Democratic Opinions.

Alderman Dooling, of the seventeenth district—I think the Federal authorities will find it difficult to deprive us of our rights on election day.

Leader T. J. Dunn—Of course the Republicans will do their best to carry this State, and the latest decision on the powers of the supervisors could only be expected.

Police Justice Hyan—I think the interpretation is purely of a partisan character. The Acting Attorney-General has construed the law to suit the Republican party and is manifestly unjust.

Secretary McGoldrick—The people may now see what the result would be should the Force bill ever be put into effect. The definition of the powers of the Federal supervisors shows this.

Opinions of Carter and Hackett.

Chairman Carter, of the Republican National Committee, gave out this typewritten statement to-day:

"In the situation as it stands with regard to Chairman Sheehan's instructions to his local subordinates Mr. Carter has nothing to say further than that he understands the controversy to be between Mr. Sheehan and the United States Government, and he supposes heads the Government to be abundantly able to take care of itself and to perform its obligations to the people in full.

Chairman Hackett, of the State Committee, indorsed the views of Mr. Carter.

Jesse Johnson Gives a Tip.

Taking his cue from John I. Davenport United States District Attorney Jessee Johnson gave notice to United States Deputy Marshals in Brooklyn to-day that under a decision of the United States Circuit Court they could not be arrested on any pretext whatever by state officers while in the performance of their duties on election day.

This is taken to mean that the marshals are to have full sway on election day and as a hint to them that no matter how partisan and arbitrary their actions may be they need not fear interference from the constituted authorities of the State.

Frick's Pinkertons at Work.

It was learned to-day that the Pinkerton Detective Agency has been employed by the Republican National Committee, upon the suggestion of Manager Frick, of Homestead. The chief work of the Pinkertons is to assist John I. Davenport in his wholesale arrests, though it is alleged that they will also endeavor to prevent any known ex-convicts from voting anything but a Republican ticket.

It is said that the Pinkerton men will also, with the deputy marshals, be employed as handlers of Republican corruption funds on election day. For this purpose it is said, that $500,000 has been set apart by Chairman Carter and Manager Frick for use election day in this city alone.

To Each Marshal a Sheriff.

Sheriff Gorman is already making preparations to offset the army of United States Deputy Marshals and Supervisors who will infest every polling district in the city on election day. Every one of these subordinates of Marshal Jacobus and Supervisor John I. Davenport will be matched with a deputy sheriff.

"I have reason to believe," said Sheriff Gorman this morning to an EVENING WORLD reporter, "that there is danger of a breach of the peace in this community. My information comes not only from the newspapers, but from common report, and under the circumstances I am authorized by law to appoint a sufficient number of assistants to see that order is preserved.

"I am therefore prepared to swear in as many deputies as will enable me to preserve the peace, and any good, respectable citizen who presents himself will be accepted by me as a deputy.

"All that is necessary to qualify is that they shall be citizens of the United States, of lawful age, and will swear to support the Constitution and laws of the United States and the state of New York."

May Summon the Posse.

When asked how many deputies he expected to appoint under this authority, Sheriff Gorman replied that he could not tell, but that he would use his discretion in the matter.

"I have only sworn in two to-day," he said at noon, "and if a sufficient number do not present themselves I have the power of issuing a call to the citizens to come to my assistance."

Sheriff Gorman said that these appointments were not necessarily exclusively for election day, but that the persons appointed could serve as deputy sheriffs until the end of his term of office.

"I am taking this step," he said, "by virtue of the authority which the law gives me, and because I think the circumstances demand it."

It is said that Sheriff Gorman intends to appoint 6,000 deputies to do duty at the polls on Election Day. This will make six for every election district in the city.

The Sheriff Means Business.

This is the first and most important step that has been taken for the protection of Democratic voters, and the general belief is that Tammany Hall means business.

The Sheriff added that his deputies would be instructed to watch for every violation of the law, and to arrest every person who should illegally attempt to interfere with the rights of voters at the polls.

All Ready for Davenport.

The following statement was given out today at Democratic Headquarters:

Full information as to the proceedings of John I. Davenport and his plans for election day has been placed in the hands of the Democratic National Committee from an authoritative source.

Davenport has practically abandoned his regular office in the Post-Office building, and has established his campaign headquarters over the Colombian National Bank, on the fourth floor of the building at the corner of Forty-second street and Fifth avenue. At this place he has spacious quarters, containing seven different rooms. Thirty typewriters and a large force of clerical assistants are kept constantly at work.

A card list has been made out of every registered voter in the city of New York, and these are arranged in file boxes upon which are inscribed the name of the voter and his residence, and also his politics, Democrats being marked "Dem." and Republicans "Rep." The cards also contain certain secret numbers and marks for the information of Davenport and his confidential assistants.

Commissioner Deuel, who has his office in the Post Office Building, does most of Mr. Davenport's private work for him, and close communication is maintained between them by messengers.

The most important fact disclosed, however, is that Davenport has his plans all laid to arrest some 6,000 men at the polls on election day. He is now at work in this direction, and he is leaving no stone unturned in his effort to help the Republican party in its desperate attempt to carry New York State.

No apprehension is felt, however, by the Democratic National Committee that Davenport's tactics can accomplish much. The Democratic organization of the City of New York is fully alive to the situation. It has met Davenport before and rendered his scheme abortive, and the National Committee has full confidence that it will do so again this year."

One Method of Intimidation.

A large number of voters in this city have received notices as follows, from the Davenport election bureau:

SIR: Your right to register and vote in the Election District of the ——Assembly District of the City of New York has been questioned. By calling at this office you may be able to satisfactorily explain the matter and thus avoid further trouble. Yours, &c.,

JOHN I. DAVENPORT,
Chief Supervisor.

The intent of this notice is clearly to deter citizens from attempting to vote, by impressing them with the undesirability of coming in conflict with Davenport or his minions. Arrangements have been made by the Democratic Committee, however, which may relieve all recipients of any such notice from any anxiety on this ground.

Counsel and bondsmen will be provided, without expense, to all persons who are entitled to vote, and whose right to vote is being unjustifiably challenged by Mr. Davenport.

The matter has been taken under consideration by representatives of the Reform Club, and also of the Democratic Club, and definite information will be promptly published.

In the mean time no voter receiving any of these notices, and conscious of his right to register and vote, need have any anxiety because of Mr. Davenport's action.

Hiring Men to Leave the State.

At a meeting of the Executive Committee of Tammany Hall, Police Commissioner James J. Martin offered the following resolution, which was adopted:

Whereas, Information has reached this Committee that large sums of money are to be paid by the managers of the Republican party to registered voters as an inducement to them to refrain from voting.

Resolved, That the Democratic Organization of Tammany Hall hereby offers a reward of $500 to any person giving information which will secure the arrest and conviction of any person or persons who pay or promise or offer to pay any registered voter to remain away from the polls and refrain from voting on election day.

A BIG LABOR DEMONSTRATION.

To Be Held To-Night in the Interest of Cleveland and Stevenson.

Labor's voice will be heard in behalf of Democracy and tariff reform at a meeting in Webster Hall, Eleventh street, between Third and Fourth avenues, to-night. It will be one of the most important meetings of the campaign. It is to be held under the auspices of fifty officials of organized labor, who signed the call.

The following representatives of organized labor will address the meeting: John T. Burke, Typographical Union, No. 6; James Daly, File Layers' Union; Thomas J. Ford, Brassworkers' Union; James McAlin, Brotherhood of Carpenters; John O'Connell, Brewers' Employers' Association; Mortimer O'Connell, Secretary Central Labor Union; R. J. Hawkes, Concord Labor Club; Wm. I. Connolly, Magnolia Labor Club and many others.

The prediction is made that it will be the biggest real workingmen's meeting ever held in this city in favor of any candidates. The officials of labor organizations in this city are almost without exception in favor of Cleveland and Stevenson, and to-night they will give their reasons therefor in no doubtful way.

NOW IT IS LEADER BROWN.

He and William Meier Arrested by John I. Davenport's Men.

William F. Brown, said to be one of the leaders in the Tammany Hall organization, was this morning brought before United States Commissioner Shields by Deputy United States Marshal Adler, charged with colonizing voters at the house 35 East Twelfth street. It was from this house that John Loch, Frank McCabe and Lewis Lurig, who are now under arrest for illegal registration, registered.

Mr. Brown is owner of the houses 35 and 37 and 67 East Twelfth street. It is charged that men who have no legal right to vote have also registered from the houses Nos. 35 and 67.

Up to 2 o'clock Mr. Brown had not been arraigned. Commissioner Shields says that Brown is looking for bail, which United States District-Attorney Mitchell has placed at $5,000.

Mr. Brown was arrested on a bench warrant issued by commissioner shields.

William McGee, who registered from 34 East Twelfth street, came to the United States Marshal's office about 1 o'clock to see Brown.

He was told that a warrant had been issued for his own arrest, and was at once taken into custody.

He was taken before Commissioner Shields and held under $1,000 bonds for illegal registration. He was then lugged off to Ludlow Street Jail.

GROVER'S STRENGTH IN JERSEY.

Senator McPherson Sure of His State by a Big Majority.

Senator John R. McPherson, of New Jersey, was in this city this morning, arranging for the monster mass-meeting in Jersey City tonight, which is to be addressed by ex-President Cleveland, Judge Wert, the Democratic candidate for governor, and the Senator himself.

Regarding the outlook Mr. McPherson said: "So far as New Jersey is concerned Mr. Cleveland will be elected overwhelmingly. There has never been any doubt there as to Mr. Cleveland's strength. The Republicans may spend all the money in the country and it would not affect the result. The people have charge of this election, and they are going to elect Mr. Cleveland in spite of money and Federal intimidation."

EXPECTS A LANDSLIDE.

Tammany's Leader Predicts an Overwhelming Democratic Victory.

"I am more than ever confident that Cleveland and Stevenson will be elected," said Richard Croker at Tammany Hall today. "Everything points to that event, and furthermore, the election will be accompanied by a landslide that will cause a very great surprise to Republicans.

"Mr. Cleveland's plurality in this city will be 75,000. I am firmly convinced of this. I also think that Cleveland will carry Wisconsin, Illinois, Iowa, California and Indiana. I say California, because our past defeats were accomplished by very small majorities in that State, and events that have come to my knowledge lead me to predict that the fair-away State will go democratic.

"As for Indiana, the Democratic majority, I predict, will be 15,000. The Republicans already realize this, and it has become now a question in their minds how the people can be best cheated. Cleveland's election will be accompanied by a landslide of States going over enthusiastically to him."

MRS. LEASE DONE WITH KANSAS.

She Cancels Her Dates After an Attempt to Silence Her in Topeka.

(BY ASSOCIATED PRESS.)

TOPEKA, Kan., Nov. 4.—Chairman Jones, of the Democratic State Central Committee, left the Weaver meeting last night because of a misunderstanding with Mrs. Mary E. Lease, who demanded permission to speak.

The crowd waited to hear Mrs. Lease and began calling for her. Chairman Jones announced that Mrs. Lease had left to catch a train, but no sooner had he done so than the indignant Populist appeared from behind the files of the opera-house, and shouted in a loud melodramatic voice: "Mrs. Lease is here and demands permission to speak to the people of Kansas."

Senator Peffer and Gen. Weaver tried in vain to pacify her, and she began her speech to the crowd amid wild enthusiasm. She denounced the politicians who were running the fusion campaign, and declared that the people must assert themselves. After the meeting Mrs. Lease declared that she would cancel all of her Kansas dates.

THE USE OF PASTER BALLOTS.

Important Circular of Instructions from Tammany Hall.

The following statement was issued at Tammany Hall to-day concerning the use of the paster ballot: "Many of the newspapers during the last week have published instructions to voters, showing the legal methods of receiving the ballots from inspectors of Election and explaining how the paster ballot might be used by voters who desire to use such a ballot in preference to the official ballot furnished at the polling-place.

"These instructions set forth that a voter may use a paster ballot by pasting it on any of the official ballots handed to him at the polling place.

"This is a grave error. Under the law paster ballots can only be attached to the ballot containing the names of candidates for office, and not on any other ballot. This year there will be an additional ballot, providing for certain amendments to the constitution of this State. This is an official ballot, and a special box will be provided for all such ballots, into which all ballots cast regarding the Constitutional Amendments will be placed.

"Any voter attaching a paster to any Constitutional Amendment ballot will be disfranchised, as such a ballot will be placed in the Constitutional Amendment box at the polling places, and will be thrown out under the law by the inspectors of election as illegal.

"There seems to be no doubt that this is the law, and voters are cautioned to be extremely careful, and see that a paster ballot, when used, is attached only to an official ballot bearing the names of official candidates for office.

"It is well known that the Republicans of this city are placing great reliance upon the fact, that through the ignorance of a large majority of our voters regarding the election law many mistakes of this kind will occur, and they are congratulating themselves in advance that all such ballots, the majority of which will be cast for Cleveland, will be thrown out.

"The election of Cleveland and Stevenson is assured if the voters of this city will only carefully perform their duties on election day.

"The leaders of the Democratic party in this city have done their duty carefully, and it now remains with the Democratic party in this city to perform their duty on election day with equal care."

ODDS STILL ON CLEVELAND.

Bets Reported on Iowa, New York and the General Result.

Tammany's biz rally last night gave betting men renewed courage to-day. Odds of 2 to 1 that Cleveland would carry this State and 10 to 9 that he would be elected were freely offered at the Hoffman House this morning, but found no takers.

J. L. Hill, of Philadelphia, who was said to represent a Philadelphia betting syndicate that had $40,000 to place on Harrison, left for home in disgust this morning. He failed to show up in the betting centres last night to make good his bluffs of a few days ago.

"I am going home," he said this morning. "I can't make it out where the Democrats get their confidence. They are betting pretty stiff, I tell you."

Harry Walker made a bet this morning with Col. Webb, of the Fifth Avenue Hotel, of $80 to $100 that Cleveland would carry Iowa.

A. M. Downs made two bets, one of $750 to $1,000 and one of $1,000 even that Cleveland would have 20,000 majority in this State.

Tammany's rousing rally last night gave renewed courage to betting men. The Wigwam's that demonstration is said to be worth at least 10,000 more votes to the Democratic ticket.

A bet was made on the Stock Exchange this morning of $750 even money that Cleveland would get more votes in Iowa than Harrison. C. L. Hudson, a Democrat, and Judge Wilson, Republican, were the bettors.

Robert L. Keen and George W. Weaver, late of Cobb, Keen & Co., offered to bet $1,000 even on the general result, Keen taking the Cleveland end.

At the Consolidated Exchange two bets at even money, one of $1,000 and the other of $500, were made this morning. M. V. Leadham, who is handling funds for a Pittsburg syndicate, taking the Harrison end.

R. L. Keen, of Keen & Keen, to-day bet Louis C. Clark, of Clark, Dodge & Co., $5,500 even money that Cleveland will be elected.

I. Meinrdeck to-day bet $1,000 against $500 put up by L. G. Weinmann that Cleveland will carry New York State.

Senator Hill Goes to Elmira.

Col. James Jones, the Port Warden, who accompanied Senator Hill on his stumping tour through the state, returned to this city this morning. They parted at Syracuse at midnight, Senator Hill going to Elmira, his former home, where he speaks to-night.

FORTY THOUSAND IN LINE.

Business Men's Big Democratic Parade To-Morrow.

The Business Men's Democratic organizations expect to turn out 40,000 strong for Cleveland and Stevenson to-morrow. One of the features of the parade will be the campaign slogans, the leading one for the first time published to-day:

Bill, bill, no Force bill.
To make invalid the people's will.

To Keep Democrats from the Polls.

(BY ASSOCIATED PRESS.)

DETROIT, Nov. 3.—Daniel J. Campau, chairman of the Democratic Central Committee, to-day issued an address "to the honest voters of Michigan," giving warning based on positive information of a Republican scheme for county and subordinate committees in this State to see to it that at least three Democrats in every School District in the State are induced to stay away from the polls.

Democratic Marchers Stoned.

(BY ASSOCIATED PRESS.)

TOPEKA, Kan., Nov. 4.—The Democratic Flambeau Club, while marching in the Weaver procession last night, was egged and rocked. J. S. Ernest, President of the Club, was spattered with eggs, and James Fitzgibbons, a contractor, was hit in the back of the head and badly injured. A half dozen others were more or less bruised.

Moved from One Floor to Another.

Joseph E. Brown, colored, registered Oct. 24 in the Seventh Election District of the Twenty-fifth Assembly District as living in the basement of 212 East Ninety-seventh street. On verifying the registry lists it was found that Brown lived on the fourth floor of the premises indicated. He was arrested, and in the Harlem Court this morning it was shown that he had resided in the basement prior to Oct. 17. He pleaded ignorance of the law in such matters, and Justice Voornis discharged him.

Alabama Business Men's Address.

(BY ASSOCIATED PRESS.)

BIRMINGHAM, Ala., Nov. 4.—Over one hundred of the leading merchants and firms of this city, including representatives of all the banks, have given out an address to the business men of the North asking them to do all in their power legitimately to secure the election of Cleveland and Stevenson.

The address refers to "the unparalleled development and prosperity of the whole country during the four years of Cleveland's Administration and the unparalleled depression of the last three years throughout the South," attributing the former "to the confidence of the whole country in the governmental policies which were strictly adhered to and followed by Mr. Cleveland," and the latter to "the continued menace of a Force bill to which Mr. Harrison and his party are unqualifiedly committed."

Republican Colonizers Held in Newark.

NEWARK, Oct. 4.—Gerard Spatola, an Italian Republican politician, was arrested here today, with Philip Gornelli, on a charge preferred by James Healey. The latter said that Gornelli swore falsely in the Naturalization Court that he had been five years in this country, and Spartola supported him with an affidavit, also swearing falsely. Both were bailed in $1,000 for the Grand Jury.

Parade in the Twenty-fourth.

The Tammany Hall parade in the Twenty-fourth Assembly District to-night will have 5,000 men in line. Herman Ridder will preside at the meeting in Renwick Hall, Eighty-sixth street and Third avenue, which will be addressed by John De Witt Warner, Congressman Ashbel P. Fitch and Assemblyman Sulzer.

U. S. Marshals in Indiana.

(BY ASSOCIATED PRESS.)

INDIANAPOLIS, Nov. 4.—Federal Marshals are to be appointed for the election in Indianapolis and all the other large cities in the State. In view of the instructions of Attorney-General Miller these officials are complaining that the Marshals will interfere with the fairness of the election.

Parade, Then Speech-Making.

There will be a monster parade and mass-meeting in the Twentieth Assembly District to-night under the auspices of the District Tammany Hall Committee. More than 4,000 men will be in the line. At the mass-meeting in Turn Verein Hall, on East Sixty-seventh street, after the parade, the speakers will be Senator George Raines, of Rochester; Commissioner Gilroy, Congressman John R. Fellows and Register Fitzgerald.

SIDELIGHTS OF THE CAMPAIGN.

A parade and mass-meeting of the Tammany Hall Democracy of the Eighth Assembly District will take place to-night, leaving headquarters, at 1 West 13th street, at 8 o'clock. The mass-meeting will be at Hamersley Square, at Hopston, Bedford and Hancock streets.

The first meeting of the John Kurtz Tammany Hall Association of the Eleventh Assembly District will be held to-night at 414 Sixth avenue. Bright speakers will be heard and refreshments will be served.

A meeting of Democratic voters of the Thirtieth Election District of the Sixteenth Assembly District will be held at 8 o'clock this evening at Hasselmann's Hall, 959 First avenue.

The William J. Ryan Association of the Seventeenth Assembly District has indorsed the entire Tammany Hall ticket from Elector to Alderman. It is stated emphatically that this Association has indorsed James Fay for Assembly.

"The Jacksonians" of the Sixth Assembly District intend to pound away speeches by Judge Goldfogle, M. B. Blumenthal, Samuel Prince, E. F. Purdy and S. L. Fox. The Association's motto is: "We pledge ourselves to vote for Democrats only." H. S. Simon is President and Gus Jacobs, Secretary.

Prohibitionist track meetings will be held to-night at Tenth avenue and Thirty-fourth street, Ninth avenue and Thirty-third street, Eighth avenue and Twenty-seventh street, Second avenue and Twenty-second street, Second avenue and Thirty-ninth avenue, Second avenue and Forty-third street, Sixth avenue and Twenty-ninth street, Sixth avenue and Nineteenth street, Sixth avenue and Thirteenth street, Lexington avenue and One Hundred and Twenty-fifth street.

The Charles G. Rohrer Association, of the Twenty-second Assembly District, will hold a mass-meeting to-night at Eastern Boulevard Hall, Seventy-fifth street and Avenue A.

The New York Jewellers' Cleveland and Stevenson Club—President, Henry Hayes; Secretary, Charles E. F. Lewis; Treasurer, L. Untermeyer—at 22 Maiden lane, invites all members of the jewelry trade, employers or artisans, who are in favor of the election of Cleveland and Stevenson to enroll their names. A grand parade will take place Saturday afternoon, Nov. 5, forming on Maiden lane.

The Association of Southern Democrats in New York, 13 West Twenty-fourth street, will hold a last grand rally at these headquarters tonight at 8 o'clock. Among the orators who will address the meeting are: John Temple Graves, of Georgia; H. B. H. Stanier, C. H. F. Wahle, James W. Ridgway and Gen. Martin T. McMahon.

A Cleveland and Stevenson mass-meeting is to be held at Unknown Hall, Nos. 1 and 3 West Seventieth street and Third avenue, to-morrow at 8 p. m.

The Young Men's Independent Club will hold a mass-meeting at their clubrooms, 146 to 150 East Fifty-second street (Lexington Avenue Opera-House), Saturday evening, Nov. 5, at 8 o'clock. The meeting will be addressed by John De Witt Warner, Rollin M. Morgan, Russell H. Landon, William R. Steinkamp, Joseph C. Wolff, Adam J. Schatz, William R. Keese, David J. Roche, A. I. Elkus, George A. Just.

The First Voters' Democratic Club of Harlem will hold a mass-meeting at the Harlem Theatre, East One Hundred and Twenty-fifth street, to-morrow, at 8 p. m. Seats reserved for ladies. M. A. Forster, ex-Congressman, at-Union, and Colonel Tomlinson will be the orators of the evening.

A special meeting of the Wine, Liquor and Beer Dealers' Association of the Sixth Precinct was held last evening at 2 Franklin street, where the entire Democratic ticket was indorsed. T. J. Harry presided.

Two Tammany meetings will be held in the Sixth Assembly District to-night, as follows: Central Hall, 310 East Houston street, and 607 East Ninth street. Judge Goldfogle and Maurice B. Blumenthal will address both meetings. John Conway will preside at the Ninth street meeting and Joseph Monheim will be Chairman at the Centennial Hall meeting.

The M. C. Murphy Battery and Pioneer Corps will parade through the First Assembly District this evening.

Josef Hoffman's Parents Deny the Stowaway Story.

(BY ASSOCIATED PRESS.)

LONDON, Nov. 4.—The London agent of Josef Hoffman states that he has received from the parents of the young pianist a denial of the stories from Bombay about Josef's going to India as a stowaway. The Hoffmans say Josef is with them in Germany, where he is pursuing his musical studies.

Indian Bones Dug Up in Buffalo.

(BY ASSOCIATED PRESS.)

BUFFALO, Nov. 4.—While opening a new street to-day skulls and metal cooking utensils were dug up. The relics, it is thought, are of the Kah Wahs, or neutrals, who were wiped out in 1680 by their confederated enemies.

Gertie Baldwin Held.

Gertie Baldwin, whose flat at 275 West Thirty-eighth street, was raided last night was in Jefferson Market Court to-day held for keeping a disorderly house. A young woman inmate was discharged.

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Cloaks that were $8.48 now **$5.48**

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TWO MURDERERS SENTENCED.

Thomas Pallister to Be Executed and John McCann to Elmira.

Thomas Pallister was sentenced in Part II. of General Sessions by Recorder Smyth today to be executed by electricity in Sing Sing Prison during the week commencing Monday, Dec. 12, for the murder of Probationary Policeman Adam Kane.

Pallister was convicted Oct. 19 of killing Kane by stabbing him in the groin.

When arraigned Pallister was deadly pale. Yet he calmly listened to the motion of his counsel, Ambrose Purdy, for a new trial on the usual technical grounds, the Recorder's denial of the motion and his terrible sentence.

Chief Clerk John F. Carroll read the warrant of execution to Sheriff Gorman, who took Pallister back to the Tombs. He will be taken to Sing Sing probably this afternoon.

John McCann, the sixteen-year-old tough who was convicted in Part III. of the Court of General Sessions of manslaughter in the first degree, was sentenced to the Elmira Reformatory by Judge Martine to-day.

McCann stabbed Richard Sabatowski to death on Aug. 27. His victim was a woodcarver and lived in West Forty-seventh street.

Lawyer James McLaughlin pleaded that the youth be sent to Elmira, and Judge Martine so disposed of the case. On this sentence McCann may be held in the Reformatory for the maximum punishment for manslaughter, twenty years, or, for good behavior, he may be liberated at any time after twelve months, at the discretion of the Superintendent of that institution.

THOMPSON NOT AN EXCEPTION.

Creditors Must Wait Until the Auditing Committee Acts.

A report published to-day that the Committee of One Hundred of the Columbian celebration has refused to pay Capt. Alfred Thompson, who arranged and provided the night pageant, is denied.

It is stated that the Auditing Committee has not yet submitted its report, and therefore no one has been paid.

It is said that $11,000 are due Capt. Thompson.

AN IRISHMAN ON PATRICK EGAN.

His Absence from His Post Said to Be for Political Ends.

The following statement, signed by Thomas H. Ronayne, Chairman of the Executive Committee of the Irish American Democratic Union, is given out in connection with the announcement that Patrick Egan, Minister to Chili, is to preside at a meeting of Irish American Republicans at Cooper Union this evening:

"The appointment of such an Irish-American as Patrick Egan to an important office by the Republicans was so unusual that their astonishment has not yet ceased. The reluctance of his absence from his post and his presence here during this campaign is to impress upon Irish-Americans that the Republican party is the friend of citizens of the Irish race.

"When President Cleveland appointed Col. W. R. Roberts, the old soldier of the Fenian Brotherhood, as Minister to Chili, no surprise was expressed, as Irish-Americans had been accustomed to receive recognition at the hands of the Democratic party from Jefferson to Cleveland.

"If the issues of the campaign are to be settled as Messrs. Blaine and Egan would wish, on the ground of the latter's appointment to an important diplomatic position, who is not President Cleveland just as much entitled to credit for the appointment of another prominent patriotic Irishman to the place now filled by Patrick Egan."

HORSESHOERS AFTER HARRISON.

The President Said to Have Utterly Ignored a Respectful Request.

A statement was given out to-day at Democratic National Headquarters to the effect that President Harrison habitually has his horses shod at a non-union shop, where the price of shoeing a horse is $1.25 less than at union shops.

The National Convention of the Horseshoers' Union, at its session last May in Boston, adopted resolutions respectfully requesting the President to patronize union labor. This was presented to Gen. Harrison by the Chairman of the Convention, but no reply has ever been received.

Reduction of Wages of 12,000 Shipbuilders at Belfast.

(BY ASSOCIATED PRESS.)

BELFAST, Nov. 4.—A reduction of 5 per cent. in the wages of shipbuilders in this city went into effect to-day. The reduction affects 12,000 employees.

Reported Small-Pox.

Dr. W. F. Klein, of 550 Fifth street, reported to the police that Mrs. Rudolpa, aged thirty-two, of 538 East Twelfth street, was sick at her home with small-pox.

Cigar Importer Brock Assigns.

James I. Brock, doing business as Brock Brothers, importers of cigars at 314 Third avenue, assigned to-day to Hugo Sommerfeld, with a preference of $500.

Butcher Hess Wanted.

George W. Hess, of 1317 Hancock street, Philadelphia, has written to the police to learn the whereabouts of his brother, Frederick Hess, or Miller, a butcher who formerly lived at Middletown, N. Y. He has not been heard from for a year.

Why?

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MUST BE DISPOSED OF, AND TO DO SO WE HAVE DECIDED TO SELL THE SAME

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BEDROOM SUITS, oak 12.00
BRUSSELS CARPET ..... 40c.
INGRAIN CARPET, All Wool ..... 55c.
INGRAIN CARPET ..... 22c.
OILCLOTH at ..... 23c.

AND EVERYTHING ELSE CORRESPONDINGLY LOW. THIS IS NO HUMBUG, BUT AN HONEST REMOVAL SALE.

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STRIKING WIREMEN STILL FIRM.

Large Majority of the Men Placed on Union Jobs.

At Clarendon Hall, the headquarters of the striking electrical wiremen, this morning it was said that there were no new developments in the strike other than that the non-union men working on the jobs the contracts for which were held by members of the electrical contractors had been removed and all of the other trades that had gone out on strike had returned, also that the strikers are as firm as ever.

The strikers say that they are not weakening, that they are placing their men to work every day on union jobs, and the few that are still out will not wait for anything.

The strikers claim that the latest dodge of the H. Ward Leonard Electric Company to force its men back is the levying of an assessment of 40 per cent. on all stockholders. Many of the firm's foremen were subscribers to the stock, but as they have not as yet received the stock, say that they have been advised by a lawyer that no assessment can be made on them.

The Executive Committee of the Union will hold a meeting this afternoon.

15-YEAR-OLD HIGHWAYMAN.

Young McCabe Held for Knocking Down and Robbing Gillow.

Sylvester McCabe, a fifteen-year-old boy living at 150 Cherry street, was held in $2,000 bail in the Essex Market Police Court this morning on a charge of robbery.

The charge was made by John Gillow, thirty-seven years of age, who says that while he was passing through Cherry street night before last young McCabe knocked him down and robbed him of a watch and chain and $17 in money.

McCabe, although young in the business, has a bad name and has been arrested before.

To Take Testimony in Rome.

Justice Barrett, in Supreme Court, Brookly