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FIGHT ON CONGRESSMEN.

Grace Democracy May Indorse the Men "Turned Down" by Tammany Hall.

ALL SEEM TO BE WILLING.

What Congressmen Dunphy, Campbell and Warner Have to Say on the Subject.

GRACE SEES HILL'S MAN THACHER

Calls at Democratic Headquarters to Discuss Tammany's Refusal to Divide with Him.

The refusal of the Tammany leaders to treat with the Grace Democracy on Congressional and Assembly nominations has caused a good deal of worry for the gentlemen who are managing Mr. Hill's campaign from party headquarters in the Park Avenue Hotel. It is feared that as a result of Tammany's action the Grace Democrats will refuse to support Hill.

W. R. Grace himself called on John Boyd Thacher at Democratic headquarters this morning and had a talk with him in private. It is believed that he made a formal announcement of his intention to put Congressional and Assembly candidates in the field, and to make any combination necessary with independents to secure the election of these candidates.

Mr. Thacher looked worried when Mr. Grace took leave of him, and dodged from the reporters who sought to learn from him what was portended by Mr. Grace's visit.

It is not unlikely that the Grace eDmocrats will take advantage of the disaffection in Tammany's ranks resulting from the "turning down" of Congressman "Tim" Campbell in the Ninth District, J. De Witt Warner in the Thirteenth, and E. J. Dunphy in the Eighth. Whether or not his organization will nominate all three to win over their adherents is a question that cannot be definitely answered just yet.

Robert G. Monroe, of the Grace Democracy, said this morning that he could say for the organization that Mr. Warren would be supported by Mr. Grace in the event that he determines to be a candidate again for the Tammany nomination.

"I cannot speak as to Campbell and Dunphy," said Mr. Monroe, "but I can say that if no satisfactory agreement is made through the State Democratic Committee the State Democracy will renominate a candidate for Assembly and Congress in every district in the city.

"What success has there been in agreeing on a combination ticket?" he was asked.

"Very little success so far," he answered. "A conference committee has that in charge, however, and I cannot speak with authority."

Congressman Dunphy, of the Eighth, while not positively announcing himself as a candidate against Lawyer Walsh, who was given the Tammany nomination last night, intimated that he would run.

"I will not know for a day or so," he said to an "Evening World" man who saw him at his home this morning. "Matters have not taken any definite shape her. I was 'turned down' by Messrs. Divver and Sullivan, who seem to control everything around here. My position regarding them is very well known."

"There is pretty sure to be an opposition candidate in the field here, and while the New York State Democracy as an organization has not asked me to run, several members, as individuals, have done so. This is a day of conferences, and we may know more later."

Congressman "Tim" Campbell, when seen at his home, 14 Columbia street, did not hesitate a moment to declare himself for war.

"I do not know whether I will be the candidate, but you can say that some Democrat will run against Miner in the Tenth District. Why Mi er does not even live here.

"We are going to make a fight here for home rule. At present I am in the hands of my friends, and I have got a few here. I will do nothing until I consult with them. When this little cloud blows away you will see just how much we are in it."

When asked if the New York State Democracy had made any overtures looking to his being their candidate, Mr. Campbell said:

"Why, of course they have. Why, a score or more of them were here last night urging me to take the nomination. One thing you can safely say: That if I do not run against Miner some other strong Democrat will."

"I do not think my friends have any reason to find fault with Tammany Hall in not renominating me," said Congressman John De Witt Warner. "Tammany is under absolutely no obligation to me. On former occasions when it has seemed to its interest to nominate or indorse me, it has supported me loyally. Honors are easy. I have made me its candidate now, however, would have been utterly destructive of Tammany discipline.

"I am not a member of that organization, but on the contrary my course has always been opposed to it. More than that, I very naturally declined to follow its suggestion that I oppose that I oppose the Free Ship bill; and last Winter when, as Mr. Dunphy so well put it, Tammany's orders were to defeat the Tariff bill, income tax or no income tax, I joined with Congressmen Cockran and Dunphy in flat disobedience.

"Under such circumstances it would have been self-stultification for Tammany to have renominated any one of us."

When asked if the New York State Democracy had called upon him as a member of that organization to run for Congress on their ticket, Mr. Warner said:

"That is a question which I cannot very well answer, nor do I care to discuss it. I never try to cross a bridge until I come to it, nor have I reason to anticipate such a contingency. So far as Tammany is concerned, I am absolutely free to do as I like. I am, of course, a member of the New York Democracy organization, and an anti-snapper."

The Grace Democracy Congressional conventions are to hold Monday night, and between now and then Mr. Grace's followers will consider the advisability of bolting Hill and of putting their Congressional, Assembly and county candidates on the Wheeler, or Democratic Party Reform Organization ticket.

ASSEMBLYMEN, ALDERMEN.

Tammany Leaders Have Slates Ready for Most of the Districts.

The Tammany leaders were busy today fixing up slates for the Assembly and Aldermanic Conventions to-night. Here are the slates as far as made up:

Dist.	Assemblymen.	Aldermen.
1	Daniel E. Finn.	Jeremiah Kennefick.
2	Charles J. Nuffarth.	Nicholas T. Brown.
3	Frank Wolf.	——— ———
4	P. H. Roche.	Andrew A. Noonan.
5	S. J. Foley.	William Clancy.
6	——— ———	——— ———
7	Harry H. Wolf.	Joseph Martin.
8	W. H. Walker.	——— ———
9	F. J. McDermott.	P. H. Keahon.
10	——— ———	——— ———
11	——— ———	——— ———
12	E. B. La Faiva.	J. J. Murphy.
13	J. H. Southworth (doubtful).	Dennis Clifford.
14	P. J. Corrigan.	J. C. Wund.
15	Augustus Healy.	——— ———
16	V. J. Dowling.	Francis J. Lintry.
17	Patrick F. Trainor.	Frank G. Rinn.
18	Conv'tion adjourned	Robert Muh.
19	P. J. Kerrigan.	William E. Burke.
20	W. H. McKeon.	Edw. McGuire.
21	——— ———	——— ———
22	M. F. Tobin.	J. J. O'Brien.
23	——— ———	——— ———
24	R. V. D Stadtfeld.	John Long.
25	J. Kelcher (doubtful)	W. A. Baumert.
26	J. Davidson.	H. Donovan.
27	L. M. Reddington.	James Owens.
28	——— ———	——— ———
29	A. C. Butts.	Peter Gecks.
30	C. C. Marvin.	W. H. Scholt.

Tammany has turned down "Bojer" Flynn, and he will run as an independent, Edward A. Eiseman, of the Fifth; Charles Parkes, of the Thirteenth, and William Tart, of the Sixth, have been "turned down" also, it is said.

Some of the Assemblymen who will not secure renominations are J. H. G. Velislage, M. J. Callahan, Divver's man; Moses Dinkelspiel, J. C. Stein and A. Schillinger. Some of the conventions will be adjourned to-night because no agreement has been reached on candidates.

REPUBLICANS' TURN NOW.

Their County Convention to Indorse the LXX.'s Ticket To-Night.

It is expected the Committee of Seventy's ticket will be indorsed as a whole by the Republican County Convention to-night. At the Convention of the German-American Reform Union last night it was indorsed with one exception. The German-Americans want Dr. H. A. C. Anderson put back on the ticket in place of Dr. O'Meagher for Coroner. This matter is in a fair way to be settled amicably.

W. M. K. Olcott, Chairman of the Republican County Convention, said:

"Of course I cannot speak for the delegates to the Convention, but I feel satisfied that the Convention to-night will nominate the ticket recommended by the Committee of LXX. It appears to be the general impression that it is about the best ticket which can be made up under existing circumstances. Republicans, of course, would like to have a stronger representation on the ticket, but I have no reason to anticipate any opposition to it on the part of the Convention to be held to-night."

AFTER LODGING-HOUSES.

Police Watching Other Points for Fraudulent Registration.

Supt. Byrnes summoned all the police captains to Headquarters this morning. He received them in his private office and delivered verbal orders, occupying about twenty minutes.

The Superintendent refused to say just what he had said to the captains, but stated that it was in reference to registration and election matters. It is known that the captains have lists of the names of occupants of lodging-houses.

This census was taken by order of the Superintendent last week, for comparison with the official registration list. The idea is to detect any attempt at fraud in time to prevent illegal voting.

"There are other places," said the Superintendent, "besides lodging-houses, in all of the precincts, where fraudulent votes may be prepared to cope with them." fully prepared to cope with it."

Thus far, there have been no arrests, although the police census lists have been carefully compared with the first day's registration.

None of the captains would even intimate just what matters were touched upon in the conference.

Local Political Notes.

The Committee on Political Reform of the Union League Club, at a meeting held last night, besides indorsing the Republican State ticket, spoke a good word for the Committee of LXX ticket, with strong and fast at the head.

The Mitholland Assembly and Aldermanic conventions are to be held to-night.

With the Committee of LXX's watchers and with members of the City Vigilance League and Good Government Clubs on guard near the polls on election day, this gives promise of being a bad year for colonizers.

The C. C. Shayne Republican Club, of the Twenty-sixth Assembly District, at a meeting last evening adopted resolutions denouncing the nomination of Harvey T. Andrews for Assembly by the regular Republicans, and calling for a conference with the anti-Tammanyites, State Democracy and Independents of the district for the purpose of uniting upon an opposition candidate. The trouble arose out of the refusal to recognize any propositions coming from the anti-Tammany State Democracy and Independents who are anxious to place a single ticket in the field against the Tammany nominee.

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SUGAR AND GAS IN DEMAND.

Rise in These Stocks Helped the Rest of the List.

Sugar and Chicago Gas monopolized the attention of the Board this morning. Both stocks were taken for inside account, and the shorts displayed considerable anxiety.

Sugar rose 2 1-8, to 85 7-8, and Chicago Gas 3-4, to 75. The remainder of the list was firm in sympathy, but the fluctuations were not especially important. The fact that there have been no engagements of gold for to-morrow's steamers encouraged the bulls, and they gave their specialties better support.

Still, as the dealings are entirely professional, the improvement may be only temporary. London quotations came fractionally lower, and hence Louisville & Nashville was weak, selling down to 53 7-8, with a rally to 54 1-4. Northwest rose 1-2, to 102 1-2; General Electric 1-2, to 27 1-2; Manhattan 5-8, to 113 3-8; Pitts., Cin., Chic. & St. Louis 1, to 18 1-2; Southern Railway pref. 1-2, to 42; Burlington & Quincy 3-8, to 72 5-8; Southern Pacific 3-8, to 19 7-8; New England 3-8, to 30 1-2, and Western Union 3-8, to 88.

Reading fell 7-8, to 15, and Lake Shore 7-8, to 135 3-8. The former commanded as high as 1-16 for use, but the rate afterwards declined to 1-256.

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MORTON PROTESTS.

Says He Had a Right to Import Assistant Coachman Howard.

An Exception of the Immigration Law Permits it, It Is Claimed.

Gen. Tracy Confers with the Gubernatorial Candidate.

The question whether Levi P. Morton, in importing his servants from Old England instead of employing his own countrymen, has violated the law against the importation of contract laborers, enacted for the benefit and protection of American labor, is about to be decided by the United States Courts.

The specific case in point is that of John James Howard, the English assistant to Mr. Morton's English coachman, James White.

Howard's arrest and deportation back to London have been ordered by Secretary Carlisle, subject, of course, to the decision of the Federal Courts as to the legality of Mr. Morton's importation of the assistant coachman.

Howard was arrested at Rhinecliff last evening, as told exclusively in "The World" this morning, and he makes affidavit that Mr. Morton contracted with him in London last June to employ him in America, agreeing to pay his passage, second class, and to give him $50 a month wages here. Mr. Morton did advance £7, or $35 to pay Howard's passage, and he came on the American line steamship New York, sailing from England June 30 and arriving here July 7.

In consequence of this trouble, Mr. Morton's plans were all upset. He has been at the Fifth Avenue Hotel, where Mr. Platt dined with him last evening. He was going home this morning, but stayed in town to defend himself against the accusation of violating the Federal statutes, for which, if the violation is proven, he may be fined $1,000 and be subject to an action for damages brought by the coachman he imported.

When an "Evening World" reporter called to see Mr. Morton at the Fifth Avenue Hotel early this morning he found that ex-Secretary Tracy was ahead of him, and was in consultation with the Republican candidate for Governor.

Gen. Tracy stayed an hour or more. When he came down he hurried away, escaping the interviewers.

Mr. Morton sent the reply to several reporters that he desired to be excused from talking to them, and that his private secretary, Ashley Cole, the veteran newspaper man, would give out the only statement he desired to make at present.

Mr. Cole read the following statement from stenographic notes:

"It is true that John Howard has been constantly in my service since May, 1894. I having employed him as coachman in London. When I left London for the Continent, having no further use for his services there, he came to my home here, and has since been in my employment at Rhinecliff.

"His duties are entirely confined to services rendered to my family. I regarded him as a household servant, and as one falling within the exception of the law. I considered my action strictly within the statute, and believed then, as I do now, that he is liable to exception, which, if it is alleged, is contained in this statute."

Every man connected with the Bureau of Immigration was reading "The World" this morning. The universal sentiment among them was for an enforcement of the law and the deportation of Mr. Morton's foreign coachman.

Dr. Senner, the Commissioner, had also read "The World" before reaching his office. He asked with great curiosity how "The World" had received information of proceedings of which even he was not aware.

He was asked if he had any record of the advent of John James Howard.

"I will have to look up the books," said Dr. Senner, "which will take a little time, but I will say that the deportation of this man under the decision of the Court and the order of the Treasury Department will alter matters very signally in the landing of the servants of our rich citizens returning from abroad.

"This man, when he landed, July 7 last, may have come as a servant in Mr. Morton's party. In that event, the inspectors doubtless adopted with him the practise they have always followed in passing servants.

"If the court and the Secretary are going to make a different ruling in this matter, there will be trouble among the rich. Mr. Vanderbilt may call his $10,000 chef an artist, and if he is so accepted, he has a right to be here. However, you know, there is a labor union of chefs here and they confess themselves laborers in the very style of their organization."

Dr. Senner took down the pamphlet publishing the Immigrations laws and regulations, and turning to section 5 read:

"That nothing in this act shall be so construed as to prevent any citizen or subject of any foreign country, temporarily residing in the United States, either in private or official capacity, engaging under contract, or otherwise, persons not residents of citizens of the United States to act as private secretaries, servants or domestics for such foreigners temporarily residing in the United States, as aforesaid, etc., etc."

Dr. Senner here took into his head the notion that the word "citizen" referred to American citizens exclusively, in contradistinction from "subject," which meant a foreigner. The point was made that a "subject" referred to a boy under a monarchial form of government, and that a "citizen" might apply to the resident of a republican country, and that the two had been conjoined to avoid any ground of dispute.

Dr. Senner was inclined to believe that the quoted words of the section referred merely to visiting foreigners, such as the Princess Eulalie or the Duke de Veragua, who might bring their retinue of servants and attendants with them.

Going on, the section reads:

"Nor shall the provisions of this Act apply to professional actors, artists, lecturers or singers, nor to persons employed strictly as personal or domestic servants."

The question came in for immediate discussion:

"Is a coachman 'employed strictly as a personal or domestic servant?'"

Dr. Senner said that he had no ruling on the subject, and that the decision in this case would be original.

DEATH ON THE LAKES.

Captain, His Family and Crew of Schooner Hartford Lost.

Many Vessels Driven Ashore by a Northwest Gale.

Disasters Also at Sea—Sea Foam's Men All Missing.

(By Associated Press.)

OSWEGO, N. Y., Oct. 12.—During a terrific wind storm last night the three-masted schooner Hartford, of Clayton, with 24,000 bushels of wheat from Detroit for Cape Vincent, was driven ashore at Woodville, twenty-five miles east of here.

Capt. William G. Toole, wife and child, Richard Seymour, mate, and Michael Purcell, all of Clayton; Daniel McCarthy, a seaman of Oswego, and an unknown seaman were lost.

CLEVELAND, Oct. 12.—The furious northwest gale that struck Lake Erie and lower Lake Huron last Wednesday night did considerable damage to shipping. Several boats are known to be disabled and helpless on the lakes, but their identity will not be known until the storm abates or they are driven ashore. A large number of boats are under Long Point, on the north shore of Lake Erie, but it is impossible to get their names. Following is the list of disasters, so far as is known:

Schooner John Wesley, waterlogged on Lake Huron; schooner Columbian, ashore at Fair Port, O.; schooner Tasmania, ashore at Cleveland.

ERIE, Pa., Oct. 12.—The Bay City Lumber Company's King, Capt. Otto Lature, was sighted and the crew rescued, ten miles off Erie, yesterday, waterlogged and in a sinking condition. The King has lost 200 feet of lumber. Mate Harry Delong and Seaman Mike Golden were struck and badly injured by a boom. The King's tow, the steamer Deland, and another consort, the Hiawatha, have not been heard from. A big three-masted schooner was sighted off Erie yesterday, twenty miles towards the Canadian shore, flying signals of distress.

The steamer Oregon had hard work to get into port owing to the gale, and during her peril Wheelman Otto Bernhard, of Chicago, had his leg broken. The schooners Ganges and the Alzern were rescued yesterday morning off the Peninsula by the life-saving crew and a tug.

VINEYARD HAVEN, Mass., Oct. 12.—The schooner Tillie Vanderherchen, of Bridgeton, N. J., from Philadelphia for Gardiner, Me., put in here yesterday in charge of Mate Garfield, Capt. Bateman and Seaman Gibson having been washed overboard by a huge sea last Tuesday. Capt. Bateman leaves a family at Norristown, N. J. Gibson came from Virginia.

ST. JOHN'S, N. F., Oct. 12.—It has been learned that all but eight of the vessels that went ashore at St. Pierre, Miquelon, Tuesday night, came off on the high tide. The vessels that remain stranded are the St. Helen, Mistral, Florida, El Courtant, Ali Baba, P. F-2, Jasmin and Canelan.

LEWES, Del., Oct. 12.—The schooner Seafoam, Capt. Chandler, from Milton for Millville, N. J., laden with box lumber, capsized at the Shoals in the Delaware Bay, on Thursday morning. The captain and crew, it is thought, were drowned. The schooner is reported drifting three miles off Henlopen this morning. The crew consisted of the captain and four or five men. The schooner was owned at Blackwater, Del.

RAT PORTAGE, Ont., Oct. 12.—News has just reached here that the steamer Highland Maid has been wrecked at Long Sault Rapids, Rainey Lake. Mail passengers and crew were saved. William Woods, purser, was badly injured. The boat and cargo are a total loss, with no insurance. The cause of the accident was low water and dangerous rapids, full of rocks, which Canada and the United States Governments have neglected to remove. This is the second boat lost this season.

SAILOR MITCHELL SHOT.

Locked Up, Charged with Burglary by Restaurant Keeper Fosto.

George Mitchell, twenty-three years old, a sailor attached to the United States monitor Miantonomah, was shot in the breast this morning by John Fosto, of 224 York street. The wound was not dangerous.

Fosto, who is a restaurant keeper, charges that Mitchell was robbing him and he shot him. The latter was locked up and charged with burglary.

NO WORK AND DESPONDENT.

Leopold Groussard Shot Himself Dead in His Home.

Leopold Groussard, fifty-six years old, of 209 West Twenty-seventh street, committed suicide at 8 o'clock this morning by shooting himself in the right temple with a 38-calibre revolver.

He is a Frenchman and has been in this country but a short time. His wife told the police that he was despondent because he could not find employment.

DRY-GOODS HOUSE FLOODED.

An Overflowing Tank Discovered by Police in Time to Check Disaster.

The Leonard street police report that at 9.15 o'clock last night Policeman Michael R. Kelly discovered water running from a tank on the fourth floor of 318 Church street and flooding the entire building.

The house is occupied by Wernberg Neufelder, importers and manufacturers of clothing and dry goods.

The police shut the water off and removed the goods to dry spots in the same building. About $150 damage was done.

Tammany Puts Its Best Foot For most.

THE TEMPE CUP HERE.

Seats for the Giant Testimonial to the Giants Selling Rapidly.

The celebrated Temple Cup, recently won by the New York Baseball Team, in the series with the Baltimores arrived in the city yesterday, and is now in the custody of President Byrne, of the Brooklyn Baseball Club.

It will be presented to the New Yorks next Sunday evening at the Broadway Theatre, the presentation speech being made by District-Attorney John R. Fellows who is a thirty-third degree crank. There will be a benefit tendered the players, all the prominent theatrical celebrities in the city having promised to take part. The entire proceeds will be distributed among the members of the team.

The boxes in the house have all been sold for $100 each, and Secretary Stackhouse was busy all of yesterday disposing of seats at $5 each. Nearly all the seats have been sold. The affair promises to be a great success.

FOOTBALL CHAT.

There is now an excellent chance for New Yorkers to see the Princeton-Pennsylvania match played in this city. Mr. John C. Bell telephoned from Philadelphia yesterday that no formal agreement had been made to play at the State Fair Grounds, near Trenton, N. J., as at first reported. Pennsylvania drew such a large crowd of spectators in this city last Fall that she is anxious to play here again, and as Yale has declined to meet the strong Quaker team again after last year's sad experience, this is Pennsylvania's only chance to get a match in this vicinity. Princeton positively refuses to play in Philadelphia this year, and Pennsylvania does not ask it. Both sides admit that a game at Trenton will not attract one-half the number that would flock to see these two ancient foes fight their annual battle in the metropolis. Over 16,000 saw Princeton narrowly beat Pennsylvania on the Manheim grounds, near Philadelphia last November, and fully as many would attend a game at Manhattan Field, where both teams are willing to play this season. The only obstacle to the consummation of such a plan is the assertion that the Princeton Faculty objects to the Tigers playing Pennsylvania in this city. But as President Patton, Dean Murray and other authorities at Princeton are entirely willing to have Princeton play Yale here on Thanksgiving Day, doubtless the Faculty will yield to the wishes of the teams and the desires of the patrons and admirers of the two institutions.

DOES CHINA SEEK PEACE?

Rumor that She Tried to Make Terms with Japan.

(By Associated Press.)

SHANGHAI, Oct. 12.—A rumor is current that the Chinese Government has commenced negotiations with Japan for peace.

China, it is said, has offered to acknoledge the independence of Corea and to pay a war indemnity to Japan.

Sultan Wants to Greet the Czar.

(By Associated Press.)

CONSTANTINOPLE, Oct. 12.—The Sultan has asked the Russian Ambassador, M. Nelidoff, to solicit permission for a special Turkish Mission to visit the Czar at Livadia in order to greet him in the name of the Sultan.

CLUBS NOT TRUMPS.

Police Attack on Cloakmakers to Be Investigated.

Capt. Grant Says No Unnecessary Violence Was Used.

Judge Ryan Fines One Prisoner and Discharges Two.

Supt. Byrnes this morning ordered Inspector Williams to make an immediate investigation into the alleged clubbing of striking cloakmakers by Capt. Donald Grant and policemen of the Madison street station.

At Police Headquarters this morning Capt. Grant denied that any violence had been used, or that he himself had used his club upon any of the cloakmakers.

Patrolmen Holland, Lynch and Cosgrove, said Capt. Grant, were assailed by the strikers and were in great danger. Then he, at the head of a platoon, went to their rescue. He said the officers were surrounded by a mob of several hundred strikers, many having implements in their hands, which they were ready to use at the first opportunity.

"What I did," said Capt. Grant, "was simply to disperse the mob, and I am sure that no necessary force was used in doing so. There is no truth whatever in the alleged brutality of the policemen. They simply did the best they could under the circumstances. There was no one severely hurt."

Essex Market Police Court was crowded this morning with striking cloakmakers and friends of the three men who were arrested last evening during the attack of the police upon the thousands who were awaiting in Rutgers square the coming of Leader Barondess and the order for the strikers to form in line and march to Union square.

Justice Ryan was on the bench. Lawyer Henry J. Goldschmidt appeared for the prisoners, who were in custody of Policemen McCarthy and Shea, of the Madison street station.

Abraham Rabinowich, a young salesman, living at 43 Canal street, and not a striker, was called to the bar of the court by the clerk.

"You are charged by Policeman McCarthy with resisting arrest," said the Justice. "Are you a Socialist?"

"No," was the answer. "I was standing on the stoop of my father's house at 43 Canal street, when I saw this policeman (pointing at McCarthy) strike an old man with his club. I was leading the injured man to a drug store, when McCarthy drove me back, holding his club as if about to strike me with it.

"I said 'Don't strike me; I will take your nuqber if you do.' Then he grabbed me by the coat collar and roughly dragged me to the station-house."

Policeman McCarthy denied Rabinowich's statement in toto, and said the young man had interfered with him in the discharge of his duty.

"I have known this policeman for twenty years," said Justice Ryan, "and I know him to be truthful. Rabinowich, you are fined $5."

This surprised the spectators and Rabinowich.

"What else could you expect from a Tammany judge and a Tammany policeman?" whispered a cloakmaker from the crowded benches.

Lawyer Goldschmidt attempted to explain the clubbing by the police, which led to Rabinowich's arrest, but Justice Ryan wouldn't listen to it, and the young salesman paid his fine and stepped aside.

Joseph Weisscoop, twenty-one years old, of No. 165 Suffolk street, charged with interferring with Policeman Denis Shea, of the Madison Street station, and resisting arrest, was next arraigned. When Weisscoop stepped upon the platform and stood behind Shea he made a funny picture and raised a laugh when the clerk read the charge.

Weisscoop is a diminutive specimen of manhood, not five feet in heighth, while Shea is a giant and towered above his prisoner.

"Are you a Socialist?" was the first question put by the Justice.

Without answering the question, Weisscoop went on to deny the charge against him.

"I wouldn't interfere with a policeman; I never trouble them. Do I look as if I would?" said the little man, eyeing the Judge.

"He challenged me to arrest him," put in Shea.

"I asked him not to arrest me," said Weisscoop.

"Do you call that a challenge?" said the Justice, looking at Shea sternly. "The prisoner is discharged."

The crowd on the benches appeared pleased, but made no noise.

Samuel Schneiderman, thirty-four years old, of 163 Tittorney street, was the next and last of the prisoners. He was also charged with resisting arrest, and denied the accusation of Policeman Cosgrove, who arrested him. Schneiderman was in the crowd in Rutgers square, and said he was trying to get out of it when the policeman thrtatened him. When asked if he was a Socialist, he did not answer.

When the third prisoner was discharged, the crowd slowly filed out of the court-room, and most of the strikers went direct to New Irving Hall, in Broome street, where thousands of striking cloakmakers were holding a mass meeting and denouncing the way they were treated by the police last night.

TABLES TURNED IN COURT.

Mr. Hirsch Was a Complainant, but Became a Prisoner.

Nathan Hirsch, sixty years old, of 158 West Sixty-fifth street, was paroled in the Yorkville Court to-day for examination on a charge of assault.

Mr. Hirsch appeared in court as complainant against Edward Smallback, a painter, of 330 West Thirty-eighth street.

Hirsch yesterday got into a controversy with a Miss Mary O'Leary, of 140 West Sixty-fourth street, over an attack made by her dog upon his dog.

She alleges that the old man bit her on the arm.

Smallbach interfered in the girl's behalf and was arrested for assaulting Hirsch.

When Justice McMahon heard all the facts in the case to-day he ordered Miss O'Leary to make a charge against the old man.

"LISTENS WITH HIS KNEE."

Strange Faculty of a Pittsburg Operator.

The novelty of a telegraph operator who can scarcely hear a locomotive whistle working day after day at his instrument is one of the marvels presented at a telegraph staion near this city, says the Pittsburg Commercial. The man is about twenty-eight years old. He has been deaf since he was about three years of age as the result of an attack of scarlet fever.

Being so extremely hard of hearing the child's sense of touch was developed to the degree usually posessed by blind persons. The slightest tap upon a table or a wall, the rolling of a wagon wheel along the street and all similar sounds were conveyed to him by the consequent vibrations.

When about twelve years of age he undertook the study of telegraphy. Being a favorite with the operator at his home he was given the run of the office. All the mystic signs, dots and dashes of the profession were explained to him. Day after day he could be seen sitting at the table with his knee pressed against it or resting his elbow upon it. He was literally feeling the messages as they were ticked off over the wire.

Being naturally quick it was but a short time until he was able to correctly read any message coming into the office. Sending came just as easy, and to-day, after sixteen years' service at the key and sounder, he is just as fine an operator as there is in the country. Of late years his haaring has improved to such an extent that he can easily hear the sounder, but the old habit of listening with his knee or elbow clings to him, and that is the way all his messages are read.

EXTRA. 2 O'CLOCK.

BANDITS GET BAGS OF GOLD.

Daring Robbery of the Overland Mail Train Not Far from Sacramento.

RAILROAD MEN THE THIEVES.

They Steal the Engine to Make Their Escape After Getting Their Booty.

THEIR PLUNDER ABOUT $1,500.

Express Safe Opened to Save the Lives of the Engineer and Fireman.

(By Associated Press.)

SACRAMENTO, Cal., Oct. 12.—A daring train robbery occurred last night about seven miles beyond Davisville, at a crossing known as Sheep Camp. Four sacks of coin were secured from the express car, and Messenger Jack Paige barely escaped with his life. The loot amounted to about $1,500.

It was a well-planned and skilfully executed robbery. The robbers waylaid the track-walker on his tricycle about 9 o'clock, tied him hand and foot, stole $5.50 from his pockets and left him helpless at the side of the track.

With the track-walker's lantern the robbers signalled No. 3, the Overland, to stop. Engineer Scott slowed up, but did not come to a full stop until the explosion of dynamite bombs under the engine warned him that it was useless to proceed further. By this time the robbers were on the engine. They sprang on from opposite sides of the track and began shooting at once. The passengers and train hands say quite a number of shots were fired before anybody knew what it was all about. The robbers then made the engineer and fireman dismount, and marched them back with rifles at their heads to the rear of the express car, where the victims were ordered to uncouple the train.

This was done speedily, and before the expressman, mail clerk or any of the train hands knew what was going on, the engine was speeding ahead and drawing only the two forward mail cars and Wells, Fargo & Co.'s express car. They went ahead about five miles with the robbers, the engineer and fireman on the engine. The rest of the train remained at Sheep Camp, in imminent peril of being telescoped by the Oregon train in the rear.

When the captured cars were halted, Engineer Scott and the fireman were marched back to the express car, where the robbers made a demand on Messenger Paige to open his door. He refused.

"By God, we'll shoot the engineer and fireman if you don't open in a hurry," said one of the robbers, the taller of the two, while the other masked man held two dynamite bombs up to view in the clear moonlight and threatened to blow the express car to pieces unless it was opened at once. Still Paige hesitated and some shots were fired through the glass door at him, one of which grazed his temple and filled it with broken bits of glass. Then the engineer called out to Paige to open the door.

"We're covered with guns, and they will kill us if you don't open," said Scott.

Still Page hesitated, and began to fire through the door, but his aim was wild and again Scott, in fear of his life, called on the messenger to open, saying that the robbers would surely blow him up unless he gave up.

The messenger finally opened the door. One robber then covered the messenger and engineer and fireman with his rifle, while the other searched for coin. He found three sacks, one containing $300 in silver and two small sacks of gold.

The engineer and fireman were made to carry the booty to the engine. Then the robbers mounted the engine and rode off, leaving the engineer and fireman behind. They went down the road towards Sacramento, and when some distance away, reversed the lever and sent the engine back to the stalled train.

Luckily the steam was low and when the locomotive came in contact with the forward mail car little damage was done.

Train No. 10, the Oregon express, came along and pushed the detached sections of train No. 3 together, and then into Sacramento, where they arrived at 12.30 this morning.

Fireman F. S. Lincoln, who got a good view of the robbers, says there is no doubt of their being men who thoroughly understand railroading.

The backs of Lincoln and Scott are covered with bruises caused by constant prodding with the rifles held by the robbers.

The news of the robbery produced the greatest excitement, and the city is alive with men eager to assist in the search.

Men are already scouring the country in every direction.

POLICE BOARD MUST ACT.

But Is Not Compelled to Retire Patrolman Henry McArdle.

Judge Giegerich, of the Court of Common Pleas, to-day denied the motion of Patrolman Henry McArdle for a mandamus to compel the Police Commissioners to retire him, but granted one compelling the Board to act upon his application.

McArdle was accused recently by Lexow Witness Applegate of being in the pay of "Green-Goods King" McNally, while stationed at the Grand Central Depot.

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