

About People and Social Incidents.

NEW-YORK SOCIETY.

William K. Vanderbilt, Jr., arrived from Newport yesterday with a party on board his yacht. Mrs. Vanderbilt will follow to-morrow.

Among the entertainments scheduled for to-day at Newport is the dinner to be given by Mrs. Pembroke Jones, at Friedheim, for the Grand Duke Boris of Russia and the Duchess of Marlborough. The latter leaves Newport to-morrow for Hempstead with Mrs. and Mrs. O. H. P. Belmont.

Mrs. Brockhelt Cutting and her son William will in a few days resume occupation of their Bellevue-ave. cottage, at Newport, which they had left for the summer. Later in the fall they will go to Europe for the winter.

Mrs. Stuyvesant Fish will remain for another ten days at Newport before going to her country place on the Hudson, and before leaving will give a large dinner at the Crossways on Sunday, September 14.

The runs of the Monmouth County Hounds begin to-morrow at Newport, under the direction of their master, P. Fenelon Collier, the first meet being at Easton's Point. There will likewise be a meet at the same hour of the Essex County Hounds at Southampton, Long Island.

Nearly \$5,000 is offered in prizes for the Westchester County Horse Show, which begins at White Plains on October 1 and lasts until October 4. William Oliver and Adrian Iselin, jr., as well as E. C. Potter, Howard Wilkes, Marion Storey, John D. Arnold, Colonel William Jay and Worthington Whitehouse are among those giving special prizes. The judges include R. W. Rives, H. K. Bloodgood, Howard N. Potter and Edward Crozer.

Mr. and Mrs. Oliver Harriman, jr., have left Newport for their place at White Plains, N. Y.

Mr. and Mrs. H. McK. Twombly are expected to-morrow at Florham, their country place near Madison, N. J., from Newport.

Miss Coleman Drayton is recovering from a serious attack of typhoid fever at Dark Harbor, Me.

J. Pierpont Morgan has purchased the house and lot on the north side of West Thirty-sixth-st., for enlarging his art gallery.

Mrs. Anson Phelps Stokes has returned to town from the Adirondacks, and is at her house in Madison-ave.

Mr. and Mrs. Clarence M. Hyde have left the Adirondacks and gone to their country place at Greenwich, Conn.

Mrs. Bradish Johnson, who has been at Northeast Harbor, Me., will spend the fall at Woodlands, their country place at Islip, Long Island.

Mrs. James Gerard, jr., has gone to Bar Harbor.

Among those sailing to-day on board the Celtic are William C. Whitney, Mr. and Mrs. Harry Payne Whitney and Mr. and Mrs. Herman B. Duryea, who expect to be back here in the latter part of October, in time to see some of the racing at Morris Park.

Baron Muun von Schwarzenstein, the German Minister Plenipotentiary at Peking, arrives in town to-day for a few days' stay before sailing for Germany.

James J. Van Alen is about to start on another fishing and shooting trip in Canada before sailing for Europe. He is organizing a party for the purpose. William F. Thompson, who married Miss A. Helen Bright, is likewise about to start a fishing party to Canada and Nova Scotia.

M. Cambon before proceeding to Madrid to assume his duties as French Ambassador to the Court of Spain will visit this country, sailing about October 15, to present his letters of recall to the President and bid farewell to the many friends made during his long sojourn in America.

Mr. Albert H. Gallatin and the Misses Gallatin, of Gramercy Park, have returned from the Adirondacks, and are at Lake Mohonk for the month of September.

Mr. and Mrs. A. Cass Canfield are placed in mourning by the death at Asheville, N. C., on Monday of Mrs. W. Houshelling, the mother of Mrs. Canfield. Mr. and Mrs. Canfield have only returned from a long trip abroad, but their enforced withdrawal from all the festivities of the winter here will probably have the effect of leading them to go to Europe again ere long.

BAR HARBOR NOTES.

Bar Harbor, Me., Sept. 4.—Society is doing little, but as yet there is no apparent sign that the season is ended. The tide of travel to the westward has not yet set in. There are still a considerable number of arrivals and the hotels announce an extension of their season. It will be well toward October before the season closes.

There were several affairs to-day, but nearly all the large formal entertainments are over. Mrs. Herbert M. Sears, of New-York, gave a women's luncheon at the Griffin cottage. Among the guests were Mrs. James W. Gerard, jr., Miss Edwards, Miss Lawrence, Miss Ribett, Mrs. Amos Pinchot, Miss Hewitt, Mrs. Wright, Mrs. Gould and Mrs. Leaming.

The wedding of Miss Eleanor Thomas and Livingston Beckman is set for October 8. Mr. Beckman is here, visiting the Thomases, who have been entertaining in his honor.

Prince Del Drago entertained at dinner to-night Count Costa, Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Flettner, Mrs. E. Marie, Mr. and Mrs. Von Gaertner and Mr. Wetzer.

Mr. and Mrs. Alexander Van Rensselaer gave a farewell luncheon on their yacht May to-day. Among their guests were Mrs. Wright, Mrs. Potter, Dorelynn Barry, Mr. and Mrs. Stewart, Edgar Scott and Miss Post.

Ex-Governor Francis of Missouri is the guest of Joseph Pulitzer, of New-York.

The annual croquet tournament at the St. Sauveur for the cups offered by Mrs. William Rutledge, of New-York, was won by Mrs. Howard Jones and Donald Cochran, of New-York.

Mrs. and Mrs. Ruthertford were second.

Mrs. and Mrs. Stevens Heckler, who have been visiting Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Leaming at the Talleyland cottages, left here to-night for Stratford.

Miss Alice Burnham is to be the guest of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Fry at Birnam.

Mr. and Mrs. General Woodcock have just returned from Bangor, where they have been the guests of General Varney.

Major Mrs. T. C. Darling are recent arrivals at the Mavern.

Mr. and Mrs. Hugh Camp, of New-York, came to-day to Bar Harbor.

Provost Harrison, of the University of Pennsylvania, and Mrs. Harrison have arrived at the St. Sauveur.

WILLIAM K. VANDERBILT, JR., ARRIVED FROM NEWPORT YESTERDAY WITH A PARTY ON BOARD HIS YACHT. MRS. VANDERBILT WILL FOLLOW TO-MORROW.

AMONG THE ENTERTAINMENTS SCHEDULED FOR TO-DAY AT NEWPORT IS THE DINNER TO BE GIVEN BY MRS. PEMBROKE JONES, AT FRIEDHEIM, FOR THE GRAND DUKE BORIS OF RUSSIA AND THE DUCHESS OF MARLBOROUGH.

MRS. BROCKHELT CUTTING AND HER SON WILLIAM WILL IN A FEW DAYS RESUME OCCUPATION OF THEIR BELLEVUE-AVE. COTTAGE, AT NEWPORT, WHICH THEY HAD LEFT FOR THE SUMMER.

MRS. STUYVESANT FISH WILL REMAIN FOR ANOTHER TEN DAYS AT NEWPORT BEFORE GOING TO HER COUNTRY PLACE ON THE HUDSON, AND BEFORE LEAVING WILL GIVE A LARGE DINNER AT THE CROSSWAYS ON SUNDAY, SEPTEMBER 14.

THE RUNS OF THE MONMOUTH COUNTY HOUNDS BEGIN TO-MORROW AT NEWPORT, UNDER THE DIRECTION OF THEIR MASTER, P. FENELON COLLIER, THE FIRST MEET BEING AT EASTON'S POINT.

NEARLY \$5,000 IS OFFERED IN PRIZES FOR THE WESTCHESTER COUNTY HORSE SHOW, WHICH BEGINS AT WHITE PLAINS ON OCTOBER 1 AND LASTS UNTIL OCTOBER 4.

MR. AND MRS. OLIVER HARRIMAN, JR., HAVE LEFT NEWPORT FOR THEIR PLACE AT WHITE PLAINS, N. Y.

MR. AND MRS. H. MCK. TWOMBLY ARE EXPECTED TO-MORROW AT FLORHAM, THEIR COUNTRY PLACE NEAR MADISON, N. J., FROM NEWPORT.

MISS COLEMAN DRAYTON IS RECOVERING FROM A SERIOUS ATTACK OF TYPHOID FEVER AT DARK HARBOR, ME.

J. PIERPONT MORGAN HAS PURCHASED THE HOUSE AND LOT ON THE NORTH SIDE OF WEST THIRTY-SIXTH-ST., FOR ENLARGING HIS ART GALLERY.

MRS. ANSON PHELPS STOKES HAS RETURNED TO TOWN FROM THE ADIRONDACKS, AND IS AT HER HOUSE IN MADISON-AVE.

MR. AND MRS. CLARENCE M. HYDE HAVE LEFT THE ADIRONDACKS AND GONE TO THEIR COUNTRY PLACE AT GREENWICH, CONN.

MRS. BRADISH JOHNSON, WHO HAS BEEN AT NORTHEAST HARBOR, ME., WILL SPEND THE FALL AT WOODLANDS, THEIR COUNTRY PLACE AT ISLIP, LONG ISLAND.

MRS. JAMES GERARD, JR., HAS GONE TO BAR HARBOR.

AMONG THOSE SAILING TO-DAY ON BOARD THE CELTIC ARE WILLIAM C. WHITNEY, MR. AND MRS. HARRY PAYNE WHITNEY AND MR. AND MRS. HERMAN B. DURYEA, WHO EXPECT TO BE BACK HERE IN THE LATTER PART OF OCTOBER, IN TIME TO SEE SOME OF THE RACING AT MORRIS PARK.

BARON MUUN VON SCHWARZENSTEIN, THE GERMAN MINISTER PLENIPO... ARRIVES IN TOWN TO-DAY FOR A FEW DAYS' STAY BEFORE SAILING FOR GERMANY.

JAMES J. VAN ALLEN IS ABOUT TO START ON ANOTHER FISHING AND SHOOTING TRIP IN CANADA BEFORE SAILING FOR EUROPE. HE IS ORGANIZING A PARTY FOR THE PURPOSE.

M. CAMBON BEFORE PROCEEDING TO MADRID TO ASSUME HIS DUTIES AS FRENCH AMBASSADOR TO THE COURT OF SPAIN WILL VISIT THIS COUNTRY, SAILING ABOUT OCTOBER 15, TO PRESENT HIS LETTERS OF RECALL TO THE PRESIDENT AND BID FAREWELL TO THE MANY FRIENDS MADE DURING HIS LONG SOJOURN IN AMERICA.

MR. ALBERT H. GALLATIN AND THE MISSES GALLATIN, OF GRAMERCY PARK, HAVE RETURNED FROM THE ADIRONDACKS, AND ARE AT LAKE MOHONK FOR THE MONTH OF SEPTEMBER.

MR. AND MRS. A. CASS CANFIELD ARE PLACED IN MOURNING BY THE DEATH AT ASHEVILLE, N. C., ON MONDAY OF MRS. W. HOUSHELLING, THE MOTHER OF MRS. CANFIELD.

THE WEDDING OF MISS ELEANOR THOMAS AND LIVINGSTON BECKMAN IS SET FOR OCTOBER 8.

PRINCE DEL DRAGO ENTERTAINED AT DINNER TO-NIGHT COUNT COSTA, MR. AND MRS. W. E. FLETTNER, MRS. E. MARIE, MR. AND MRS. VON GAERTNER AND MR. WETZER.

MR. AND MRS. ALEXANDER VAN RENSSELAER GAVE A FAREWELL LUNCHEON ON THEIR YACHT MAY TO-DAY.

EX-GOVERNOR FRANCIS OF MISSOURI IS THE GUEST OF JOSEPH PULIZER, OF NEW-YORK.

THE ANNUAL CROQUET TOURNAMENT AT THE ST. SAUVEUR FOR THE CUPS OFFERED BY MRS. WILLIAM RUTLEDGE, OF NEW-YORK, WAS WON BY MRS. HOWARD JONES AND DONALD COCHRAN, OF NEW-YORK.

MRS. AND MRS. RUTHERFORD WERE SECOND.

MRS. AND MRS. STEVENS HECKLER, WHO HAVE BEEN VISITING MR. AND MRS. THOMAS LEAMING AT THE TALLEYLAND COTTAGES, LEFT HERE TO-NIGHT FOR STRATFORD.

MISS ALICE BURNHAM IS TO BE THE GUEST OF MR. AND MRS. CHARLES FRY AT BIRNAM.

MR. AND MRS. GENERAL WOODCOCK HAVE JUST RETURNED FROM BANGOR, WHERE THEY HAVE BEEN THE GUESTS OF GENERAL VARNEY.

MAJOR MRS. T. C. DARLING ARE RECENT ARRIVALS AT THE MAVERN.

MR. AND MRS. HUGH CAMP, OF NEW-YORK, CAME TO-DAY TO BAR HARBOR.

PROVOST HARRISON, OF THE UNIVERSITY OF PENNSYLVANIA, AND MRS. HARRISON HAVE ARRIVED AT THE ST. SAUVEUR.

NOTES OF THE NEWPORT SEASON.

BY TELEGRAPH TO THE TRIBUNE. Newport, R. I., Sept. 4.—Mr. and Mrs. Thomas McKean gave an elaborate dinner this evening at Bellevue Lodge. After dinner a number of guests came in for the dancing which followed.

The guests were Mr. and Mrs. E. Rollins Morse, Mr. and Mrs. Craig Biddle, Mr. and Mrs. Clarence W. Dolan, Mr. and Mrs. Charles H. Hill, Mr. and Mrs. John R. Drexel, Mr. and Mrs. Cornelius Vanderbilt, Mr. and Mrs. Seth Barton French, Mr. and Mrs. William E. Carter, Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Harriman, Mr. and Mrs. Elisha Dyer, Jr., Mr. and Mrs. J. Townsend Burden, Mr. and Mrs. T. Shaw Safir, Mr. and Mrs. Hamilton Fish Weston, Miss Austin Gray, Mrs. Korochnan, Miss Elsie Whelan, Miss Nina Stenok, Miss Laura Swan, Miss Anita Sands, Mrs. Norman Whitehouse, Mrs. Thayer, Miss Mauran, Miss Preston, Miss Scott, Mrs. Joseph Stickney, Arthur Gray, George McFadden, Lewis Butler Preston, Barton Willing, Edward Gray, Lloyd Warren, Alexander Brown, George Morgan, Marion Wright, Baron Oppenheim, General Consul at Cairo, Gerald Wheeler, Secretary of the Legation, the Hon. Secretary of the Spanish Legation, Vicomte De Paris and George Brooks.

On September 12 Mrs. Thomas Shaw Safir will observe the third anniversary of her wedding by entertaining three hundred children at a picnic at Island Park, following a custom she started on the day of her marriage. The Park will be practically reserved for Mrs. Safir's guests on that day.

Mrs. Astor has cards out for dinners on September 15 and 19. Her stay in Newport this season is much longer than usual, though her series of entertainments was late on account of the delay in completing her ballroom.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert J. Collier will give a large dinner, followed by dancing, at Bellevue Lodge on September 12.

Mrs. Clement L. Best's "at home" this afternoon took the form of a musical, at which there were present a number of well known artists. A novel feature was the distribution of favors among the guests.

General and Mrs. Frederick Pierson have cards out for a large dinner at their cottage on September 12.

One of the echoes of the horse show just closed here is the demand on the management for classes in which only those who have been residents of Newport for at least thirty days before the show will be permitted to enter. This is on account of the opposition of the cottagers to competing with newcomers in the show.

Lieutenant Cornelius Vanderbilt has been entertaining William Cary Sanger, Assistant Secretary of War, and Colonel Dyer, of the 12th Regiment, N. Y. State Militia, at the house of the sixteen-year-old Duke Boris and his suite returned from Oyster Bay this evening, where he had been to see President Roosevelt in the morning. Tomorrow evening he will entertain the dinner which Mrs. Pierson is to give at the house of the Duchess of Marlborough, who, on the following day, will leave Newport for Hempstead with her husband.

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Amusements.

ACADEMY OF MUSIC.—8:15—Quincy Adams Sawyer.
LANTERN THEATRE.—8:15—The Christians.
ROADWAY THEATRE.—8:15—In Our Alley.
MUSICIANS.—8:15—The Muses.
CHERRY BLOSSOM GROVE.—8:15—Vaudville and Musical Comedy.
THE ADULTERER.—8:15—Concert.
EMERALD THEATRE.—8:15—The Mummy and the Humpty Dumpty.
FOURTEENTH STREET THEATRE.—8:15—Robert Emmet.
GARRICK THEATRE.—8:15—The New Clown.
HERALD SQUARE.—8:15—The Emerald Isle.
KEITH'S.—10:30 a. m. to 10:30 p. m.—Continous Performance.
KNICKERBOCKER THEATRE.—8:15—Robert Emmet.
MANHATTAN BEACH.—8:15—Shannon's 23d Regiment.
MAISON SQUARE.—8:15—Japan by Night.
NURRAY HILL THEATRE.—8:15—Madress Nell.
THE SAVOY THEATRE.—8:15—The Soldiers' Fortune.
PARADISE ROOF GARDEN.—8:15—Vaudville.
FACTOR'S.—Continous Performance.
THE GARDEN.—8:15—The Emerald Isle.
ST. NICHOLAS GARDEN.—8:15—Summer Night's Band.
WALLACK'S.—8:15—Mrs. Jack.

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Business Notice.

All Work, a Yard Wide, No Shoddy. Remarkable Gains. Still Growing.

New-York Daily Tribune.

FRIDAY, SEPTEMBER 5, 1902. THE NEWS THIS MORNING.

FOREIGN.—A second eruption of Mont Pelée is reported to have killed thousands. Another eruption of La Soufrière is also reported. The railway shareholders in Great Britain are frightened over the continued drop in British railways. The Empress Dowager of China bestowed orders on foreign ministers engaged in tariff negotiations. The Danish elections assure a ratification of the treaty with America. It was reported that Mr. Fife would use nothing except steel in the construction of Sir Thomas Lipton's new challenger. The date of the sailing of Monsignor Guidi, Apostolic Delegate to the Philippines, was set for October 19. Many messages of congratulation were sent abroad on the President's escape from injury.

DOMESTIC.—Pittsfield appointed a committee to investigate the cause of the accident to the President. Many messages of congratulation were received at the State Department. Emperor William and President Loubet being among the senders. The navy made a night attack on the fort of San Juan. The strike in the bituminous coal fields of West Virginia was ended. Governor Stone of Pennsylvania said he would consider the session of the legislature to consider the coal strike if he was convinced that a satisfactory law to end the trouble could be passed. Truxton Beale and Thomas H. W. Hunt were held for shooting Frederick Marriott, a San Francisco publisher. Governor Odell spoke at the centennial celebration at Batavia.

CITY.—Stocks were heavy and generally advanced. Senator Tillman won over ex-Senator Hill to the support of Bird S. Coler for the Democratic nomination for Governor. It was learned that Morgan, the Pennsylvania Railroad and the First National Bank had obtained control of the Reading road, to prevent Gould from capturing it. Mayor Low and President Cantor had a conference on the Pennsylvania Railroad tunnel contract. Alderman Walkley thought the amended contract would be passed. The President of the Slavonic League inferred from a letter from Assistant Secretary of State that the objection to the presentation of the Hungarian flag here. It was learned that a number of men prominent in shipping circles, including Messrs. Stone, Truxton Beale and Thomas H. W. Hunt, were held for shooting Frederick Marriott, a San Francisco publisher. Governor Odell spoke at the centennial celebration at Batavia.

THE SANDUSKY CONVENTION. Democratic policy in Ohio has suffered another sudden and startling reversal. Abrupt and violent reactions of the sort just witnessed at Sandusky have not been altogether unknown in Buckeye politics. Yet rarely has the wheel of Democratic hopes and fortunes turned in twelve months so complete a circle. A year ago at Columbus, when Colonel James Kilbourne was nominated for the Governorship, the State convention spared no pains to express its contempt for Colonel William J. Bryan's misguided and disastrous leadership. It did not disassemble its love for the unfortunate Nebraska Orator. It brutally kicked him—and his theories with him—down the political back stairs. Only six delegates out of nine hundred and fifty supported an amendment to the report of the resolutions committee endorsing the Kansas City platform and expressing "continued confidence in the leadership of that matchless commander 'William J. Bryan.'" A campaign lithograph of the twice defeated candidate for the Presidency had been hung among the effigies of dead party leaders like Allen and Thurman. It was torn from the wall and trampled under foot amid the jeers of delegates and spectators.

This year all is changed. The Lincoln statesman has come into his own again, and an obsequious convention at Sandusky reaffirms its loyalty to the theories and leadership discarded with such emphasis and ostentation at Columbus. Under the tutelage of a master in State politics, Mayor Tom L. Johnson of Cleveland, the Democracy of Ohio subscribed on Wednesday to this remarkable vindication of Bryan and Bryanism. In State convention assembled, we, the Democracy of Ohio, hereby acknowledge, and declare our continued allegiance to the Democratic party of the nation, and on national issues reaffirm and endorse the principles laid down in the last national platform adopted at Kansas City, and faithfully and ably represented in the Presidential campaign of 1900 by William Jennings Bryan. Regarding these principles as opposed to imperialism and colonialism, as opposed to government by the few, as opposed to trusts and trust fostering tariffs, as opposed to financial monopoly and as opposed to all other legalized monopolies and privileges, we condemn every effort to repudiate or ignore them.

The Nebraska Orator has had few less welcome compliments paid him in these last two years of dubious favor and shadowed prestige. Even his lingering and sadly strained devotion to the cause of silver coinage finds some latest recognition in the Ohio Democracy's latest emanation of political faith. Mayor Johnson frankly told the convention that he personally had never believed in free coinage of silver at the ratio of 16 to 1. Yet he urged his followers to accept his own assurance and that of the "great Democrat who has in two national campaigns brilliantly led us against the Republican party and its allied hosts of non-partisan 'monopoly,'" that the financial question is not dead—that somehow it may be galvanized into a "good enough" issue for another Presidential campaign. Altogether, Mayor Johnson, both in the platform he drew and in the speech he made as the convention's permanent chairman, seemed inclined to out-Bryan Bryan, and under his leadership the Democratic organization in Ohio must be prepared to cut loose absolutely from the conservative traditions which have sometimes bound it, and which showed their greater strength, perhaps, in the Kilbourne convention of a year ago.

What is the meat in the cocoon of all this display at Sandusky of loyalty to Bryan and Bryanism? The answer is only too easy. We are told that thousands of lapel buttons were distributed among the delegates bearing, beneath the Cleveland statesman's portrait, the inscription, "Tom L. Johnson in 1904." Mr. Johnson's enthusiasm for Colonel Bryan is the enthusiasm of a heir prospective. The Nebraska orator and editor may be moved to gratitude by so fervent an exhibition of hero worship. But his satisfaction will be tempered by a certain flavor of melancholy; for, to a statesman who still talks of thirty or forty years more of active public service, it must be an embarrassment to feel his crown and sceptre already mortgaged to so aggressive and enterprising a political legatee.

It is, of course, necessary for Mr. Cantor to make a record as "a friend of labor." He is seeking the Democratic nomination for Governor, and repute as a valiant champion of trades unions, eight hour days, prevailing rate of wages, compulsory arbitration and general cooperation tall twisting would be extremely useful to him, and must be had at any price, without regard to the business interests of New-York and the convenience of the mass of its people. Therefore the efforts of Mr. Cantor to force into the Pennsylvania Railroad tunnel franchise labor stipulations of doubtful legality and entire superfluity are easily understood and have been patiently tolerated. But there is a season for all things. Some time the record must be made. Mr. Cantor's position as a noble champion of labor perfected, his hold upon the labor vote secured, so that the general progress of the community may be resumed. Why not now? Let us all at once concede the postulate that Mr. Cantor is a friend of labor. His heart beats true to union demands. He has a mortgage past due on the labor vote. If he runs for Governor we will all acknowledge that the workman has no cause for complaint against him, and promise to make no criticism of him on that score, but to pass unchallenged all campaign literature and speeches dwelling on his heroic bearing of the Pennsylvania Railroad out of love for the wage-earners.

Let us, then, consider that settled and go on without delay to secure the building of the tunnel which the people of this city so much desire. It must be evident that, aside from Mr. Cantor's need of a record which as we admit has been amply made, the rights and interests of labor are adequately safeguarded in the proposed franchise, and there is not the slightest need for any additional provisions such as Mr. Cantor has sought to impose on the company. The Pennsylvania officials are perfectly right in refusing to give up control of their own building operations and incorporate in the franchise promises which at best mean nothing and at worst subject the company to the mastery of bodies which can be held to no responsibility for the reasonable use of power. The Pennsylvania Railroad has no quarrel with organized labor. It treats its men fairly, pays union wages, will let out its contracts to persons who will be bound by the conditions of the New-York labor market, and no legitimate interest of workmen will be served by the proposed labor clause. The Court of Appeals has decided that the city cannot make such requirement of contractors who bid for municipal work as it is now sought to impose on the Pennsylvania Railroad. The legality of the city requiring the company to do what it cannot do itself is not evident, and even if such a course is legal it is improper and demagogic. It is not the business of the city to say whether the railroad shall employ union or non-union men, Irishmen or Italians, Methodists or Presbyterians, or what wages it shall pay to its president or its trackman. The city's business, if it wants the railroad, as it undoubtedly does, is to grant a franchise for a reasonable compensation, with due safeguards to protect the interests of the whole people in the construction and use of the tunnel, not to serve the special purposes of any set of men, whether walking delegates or vote seeking politicians.

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