REPORTS ALL INSPIRING.

REPUBLICANS PLEASED AT GAINS IN UP STATE REGISTRATION.

A renewed activity in every Republican camp in the State, the settlement of the coal strike and the aroused public interest in the election all tended yesterday to make the Republican campaign managers feel much elated. They do not deny that until the last few days there had been apathy in the State, so far as the campaign was concerned. The coal strike and the widespread paralysis and suffering threatened, should it continue, to overshadow in importance the election. People thought and talked about the coal strike, and the election received little or no attention. With the strike settled the public mind has reverted to the election, and now interest is widespread.

The Democrats, seeing their asset, the coal strike, evaporate as a campaign issue, have tried to crawl from under the falling debris. The coal plank, inserted in the Democratic State platform to appeal to the passions of an hour, has been repudiated, now that its wanton viciousness has been exposed. Colonel Dunn, chairman of the Republican State Committee, referring to the attempt of the Democratic managers to injure Governor Odell for his effort to settle the coal strike, said yesterday:

"I don't believe the people of this State are going to store up enmity against any man or any party that used every power at hand to try and abate a condition that was becoming intolerable. If the Democrats blamed the Republicans for the coal strike it would be just as consistent for them to give the Republicans full credit for settling it. However it is past, and the Democrats are whistling against the wind."

Senator Platt went to Owego yesterday to register. He will return to this city to-morrow. Colonel Dunn went to Binghamton yesterday afternoon. Everything was quiet around State headquarters, but the campaign was in full swing. The organization in the State is intact. From up the State the most cheering news has been received about the registration and other details. This week and the next one will be busy ones. The State will be carefully covered by competent and able speakers. Governor Odell will heard in many places. His speaking engagements have already been printed in The Tribune. Senator Depew, ex-Senator Hiscock, Lieutenant Governor Woodruff, Abraham Gruber, ex-Governor Black, Congressman Payne, Congressman Sherman and many of the leading Republicans in the State will be in the field and making a rousing campaign.

GETTING OUT THE VOTERS.

At Republican County Headquarters yesterday the last day for registration was spent in getting voters out. Every district leader was in his district directing the precinct captains and district workers in their efforts to stir up lagging voters. If any one failed to register it was not because he was not reminded of the necessity for so doing. All of the district leaders are enthusiastic, and say that they will poll a vote on Election Day that will be up to or beyond expectations. From now on there will be no let-up in the campaign. There will be meetings every night in every district in the city. There will be torchlight parades and bonfires. The city is to be flooded with circulars and letters and made resonant with speakers. Tammany strongholds will be invaded, and the fight from the Battery to The Bronx will be waged to the last.

This is also true of the State. There has never been a time when the organization was in better trim or the situation so well in hand. There is not a weak spot in the Republican armament, and the generals in the field are vigilant, resourceful, able and alert. There are daily conferences at headquarters. Republicans from all parts of the State are coming and going at all hours of the day and night. They are bringing reports, getting advice and going back to the firing line. All of the reports are of the most reassuring character, but these do not for a moment cause the Republicans to relax their efforts, and the one order is to work harder and to make the majority bigger. Before leaving the city yesterday Colonel Dunn talked about the registration and the outlook up the State. He said:

Reports received at Republican State headquarters from cities and villages where personal registration is required, show that Republicans were particularly active on the third day of registration. The comparisons made by the city chairman show that the registration for the third day exceeded in most cases that for 1901, and in some cases was up to that of the last Presidential year. Inasmuch as there were elections for Mayor in many cities last year, and the contests brought out a heavy vote, the results indicate that the people are pretty well awake this year. Here are some of the results as received from the city chairman:

In Utica twelve out of twenty-eight districts showed a registration of 1,336 for three days, as compared with 1,132 in the same districts last year.

Dunkirk gave a registration of 436 on the third day, an increase of twenty-three over the same day in the Presidential year.

Albany on the first three days registered 19,266, as against 20,758 last year, when there was a hot mayoralty contest on.

Plattsburg on the first three days registered 1,747, an increase over two years ago.

Oneonta for three days has 1,874, which is an increase of 179 over last year.

Watervliet for three days gives 2,949, a gain of twenty over the same days last year.

Schenectady has an unusually large registration, the three days giving 7,689, against 7,205 in the Presidential year of 1900, a gain of 475.

Cortland gives 2,651, as compared with 2,261 in 1900.

Watertown for three days shows a gain over last year of 495.

Rome has this year, for three days, 2,859, against 2,355 in 1901.

Ithaca has 2,603, a gain of 250 over last year, and a gain of seventy over 1898.

Mount Vernon shows this year 1,224 on the third day, an increase of 207 over 1900.

Lockport for the third day shows a total this year of 674, a gain of twelve over last year.

Buffalo shows a total for the three days of 16,210, against 15,721 in 1900.

Rochester for the three days was 28,183. In 1900 it was 26,113 for the same period.

UP-STATE REGISTRATION.

Albany, Oct. 19.—The total registration in this city for the four days of registration is 25,026, as compared with 25,065 one year ago, when a municipal campaign was in progress, and 25,719 in 1900.

Kingston, N. Y., Oct. 18.—The last day's registration was 1,402, compared with 1,177 last year. The total for four days was 5,831 compared with 5,702 last year and 6,103 in 1900.

Corning, N. Y., Oct. 18.—The total registration in this city was 2,718. In 1901 it was 2,164.

Oswego, N. Y., Oct. 18.—The total registration for Oswego is 5,065, as compared with 5,052 for 1901 and 5,472 in 1900.

Little Falls, N. Y., Oct. 18.—The registration in Little Falls is 2,480, an increase of thirteen over last year, but 327 less than in 1900.

NOMINATED FOR CONGRESS.

Memphis, Tenn., Oct. 18.—T. C. Phelan, of Memphis, was nominated for Congress to-day by the Republican convention of the Xth District.

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JUDGE STECKLER'S FINE RECORD.

REFORMS WHICH HE STARTED WHEN HE WAS A CIVIL JUSTICE.

The vigorous campaign of the friends of Alfred Steckler for his election to the Supreme Court bench recalls one of the bitterest political district contests. In the fall of 1881 Mr. Steckler had called attention to the abuses suffered by persons seeking justice in the district courts, especially those of the lower East Side. His nomination for justice of the Fourth District Court was demanded by a number of the people of that judicial district, but the controlling political powers refused to nominate him. He was therefore named as an independent candidate, and Tammany Hall, Irving Hall, the County Democracy and the Republican organization united upon a man to defeat him. Mr. Steckler routed the combined forces.

In the succeeding twelve years Justice Steckler started numerous reforms in the district courts. He abolished the "dispossess bureau" and the system of extortionate fees, which were oppressive to landlord and tenant alike. He introduced a reform in the matter of drawing juries, by causing the boxes containing the jury lists to be brought into open court and the names drawn in the presence of the litigants. It is a noteworthy fact that in the thousands of cases that came up before Justice Steckler, jury trials were demanded in not more than a dozen instances. In order to stop the extortion practised in the courts, he caused large placards to be posted at the entrance to his court, printed in various languages, informing the people just what fees were allowed by law for each step in any litigation in which they might be involved. In 1886, when the district was suffering from the existence of disorderly houses, and the police refused to drive out the proprietors, Justice Steckler dispossessed them, and in a week the nuisance was abated.

As a justice of the Supreme Court he has passed upon a number of interesting cases. In the so-called "Spate chair" case he reminded forgetful officials that the parks are for the whole people, and not for any particular class. The constitutional right of trial by jury has been upheld by the justice in excise cases.

ENDLESS CHAIN FOR STECKLER.

FIVE DEMOCRATIC ADMIRERS START THE LETTER WRITING—A MASS MEETING.

Five Democratic admirers of Justice Alfred Steckler, Republican, Greater New-York Democracy and Liberal Democratic candidate for Justice of the Supreme Court, last week started an endless chain system of letter writing in his behalf, and as a result of their efforts a mass meeting will be held on Thursday night at Terrace Garden. It is expected that fully twenty-five hundred people will be present. The five original letter writers live in the XXIXth Assembly District. They each agreed to write to ten of their personal acquaintances, asking them to vote and work for Justice Steckler, and coupled with the request for a vote was one that the recipient of the letter should write to ten of his acquaintances asking support for Justice Steckler. Mr. Steckler's campaign managers began to hear from the letters by the hundred yesterday. They seem to be spreading all over the city.

There were delivered at the Steckler headquarters in Twenty-third-st. yesterday one hundred thousand large window lithographs of the judge. Thirty thousand were distributed, and more will be sent out to-morrow.

M'DONOUGH DECIDES FOR G. N. Y. D.

HE IS IMMEDIATELY SERVED WITH AN ORDER TO SHOW CAUSE WHY HE SHOULD NOT REJECT NOMINATIONS.

[BY TELEGRAPH TO THE TRIBUNE.]

Albany, Oct. 18.—John T. McDonough, Secretary of State, announced this morning that he had decided to accept the certificate filed by the Greater New-York Democracy nominating Bird S. Coler for Governor and also nominating the other candidates of the Democratic party for State offices for the same places. This afternoon he was served with an order to show cause before Judge Cochrane, of the Supreme Court, at Kingston, on Monday why he should not reconsider this decision and reject the certificate. Judge Cochrane issued the order on the complaint of Jay W. Forrest, of the Liberal Democracy.

The managers of the company which supplies voting machines to Syracuse are said to be much disturbed by the prospect of the Greater New-York Democracy being permitted to have a place on the official ballot. The voting machines are prepared to handle only seven columns of nominations, which are already filled by other parties and the independent nomination of Watson M. Rogers for Supreme Court Judge.

William Hepburn Russell, chairman of the executive committee of the Greater New-York Democracy, when informed that Mr. Forrest had appealed to the courts, said:

"I believe that we shall be able to get the injunction vacated. Mr. Forrest and the men back of him can rest assured that we shall fight this thing through if it takes all the time left before printing the tickets. Secretary McDonough is convinced of the honesty of our petitions, and sent me word to-day that he had upheld us. It strikes me that Mr. Forrest is simply wasting time by carrying the matter up."

SHAFTER'S COUSIN STILL IN BELLEVUE.

HE CAME FROM WASHINGTON ON SAME TRAIN WITH GENERAL, WHO GAVE HIM $5.

Harold Shafter Howard, General Shafter's cousin, who was removed to Bellevue Hospital from the Grand Union Hotel on Friday in an insane condition, came here a few days ago from Washington, apparently in sound mind, though pale and thin. He explained this by saying he had been travelling through the South, where in the boarding houses at which he was staying he couldn't get a square meal.

Young Howard's home is in Oakland, Cal., where his father is president of a local water company. He was a student at Harvard, in the class of '09, but only remained for two years of the course. It is said he has been studying for the ministry of late. Howard was accompanied from Washington by an Englishman. While in Washington he met the general, and later came here on the same train with him. General Shafter, when seen at the Fifth Avenue Hotel yesterday by a Tribune reporter, said:

"I know nothing about the matter but what I read in the papers. There was nothing in his appearance when I saw him to indicate insanity. I gave him $5 on reaching New-York, and have not heard of him since."

A call at Bellevue elicited the information that as yet no steps had been taken to have the young man sent home.

FROST IN MAINE.

Portland, Me., Oct. 18.—An unusually heavy frost for the middle of October did much damage in the eastern part of the State last night, especially to the apple crop, the greater part of which is yet on the trees.

MORGAN & CO. NOT INTERESTED.

A member of the firm of J. P. Morgan & Co. said yesterday that he had received no confirmation of a report that the Interstate Commerce Commission would come to this city to take testimony as to the plans for merging the Louisville and Nashville and other Southern railroads. The firm, he said, was not concerned about questions that might come before the commission in connection with the merger plans. Those questions, he said, would be for the attorneys of the several railroad companies to deal with.

TO HELP RESTOCK BOER FARMS.

Pretoria, Oct. 18.—Sir Arthur Lawley, Lieutenant Governor of the Transvaal Colony, replying to a deputation of farmers who had waited upon him, announced that the government had decided to loan on first mortgages on land a sum not exceeding $2,500,000, at 4½ per cent, for the exclusive purpose of restocking the farms.

PENALTIES FOR DRUNKARDS.

Vienna, Oct. 18.—The Austrian Government is preparing a bill for the purpose of combatting drunkenness. The measure provides for the imposition of severe penalties upon dipsomaniacs.

CEMETERY SOLD AT AUCTION.

Newburg, N. Y., Oct. 18.—A large cemetery at Pine Plains, Dutchess County, was sold at auction this afternoon on account of the foreclosure of a mortgage. Six thousand bodies are buried in the cemetery. It is thought the courts may allow the bodies to remain.

SUICIDE OF MINISTER'S WIFE.

Springfield, Mass., Oct. 18.—Mrs. George W. Love, wife of the pastor of the First Congregational Church of West Springfield, committed suicide today by hanging. She had been suffering from melancholia and nervous prostration. Her husband missed her when he awoke at 6 o'clock, and upon going into the cellar found her clad in her night clothes, in a kneeling position, with a cord about her neck attached to one of the beams. Help was summoned, but it was impossible to revive her.

The little advertisements in the narrow columns look small, but the offers they represent are, in some instances, as big as a house.

STANDS BY COAL PLANK

WIDE CHASM BETWEEN HILL AND HIS CANDIDATE ON PARTY'S PLATFORM.

Ithaca, N. Y., Oct. 18.—Though the weather was rainy and disagreeable, the Lyceum Theatre was crowded to-night when ex-Senator Hill delivered the opening address of the campaign in Central New-York. He was introduced by Professor Lee, of Cornell. Mr. Hill emphatically supported the plank on the coal strike, saying:

We have recently had a terrible affliction in the anthracite coal strike. For five months there was no mining of coal in this country. Now it is said that the strike is settled because a board of arbitration has been created which will consider this question. But what is to be done with the question permanently? All Republican politicians claim the credit of settling the coal strike. I tell you not a Republican politician, not even President Roosevelt himself, had done a thing toward settling this great question until the Democratic party assembled at Saratoga. The method then advocated is constitutional, and I am not here to take back one word of this coal plank, but I am here to stand by it, and I do stand by it, because it is the only way of settling this question permanently. I am not here to say when it will be necessary or best for the government to so act, but I am here to stand by this plank.

COLER TURNS DOWN MURPHY

PROMISES TO RECOGNIZE THE CONWAY DEMOCRATS OF TROY.

Mayor Daniel E. Conway of Troy has forced Bird S. Coler, Democratic candidate for Governor, to declare himself for the Conway Democrats in Troy. This will not be pleasant reading for ex-Senator Edward Murphy, the former political boss of Rensselaer County, but Mayor Conway does not mind a little thing like that. Mr. Conway is for Mr. Conway, and if he used somewhat drastic means to make Mr. Coler stand for Conway, why that's a little matter of politics and nothing more. What the Murphyites will do when they hear that Coler is for Conway will develop later on. For the present, Mr. Conway is the political cock of the Troy walk, and if by any chance Coler should be elected, the new Democratic Governor will recognize the Conway men as the simon pure Democrats of Troy.

Two years ago Murphy joined hands with Croker against Hill and Coler. At the late Saratoga convention the Conway men came to the convention with a contesting delegation from Edward Murphy's home Assembly district. The Murphy men begged and threatened, but when the contest was decided, the Conway men had won, and the Murphy men went away thirsting for revenge.

It seems that Mayor Conway did not like Mr. Coler's shiftiness on the coal plank, and came down to see him and find just how he stood with the candidate. The story goes that Mr. Conway, who returned to Troy yesterday, had several arguments with Mr. Coler, who did not wish to commit himself. Finally, it is said, Conway got angry, and told Mr. Coler that if he would not "stand for" Conway, as had Hill at the Saratoga convention, he would read disagreeable news from Rensselaer on the morning after election.

The result was that Mayor Conway went back home with the understanding that the Murphy men were to receive only what they could get by fighting for, and that Mayor Conway would be the dispenser of Troy patronage in case the election went to suit the Democrats.

When Mr. Coler was asked last night at the Hoffman House about the visit of Mayor Conway he said:

"I will not discuss his visit."

GOLDFOGLE A CARPETBAGGER.

HE CAN'T VOTE FOR HIMSELF IN THE IXTH CONGRESS DISTRICT.

Congressman Henry M. Goldfogle cannot vote for himself. He is now running as a carpetbagger in the IXth District, and the friends of Charles S. Adler, the Republican candidate, say that this will defeat him in the close fight that is being waged there. Mr. Goldfogle lives at No. 16 Columbia-st., and was no carpetbagger when he ran two years ago. The reapportionment, however, left his residence, in Columbia-st., in Congressman Sulzer's district. The Adler men were too sharp to overlook a thing like this, and now the story is going around the district that Congressman Goldfogle cannot vote for himself. When Mr. Adler ran for the Assembly the year that Roosevelt was elected Governor he ran ahead of Colonel Roosevelt 600 in the VIIIth District. In 1893 he overcame a Democratic plurality of 5,300. The new Congress district in which Adler and Goldfogle are contesting is Democratic by about eight hundred. Mr. Adler's friends say that he will easily overcome this plurality.

M'LAUGHLIN NOT AFTER U. S. SENATE.

Hugh McLaughlin was in a talkative mood yesterday, and declared that he was in undisputed control in Brooklyn. Regarding the stories that he was ambitious to succeed Senator Platt in the United States Senate, Mr. McLaughlin said:

"An idiot published an article saying I was trying to get into the United States Senate. I said I would give him $20,000 if I ever took an office outside of the city of Brooklyn. Why should I want to go to the United States Senate when I can get everything I want in Brooklyn? I am in full control here—undisputed control—but you see what I would be up against if I started out to get to Washington. There would be Platt, Hanna and Quay, and they're a pretty tough combination. I might lick them with my fists, but they've got brains. No, sir, I wouldn't have an office that would take me away from Brooklyn."

John L. Shea, manager of the Democratic local campaign, said frankly yesterday that certain proposed meetings were too expensive and could not be held. He said the political meetings cost a lot of money. A meeting like that at the Academy of Music costs over $2,000, and little meetings cost about $500. Then there were the advertisements, and the house costs heavily.

"BIG TIM" STIRS UP VOTERS.

"Big Tim" Sullivan seems to be anxious about his cohorts registering in "de Ate." All day long yesterday brass bands and marching men were in evidence, gathering in the stray voter and leading him to register. Wagons bearing large banners informing the tardy that this was their last chance were hauled over the East Side to the violent clanging of bells. A canvass of several polling places revealed that registration was not as heavy as in other years.

IT'S BAD TO READ TOO FAST,

as you may overlook the little advertisements in the narrow columns.

MT. KISCO AROUSED BY FIREBUGS.

THE RESIDENTS ARE PLANNING TO FORM A PROTECTIVE LEAGUE—WILL SHOOT SUSPICIOUS PERSONS.

The residents of Mount Kisco, in the northern part of Westchester County, who were aroused yesterday over the work of a gang of firebugs, which has burned two barns and tried to burn two farmhouses, are now planning to form a protective league, and will offer a big reward for the capture of the incendiaries.

A large barn on the country estate of Captain A. P. Delcambre was entirely destroyed, and Captain Delcambre declared that one side of his manor house had been saturated with kerosene oil and set afire, but through the quick action of his help the flames were extinguished before much damage had been done. A house on the P. B. Willis estate, not far from the Delcambre farm, was also fired, but the fire was put out.

At the latter place evidence of oil was found, and the farmers are greatly aroused. Several of them have secured shotguns and have hired men to watch their barns every night, and have instructed the help to shoot the first person found acting suspiciously around the buildings. Captain Delcambre said yesterday:

"I am sure some firebugs are at large, and we propose to do something. We cannot get insurance any more, and I intend to appeal to the county authorities to take action. Evidently some persons like to see fires, and start them to see the flames."

Thibet Muffs, $6 and $8; extra large, $12. Collars to match, $15 to $20. C. C. Shayne, Manufacturer, 41st & 42d Sts. Bet. B'way & 6th Ave.

RIDGELY'S
FINANCIAL FORECASTS

After a long winning streak, there always comes the inevitable month or so of blunders and bad luck, with one's ideas of the market all at sea. Then we get on the right track again, and run into another long winning streak. It is thus with my Daily Financial Letters. After more than thirteen consecutive winning months, we ran into a losing streak, which I trust came to an end a week ago. There is good money to be made on both sides of the market this winter, and it is quite on the cards for my advices to again be correct for an indefinite period. Following is a synopsis of Letters for the past week:

ADVICE FOR MONDAY, OCTOBER 13.

"The general sentiment is that prices will be lower Monday. The banks are determined to wipe out every weakly margined account before taking off the pressure. But in my judgment, it is safe to buy on pronounced weakness, putting stop-loss orders two points below purchase price if desired. Such stop orders should not be reached."

ADVICE FOR TUESDAY, OCTOBER 14.

"The public have no more stocks to liquidate. Banks, Brokers and newspapers have together forced outsiders to the wall, and purged them of their margins to the last penny. The Berwyn pool were to-day buying Atchison, the S. P. pool were buying So. Pac. Kuhn, Loeb & Co. were buying U. P., and the Gates crowd were liberal purchasers of L. & N., Norfolk, and several other stocks. The strike settlement will be followed by easing off in money rates and a material improvement in values."

ADVICE FOR WEDNESDAY, OCTOBER 15.

"I am inclined to think we shall run right into a bull market. This is assuming that the strike is speedily settled, which will be followed by easy money. The way things are shaping now, it is quite on the cards to get a short sharp bull market."

ADVICE FOR THURSDAY, OCTOBER 16.

"With the strike settlement comes easy money conditions. All the usual bull arguments are on tap when the big men want to use same. KEEP LONG OF NORFOLK, L. & N., Atch., S. P., Ill. Central, and the EASTERN TRUNK LINES. The biggest operators on the Street are bulling them."

ADVICE FOR FRIDAY, OCTOBER 17.

"For the moment, I continue very bullish on the stocks named yesterday. Remember, that as long as the public are expecting 'reactions,' reactions will be only fractional."

ADVICE FOR SATURDAY, OCTOBER 18.

"The shorts did a good deal of covering to-day, and it looks like a reaction is not far off. I advise profit taking on all rallies."

There is the record, which speaks for itself. I have made some pretty bad blunders the past month, partly through getting "information" too far in advance; and subscribers who did not have the resources to "average" by buying on the breaks, unquestionably lost money. But there are one or two things I beg to remind you of in extenuation. I urged buying on the breaks and didn't scare people out at the bottom, as most "advisers" did. I told people away back in September that it was a time when big margins might be needed. I said then that my personal views were that the market was high enough and stocks should be sold on all rallies; but that the men who made the market were unanimously bullish. The "information" of those men should have been much better than my "guess"—but it wasn't. I also submit that every tipster, financial writer, or "bureau," whose advices were based on "information," went just as far and in many cases farther astray than I did, however frantically they may proclaim to the contrary. The only man who has been anywhere near correct is one who runs his business on purely guessing principles and who has been advising "sales on rallies, purchases on breaks" ever since June.

All I can promise for the future is to give my own views more prominence, and not follow too closely what the Insiders say; the important thing is what they DO. I think, however, that the Daily Letter mailed at 5 P. M. will be worth to you the price asked—$5 per month.

A. N. RIDGELY, 20 Broad St., N. Y.

AGAINST A LOCAL MACHINE.

THE CITIZENS UNION OF EAST ORANGE HOLDS A LIVELY MEETING.

[BY TELEGRAPH TO THE TRIBUNE.]

East Orange, N. J., Oct. 18.—The Citizens Union of East Orange held a rousing mass meeting in Commonwealth Hall to-night, which was attended by a large number of prominent citizens, including about three hundred women. The latter were interested in the reform movement begun by the union for the reason that two women have been nominated by the organization for membership in the Board of Education.

Archer Brown, president of the union, presided. Henry H. Hall, a wealthy and leading citizen, was the principal speaker. He said he favored the election of the union's candidates for the reason that he hoped to see "the chains of corporation greed and party tyranny now resting upon this town broken. The standard of civic pride and civic service may be elevated, and young men may have the opportunity of political preferment."

The speaker said that corporations wielded a great power in politics, and that East Orange was no exception to the rule. Mr. Hall also said that to him was recently given an opportunity to become interested in a combination of capital, and while making an investigation of the proposition found that the promoters for "good and sufficient reasons," found it advisable to give a block of stock to both Democratic and Republican politicians in New-York, and also to men of political influence at the national capital. He criticised the Meeker Election law, which, he declared, prevents a divorce of local affairs from the field of State and national politics.

James H. Grant, of West Orange, a former member of the Essex County Republican County Committee, also made an address in opposition to the Meeker Election law, which, he said, was promoted by the Republican boss of the county. Other speakers were Edward K. Sumerwell, the Union candidate for Mayor; Farnham Yardley, nominee for Councilman from the Second Ward; Louis O. Hedden, candidate for Councilman from the Fourth Ward; Willis L. Brownell, Councilman nominee from the Fifth Ward, and Sanford E. Cobb, councilman nominee from the Third Ward. All the speakers said that they were Republicans, but were against machine politics in local affairs.

EUROPEAN CUSTOMS UNION.

LARGE TASK UNDERTAKEN BY AN ITALIAN DEPUTY.

Rome, Oct. 18.—Signor Demarinis, member of the Chamber of Deputies, is seeking to promote agitation in favor of a European customs agreement as the first step in the direction of a federation of the European States.

INFANT'S CRIES SAVE TWO LIVES.

ITS PARENTS OVERCOME WITH GAS, WHILE IT WAS APPARENTLY UNAFFECTED.

The crying of a baby probably saved the lives of three persons in Newark yesterday. Three members of the family of George E. Baker, of No. 73 Leslie-st., in that city, were overcome by gas, when the cries of the child awakened the rest of the household. The little one was in the room where the gas was escaping, and notwithstanding the fact that the parents were unconscious when discovered, the child was apparently unaffected.

The gas escaped from a defective stove. Percy Y. Baker and his wife and baby were asleep in their rooms, when the child began to cry about 4 a. m. Mrs. Baker got up to attend it. She took the baby in her arms, but sank down, overcome, in the centre of the room. Her husband got out of bed to help her, but he, too, was overcome, and fell at the first step. Then the little one cried lustily, and the elder Mrs. Baker, who slept in the next room, was awakened by the baby's cries. She aroused the rest of the household, and they dragged the unconscious couple into the next room.

While helping to rescue her brother Miss Minnie Baker was overcome, and had to be attended by a physician, who was summoned. All of those who were overcome were revived and are now out of danger.

OBITUARY.

WILLIAM H. THOMAS.

William H. Thomas, seventy-three years old, who had been in the awning and sign making business in the Eastern District of Brooklyn for a generation, died suddenly yesterday from heart trouble at his home, No. 149 Broadway, Brooklyn. He was putting on his coat to go to his place of business at No. 111 Broadway, in that borough, when he fell to the floor and died shortly afterward.

Mr. Thomas was a member of the Knights of Honor and a Mason. He leaves a widow and a daughter.

PROFESSOR J. A. MITCHELL.

Frederick City, Md., Oct. 18 (Special).—Professor James A. Mitchell, LL. D., Ph. D., of the faculty of Mount St. Mary's College, died at Emmitsburg to-day. He was forty-eight years old, a native of Ireland, and graduate of the Royal College of England. His wife, two sons and two daughters survive him.

CALEB B. KNEVALS.

Caleb B. Knevals died yesterday at his home, No. 51 West Seventy-first-st., in this city. He was sixty-eight years old. He was engaged in business at No. 150 Nassau-st. He was a member of the New-England Society and of the Congregational Club.

MARBURY HALL IS OPEN.

Marbury Hall, a residence hotel in West Seventy-fourth-st., was formally opened on last Wednesday evening. This house has attracted unusual attention on account of its many distinguishing features as a place of permanent residence for an exclusive class of people. The house has already established a unique reputation in this respect. Its particular attraction seems to be its homelike atmosphere. The furnishings are of a sumptuous character, but withal in good taste. The house is managed by a young woman, and it is due to her artistic taste and womanly instincts that Marbury Hall is already an established success.

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Women's Tailor-made Suits, two Russian Blouse Models and two with coats; an excellent grade of Cheviot or Broadcloth; coats lined with white satin or silk; skirts are made with a graceful sweep over a silk drop lining; some suits are trimmed with stitched velvet or silk; colors black, navy blue or brown; sizes 32 to 46 . . . . . $21.50
Usual price . . . . . $30.00.
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Pittsburg, Oct. 18.—At to-day's meeting of the National Live Stock Association the following officers were elected: President, J. B. Douds, of Chicago; secretary, G. W. Baker, of Chicago, and treasurer, W. F. Wiley, of Sioux City. After the election one of the committee brought up the question of a census of the live stock in the United States. The matter was discussed at length, and it developed that there is no accurate knowledge of the number of cattle in this country. It was finally decided to have the matter placed before Congress and ask that body to have a new census taken.

JUNIOR HONORS AT YALE.

New-Haven, Conn., Oct. 18.—Among the junior honor appointments at Yale University announced to-day were the following:

Philosophical orations—Edwin Clapp, St. Paul; Herbert W. Eles, Bridgeport, Conn; Arthur Havemeyer, New-York; Francis E. Howland, Asheville, N. C.; Harry S. Huntington, jr., Milton, Mass.; Lawrence Mason, Chicago; Clarence W. Mendell, Boston; Arthur E. Neergaard, Concord, N. H.; Frederick E. Pierce, South Britain, Conn.; Arthur K. Porter, Stamford, Conn.; Laurence Selling, Portland, Ore., and Dudley F. Sicher, New-York.

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