

Municipal politics in New York have been thoroughly brutalized. The men who for the most part control politics have but one idea, and that is the opening and maintenance of a broad avenue from the public treasury to their own pockets.

GROWTH OF PROHIBITION IT THREATENS TO SWEEP THE STATE OF ARKANSAS.

The People Determined to Get Rid of the Evils That Attend on Drunkenness. LITTLE ROCK, ARK., October 5.—A few years ago such a thing as an Arkansas county voting to shut out whisky traffic was unheard of, but the world moves and the temperance element have shown more than their wonted sagacity, even in this State, where "Bulgaria water" has so long sustained a truly enviable reputation.

RANDOLPH CHURCHILL, BY HIS PLAIN SPEECH AT DARTFORD.

St. Petersburg, October 5.—The Journal of St. Petersburg, commenting on British foreign policy, as outlined by Lord Randolph Churchill in his Dartford speech last Saturday, says: "Lord Randolph Churchill's action in cutting the principal in the Balkan States is only an article for export it may be an advantage in Egypt. England's present interests in the union of the two Balkan States is a strange commentary on Lord Beaconsfield's action in cutting the principal in the Balkan States."

JACKSON, TENN. Tom Kaufman Killed at Atkins Postoffice by Taylor Webb.

JACKSON, TENN., October 5.—An old grudge that grew out of the robbery of a music store on Saturday last at Atkins postoffice, Henderson county, fifteen miles east of this place and near to Juno, Tom Kaufman, a prominent farmer, killed Taylor Webb, whom he accused of stealing the mule. They had had many controversies about the robbery of the mule, and Saturday renewed the difficulty, when Kaufman drew a navy six and emptied the contents of five barrels into his body. The wounds thus inflicted proved fatal, Taylor dying in two hours after the shooting. Kaufman has fled.

FORREST CITY, ARK. Roger Mallory Accidentally Killed by John Andrews.

FORREST CITY, ARK., October 5.—Madison, Ark., was the scene of a sad tragedy this morning at 6 o'clock, in which Martin Mitchell, a colored conspiracy leader, was killed by Roger Mallory, who had charge of the store. Andrews fired at Mitchell from a building near by with a double barreled shotgun, wounding Mitchell in the right arm and hand, and a portion of the charge struck Mallory in the back, producing almost instant death. Mallory stood very high in the community, and his death causes considerable excitement and hard feelings toward Mitchell, who is considered the real cause of the trouble. Andrews is at large, having fled soon after the shooting. Andrews did not see Mallory when he fired at Mitchell, as Mallory was standing behind Mitchell, partially in the store.

WASHINGTON NOTES. Cabinet Meeting—Interesting Question Discussed.

WASHINGTON, October 5.—The Cabinet meeting today was attended by Secretary Endicott and Lamar, Attorney General Garland, Postmaster General Vilas and the Secretary of Fairchild. An interesting question arose in the case of a United States attorney, who has been nominated for Congress, with regard to the propriety of his continuance in office pending the result of the Congressional election. The general opinion expressed was that the attorney should better resign his Federal office, and he will be informed. This action is in accordance with the recent Executive order in regard to Federal officials participating in politics.

We devote much of our space this morning to the reception of and good tempered discussion between the Taylor brothers, candidates for Governor of the Democratic and Republican parties respectively. While, as was naturally to be expected in a Democratic stronghold like Memphis, the greatest enthusiasm was manifested by the people for P. B. All was regarded and treated with respect by the Democrats, and was of course the recipient of something like enthusiasm at the hands of the Republicans, who received him at the depot and subsequently surrounded him at the Peabody Hotel.

COLUMBUS, MISS. A Branch of the Illinois Central to Be Built. COLUMBUS, MISS., October 5.—Capt. John G. Mann, chief engineer of the Illinois Central railroad, arrived here this morning to locate a branch of that road to this point. They think the branch will tap the Aberdeen branch at Muldrough, and come direct to Columbus. Our people feel jubilant over the prospect, as it will be of great benefit to us.

NASHVILLE, TENN. A Colored Baptist Church Torn Up Over Charge Against the Pastor.

NASHVILLE, TENN., October 5.—The congregation of the First Colored Baptist Church is all torn up over charges of seduction preferred against Pastor R. T. Huffman by Martie Hill, a handsome white girl of 16 years, one of the members of the church. She told your reporter tonight that Huffman had accomplished her ruin last February at the house of a female member of the flock and kept her there to satisfy his lust for seventeen days. His reputation was ruined at various other times, and the girl expects to become a mother within a couple of weeks. The matter was brought up before the church tonight, and a committee appointed, but before the testimony was taken your reporter was innocently fired out. The meeting was very disorderly, and is still in session under the care of three policemen.

NO SHOCKS AT CHARLESTON. Heavy Quakes Reported at Ninety-Six, S. C.

CHARLESTON, S. C., October 5.—No shocks were felt here today. A slight tremor occurred at Summerville at 6 o'clock this morning. An officers from Ninety-Six, S. C., over 200 miles from Charleston, report heavy shocks about three miles from that place during the past week, and it is claimed that the center of disturbance has shifted from Charleston to that point.

CONGRESSIONAL NOMINATIONS. Worcester, Mass., October 5.—The Democrats of the 1st Congressional District nominated John E. Russell, of Leicester, for Congress today by acclamation.

DEFEATED CANDIDATES. Make a Move for a Contest, but Receive a Check.

LITTLE ROCK, ARK., October 5.—Magistrate Menkus has been engaged today by the contesting Republican candidates beaten in this county at the recent election. County Clerk Clark was summoned to appear before the jury and to produce the ballot boxes containing the votes polled for the different candidates, but that official informed the Court that it was impossible for him to comply with the request, as the ballots had already been cited to appear before the Court; of Judge Hill, where J. H. Jones, the Republican candidate for County Treasurer, had brought suit against Joseph Griffith, the successful candidate for that place. This put rather a December day appearance upon the anxious office seekers, and they sought further counsel on the subject. The representatives then came forward with a list of depositions from colored men who had voted for the Demo-

cratic candidate for pay and a's with an army of negro witnesses, all of which testimony will be presented to the Legislature in January.

NEW YORK'S BOODLE ALDERMEN Since the Jaehne Decision the Other Cases Will Be Prepared at Once.

New York, October 5.—District Attorney Martin was greatly pleased at the decision of the Court of Appeals in the Jaehne case. He said nothing could save Jaehne now but the intervention of the Governor. Mr. Martin will at once prepare for trial the cases of the other indicted boodle Aldermen. The defendants will in a short time be summoned to the bar and a time fixed for their trial. The District Attorney said that he was looking forward to the indictment of the alleged bribe givers and that he had taken all precautions to prevent the flight of any of the indicted Aldermen.

THE "NORTH GERMAN GAZETTE" ON THE AUSTRO-GERMAN ALLIANCE.

The North German Gazette accuses the Pechter Lloyd (Hungarian newspaper) of "always regarding the Austro-German alliance from the standpoint of unconditional submission to the interests of Hungary." "The main security for the durability of the alliance," adds the Gazette, "consists in the fact that it was not concluded by Parliament, or the press, but by the secret intrigues of the despots of two Empires, represented in the persons of their respective sovereigns. England's difficulty in forming an alliance is attributable to the changes in her parliamentary majorities; whereas Germany, which offers a strong guarantee of a steadfast foreign policy, requires that the interests of her foreign relations be independent of the varying acclamation of the Pechter Lloyd's views of the public press or parliamentary majorities."

THE "FREMONTBLATT" ON THE BULGARIAN SITUATION.

VIENNA, October 5.—The Fremontblatt says: The Bulgarian Regency has skillfully maintained order in Bulgaria during the absence of the Emperor and the Empress. While acting in accord with the law the Regency may bear the attendant responsibility without disquietude. Gen. Kaubars' conduct at the Voulcheff meeting in Sofia, and his projected journey through Bulgaria, are not calculated to promote conciliation. Diplomatic representatives are always accredited to the governments and not to the masses. Every government must regard open dealings of foreign envoys with a mob as violations of its authority. Regret will be felt at St. Petersburg, and elsewhere, at a course of conduct which will weaken Russia's just and moral influence in Bulgaria. If Russia desires to succeed her agents must become better acquainted with the Berlin treaty. Gen. Kaubars appears to care little for the fundamental principles underlying the treaty.

THE WARMEST OCTOBER WEATHER.

LONDON, October 5.—The temperature today has been abnormally high. The thermometer registered 89° in the shade this afternoon. Never before during the past forty-six years has the temperature of the city been so warm at any time during the month of October.

GRONING ON A BED OF AGONY.

In the throes of rheumatism, which has reached the inflammatory stage, the invalid has just cause to deplore the inefficiency of medicines which could neither remove the disease at its outset, nor avert its dreaded climax. Hostetter's Stomach Bitters is a medicine which, without the danger attending the use of some of the ordinary specifics for this malady, is infinitely more searching and effective. Used at the start, it checks the progress of the disease, and, as it neutralizes the rheumatic virus in the blood, who so takes it incurs no risk, and is sure to be benefited. Valuable in rheumatism, it is equally efficacious as a remedy for neuralgia, liver complaint, indigestion, chills and fever, debility, and inactivity of the kidneys and bowels. It may also be relied upon to promote sleep and appetite.

THE Duc d'Anmale's gift of Chantilly to the French people was, it is widely suggested, made with a view to the tide of public opinion which in France is bitter against the Bourbons. How this may be the future alone can tell. The vast estate, embracing 6125 acres of land, said to be, with the palaces and contents, worth \$12,000,000, was presented to the Duc d'Enghien, one of the Condés, by Queen Anne, during her regency and the Ministry of Mazarine. It was given him because of a successful expedition into Germany, and has remained in the family ever since. Louis Napoleon confiscated Chantilly, but in 1872 it was returned to the Duc d'Anmale, who had received it in 1830, from the last of the Condés. The library and art gallery are of almost fabulous wealth, the growth of many years, both having recently been enriched by rare treasures, purchased by the Duc d'Anmale. Besides an historic portrait gallery of great interest, the great masters of Italy and the various schools of French art are worthily represented. The Possesses, the Ingres, the Greux, the Dalacroix, the Decamps form a collection worth making a pilgrimage to see. Then there are Raphaels, Da Vincis, Titians—in fine, the duke has not only one of the most residuous, but one of the most fortunate, collectors in the world. There are also magnificent Beauvais and Gobelin tapestry, lacene, miniatures, marquetrie, engraved gems and jewelry, enamels, plate—no art but is represented, and in its choicest period. The library is in itself a museum, containing rare old editions in choicest bindings, alike ancient and modern. The arrangement is very elegant and convenient. The estate is to be called the Conde Musée and to be opened to the public at least twice a week during six months of the year. A separate clause of the will, which is dated in 1884, authorizes the Duc d'Anmale to do as he pleases at Dolus to provide the money for the preliminary expenses which may attend the transfer and transformation of the Chantilly estate from their present private character to that for which they are bequeathed. This princely gift is only exceeded in value by that of Mr. Stanford of California, the total of whose beneficence will reach beyond \$30,000,000.

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