

FOUNDED ON FACTS.

The Alleged Texas Election Outrages Reported Based on Truth.

REVIEW OF THE WORST CASES.

Suppression of the Chapel Hill Vote Traced to Opposition Leaders.

THE RAIDS AT THE FLEWELLYN POLLS.

A Radical Revision of the Present Election Laws Deemed Necessary.

As a result of the investigation into the alleged Texas election outrages, the Senate Committee on Privileges and Elections finds that the reports are founded on facts, as far as can be ascertained. The report reviews the principal cases, and concludes with a recommendation of a careful revision of the election laws to cover similar cases.

WASHINGTON, February 4.—Senator Evans, from the Committee on Privileges and Elections, made a report to-day of the results of the investigation into the alleged election outrages in Washington county, Texas. The first conclusion the committee reaches is that the allegations of the petitioners as to their situation in their homes in Texas and cases of their being compelled to flee from the State are in substance and effect sustained by the evidence. As to the suppression of the vote at the Chapel Hill districts, the committee thinks it is chargeable to the leaders of the opposition ticket, and in that interest, the committee to discourage the suppression of the vote by the use of force, and to colored Republican voters being unwilling to expose themselves to the fate which was visited upon the colored judges of election at Chapel Hill in 1884. At the Flewellyn polls, Dewees Bolton, who headed a raiding party that entered the polling precinct in disguise for the purpose of destroying the ballot box, was shot and killed. The report says:

LEFT THE DEAD ALONE. "All in the room fled at once in dismay, and the dead man was left alone, unguarded, for, as he lay, all night, the lamp burning brightly. Toward morning President Judge Robinson persuaded an aged colored man, who he thought was a friend, to go to the sick bed of his wife and go with him to the scene of the homicide on the plea that he was afraid to go alone. This man had no knowledge of the bloody crime, and was informed of it by Robinson, but their visit to the dead body, which had been untouched, the inspection of the corpse and observation of the condition of the transaction cost him his life. This made him a witness of the disguise, and the murderous weapon of Bolton and the manner of his fall.

"When afterward an attempt was to be made to make out Bolton an unarmed and undisciplined and peaceful visitor to the polling place, and slain by unprovoked violence of the colored man, Allen was arrested, put in jail, and hung up on no conceivable incentive but to make away with his testimony."

THREE MEN HANGED.

As to the murder of the two Joneses and Fowler, by a mob who killed them at Chapel Hill and hanged them, the committee says, after reviewing the testimony: "These murders were each committed upon the motive and in the interest of the election, and the bloody crime was committed and caused the raids on the ballot boxes at that election. The sacrifice of these worthy and blameless lives was demanded for the ballot boxes at the election of 1884. The want of this community was all excited and was all visited upon the white and colored Republicans, who had

STRIVEN AT THE POLLS to assert the will of the majority to decide by their votes and the canvass of the men pending election.

In conclusion, the committee says: "This actual case presents not unfairly the features that illustrate the political disorders which afflict portions of our country where the population is nearly divided between the white and colored citizens. These disorders do not alone disturb and threaten the good name and security of the neighborhood where they occur, but they are a source of mischief to the whole body and weight of the testimony.

"The committee recommends the careful revision of the existing laws regulating elections of members of Congress, and an examination of the laws of the States, and to the same subjects, with the view of providing for a more complete protection of the exercise of the elective franchise by act of Congress, and more effective provisions for the punishment of offenses against it."

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By those threatened with conspiracy in seeking relief from the stomachic distress. The disease is easily relieved in its earlier stages, and as it is utterly subversive of the general health, prompt action of the remedy is unwise. The same holds good of the disease in its later stages, and acute, kidney complaints, nervousness, debility and rheumatism, ailments to which the stomach is particularly subject.

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CHANGE THE OFFICIALS.

Democrats Charged With the Failure of Prohibition in Iowa.

Charles Narvis is a crockery manufacturer in Muscatine, Iowa. He was at the Monongahela House yesterday, and this is his opinion of the workings of prohibition in that State. He said: Prohibition is not a success in the river towns that are in the hands of Democratic officials. The law is openly violated in Dubuque, Muscatine and other towns. Late sales of the illicit stills in these places have been fined lightly for decency's sake, but the business is not stopped. They continue to sell as much, if not more, than they did in the days when the business was permitted. In the interior and smaller towns, where it can be watched, prohibition is a success. I might add, too, that in all cities under Republican rule, the law is openly violated. These true of Des Moines and other places I might mention. This is how prohibition prohibits in Iowa.

NO REDUCTION IN WAGES.

Standard Coal Workers Strike Under a False Notion.

Mr. H. C. Frick said yesterday afternoon that the men at the Standard works had struck under a misapprehension. General Manager Lynch posted a notice without the same wages paid last month would be given the men until further notice.

Mr. Frick said he hadn't raised the scale, but he would pay last month's wages until the coke operators could agree on one.

PREACHERS DIFFER.

Rev. Sheppard Declares Liquor Men Should be Compensated.

"Should liquor men be compensated for the loss of property, if prohibition becomes a law?" This was the question discussed by the M. P. ministers yesterday.

Rev. Mr. Sheppard declared they should be. The business was legalized by law, and it is unjust to destroy property without compensation. Others differed, but Rev. Mr. Robertson agreed with this opinion.

GUARDIANS TO THE ALTAIR.

Five Lovely Maidens in Minority Seek to Join the Majority.

In the Orphans' Court yesterday, guardians were appointed for five young maidens who had not reached the age of 21, and who wanted to get a marriage license, and who were parents were either in some other country or dead.

Will March Together.

The committee of the J. O. U. A. M. in charge of the parade for Washington's Birthday met last night and agreed to dissolve. Representatives of other bodies were present. Another committee was appointed to finance a parade. Many of the ministers will hold religious services as requested.

Goodby, Mr. Riedel.

The Allentown Turnverein gave a farewell supper last night to Mr. Adolf Riedel, the gymnastic teacher of the society, who is about to leave for Philadelphia to take charge of another turnverein.

Coming events cast their shadows before.

PEARLINE

From the start, the shadows have read, Pyle's Pearlina is mightier than soap, muscle and washboard combined. It is the modern soap. Nowadays one can not afford to reject a new idea because it promises "big things." These are days of "big things." Wide awake men and women are looking for them. She who refuses the aid of PEARLINE is behind the times—far behind. She might as well reject the comfort and aid of the steam car—sewing machine—telegraph—electric light, etc., because she does not believe in them. Millions appreciate Pearlina, and have for years. Millions more will appreciate it—you will—why not begin at once to use it. Its prodigious popularity proves its merit—you have everything to gain, nothing to lose, therefore try it.

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MAGNETIC CENTS

THIRTY-NINTH ANNUAL STATEMENT

OF THE

National Life Insurance Co.

OF VERMONT.

CHARLES DEWEY, President.

Net assets, Dec. 31, 1889, \$4,280,944 99

RECEIVED IN 1889.

For premiums, \$1,311,173 37

For interest and rents, 200,707 96

For profit and loss, 55 33-\$1,511,887 28

\$5,292,832 27

DISBURSED IN 1889.

TO POLICY HOLDERS.

For claims by death, \$291,200 08

For claims by maturity, \$27,710 00

Dividends to policy holders, 25,472 79

For expenses, 140,381 11-\$615,464 06

\$4,677,368 21

Salaries of officers and clerks, \$2,644 33

Medical expenses, 12,308 83

Taxes, 25,472 79

General expenses, 140,381 11

Balance net assets, December 31, 1889, \$4,280,944 99

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MONEY FOR PROHIBITION.

Temperance People Arrange for a Convention—The Press in Demand.

A meeting of the Constitutional Amendment Association was held yesterday. Captain Barbour stated that Lafayette Hall had been secured for a general convention to be held on February 15.

The Engine Became Dangerous.

John Moritz, a machinist in the American Iron Works, happened to get too close to an engine last evening, and he was pressed against a wall, sustaining several serious injuries. He was taken to his home at the head of South Twenty-second street.

Suggestion Meetings.

The Republican committees of the First and Second wards, Allegheny, met in the City Hall last night. The former will hold its suggestion meeting February 12, in the school house; the latter next Friday evening, in the North avenue school house.

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