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POLITICAL. F. H. ROWKAMP IS A CANDIDATE FOR re-election as Justice of the Peace.

TURTLES. Just received another fine lot of Snapping Turtles, by J. E. FREY, 125 and 127 W. Fifth St.

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Third Edition

National Associated Press to the Star.

Boston, March 29.—The bell punch mania has reached Massachusetts, strong.

St. Petersburg, March 29.—The Russian Government has stopped the exportation of grain from the lower Danube.

St. Petersburg, March 29.—There is considerable feeling in Russian official circles on the action of the English Cabinet in calling out the army reserves. War is now looked upon as inevitable, and the press place the responsibility upon England.

Buffalo, March 29.—Ennis, the pedestrian who undertook the task of walking 400 miles in 128 hours, finished 268 1/2 miles at 2 P. M. to-day. He is in good condition and is confident of making the 400 miles before to-morrow night at 11 o'clock.

London, March 29.—The statements in Parliament yesterday evening caused great depression on the Stock Exchange this morning. At certain periods the markets were in a state of panic. The fall in prices is general. The greatest fall is in Russian and Hungarian securities.

Havana, March 29.—A proclamation, dated Santiago, March 24th, and signed by General Martinez Campos, has been made public. The proclamation declares that peace has been substantially re-established in the greater part of the district lately in rebellion, and that it is now necessary to heal the wounds occasioned by ten years of strife.

Warlike Spirit in London. National Associated Press to the Star.

London, March 29.—It is reported that the Russian army about Constantinople is being reinforced. There is great excitement in this city and throughout the dominion generally over the prospect of war with Russia, and the course pursued by this government is generally applauded.

WASHINGTON.

Special to the Star. LOTTERY MAIL MATTER.

WASHINGTON, March 29.—The Attorney General has before him a knotty question, referred by the Post-office Department, involving the construction of Sections 3,894, 3,929 and 4,041 of the Revised Statutes, referring to the transmission of mail matter relating to lotteries through the United States mail, and also the amendatory act of the 12th of July, 1876. The question is being considered with special reference to the Louisiana State Lottery, an effort having been made by a prominent attorney from that State to procure adverse action by the United States Government. The Lottery Company, besides its petition to the Postmaster General, has filed briefs by Hon. John A. Campbell, Hon. Thos. J. Semmes, and other eminent counsel. They contend that the law is unconstitutional, and that the Post-office Department has no right to break the seal of a package, if it is suspected that anything not mailable is contained in it. The question is regarded in Government circles as a very troublesome one.

THE DIAZ GOVERNMENT. It seems to be beyond a doubt that the United States Government has determined upon the recognition of the Diaz government, but no action will probably be taken until after the report of the House Committee on Foreign Affairs shall be made.

THE THREATENED WAR. The imminent prospect of a war between Russia and England, involving, perhaps, Austria and other powers, is forcing itself on the attention of American Congressmen.

A prominent Senator is contemplating the offer of a resolution proposing mediation by this country in order to avert the calamities of a great war. It is not likely that either party would listen to such a suggestion at this stage.

THE CABLE COMPANY BILL. National Associated Press to the Star.

WASHINGTON, March 29.—The House Committee on Foreign Affairs yesterday agreed to report favorably upon Mr. Munroe's bill relating to telegraphic communication between the United States and for-

FOREIGN.

The War Cloud Continues to Threaten.

A Panic To-day in European Financial Circles.

THE SITUATION. LONDON, March 29.—The warlike action of the Government in calling out the army reserves for immediate active service meets with hearty approval, except among the pro-Russian party, while Lord Derby's resignation of the Foreign Office is severely criticized as a desertion of the Government at a most critical period.

IN PARLIAMENT. The debate in Parliament to-day elicited a decidedly anti-Russian sentiment. In the House of Commons Sir Stafford Northcote announced that Russia's reply to the demands of the English Government was received yesterday. In this communication Russia reserves the liberty of action, and claims the right to accept or reject the discussions and decisions of the Congress. This announcement was received with derisive laughter.

IN THE HOUSE OF LORDS. The resignation of Lord Derby was announced amid impressive silence. Lord Derby, in explaining his action, said he could not acquiesce in the grave conclusions of the Cabinet. He fully agreed with the Ministry as to the end to be secured, but differed with them as to the means to be adopted. He also agreed with the Cabinet regarding the conditions upon which England should enter the Congress. Earl Beaconsfield was much affected while announcing the Foreign Secretary's resignation. There is much speculation as to who will succeed Lord Derby.

THE RESERVES. The Government will ask Parliament on Monday for power to call out the first-class army reserve of thirteen thousand men, and also the militia reserve of twenty-five thousand men.

WAR PANIC IN SECURITIES. LONDON, March 29.—Consols weak and have declined to 94 1/2. There is a panic on the Continental Bourses.

TURKISH MASSACRE. LONDON, March 29.—A dispatch from Athens says it is reported there that the Turks have massacred the Greeks near Volo.

NEW YORK CITY.

Silver for the Big Dollars. National Associated Press to the Star.

NEW YORK, March 29.—Over \$500,000 in silver bullion arrived at this port yesterday on the steamer Abyssinia, shipped from the Rothschilds of London, to August Belmont. It is understood that it was sold to the Government, and will be converted within a few days into "Dollars of Our Daddies."

Railroad Freight Rates. A large number of representatives from the various railroad and freight lines of the country met yesterday at the Gilsey House for the purpose of adjusting the differences between the various railroad lines. The meeting was strictly private, but it is understood that nothing affecting the public interest so far as any change in rates of carrying freight is concerned was brought up for consideration.

Complimenting Comptroller Kelley. A number of bankers and others, representing \$200,000,000 of capital, called on Comptroller Kelley yesterday afternoon, and presented him with an address expressing their faith in his honesty as a public official, and expressing their gratitude for what he has already done in the way of economy and reform in matters pertaining to our city government. The Comptroller while in office, to do all in his power to reduce the expenses of our city government. The President of the Bank of New York was the spokesman of the occasion. Among those present were the Presidents of the Importers and Traders' National Bank, and the Shoe and Leather Bank, and John J. Cisco, of Wall street.

W. M. Tweed. Prospects of the early release of William M. Tweed seem to be more encouraging to his friends than at any time since negotiations were begun. They look upon the straightforward letter of Comptroller Kelly as an entering wedge, and say that the pressure that has already and will soon be brought to bear upon the Attorney General must result in the Boss' freedom. It is said that in case he is released he will remove to New Orleans, where he will establish himself in business with his son-in-law, who is a resident of that city.

Senator John Morrissey left yesterday for Albany. He was accompanied by his wife only, and appeared to be in much better health than when he left the city a few months ago for Florida. To some of his old friends who called upon him he said: "I am going up the river once more. I propose to take a rest at Saratoga for a while for the sake of my health, and will take no active part in politics for some time."

The Wyoming. The Sun says that the examination of the steamer Wyoming, which sprang a leak while on her way to Havre with exhibits for the Paris Exposition, and was obliged to put back, shows part of her hull to be thoroughly rotten, that she leaks in a dozen places, and that when under sail her masts acted like levers, prying her seams apart and letting the water pour in. An old sailor says "she is a floating coffin, and that the rats are leaving her." Nevertheless she is to be tinkered up and sent to sea again, and the sailors must take their chances.

Mr. Blair's Resolutions. The Herald says Mr. Blair's absurd resolutions to investigate the title of the President have been passed by the Maryland House of Delegates, but it is hardly probable that the Senate will repeat the folly. A special from Annapolis says Blair thinks the resolutions will pass the Senate and receive the Governor's signature. The Attorney General will then have to file a bill in the United States Court.

Rochefort sent two friends to Versailles lately to challenge Count de Mun, a well-known French Assemblyman. The Count "declined the invitation."

SPORTING NEWS

National Associated Press to the Star. ANOTHER INTERNATIONAL WALK.

LONDON, March 29.—Arrangements have been completed for another international walking tournament, open to the world, to take place to be walked six miles.

First prize, £100 and a gold belt, valued at £100; second prize, £50; third prize, £25. The affair is to take place at Agricultural Hall April 13th. America will be represented by O'Leary, and Richardson, of Massachusetts. The English pedestrians, who will be allowed to compete, will be Wm. Howe, W. Lewis Thatcher, who has covered eight miles in an hour, A. Hancock and others. Hancock is the 50 mile champion of England, and on from 20 to 30 miles has made the fastest time on record. In this city, on Nov. 12th, 1877, he covered 50 miles in 8 hours 27 minutes and 39 1/2 seconds.

O'Leary's record for 50 miles is 8 hours, 41 min., 30 sec.—made in America. Geo. Ide has covered 50 miles in 8 hours, 19 min., 55 sec., which is the fastest, but it was not authenticated. Lewis, besides his great record of 126 miles in 24 hours, has made the best time on record from 31 to 40 miles. In this city on April 30th, 1877, he covered 45 miles in 7 hours, 22 min. and 22 sec., which is the best on record. The American O'Leary's record for 51 miles is the best on record, having covered that distance in 8 hours, 52 min., and 19 sec., so that his chances are favorable in the coming contest.

BILLIARDS. St. Louis, March 29.—The last game of the billiard tournament at Mussey's Rooms was played last night and won by Cyrille Dion by a score of 600, to 517 for Slosson. Winner's average, 12 1/4. This leaves Schaffer and Dion to play for the first and second money, and gives the third money to Gallagher.

A Railroad Defaulter. National Associated Press to the Star.

Toronto, Ont., March 29.—John T. McDonald, local freight agent of the Northern Railway, absconded to the States Tuesday evening. His defalcation amounts to about \$8,000, which is covered by sureties. McDonald's speculations date sometime back, he having made false entries, thus misleading the auditors. He lost heavily in oil speculations a few years ago, and this it is believed, led him to appropriate the Company's money.

Execution in Tennessee. National Associated Press to the Star.

NASHVILLE, TENN., March 29.—Joseph Brassell, aged twenty years, and his brother, George A., nicknamed Teek, aged twenty-three years, were executed at Cookeville for the murder of Russell Allison. The drop fell at half-past 1 o'clock in the presence of ten thousand persons, and the sentence of law carried out without disturbance. Allison was killed while trying to prevent robbery by the Brassell brothers.

No New England College Association. National Associated Press to the Star.

NEW HAVEN, CONN., March 29.—Dispatches received here say that Williams College alone was represented at the Massachusetts House, Springfield, Mass., Wednesday. Wesleyan was telegraphed to, but did not respond, and two Williams College delegates returned home at night without having accomplished anything. There will be no Association this year of New England Colleges.

On Trial for Manslaughter. National Associated Press to the Star.

Boston, Mass., March 29.—The trial of Cornelius Tobin, charged with killing Mrs. Mary Mahagan, at a tenement house in South Boston, last December, was concluded in the Superior Criminal Court yesterday and the case given to the jury, who had not reached a verdict when the Court adjourned. The crime was committed with a lighted kerosene lamp, and the charge was manslaughter.

The oration at the Valley Forge centennial celebration, next June, will be delivered by Henry Armit Brown, of Philadelphia. Colonel T. W. Bean, of Norristown, will read an historical address, and proposals are to be opened for the construction of a monument to be sung by a large choir. There will also be Federal salutes, a military review, Keller's American Hymn and other solemnities.

LATEST LOCAL.

The Lytle Greys will give a prize-drill on the 16th of next month. The Champion City Guards of Springfield, will participate.

Miss Ida Balbock, whose escape from her home in Newport a few days ago is mentioned in another column, has turned up. She is in the Wrlows' Home on Mt. Auburn.

OWEN KERBER, of Storms Township, went on a spree yesterday, and in his delirium took poison. He was taken to the Third-street Station and a stomach-pump applied. He is all right now.

A MEETING was held at the Florentine Hotel at 10 o'clock this morning by the Poultry and Pet Stock Association. The Society, although a young one, is attracting considerable interest.

MR. GEO. KOTTE, at a meeting held in the Twenty-third Ward last night, was nominated for the School Board on the Democratic ticket. Mr. Kotte is a partner in the Main-street firm of Hudepohl & Kotte.

The saloon of Wm. H. O'Kelly, on Broadway, near Pearl street, was burglarized about 1 o'clock this morning. About \$10 in money, two overcoats valued at \$80, two revolvers and a lot of cigars and tobacco were taken.

If Mr. George E. Leads, formerly a fruit dealer here, or his daughters Delorah or Jennie, are in Cincinnati, they will hear of a matter of vital importance to them by calling upon Mr. Millar at the office of the Chief of Police.

An inquest was held this morning on the body of Lucy Scroggs, who died Wednesday at No. 22 McAlister street without medical attendance. A post mortem examination was held, and the jury rendered a verdict of death from peritonitis.

The Eden Park, Walnut Hills & Avondale Street Railway Company has filed articles of incorporation in the Recorder's office, with J. H. Bates, Wm. Carson, W. M. Ramsey, Samuel B. Keys, W. F. Irwin and G. B. Kerper as incorporators. The capital stock is \$200,000.

HON. MYRON H. TILDEN, Judge of the Superior Court, Room No. 2, adjourned Court sine die. His Honor, who has accepted the nomination for this same position, will, in company with his son, leave for Chicago. The jury in the Court to-day drew up resolutions of thanks for the consideration experienced at the hands of Judge Tilden, Sheriff F. Artman and the Clerk of the Court, Judge Tilden on Tuesday will take charge of Room No. 2.

MARRIAGE LICENSES.

The following marriage licenses have been issued since our last report: C. G. Farbach and Annie M. Dorn. Charles B. Clark and Mary M. Hale.

DEATH RECORD.

The following deaths have been placed on record since our last report: John S. Lauer, 17 mos., city. William Taylor, 15 mos., city. Louis Geilfus, 63 yrs., Germany. Lucy Scroggs, 25 yrs., Kentucky. Mann M. Dillen, 78 yrs., Germany. Anna Lehman, 40 yrs., Germany. Henry Boncher, 12 yrs., city. Ellen Callahan, 1 yr., city. Infant Sawin, still-born, city. Infant Waite, still-born, city. Unknown man about 40 yrs. Kate Oehler, 2 yrs., city.

MEETING OF THE DEMOCRATIC CITY EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE.

The Democratic City Executive Committee met this morning at Hibernia Hall to fill the vacancy caused by the resignation of Mr. P. Hogan, candidate for Alderman from the Nineteenth Ward.

Mr. Baughman took the chair, and of the fifty-two members of the Committee the greater number answered to their names. Mr. Hogan's resignation was then read, and after a brief explanation of his reasons for withdrawing, was accepted.

Judge M. W. Oliver and Nat. Caldwell were nominated for the position on the ticket, and the vote resulted in the election of Judge Oliver.

The resignation of A. J. Mullane as candidate for Alderman from the Third Ward was next read and accepted, and Charles S. McGuire elected to fill his place.

Herman Levi was then appointed to fill the place of Wm. B. Loder, candidate for Council from the Ninth Ward, after which the meeting adjourned until to-morrow night.

LOCAL PERSONALS.

W. H. Engelbrecht (Billy) has returned to the city. Charles E. Callahan, Esq., has returned from New York. C. E. Pratt, of the Capital Hotel, Galion, Ohio, is in the city.

Cashier O. L. Hays, of the Gallion (Ohio) Harmonic Club, is coming down to the May Musical Festival.

J. B. Hall, Esq., President of the Home Fire Insurance Company, of Columbus, O., is a guest of the Burnet.

Miss Rosecrans, second daughter of General W. S. Rosecrans, has entered the Convent of the Ursulines, in Brown County.

Rev. A. Fabian, of St. Stephen's Church, Columbia, celebrated his fiftieth birthday yesterday. The reverend gentleman was then presented with an elegant gold watch and \$100 in money by his congregation.

Mr. Henry Haacke, one of the proprietors of the Cincinnati Volksfreund, delivered an address yesterday afternoon at the exhibition given by the pupils of St. Francis' School, corner of Vine and Liberty streets.

JUDGES OF ELECTION APPOINTED.

The City Council met this morning in the Mayor's office and appointed the following Judges of Election:

First Ward—R. A. T. McDonnell, Republican. Matthew Kelley, Democrat. Thomas F. Smith, Republican. James M. Young, Democrat. D. P. Dickey, Republican. J. P. Myers, Democrat.

Third—Gus Haelscher, Republican. Philip Speth, Democrat.

Fourth—Sweeney Smith, Republican. Conrad Schultz, Democrat.

Fifth—Chris Silker, Republican. Danid McCarthy, Democrat.

Sixth—H. W. Mitthoefer, Republican. John Stabenrauch, Democrat.

Eighth—Martin Tymann, Republican. P. O. Connell, Democrat.

Ninth—Ellis Neave, Republican. Thomas Hartshorn, Democrat.

Tenth—Richard Ayers, Democrat. Philip Bonart, Republican.

Eleventh—M. D. Good, Republican. John Gibbons, Democrat.

Twelfth—A. J. Pruden, Democrat. Geo. W. Gladden, Republican.

Fifteenth—Wm. Poor, Republican. John Malloy, Democrat.

Seventeenth—Geo. W. Bacon, Republican. Geo. C. Sargeant, Democrat.

Twenty-first—John R. Blakemore, Republican. John C. Roth, Democrat.

Twenty-third—Henry Finke, Republican. Fred Haelscher, Democrat.

The above are all for District B. The Councilmen will act for District A.

BUILDING PERMITS.

The following building permits were issued since our last report: John Krohn, to build addition to two-story brick, No. 336 Liberty street; cost \$1,000.

A. Stark, to build addition to one-story brick, No. 25 Gorman street; cost \$1,000.

Wm. H. Stewart, to build four-story brick, No. 353 Central avenue; cost \$7,733.

Ballmann & Rolling, to build two-story frame, south side Hunt street, between Broadway and Sycamore; cost \$750.

Mrs. Anna Sailer, to build addition to two-story brick, No. 71 Peete street; cost \$1,000.

John Delner, to build addition to one-story brick, south side of Harrison avenue, near Walker Mill Road; cost \$300.

Bee & McMiller, to build six three-story bricks on east side of Bellevue avenue, near Auburn avenue; cost \$43,000.

Wm. Rademaker, to build a two-story brick at No. 578 Walker Mill Road; cost \$2,000.

F. Rohmann, to build a two-story brick, south side Lower River Road, near Delhi Pike; cost \$4,000.

Mike Parlt, to repair a two-story frame, No. 33 Cross street; cost \$250.

Theodore Shoemaker, to build a two-story brick, No. 142 Clark street; cost \$3,000.

J. D. Moore, to build addition to three-story brick, No. 228 Richmond street; cost \$300.

John Delaney, to repair two-story frame, No. 483 Fulton avenue; cost \$50.

John Schmebly, to build stone wall, west side Burns street, between 8th and 9th streets; cost \$200.

H. Haskin & Co., to build three-story brick on Ramsay street, near Front; cost \$2,500.

Robert Armstrong, to build one-story frame, north side Celestial street, near Mitchell; cost \$800.

John D. Foldsrup, to build three-story brick, No. 29 Woodward avenue; cost \$2,500.