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A BUSINESS CONTRAST.

TWO years ago the Congressmen from Illinois, by about one day's work, secured an appropriation of \$5,000,000 to tear down and rebuild the Chicago postoffice. They secured an act of Congress to employ special architects, on account of the pressure on the force of the architect of the Treasury. Work in clearing off the immense building that had to be removed was begun, and now the foundation is completed and ready to receive the superstructure.

THE NEXT SENATE.

ONE of the most gratifying results of the elections is the assured return of a sufficient number of Republicans to the United States Senate to give the party full control of that branch of the Government. For a long time past the Senate has been the stumbling-block in the way of sound financial legislation, but the changes now to be made in its membership will render it a safeguard against any possible monetary folly on the part of the House.

A JUSTIFIABLE BOYCOTT.

ORDINARILY the boycott is a detestable weapon, yet on the principle of fighting the devil with fire it may reasonably be employed. No one will find fault with the marriageable young ladies of Alameda who have united for the elimination from social life of a certain bachelors' club, a lot of men banded in defiance of the Alamedan charmer and the blandishments of Hyem.

WHERE WILL THE ELEMENTS GO?

THE fusion in this State repelled more than it attracted. It is safe to say that more Democrats repudiated it than rejected Bryan two years ago. The national Democratic organization stood gallantly by their sound money guns to the end and did excellent execution. The address of their State Committee was timely and effective. They bide their time. It may never come. It may be that they are destined to the same partisan solitude that the remnant of the old Federal party sought under the leadership of Jo Daviess after the defeat of Adams.

MR. PHELAN'S "VICTORY."

IT is usually easy to discern in the results of elections the popular logic which determines them. Underlying the selection of candidates there is always some principle, some prejudice or sane idea which, the moment the figures are subjected to analysis, yields a reason of some kind by which the result may be explained. For instance, Dr. Hill, who has been elected Coroner, was the only candidate who smashed the slate of the Committee of One Hundred. Assessor Siebe, an unsuccessful Republican nominee, was defeated because he has held the place too long. The people evidently thought eight years with the emoluments of the Assessor's office was sufficient for one man.

PLANTING FOOD FISH.

Many Big Mouth Black Bass Put in Public Waters. In the fall of 1885 the California Fish Commissioners brought from the East 1000 big mouth black bass fry, which were placed at the hatchery at Sissons to attain sufficient growth to battle for themselves in the streams of California.

HARRY MURRAY'S DISCOVERY.

A Four-Inch Shell Found at the Late Residence of Mrs. Shields. Harry Murray, a paperhanger residing at 1 Ever place, made a peculiar find while engaged in papering the residence lately occupied by Mrs. Shields at 201 Virginia avenue. The place it is alleged the woman attempted to burn on the night of September 25 last, and for which she is now awaiting trial on the charge of arson.

SEEKS A NEW TRIAL.

Carlotta Quackenbush, who claims to be the widow of the late Thomas Quackenbush, filed two affidavits yesterday in the Superior Court in support of her motion for a new trial. In her affidavit Mrs. Quackenbush avers that she was greatly handicapped during the last trial in being financially unable to get witnesses examined. Since that time she has completed her case and asks another hearing.

length and do a sufficient business to be counted as more than mere street railways. If such lines as these had been included in the report the showing for our railroad enterprises would have been far better even than it is. Railway construction affords a fairly accurate gauge of business conditions in this country. The work demands all kinds of material from cross-ties to equipments for palace cars, and nearly all classes of people are benefited in their trade. The record of increased construction is therefore doubly gratifying as an evidence of the increased prosperity of both labor and capital.

THE SPILLS AWARDED TO THE WORKERS

Deputies' Places Are Mostly Filled.

HARLOW LIKE THE BROOK

ROGERS HAS MANY FAT VACANCIES TO DISPOSE OF.

In Several of the Offices With Principals Re-elected There Will Be No Changes in the Staffs. Oakland Office San Francisco Call, 328 Broadway, Nov. 10. Already the candidates for county offices have given indications of the patronage of their offices will be distributed. Some time ago at the San Leandro convention the Call stated how many of the deputyships would be filled, and recent developments prove the correctness of that information.

WHY MAGUIRE WAS DEFEATED

FROM THE SACRAMENTO BEE.

The campaign is over. Defeat has been the ribbon of James G. Maguire, as the Bee was afraid it would be; as it warned his managers would be the fate of their candidate if they persisted in their idiotic plan of campaign. Let us review the events of the past two months and see what tale they tell: Had the election taken place early in September James G. Maguire would have been elected by 20,000 to 30,000 majority. The people were with him. He was probably the strongest man with the masses who could have been named. He had been manly, outspoken, broad and decided in his views. He had made a splendid impression wherever he went, whereas Gage had been a chill and a frost. Republican politicians did not hesitate to declare that Gage was doomed unless something should happen to turn the tide. And that something did happen. With victory easily in their grasp, and evidently at the dictation of the San Francisco Examiner, the Board of Strategy conducting the Maguire fight mapped out an idiotic plan of campaign which drove votes from that candidate from its very inception.

AROUND THE CORRIDORS

J. E. Finley and bride of Visalia are at the Lick.

Sam Matthews, a large cattle-man of Salinas, is at the Russ.

Railroad Commissioner W. R. Clark of Stockton is at the Baldwin.

E. Jacobs, a well-known capitalist of Visalia, is at the Occidental.

A. Faxon, an extensive prune grower of San Jose, is at the Baldwin.

Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Gregg and family of Honolulu are at the Russ.

Mrs. Alpheus Bull and the Misses Bull of Belmont are at the Palace.

Surveyor General M. J. Wright is among recent arrivals at the Grand.

State Senator Thomas Flint Jr. of San Jose is at the Occidental.

H. B. Gillis, a prominent Yreka attorney, is a guest at the Occidental.

W. L. Rogers, a well-known merchant of Watsonville, is at the Baldwin.

J. F. Clapp, the well-known San Andreas mining man, is at the Grand.

County Recorder Otto Von Detten and wife of Stockton are at the Grand.

C. L. Merriam, son of General Merriam, arrived from Honolulu yesterday, on the Australia.

W. E. and John S. Cook, prominent lumber men of Klamath, are at the Occidental.

Captain C. B. Hardin of the Eighteenth United States Cavalry is a guest at the Occidental.

F. J. Clay, deputy collector of the Port of Honolulu, arrived here yesterday on the Australia.

Mrs. General R. H. Warfield and son Emerson are on an Eastern trip, to last several months.

E. B. Willis, editor of the Sacramento Record-Union, is at the Russ, accompanied by Mrs. Willis.

C. Ross Anderson, a Chico hotel-keeper, accompanied by his wife and Miss J. McMillan, is at the Russ.

Louis R. Brewer, a large coffee planter of Guatemala, accompanied by his four children, is at the Occidental.

T. Murota, Japanese Minister to Mexico, is in the city for a few days, en route from Peru to the City of Mexico.

W. Clayton Pickersvill, the local English Consul, has returned from London and taken rooms at the California.

General A. W. Greely, the celebrated Arctic explorer, arrived from the East yesterday and put up at the Palace.

E. W. Hardin of the United States Treasury Department arrived from the Orient yesterday, registering at the Palace.

Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Wilder of Honolulu are at the Occidental. Mr. Wilder is president of the Wilder Steamship Company and one of the most prominent residents of the Islands.

Mrs. A. S. Humphreys and three of her

Cal. glace fruit 50c per lb at Townsend's*

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A WOMAN'S REASONING.

Husband—Why don't you wear your new dress? Wife—It is unbecoming, or else it is out of style, or possibly it is a horrid sight. I'm not sure which, but I must look like a fright or a simpleton in it. Husband—Why so? Wife—All my friends praise it—New York Weekly.

"Mrs. Winslow's Soothing Syrup"

Has been used over fifty years by millions of mothers for their children while teething with perfect success. It soothes the child, softens the gums, allays pain, cures Wind Colic, regulates the bowels and is the best remedy for Diarrhoea, whether arising from teething or other causes. For sale by Druggists in every part of the world. Be sure and ask for Mrs. Winslow's Soothing Syrup. 25c a bottle.

Through Tourist Car to St. Paul.

This car is nicely upholstered in leather, leaves every Tuesday night, no change. Goes via Siberia route and Northern Pacific Railway. The scenic line of the continent. Tickets on sale to all Eastern cities at lowest rates. T. K. Stator, general agent, 633 Market St., San Francisco.

HOTEL DEL CORONADO—Take advantage of the round-trip tickets. Now only \$60 by steamship, including fifteen days' board at hotel; \$20 per day; \$20 per day; apply at 4 New Montgomery street, San Francisco.

SICK HEADACHE ABSOLUTELY AND PERMANENTLY CURED by using Moki Tea. A pleasant herb drink. Cures constipation and indigestion. Only 12c per day. Apply at 4 New Montgomery street, San Francisco.

Commercial lunch, 11c to 2c. Among the Barrels, 633 Market St.

INTERESTING STORE NEWS:

Santa Claus is coming overland; get a copy of our booklet, "Ye Turkey, how to cook and how to carve it," free; we keep open every Saturday night until Xmas; have you thought of your table linen, carvers, crockery, enamelware for Thanksgiving? Concert every Saturday 2 to 5, Bruck's orchestra, Sohmer Grand Piano. Oh, how the toys are tumbling in! The ladies' parlor and nurse at your service. We are preparing to make the children happy!

Yale's GOOD GOODS

yesterday saw crowds all over our stores; the mid-autumn millinery display was much admired (to-day is second day): our art needlework exhibit has originality and taste.

in gay Paris:

Brown and castor are the favorite shades; spots and dandruff are on every chaparral; wings, quills and feathers galore; the rich "Cyrano de Bergerac" hat is still in favor; hats are very rapidly becoming popular. See our hats after Parisian models.

rich yet not costly.

Picture frames, canvas, linen or satin, \$1.50 to \$5 each; suspenders for ladies, made to order, \$1.00 to \$1.50; mufflers, also to order, \$3.50 to \$10; Berkeley and Stamford picture frames in collegiate colors, plain, 25 hands worth complete, ready for presentation, \$1.75.

elegant thanksgiving keepsakes

For "my lady" or for "him"; handkerchiefs in silk, satin, plush, linen, hand embroidered, \$1.00 to \$1.50; gloves or cravat cases in linen, hand embroidered, \$4; shopping bags, with fancy colored lining, embroidered top, \$2 to \$3.50; here's a fond mother's opportunity, baby baskets of dainty workweek of Swiss, either plain or dotted, ribbons, and with lace ruffles, price according to richness, \$5 to \$10.

what New York wears:

We show such styles as the "Capeline Fontenay," after Camille Roger, of Paris, to be worn with hair a la pompadour; "Touque 'Manoy,'" of mouse gray velvet; "Chapeau," for round contour in the face, and copies of the celebrated "Triannon," after Marescot Sours of Paris.

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