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Scandal Rears Its Head in the Fight for the Buckeye State Senatorship.

STATESMAN'S WIFE IS DEAGGED IN.

Alleged Indignity to Her Given as an Exense for Voting Against Hanna-Said Indignity Promptly Denied-The Uncertain Mr. Griffith Pinally, It Appear Lands with the Antis-Goy. Bushne Has Some Visitors 'Who Ask Questions and Hiss and Groan.

Columbus, O., Jan. 5.-Late last night the Hanna managers lost the two doubtful members-Griffith and Joyce-that they had gained during the day, so that there is now no material change. from that of Monday, when the house stood 56 to 53 against Hanna. This would give the senator only 70 votes on joint ballot, or three less than enough to elect. In connection with the change of Griffith back to the anti-Hanna camp there are most scandously sensational reports in circulation. Griffith has been on both sides several times, and has so pledged himself in writing. Hanna workers spent Sunday night with Griffith and at 3 a. m. he gent for his wife to come from the Great Southern hotel to the Neil House to join him in a conference with the Hanna men. At 8 a. m. the Kurtz men saw Mrs. Griffith, and the all-night work of the Hanna men was unden just before her husband went to the state house on Monday morning to qualify as speaker pro tem, with the other candidates of the "combine."

in the state of th Griffith Is Mighty "Onsartin." After the legislature organized Griffith had another night of conference on both sides of the senatorial case, and Chicago Live Stock.

Chicago, Jan. 4.

Hogs Estimated receipts for the day, the stock of the start of the day, the stock of the start o yesterday morning he gave the Hanna men a written pledge over his own name that he would vote for the senator. Later in the day he was seen by the opponents of Senator Hanna and last night he gave out the following: "It is due to the public and to myself that I make a statement of my position on the senatorial matter. While it is true that the convention which nominated me passed a resolution requesting me to support Senator Hanna, and while I at various times during the campaign and since declared my intention to follow that request, and even promised a dozen or more of my constituents in Hanra's headquarters on Monday of this week that I would do so, I have, however, since learning the particulars of the indignities heaped upon my wife Monday morning, reached the conviction that I would be untrue to my manhood should I cast my vote for man who either uses or employs such

Milwaukee, Jan. 4.
Wheat—Steady; No. I northern, 96½e;
No. 2 spring, 86@87e; May, 36½e. Corn—Steady; No. 2, 26½@27c. Oats—Low-er, No. 1 white, 24@24½e. Rye—Lower; No. 1, 4:c. Braley—Steady; No. 2, 41@15c; sample, 25@37c. methods," etc., etc. Say That Griffith Is Falsifying. The men referred to as having offered Mrs. Griffith indignities are Mr. McPeck, an old friend of Griffith; Mr. Chapman, and Jerry P. Bliss. These Republicans were with Griffith and his wife together, and apart at different times during the night of consultation, according to a statement made by Mc-Ducks Aive, 7c; dressed, 10c. Coal-Sit, 10c. Cattle-Buchers pay for corn fed steers 13,05 (c) cows and heifers, 3234c; calves, 14 k, which winds up as follows: "Mr. Chapman and myself have been very warm political as well as persona friends of Griffith; and if any indignities had been offered to Mrs. Griffith by any person while she was in our presence we would have resented it. It is not reasonable to suppose that Senator Hanna or any of his friends would offer any indignity to any lady, especially the wife of a member who had promised to vote for Hanna for United States senator and whose vote at that time, as he expected to receive."

had through the entire campaign, fully Burke to Vote for Hanna. Judge Frank E. Dellenbaugh, Cleveland, last night gave the following statement to the public: "I am prepared to say, as coming from the lips of Senator Burke, that he will faithfully keep every pledge and every promise he made to the good people of Cuyahoga county, either on or off the stump in the last campaign. Furthermore Burke's vote in compliance with the wishes of the people of Cuyahoga county and the state at large will be cast for M. A. Hanna for senator. Burke has shown himself to be big enough to rise above his personal likes and dislikes, and keep his pledge to vote for

BUSHNELL CONTINUES TO HEAR. Springfield Delegation Visits Him-Resolu

Columbus, O., Jan. 5.-Probably the most interesting feature of the doings yesterday was the visit of a large delegation of Republicans from Springfield to Governor Bushnell. Representative Weaver, the spekesman of the delegation, in addressing the governor, said: "I had the honor to present your name at Improvements costing \$75,000,00 have just been cor pleted, and the house now the Toledo convention, and am proud of it. Circumstances have arisen which offers every envenience to be found in any have changed the current of affairs hotel, including hot and cold water, electric Certain persons who claim to be Rehave changed the current of affairs. publicans are endeavoring to thwart Mr. Hanna's candidacy, but we cannot believe that you are one of these, that you are unloyal. For you to do this would be a political blunder, if not a political crime. Hence we call to ask ugene J. Burns if you have done what is charged

Governor Bushnell, in his response referred to the fact that the repre sentatives and senators from Clarke county are strong adherents of Hanna, while but three-fourthsof the Cuyahoga county delegation are for him. He said he had been misunderstood and misrepresented in the present controversy, and charged that it was not true that he had attended a Democratic conference to defeat Hanna. He said he did not know that such a conference had been held. He expressed the belief that the members of the house and senate should settle the question of a senator. and that all others should remain out of the fight. "But this," he said, "cannot be, as it is a free country, and as long as the people behave they have a right to be there. But all people have their preferences and prejudices. Until today my Republicanism has never

been question."
Hisses and greans mingled with cheers greeted this statement and Governor Bushnell raised his hand to quiet the assemblage. "It is by your suffrage

that I am in this high office. Now if you have no respect for me, for God's sake have respect for the office." "Have you taken any action for a

candidate, governor?" inquired one of the delegation. "I have no vote in the legislature," he said.

Centinuing, Governor Bushnell said: "I discharged my duty last spring when I appointed Mr. Hanna United States senator, Now the members of the legislature must discharge theirs." From the governor's office the delegation marched to Senator Hanna's headquarters in the Neil House, where the mem-bers greeted the senator. Addresses were made, reviewing the action of the Toledo convention. The resolutions adopted by the state

convention that nominated Bushnell for governor say this: "The thanks of the people of this state are due to Senators Foraker and Hanna for their splendid efforts during the present session of congress and we congratulate the people on their representation in the United States senate. Desiring to continue such representation, and appreciating his service to the party and to the people of the state and nation, and his eminent and proven fitness for the posi-tion, we indorse the candidacy of Hon. Marcus A. Hanna for United States senator to succeed himself, and pledge the support of the party in the next general assembly to his election to both the short and the long terms."

BLOW TO PURCHASING AGENTS. flock Island and Alton Railroads Shut

Them Out of Trains. Chicago, Jan. 5 .- So far as the Chiengo, Rock Island and Pacific and Chicago and Alton is concerned the business of the purchasing agent for small towns near Chicago is gone. Orders were issued from the offices of the two railroads informing these purchasing agents that they would not be permitted to use the trains of either company These orders were issued at the request of the United States Express company, which complains that the work of the purchasing agents has been cutting inte

This is said to be true of the business between Chicago and Joliet, where there are a dozen or more purchasing igents who earn a snug income by makng a house-to-house canvass twice or three times a week, and then coming to Chicago and making the purchases which the housewives need. The order will also mean a serious loss to a number of Chicago merchants, for the purchasing agents buy thousands of dollars' worth of goods in this city every month. W. H. Truesdale, vice president and general manager of the Rock Island, said that the order was simply a matter of living up to the contracts between the railroad and the express company.

STEEL WIRE COMBINE A FACT.

Big Company Incorporated at Springfield, Ills., with \$87,000,000 Capital. Chicago, Jan. 5.-The American Steel and Wire company, with its capital stock of \$87,000,000, is a reality. It was incorporated at Springfield yesterday morning by John W. Gates, Isaac L. Ellwood and Elbert H. Gary, who paid the state \$87,000 for license to do business. Of the capital \$20,000,000 is to be preferred stock entitled to receive each year out of any surplus or profits a dividend of 7 per cent., and the remainwhich will be entitled to receive such dividends as the net surplus may declare. The new company, with its enormous capital, will have its headquarters in Chicago.

Wife of 17 Years Commits Suicide.

Sturgeon Bay, Wis., Jan. 5.-Mrs. Ephie Gilmore ended her life Sunday night by committing suicide, taking a dose of argenic. She and her mother, Mrs. Charles Stevenson, had been arrested the day before on the charge of fleecing a Norwegian out of \$10. so humiliated the young woman that she evidently took her life to escape further disgrace and trouble. Mrs. Gilmore married "Ephie," the young bicycle rider of Menominee, last June in Sturgeon Bay, moving to Menominee. Mrs. Gilmore and her mother came back here, and thus ended a stormy chapter in the life of so young a woman, the deceased being but 17 years of age and her husband only 19.

How to Take Moonlight Photographs. Moonlight effects in photographs have long been admired by the uninitiated and fully appreciated by both amateur and professional photographers for their beauty, and many plates, too, have been spoiled by snap shotters who have accepted moonlight as the real illuminator of these views and accordingly focused directly on this beautiful orb of night.

Moonlights with the moon herself in evidence are really sun photographsthat is, pictures taken with a rapid exposure, the camera pointed toward the sun generally in the late afternoon or early morning and with clouds between the lens and the direct rays.

Many charming so called night pic-tures are taken by making two exposures, a short one in the rapidly diminishing afternoon sunlight, to get an impression of buildings and other dark obects and another longer one after dark to print in the gas and electric lights that line the long street or mark out the roads and winding pathways of a city park .- James B. Carrington in Scrib-

An Old Catechism.

At a meeting of the Worcester Antiquarian society Senator Hoar said that when he was a boy in Worcester a catechism was in use of which the following is a sample: Where is hell?

Under the earth-a place of darkness Who live in hell? The devil, his angels and bad men. What do they do in hell? They curse God and sin continually. Do you deserve to go to hell?

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THE KITTEN AND THE BEAR. How Pass Frightened Bruin Up a Tr

and Mept Him There. Chris Burns, the veteran first sergean of Troop D, had a kitten which, during the summer camping of the troop at the Lower Geyser basin, made her home within the sergeant's tent. Here, curled up on a pair of army blankets, she defied the world in general and dogs in particular. When the latter approached, she would elevate every bristle on her brave little back, her eyes would glow like live coals, and her tail would swell up threateningly. If dogs approached too near, she would his and exhibit the usual signs of hostility until the intruders had vanished from her neigh-

borbood. One day, when the camp was bathed in sunshine and every soldier in camp felt lazy, an inquisitive black bear came down the mountain side and, whether because he was in search of adventure or because attracted by a savory smell from the cock's fire, began to walk about among the white tents of the cavalry command.

Suddenly the kitten caught sight of him. Dogs by the score she had seen, but this particular "dog" was the largest and the hairiest dog she had ever seen. But she did not hesitate. It was enough for her that an enemy had invaded her special domain. Hissing forth her spite, while her little body quivered with rage, she darted forth at the bear. The ouslaught was sudden, and one glance was enough for bruin. With a snort of fear, bruin made for the nearest tree, a short distance away, and did not pause until he was safely perched among the upper branches. Meanwhile the kitten stalked proudly about on the ground beneath, keeping close guard over her huge captive, her back still curved into a bow and her hair still bristling with righteous indignation. while her tail would now and then give significant little wave, as if to say, 'That's the way I settle impertinent

The soldiers, who meanwhile had poured forth from their tents, could scarcely believe their eyes; but there was the bear in the tree and the kitten below, and there were those who had seen the affair from beginning to end.

And perhaps the strangest part of it all was that the bear would not stir from his safe position in the branches until the kitten had been persuaded to leave her huge enemy a clear means of retreat. Then he slid shamefacedly down from his perch and ambled hastily off toward the mountain .- Lieutenant Charles D. Rhodes, U. S. A., in St. Nicholas.

NAMES OF PEARLS.

About Five Thousand Small Ones Can Be The old Fire and Time-tried

Bought For Nine Dollars. Pearls are named according to their size. The very large are called paragon pearls; when the size of a cherry, cherry pearls; medium are called piece pearls; smallest, dust pearls. The oval and long are termed pear pearls, while badly formed specimens are known as baroques. The value of pearls varies, of course, with the quality and general colors, but the piece, seed and dust pearls always have a market price.

The cherry and paragon are sold on an entirely different basis. If many fine ones are on the market at a time, they may be had at reasonable rates. Some years they bring almost any price. The last two years especially, the dealers say, there has been a great scarcity of fine pearls, although there is no falling off in the supply of the small stuff.

When a pearl exceeds one carat in weight, it is sold separately. Under that weight they are sold in parcels and become less valuable as they becom smaller. The smallest dust pearls collected average about 5,000 to the tro ounce and are rated at about \$9 per ounce. If, on the contrary, one paragon weighing an ounce (or 150 carats) was on sale, it would bring any amount from \$30,000 to \$200,000, according to quality.—Philadelphia Times.

The sciara, a wormlike insect of for ests of Hungary and Norway, is only a tenth of an inch long, yet in migrating. are said to stick themselves together in a serpentlike mass often 40 to 50 feet long and several inches thick.

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