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GEO. H. MAURER, Editor.

WEDNESDAY NOV, 19, 1879.

Thanksgiving Proclamation.

The following is the Thanksgiving proclamation of Gov. Croswell:

In conformity with a custom derived from our ancestors and endeared to us by hallowed associations, I do hereby appoint Thursday, November 27, inst., as a day of thanksgiving and praise to Almighty God for His great goodness to us as a people during the year now soon to close. And on the day thus designated I earnestly invoke the citizens of the Commonwealth to withdraw themselves from their ordinary avocations, and at their places of public worship, and in their homes, with grateful hearts to render devout crowned the labors of the husbandman with success, for the revival of business prosperity, for the benefits of religion and education, for the delights of home, and the association of kindred and friends, and for the many civil, social, intellectual and religious blessings which we as a people have enjoyed. While we thus render our tribute of gratitude, let us from our abundance minister to the wants of the poor and the needy with that charity that is twice blessed, blessing him that gives and him that receives.

CHARLES M. CROSWELL.

By the Governor:
WM. JENNEY, Secretary of State.

FROM OUR WASHINGTON CORRESPONDENT.

WASHINGTON, D. C. Nov. 14, 1879.

The Republican triumph is growing upon us as the time passes. Usually we do our best on the first returns. But it is different this year. The backdowns have come up nobly to the rescue. This was demonstrated clearly in Maine, and is now shone in New York, where we have got a pretty clear sweep on the official count, although at first the Democrats claimed 25,000 majority, we were forced to concede to them the most of the State ticket. The Democrats here are frantic with rage, except those who were more anxious to "kill off Tilden" than for anything else.

Of the glowing results every where else, except in Bourbon bound Maryland and Yozoo Mississippi—of course the reader will have heard before I can furnish the news. The sum-total of good cheer is that our triumph next year is assured by these results.

Perhaps we can rejoice as much over Democratic quarrels as over our own unity and good feeling. When rogues fall out honest men get their dues. That is more than ever true to-day. New York and Pennsylvania are anchored in the Republican fold very securely through the falling out of Tilden and Kelley in the first and Randall and Wallace in the second. The defeat of Randle's hopes of re-election to Congress next year is involved, and event will be a good thing for this nation, for a more dangerous and adroit trickster does not exist. The slaughter of Tilden of course is a foregone conclusion. The Tamany Democrats are assailing him savagely, calling him a "selfish, revengeful, treacherous, tricky old man," who lives and is able to wreak his revenge in mischief. True every word of it. But the mischief he will do next year if they do not nominate him for President will make the Republican fight in New York an easy one.

Fraud is a Democratic weapon, but the fraud cry is a scare-crow which they are trying to use as a cover for defeat, and to excuse greater frauds on their part. We got news from Maine that the Democrat Greenback State officers there are making an effort to scare somebody by the cry of corruption in the late election, or to give them an excuse for counting out enough Republicans to give them a majority of the Legislature. This will not hold out, though, and the Republicans will find means to defeat that trick. Having a majority a majority in the Legislature of 30, I don't believe even the Democratic Greenback combination is desperate enough to reverse it without evidence to stand upon.

Senator Windom is early on hand to attend to the duties of the session, and this reminds me that a leading Republican paper recently said: "Senator Windom is able to take Presidential epidemic easier than any other of the victims. When asked recently, how the Windom boom was getting along, he laughed and said he 'guessed it had been swallowed up by the other booms.'" If the Senator should become a candidate his imperturbable good nature would prove to be no insignificant element of strength.

The business of the Pension Office is immense this year. It is probable that by next July the number of applications of all sorts will number to 200,000, and the money appropriated will have to be about $5,000,000 to meet the demand. SAXON

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Notice is hereby given that a complaint has been entered against you by George W. Hall for abandoning your homestead entry No. 5155 made by you on the 5th day of November, 1875, upon the E½ of N.E. and E½ of S.E. section 32, Town 25 N of Range 2 West, you are hereby summoned to appear at this office, on the 15th day of November next, at 10 o'clock, A. M., to show cause why your said homestead entry should not be cancelled.

The said George W. Hall is hereby summoned to appear at the same time and place.

CHARLES DOUGHTY, Register.
F. J. BURTON, Receiver. Nov. 14.

NOTICE.---

U. S. LAND OFFICE,
REED CITY, MICH,
SEPT. 19, 1879.

Notice is hereby given that the following-named settler has filed notice of his intention to make final proof in support of his claim, and secure final entry thereof at the expiration of thirty days from the date of this notice, viz: George W. Shaver, of Grayling, Crawford County Michigan, on the N½ of N.E. ¼ of Section 36 of 27 N R 4 W, and names the following as his witnesses, viz: John O. Hadley of Grayling and Myron Dyer of Grayling, Crawford County Mich.

EDWARD STEVENSON, Register.

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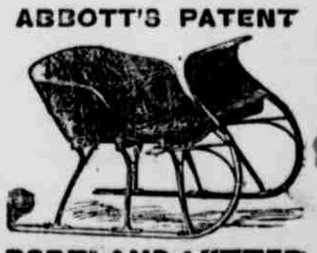

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