

Very Hot.

Warm is no name for the condition of politics down among the Union county Republicans on the Representative question.

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It matters little to the people and interests of Union county which of these two men go to Harrisburg.

The proper thing to do is to name some good representative democrat, and beat which ever of the two is nominated.

Has Had His Eyes Opened.

Judge WICKHAM, who in January last took so much satisfaction in showing his political spleen when sentencing the editors of the Beaver Star for libeling QUAY, and who strained the law to make that sentence excessively severe, has evidently heard from the people.

It is only by experience that some people are taught.

The authorities of the Huntingdon Reformatory seem to have struck a snag when they pronounced ten boys from Philadelphia "incorrigible" and transferred them to Moyamensing prison.

Emperor William III. BERLIN, March 23.—The Tageblatt reports that Emperor William is suffering from emphysema of the lungs.

What the English Think. LONDON, March 21.—The Graphic says: The despatch of a portion of the Pacific squadron northward shows that Lord Salisbury is not disposed to recede from his position.

It will be a matter of gratification to Democrats who desire harmony to know that Mr. HARRITY and Mr. GUFFEY, have "got together" at last—even if it is but on the finance committee of CHAUNCEY BLACK'S Democratic society of the state.

They Might Be Disappointed.

It has leaked out lately that certain Washington politicians have been writing to the delegates from this county, volunteering advice and giving instructions as to the course they should pursue in the state convention.

When our delegates were chosen, last fall, it was generally supposed that their duties were to represent the views and sentiments of the Democrats of the county, and it is still the belief that this is about what they will do.

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Will Rule them all Out.

Evidently the new or kickers Democratic committee of Philadelphia, intends to be of short life, or has overlooked a very vital point.

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Mr. Drayton was on board. Fearing that Drayton would be in London at the time of his departure, he had not sailed, while Drayton had, might lead color to Drayton's charge that Borrowe was afraid of him.

Bothering over Little Things.

A Germantown minister proposes wearing a gown in the pulpit hereafter, and the subject is causing no little discussion among the Presbyterians of Philadelphia.

Money Wanted for the Census Bureau.

WASHINGTON, March 23.—The committee designated some weeks ago by Secretary Noble to make an examination of the work of the census bureau with a view of ascertaining among other things what share of the work has been done and what amount of money will be required to complete the work, has made its report.

Probabilities of a Duel.

The legal adviser of J. Coleman Drayton and also of the Astor family still preserved silence to-day concerning the affairs of the two men who are now in midocean.

Cardinal Manning's Successor.

LONDON, March 20.—The Papal brief appointing Dr. Vaughan, at present the Bishop of Salford, Archbishop of Westminster to succeed the late Cardinal Manning, is expected within a few days.

A Scandal in High Life.

The Fidelity of an Astor Daughter the Cause of an Approaching Duel Between Her Husband and Her Lover.

NEW YORK, March 19.—Society is on tiptoe with excitement over the story from London that James Coleman Drayton and Hallett Alsop Borrowe, who have for some time been on the verge of a duel over Borrowe's attentions to Mrs. Drayton, are both on the Majestic, which sailed from Queensland for New York, Wednesday night, and that a sanguinary affray between these two well known society men may occur in midocean.

For about two months the London and Paris American colonies have heard rumors that a meeting between the alleged wronged husband and Borrowe was likely, because of Drayton's suspicions that all was not as it should be between his wife and young Borrowe.

At the banquet last night there were present the America Consuls, the members of the Philadelphia Committee, the officers of the Indiana, Count Bobrinsky, President of the Relief Society, and all the city authorities.

Mr. and Mrs. Drayton's Country House.

Mr. and Mrs. Drayton's country house, known as "Crow's Foot," is delightfully situated at Bernardsville, N. J., and here the young couple were accustomed to pass a considerable part of their year.

The Distracted Husband.

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Blair County Brewers May Have to Close Down for a Year.

HOLLIDAYSBURG, March 21. [SPECIAL].—Blair county brewers and wholesale liquor dealers are alarmed at the prospect of their establishments going dry this year, for failure to file their applications within the time prescribed by law.

To Grant More Pensions.

WASHINGTON, March 22.—Representative Butler, of Iowa, to-day reported to the house from the committee on invalid pensions a bill granting a pension of \$12 per month to women who served in the war as army nurses.

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Died From Hic-Coughing.

Sufferings of the Man Whose Malady Was Beyond the Control of the Most Experienced Physicians.

Edwin H. Tubbs, of 592 West Moyamensing avenue, Philadelphia, who for nearly eleven days suffered from uncontrollable hic-cough, died from exhaustion at 6 o'clock Tuesday morning.

The attack came on almost immediately after eating some oysters and Mr. Tubbs, thinking it due to indigestion, paid little attention to it at first, but the hic-coughs continuing and the domestic remedies that he tried giving no relief, medical aid was sought.

Warm Expressions of Russia's Gratitude for the Indiana's Cargo.

LIBAU, March 20.—The following despatch has been sent to the Mayor of Philadelphia by the Russian Relief Society:

The Russian Relief Society warmly welcomes the dear American brethren who arrived in the Indiana and prays you to transmit to the inhabitants of Philadelphia an expression of the society's lasting gratitude.

Municipal Chief Adolph presented to Capt. Sargeant a silver cup inscribed "In remembrance of Libau," and "But the greatest of these is charity."

An act of true humanity and real Christian love bringing you here. Your nation wishes to relieve the great distress of part of the Russian people, which has resulted from bad harvests.

Huntingdon Reformatory.

Investigation to Be Begun by the Board of Charities Tuesday.

PHILADELPHIA, March 20.—In response to a letter from Senator Osbourn to the board of public charities, asking at the request of Governor Pattison an investigation be made of the charges of cruel and barbarous treatment of inmates of the Huntingdon reformatory, a letter was received on Saturday from Mahlon H. Dickinson, president of the board, stating that a meeting has been called for next Tuesday at Huntingdon and inviting Senator Osbourn to be present.

The End of the World.

It Will Be Along in about Seven Years, Totten Says.

New Haven, Conn., March 19.

Lieutenant C. A. L. Totten, professor of military science in Yale College, is again making biblical calculations to prove that the final round-up of things earthy and earthly will take place in 1899.

Russia Rejoices Over Philadelphia's Princely Gift.

LIBAU, Russia, March 18.—The enthusiasm occasioned here by the receipt of the princely gift to the Russian famine sufferers sent by the Americans shows no sign of abating, though the Indiana was discharged yesterday and much of her cargo is now on its way to the famine stricken provinces.

1700 People in Peril.

ST. LOUIS, Mo., March 18.—Loggett & Myers' tobacco factory, the largest factory of its kind in the world, was half destroyed by fire this morning, and the loss on the building and stock is estimated at \$350,000.

North Dakota Democrats for Cleveland.

MINNEAPOLIS, MINN., March 23.—A special to the Journal from Grand Forks, N. D., says that the delegates to the Democratic convention are arriving to-day and are unanimously for Cleveland.

Mr. Rider Haggard pronounces his name "Reeder."

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Treasurer Boyer's Report of the State Finances.

HARRISBURG, March 21.—The annual report of State Treasurer Henry K. Boyer is out for the fiscal year ending November 30, 1891.

The total receipts for the past year were \$13,907,161.74, and the total payments were \$10,456,952.64 leaving a balance on December 1 of \$6,989,854.55.

The total public debt in December was \$9,811,568.28 and the sinking fund shows assets of \$6,761,583.34.

Rumors Concerning the Deaths in the Hill Farm Mine.

DUNBAR, PA., March 23.—Much excitement was caused this morning by reports that the bodies of twenty-two of the thirty-one miners entombed in the Hill Farm mine, on June 16, 1890, had been recovered and that all of the bodies had been identified.

The mine officials deny this, but say they expect to reach the men in a few days. From other sources it is claimed that twenty-two bodies have really been found, but that the mine officials do not want it known until all have been found.

A Harrisburg Firm the Winner.

HARRISBURG, PA., March 23.—The contract for the erection of the Pennsylvania building at Chicago was awarded by the executive committee of the World's Fair board this afternoon to Nesbit and Coder, of Harrisburg, their bid on the revised plan being \$67,000.

Of Course They Must Go.

From the Walls Walla, Wash., Statesman. The latest example of Chinese thrift is cited in the fact that they drink their wine hot because they think a man will get drunk sooner by so doing.

The Editors Will be Pardon.

HARRISBURG, March 23.—The board of pardons last night recommended the pardon of Mellon and Porter, the Beaver, Pa., editors, convicted of libeling Senator Quay and sentenced to six months' imprisonment.

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