

INK SLINGS.

—It's a long lane that has no turn."
—Here's our congratulations to every-body.
—"Don't cheer boys the poor devils are dying."
—The only flies in the dumping are Pennsylvania and Centre county.
—Its back to the alfalfa in the White house stable for the lean old Democratic donkey.
—Milesburg went for TAFT and the country's saved—as viewed by EDMUND BLANCHARD.
—HARMON, BRYAN and UNDERWOOD would make good Cabinet selections for President WILSON.
—Already a lot of early birds are whetting their bills to dig out the Bellefonte postoffice worm.
—Anyway TEDDY's teeth would make good markers for the political graves of a lot of soldiers of fortune who deserted their colors to follow him into oblivion.
—The next time we go up Salt River we will find two great holes on the shore. One that the TAFTITE'S will crawl into; the other the Bull Moosers. For they'll never be able to dwell together in peace on the surface.

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Every State in the Union But Three, Makes Protest Against the High Cost of Living and Pres. Taft's Stand-Pat Policies.

—It's a lasting, if not an affectionate, good-bye to Mr. PENROSE.
—Thanks Mr. ROOSEVELT! It may not have been intended but it worked out all right anyway.
—The season for elephant and moose opened on Tuesday, Nov. 5th, and from the reports that come straggling in nearly every Democratic office hunter in the county got one of each on the first day.
—President WILSON will certainly have to stand for a large army of unemployed after the Fourth of March, but then there'll be plenty of real work for the office holders who will have to let go of the public teat.
—Oh no, Mr. "Stay-at-home." You have mistaken the occasion. This is not your jollification. "Buttin' in now only makes us remember how badly we would have been licked if other Democrats had acted as you did.
Up Salt River, mad and cussin
TAFT and TEDDY now must roam
There they can keep up their fussin
While WILSON calls the White House home
Sickened Elephants and Mooses
Will be trotten' round galore
There'll be a great menagerie
All along that saline shore.
And the Democratic donkey.
So long denied the hay.
Will browse on good alfalfa
And his driver draw the pay.
—Never before in the history of the Republican party in Pennsylvania has it been as badly split up as it was this fall. Never before in the history of the Democratic party have we presented a nominee for President so universally acceptable to all men as is WOODROW WILSON, yet he did not carry Pennsylvania. Tuesday's result appeals most forcibly for a still further reorganization of our party in the State. Under the old regimes PATTISON was twice elected Governor and BERRY was elected State Treasurer but under the present one, with the Republican party split square in two, we couldn't even get a look in. What's the trouble?

Congress and Senate Democratic

New York, Ohio, New Jersey and Indiana Give a Deluge of Democratic Votes and Elect Legislatures. Pennsylvania Clings to the Shattered Idols of the Republican Party.

While there was little doubt in the minds of the unbiased observer that WOODROW WILSON would be elected President of the United States, a week ago no one would have imagined such a deluge as swept the Republican party clear out of existence on Tuesday. Forty of the forty-eight States in the Union have gone Democratic; President TAFT has carried but three and ROOSEVELT five.
In the 63rd Congress there will be more than 279 Democrats out of the membership of 435. In the Senate, returns up to last evening indicated that we have secured enough State Legislatures to insure Democratic control of that body as well. This will make Democracy Supreme in all branches of our government and insure to the country an untrammelled fulfillment of all of our platform pledges.
It is highly probable that President WILSON will call an extra session of Congress immediately after his inauguration in order to put into effect at once the tariff legislation that President TAFT vetoed at the last session.
The first utterance of the new President after he heard the news of his success was reassuring to business interests everywhere, because he announced that legitimate business endeavor need have no fear of injurious legislation of any sort
In Pennsylvania we have gained four Congressman a number of Senators and

Members of the Assembly, but ROOSEVELT has carried the State by about 32,000 plurality. BERRY and CRESSWELL go down to defeat along with our four Congressmen-at-Large apparently because the new organization of our party failed to get out as many votes for them as were polled for BRYAN by the old organization four years ago.
For a presidential contest Tuesday's election was unusually quiet and almost entirely devoid of excitement and sensational features. Outside of the watchers and others whose business it was to be at the polls there were very few hangers-on and the old crowd of ward and district workers were conspicuous only by their absence. That there was considerable apathy among the voters in general is shown in the fact that less than eighty per cent. of the total vote in the county was cast.
Wilson and Marshall carried the county for President and Vice President by over seven hundred majority, which was very good considering the strong sentiment for Roosevelt in every district. Owing to the fact that the Republicans and Washington party were united on the State candidates, Congress and the Legislature, they were successful in carrying the county for all by safe majorities, although C. L. Gramley defeated Robert M.

complete returns from the county, by election districts, will be found in the table published in this issue.
Charles E. Patton Re-elected.
Unofficial returns show the re-election of Charles E. Patton to Congress from this (the Twenty-first) district with majorities in the several counties as follows:
Centre..... 348
Clearfield..... 159
Cameron..... 250
McKean..... 200
Total..... 2248
—And then to think that Centre county was "re-organized" within the past year, and polled fewer Democratic votes, at a presidential election than it ever did when its regulars were depended upon to see that the vote was gotten to the polls, kind of gives birth to the thought, that a little more re-organization, would not be out of place.
—Most of us will wonder how the supporters of TAFT and ROOSEVELT could have been so badly mistaken but it may be worth while to remember that some of us made miscalculations ourselves in the good old days when about all we had to campaign with were hope and faith.

—Well, we Democrats may have great reason for feeling good, but we certainly have no particular cause for pride over our part of the job. With over six hundred Democratic "stay-at-homes" in Centre county, and sixty thousand of the same stripe elsewhere throughout the State, it looks as if the Democratic hook worm had been working over time among we Pennsylvania Democrats.
—Our congratulations to Mr. GUTHRIE and the other re-organizers. They probably did their best, but the returns persist in pointing out the fact that they couldn't even lick the one-half of the Republican party. Possibly they'll have more consideration for the efforts of the "old guard" whom they licked for not licking the whole of it.
—Mr. GEO. W. PERKINS can now spend his surplus energy and money in the work of "uplifting humanity" by correcting the evils in some of the factories he controls.
—With our Bull Moose friends, last week, it was—"Onward Christian Soldier." At this distance, that hymn now sounds very much like: "Rescue the Perishing."