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THURSDAY, FEBRUARY 15, 1900.

Democratic Candidates.

FOR REPRESENTATIVE, (North Side) GEORGE W. STERNER, of Hemlock Twp.

FOR REPRESENTATIVE, (South Side) C. Z. SCHLICHER, of Beaver Twp.

FOR SHERIFF, DANIEL KNORR, of Locust Twp.

Commander Richard Wainwright has been appointed Superintendent of the Naval Academy at Annapolis, Maryland.

Crime appears to have considerable sway in Lackawanna county. District Attorney Jones' criminal list scheduled for trial at the February sessions of court comprises 323 cases.

The ballot box stuffers, in the fifth ward in Philadelphia, have been sentenced to pay a fine of \$500 each, and serve a term of two years in the penitentiary. This is the extreme penalty of the law, and they deserved it.

By a decision of the Auditor-General, mercantile appraisers must not, under the new law, publish the amount of tax each dealer is required to pay. The omission is to keep from the public the amount of business each merchant does in a year, which information might in some instances be embarrassing to tradesmen.

The plans for the recently incorporated Interstate Telephone and Telegraph company, which is capitalized at \$2,000,000, have just been made public. The object is to establish a long distance telephone service in Pennsylvania, Delaware, Maryland and New Jersey, by connecting all the independent telephone systems. The new company will finally reach this section.

The Republican machine leaders in Philadelphia presented the names of 20,427 alleged voters for whom Tax Receiver Roney was asked to issue tax receipts for use at the spring election. Of these all but 2,507, or nearly 90 per cent, were found to be bogus. The tax receiver has refused to issue the receipts and there is consternation among the candidates who depended upon this peddled list for success.

The Party of Anarchy and Outrages.

What was threatened has been fulfilled. What was planned has come to pass. Republicanism, to maintain its power in Kentucky, has not hesitated to resort to assassination, nor faltered in its determination to create anarchy to accomplish its purpose. To-day, he who was the duly elected Governor of that once great Commonwealth fills a martyr's grave; law is set aside; the courts defied; riot and bloodshed threatened on every hand, and from one end of the State to the other a reign of terror exists, such as has never been felt by any people, or disgraced any government.

And why? Simply to hold power that was wrongfully given to Republicanism three years ago, and that would be taken from it if the forms of the law were submitted to and the will of the people recognized.

Kentucky is a Democratic State. Even the most violent bigots who votes the Republican ticket will admit this. At the recent election, and in the face of the facts that tissue ballots were used in many districts; that fraudulent returns were made from others; that Republican judges drove regularly chosen election boards from the polling places; that unauthorized persons were put in charge of many of the elections; that the militia was called out and used to intimidate voters; that arms from the state arsenals were scattered over the State among the thugs and toughs of the Republican party—and in spite of all the fraudulent, forcible and dishonest means used against them the Democrats carried the State by an overwhelming majority, as shown by the election of members of the Legislature and county tickets.

On the question of who was elected Governor, there was room for an honest difference of opinion. Three candidates were in the field. Among them the vote was so divided that neither had a majority of the whole.

Taylor, who has since sought to resort to anarchy and to benefit by assassination, with all the frauds his moonshiners had committed and in the face of the intimidation his predecessor had practiced, was over 7,000 votes short of a majority of the whole.

The people of Kentucky demanded a legal inquiry into the methods resorted to at the election and a constitutional determination of who had been elected. They appealed to the Legislature—the power fixed by the Constitution of the State to hear and determine such questions. It was a grave question that was sought to be determined. It was the legal and constitutional authority that its decision was referred, the outcome of which no man knew nor could any one predict.

And it was here that the Republicanism showed its real purpose, not to submit to any law or any decision that would disturb its claim to control. It had authority over the militia, and it called them into requisition to intimidate and overawe the Legislature; it brought its law defying population to the capitol city and armed them with State rifles to defy the orders of the courts; it hid its assassins in the public offices and protected them from the penalties of the law with the bayonets of the militia it controlled; it committed murder in the broad light of day and shielded the criminals behind the barricaded doors of the creature it claimed was elected to administer justice and see that the laws were enforced; it openly and brazenly defied the courts, and as shamelessly resorted to brute force to prevent their interference with the outrages it was committing to continue itself in power. Anarchy, red-handed, blood-spattered anarchy, is the result.

And for it Republicanism that incited it, that now seeks to excuse and condone the atrocities that have been committed, is alone to blame.

Possibly it can survive such a record, but it right is to reign, if manhood, honor or love of justice, lives within the hearts of the people, the brutal and cowardly assassination of Governor Goebel will cling to Republicanism in Kentucky until, like the poisonous shirt of Nessus, it has not only consumed its flesh but has rotted its treacherous bones. — Bellefonte Watchman.

The rooms at 1408 South Penn Square, Philadelphia, have been vacated by the Democratic State Committee, and the furniture removed to the permanent headquarters at Harrisburg. The Harrisburg rooms are centrally located and will be fitted up with all the necessary office helps to carry on the coming campaign. An Underwood typewriter, one of the latest and very best writing machines on the market has already been added to the outfit. The Underwood has been on the market but a short time, but is represented by the Pennsylvania Typewriter Company, Philadelphia, Chas. H. Kline, York, John N. McCulloch, Harrisburg and W. V. Dermitt & Co., Pittsburg.

FLORIDA.

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The second Pennsylvania Railroad tour of the season to Jacksonville, allowing two weeks in Florida, will leave New York and Philadelphia February 20.

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For tickets, itineraries, and other information apply to ticket agents, Tourist Agent at 1196 Broadway, New York; 4 Court Street, Brooklyn; 789 Broad Street, Newark, N. J.; B. Courlaender, Jr., Passenger Agent Baltimore District, Baltimore, Md.; Colin Studds, Passenger Agent Southeastern District, Washington, D. C.; Thos. E. Watt, Passenger Agent Western District, Pittsburg, Pa.; or Geo. W. Boyd, Assistant General Passenger Agent, Broad Street Station Philadelphia.

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WASHINGTON.

From our Regular Correspondent.

Washington, Feb. 12, 1900.

That English diplomacy is away ahead of English military generalship has once more been proven by the Nicaragua Canal treaty, sent to the Senate this week, which instead of being received with shouts of approval, as Mr. McKinley seemed to think it ought to be, has been met with stern protests, even from supporters of the administration. Although England is in a position where it would have agreed to almost anything proposed by this government, which is almost its only friend among the nations of the world, the English diplomats got exactly what they wanted. To reduce the treaty to every day language, England graciously agrees that we shall build the Nicaragua Canal with American money, provided that she and all other nations shall have equal use of the canal both in peace and in war and that the U. S. agrees never to fortify either end of the canal. Unless many Senators change their present attitude, this treaty will not be ratified, unless its present jug-handled features are cut out. The sentiment in both branches of Congress, regardless of party, favors the construction of the Nicaragua Canal by this government, provided that we have absolute control of it, which means, of course, the right to close it to our enemies in time of war.

After all their bluff and bluster, the republican Senators are afraid of going before the country squarely on the issue of the single gold standard, and last week the majority of the Finance committee reported the old international bimetalism bambooizer as an amendment. The amendment, which merely says that the bill is not intended to place any obstacle in the way of the accomplishment of international bimetalism, is too palpable a humbug to fool any man, but it is intended to ease the consciences of such so-called republican bimetalists as Senator Chandler, who was instrumental in getting the amendment reported, and to give such western silver republicans as care to take advantage of it an opportunity to sneak into the gold camp.

Representative Williams, of Miss., one of the leading democratic members of the House Committee on Foreign Affairs, made a strong speech against the annexation of the Philippines, meeting the republicans on their own plane of dollars and cents and showing what poor business it would be in the end. He ridiculed the idea which political necessity has caused the republican leaders in both House and Senate to adopt—that the U. S. does not include the territories of the U. S.—and predicted its overthrow by the Supreme Court. The closing words of Mr. Williams, which were greeted with applause, follow: "I am much more opposed to annexation of the Philippines in its old historic American sense than I am to the new-fangled doctrine of imperialism. As much as I would hate to see the Declaration of Independence thrown to the winds, as much as I would hate to see the historical landmarks of Washington's Farewell Address forgotten, as much as I should hate to see the Constitution amended so that we might have subjects, I would rather change the Constitution, I would rather be relegated to the unwritten constitution of England, to the common law itself, than to admit eleven million of barbarians like that to share and share alike with me and my children and my grandchildren in molding the destinies of this great republic, the last hope of all the ages for popular freedom and for the demonstration of the fact that man can govern himself."

Senator Caffery in a speech, showing by Constitutional law that if we keep the Philippines its inhabitants will become full-fledged citizens of the U. S., paid this high compliment to Senator Hoar: "I am glad that Massachusetts has on this floor a worthy successor of Webster and Sumner, and that he stands forth as the guardian of constitutional right and constitutional law."

The activity of those who are scheming to add to the already enormous amount of money paid by this government for pensions may be judged when Senator Gallinger, chairman of the Senate committee on Pensions, who is ultra-liberal in his ideas on the subject, publicly states that if the bills now before his committee should become laws it would bankrupt the country to make the payments.

The Nicaragua Canal treaty having failed to produce any change in the strong Boer sentiment in Congress, the administration has become alarmed. It is afraid that Congress will adopt some resolution that will force it into taking some step to save the Boers from extinction before the English get troops enough on the ground to deliver a crushing blow, and in order to gain time for the English, it is allowing the impression to get out that

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it intends to do something in the mediatory line under The Hague treaty, which was last week ratified by the Senate, when that document becomes effective, which will not be until after ratifications have been exchanged by the signatory powers.

After an imposing military funeral, attended by all the prominent officials of the government and the greater portion of Congress, the body of Gen. Henry W. Lawton, who was recently killed in the Philippines, was buried at Arlington cemetery last Friday afternoon.

During the year 1899, according to the report of the secretary of the Lumberman's Exchange, of Williamsport, there was shipped from that city 241,290,000 feet of sawed lumber, an increase of 17,784,000 feet over the shipments of the year previous. To carry this lumber it required 13,405 cars.

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