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THURSDAY EVENING, NOV. 9, 1882

The Vote in This State.

The vote for Stewart in Pennsylvania is unexpectedly small, being placed at fifty thousand instead of double that number.

The only explanation offered is that a great many Republicans voted directly for Pattison with the determination to make their vote as potent as possible in defeating Beaver.

Barth, in the Dauphin congressional district, is now reported to have a majority of less than two hundred over McCormick.

It is a pity that the defection of the good men in the Republican party in the district was not a little stronger, so as to have sent a good representative to Congress instead of a bad one.

The hoodlums have been opened. "Justice travels with a leaden heel but strikes with an iron hand."

Simon Cameron's boy has cut another wisdom tooth. If the Lord chasteneth whom he loveth the Republican party has come in for a large share of the divine affection.

Simon will probably use the barrel stave argument with his hopeful son and when he gets him in a corner by himself.

The one frozen fact about the late Democratic cyclone, equally acceptable to victors and vanquished, is that money has ceased to be a factor in political contests.

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MR. PATTISON'S HEARTY RECEPTION.

Governor Pattison's Success for the Great Democratic Victory in this State—What the Business Men Say.

Governor-elect Pattison held his first reception Wednesday. It was an impromptu affair, the corners invited themselves, and the brightly furnished apartments of the controller's office served as the executive business room. Mr. Pattison's demeanor during the long siege of hand shaking was quite in accord with his hasty retreat by a back stairway when the American club beckoned him at the Irving house Tuesday night. With his friends were exuberant and oftentimes demonstrative in their expressions concerning the result, the youthful controller received the shower of compliment and congratulatory with characteristic modesty. An occasional smile and a twinkling eye, supporting his eyes were the only index of his satisfaction. Telegrams came pouring in early in the morning from all parts of the state and from other states, all in the most jubilant vein. John G. Thompson, Ohio Democratic chairman, whose "claim with confidence" proved for once to have been not misplaced, wired "Congratulations upon your splendid victory. Bossism has met a Waterloo and the people rejoice." The Central Democratic club of Harrisburg, sent a message bringing with it rejoicing and tendering the new governor an escort at his inauguration.

In the afternoon Mr. Pattison was in consultation for nearly an hour with Lewis C. Cassidy and Henry B. Head. Later Campaign Chairman John Field and Judge Blankenburg came in to extend congratulations. Mr. Field, jocularly putting in an application for the prospective vacancy in the controllership. Mr. Blankenburg was most cordial in congratulations, and promised to be content with an appointment as the governor's staff. A by-stander, with thoughts of 1884, said Mr. Pattison's age, "Thirty-two next December," answered the latter promptly; "whereupon there was a dubious shaking of heads, and an arithmetical calculation quickly demonstrated that the new governor would be barred out of the next presidential race. There was speculation during the day about forthcoming executive appointments, but Mr. Pattison gave no hint on this point. Senator James Gay Gordon was congratulated by many friends as the successor of Ex-Secretary Quay, but protested that the Senate had a claim on him for two years more.

It was an uprising of the people for a people's government, and means the triumph of boss rule," was Mr. Pattison's terse commentary on his election. "Was not the result largely owing to the independent Republican vote thrown to the support of the Democratic ticket?" was asked. "Undoubtedly. The people have shown their confidence that the Democratic party will carry out their desire for reform by placing it in power. Just as the party is faithful to this trust and fulfills the expectations of the people, will it maintain its ascendancy. If it shows itself unworthy of popular confidence, it will succumb; if it doesn't it will fail."

"How far may the result be taken as an index of 1884?" "The result in 1884 can only be determined by the future. If the Democratic party uses wisely the power given it, there is every reason to look for a repetition of this victory in 1884?"

Mr. Pattison is as yet undecided as to the relinquishment of his appointment, replying to a question on this point that two months yet remained before it would be necessary for him to step out. It is probable that his resignation will come just before inauguration day, and that the governor-elect will appoint his own successor.

How it Will Affect Business. "I cannot see why the Democratic gains in Tuesday's elections should have any effect upon business generally," said S. B. Brown, of the firm of Hood, Southbright & Co. "Business has not been affected by clothing in winter and light garments in summer whether the Republicans or the Democrats are in power. I have always voted the Republican ticket, but I must say that the party have abused the power placed in their hands, and the voters are face to face with the natural result of their in any way affected."

A. C. Sinn, a member of the same firm, said: "If we are beaten this time I have no fears as to the future of trade. I am inclined to agree with Governor-elect Pattison that it has been a people's not a party victory."

Joseph Tomlinson, of the firm of George A. Smith & Co., said when approached on the subject: "Affect business? Not a bit of it; why should it? I am a Republican and I have voted for the Democratic ticket in this state as a party defeat, on party lines. There was no party issue before the people. The Republican defeat is the outcome of a squabble. There is no principle involved in the election. The party have not struck Cameron, and they have done it. This will not, in my opinion, threaten profits. Republicans and Democrats alike must take up the same position on this question in the interests of both labor and capital. The best of both parties has grabbed power, and that is all there is in it; but, in my opinion, trade will not be in any way affected."

Colliery Explosion at Girardville. An explosion occurred at the Girard colliery Wednesday afternoon, caused by the spontaneous igniting of gas, which had accumulated in an exhausted working at a distance of three miles. Earth and rock were thrown in hundreds of feet in the air and scattered to a great distance. Windows and doors were blown in, houses shattered and people thrown to the ground, but nobody was seriously injured although many miners were working in adjacent breasts.

Brocius' Tumble. Brocius made a beautiful tumble down stairs, striking squarely on his head. Now will he recover his senses like his French prototype?

DEMOCRATIC JUBILEE. Pattison's Election to be Celebrated at the Gap. The sturdy Democrats of Salisbury and adjoining townships will hold a grand jubilee at the Gap, on Friday evening, Nov. 10, for the purpose of celebrating the great Democratic sweep, which proved death and destruction to the arrogant bosses in Pennsylvania, New York, Massachusetts, and other states, and once more placed the government in the hands of the people. Great preparations are being made and from all indications it will be a successful affair. The occasion will be enlivened by a band of music, and speeches by able speakers. Every true Democrat should endeavor to be present, and participate in celebrating the great verdict of the people.

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