

**A GLEAM FOR MILLER.**

Harrison's Special Messenger Returns From New York and Will

**REPORT STRONGLY IN HIS FAVOR.**

Benjamin Would Like to Bounce Blaine, but Can't See His Way,

**AND IS STILL ON THE ANXIOUS SEAT.**

Telegrams concerning Wanamaker are flying in every direction.

The messenger sent by Harrison to New York has returned to Indianapolis. He will report that the sentiment of the party in New York is in favor of Miller for the Cabinet. Harrison is in a quandary concerning Blaine. He has received long pleas both for and against the Maine statesman. Personally he does not want him in the Cabinet. Wanamaker is said to be about to visit the President-elect.

**SPECIAL TELEGRAM TO THE DISPATCH.**

INDIANAPOLIS, January 28.—The messenger from General Harrison sent to New York a week ago returned to-day. He still keeps up the assumption that his trip was entirely upon private business of his own, and that end has not yet been called on General Harrison, and will not do so until tomorrow. General Harrison, however, knows that his messenger is here, and the appointment for a conference with him has been made. There is no means short of hypnosis of telling what news the messenger brings to General Harrison from the metropolis. Whatever may have been his special mission he has guarded it carefully, both in this city and, so far as can be ascertained in New York. But as to what he has discovered, in New York aside from his particular mission he is less reticent.

He declares that from careful observations among bankers, brokers, manufacturers and business men generally with whom his business brought him into contact, he is satisfied that the great bulk of the Republican party are in favor of Miller, and that the claim for Platt is largely the manufacture noise of a machine. He will tell General Harrison that to-morrow it is safe to assume that he will be welcome to the messenger may bring, no matter what may have been his mission. No man would be more glad than Harrison to be convinced that the people of New York are crying for Miller.

**THE CABINET MUDULE.**

The truth is that the whole Cabinet-making business, while it is really nearly completed and has been so for a week or ten days, is in a dreadful muddle. The trouble is over the portfolio of the State Department. Once that question is settled, the rest of the Cabinet will fall into place like the number of a combination lock. Harrison is still in the situation plainly to at least one man from another State who has called upon him recently. He says that he finds that there is an enormous and a very solid opposition to Blaine, the prospect of offending which would daunt even the boldest politician, while on the other hand he is as solid and apparently more popular element that is insisting on Blaine personally.

It is notorious that General Harrison would like to pass over Blaine, but he is not a man to be influenced by personal considerations if he knows it. He is cool and logical and resolute, the perfect influence of himself upon himself, and the allowance for it before he arrives at a definite conclusion upon an important matter. The difficulty is not altogether whether or not it shall be Blaine, but also, and even more largely, if it is not Blaine, whom shall it be? of the members of the Senate, the choice would be narrow, probably the choices would be quickly made, and the Cabinet question settled between daylight and dark. Edmunds and Hoar are also mentioned in connection for the place, but there seems to be no foundation for the idea that they are possibilities.

**A NEW DEAL.**

A more plausible story is that Allison may be induced to take the State instead of the Treasury Department, with the understanding that he is to boss the finance of the Government all the time. If such is the case, then Mr. Sherman was young enough to hope that he might bring about the removal of General Allison during his lifetime, he would have surely settled upon the State Department before this. As it is, he wants to stay where he is. The gist of it all is that while Blaine's friends need not give up their hope, the chances are that the State Department will be the shadow of its former prominence by the selection of some man of merely ordinary standing in the party, and that then General Harrison's friends will say that there is no slight to Blaine in not giving him a post which such a man can fill.

General Harrison will presently be the cover of the *Bill of Rights* in the land. It is to be presented to him by the Tipperary Club of this city, a special order for the book having been issued. It is a work of art, with over 1,500 pages, bound in seal leather, 12x14 inches. It is in imperial quarto great primer type. On the back is a heavy plate, with this inscription: "Presented to General Harrison by the Marion County Tipperary Club, Indiana."

To-morrow at 2 o'clock it will be taken to the Mayor's office, where a special meeting of the club will be held and the "signatures, nativity and remarks" of members will be affixed on pages provided for that purpose. When the names have all been signed the book will be formally presented to the General.

**CALLERS OF THE DAY.**

The venerable W. M. Stow, who succeeded war-Governor Kirkwood as Governor of Iowa, was the most noticeable of the callers upon General Harrison to-day. He is the messenger appointed by the Iowa Electoral College to carry the vote of the State to Washington, and was on his way to perform that mission when he stopped over here to call on General Harrison. The congratulations of the college, which had been delegated to convey to the President-elect. He made but a short call upon General Harrison, and said that there was no politics in his visit.

Major O. S. Kelly, of Springfield, O., and of New Haven, Conn., in the same place, came to see the President-elect to-day, and could not tell what their mission was. It was about postoffice size, it is understood. William B. McBride, a Syracuse merchant, stopped to see the President-elect to-day, and told how all the folks were feeling up in Central New York on Mr. Miller.

Special telegrams continue to come here every day, bringing all sorts of political news. John Wanamaker, who seems to be starting for Indianapolis on every train on all the roads. General Harrison laughed when this was mentioned to him to-day, but refused to say whether he expects Mr. Wanamaker.

**Where is John Johnston?**

Inclosed in a letter to John Johnson, of Silchester, England, a return ticket to that country was received yesterday at the office of the Department of Public Charities. The letter was a short one, and sent to John Johnson last October at the request of her husband, who was here applying for charity. The man has left the city since, and his whereabouts are not known.

**An Enjoyable Affair.**

Mr. Charles V. Lewis, of the *Volksschule*, was tendered a serenade by the Grand Army Band at his home on Pennsylvania avenue, Allegheny, last evening. It was a most enjoyable affair, and testified emphatically to the popularity of both sides of the house—in and out.

**A DETECTIVE DONE UP.**

M. P. Carrick, the Labor Leader, knocks down an English Officer Who, He Claims, is After Information.

A foreign detective is in town looking for information for the *London Times*, but he was not slick enough, and tackled the wrong person. When a crowd collected on Federal street, Allegheny, last evening to see what they thought was an ordinary street fight they did not realize the importance of the trouble. M. P. Carrick, a well-known labor leader, had knocked down an English detective and was about to administer a severe beating, when some of the crowd interfered and the victim escaped. After the stranger's disappearance, Mr. Carrick was seen by a DISPATCH reporter and said:

I was over on the Southside to-day, and this morning I went to my law office. He came to talk to me and I agreed to have a conversation with him later. I then saw William Walls, and he told me to beware, as the man was an English detective and wanted to get information from me for the *London Times*. I served a notice on him to appear in court to-day in the Irish question, and do not propose to give up any information that will compromise my friend across the water.

The workingman's suit of clothes, and looked like one. After I received the tip from Mr. Walls I sized him up as the same kind of hoodlum, and offered him a broadcloth suit and a fine silk hat, trying to pump me. This evening I met him in a saloon, and he came to talk to me again. We were seated in a private room. He then offered me \$20 for information which I refused to give. He then told me to give him the information he wanted, and left the saloon. He followed me up the street, when I knocked him down. He then told me he had been injured and I might have injured him. I am not a sneak, and will not give up information that might injure my fellow countrymen.

**KILLED AT MIDNIGHT.**

Another Victim of an Ugly Accident in Pittsburg Hill.

At 12 o'clock last night the body of a man named John Neary was brought to the morgue of Dr. J. M. Doherty, No. 4, under charge of Police Lieutenant Duncan. The officer stated that the man had been killed at Jones & Langhans' blast furnace on Second avenue.

**It Will Not be Issued at Present.**

Major Pearson, of Allegheny, has written his election proclamation for next month, but will not publish it until he ascertains how many Select Councilmen are to be elected. This will not be known until the passage by the Legislature of the municipal bill.

**For Robbing the Pattern Shop.**

W. J. Crawford was given a hearing by Magistrate Brooker yesterday afternoon on the charge of robbery. It is said to be the result of a tip from the stationers of Oliver Bros. & Phillips. He was held for court and was unable to secure bail.

**Valley City in Buffalo.**

Receiver John H. Scott, General Superintendent, D. McCargo and General Freight Agent E. H. Uley, of the Allegheny Valley railroad, left last night on their special for Buffalo, on business connected with the road.

**Burglars at Work on the Hill.**

Whitney & King's tinsore, at the corner of Webster avenue and Overhill street, was broken into by thieves yesterday morning, and took the change in the money drawer and two dollars valued at \$10. The police were notified.

**To Their Winter Home.**

A. W. Paul, of Metcalf, Paul & Co., wife and daughter left last night for their winter home in Orange county, near Grassmere, Fla. They will remain there about three months, when they will return to Pittsburgh.

**Dressed Dead at His Home.**

Coroner McDowell will hold an inquest on Henry Carlin to-day, who dropped dead at his home in Soho at 2 o'clock yesterday afternoon.

**LOCAL ITEMS, LIMITED.**

Incidents of a Day in Two Cities Condensed for Ready Reading.

On the 68 deaths which took place in the city during last week 15 were caused by pneumonia.

ALDERMAN PEARCE and O'BRIEN sent \$10 to the Human Society, which, representing fines collected from cock-fighters.

JAMES HERDMAN, one of the owners of the condemned buildings on Wood street, appealed from the decision of the building inspectors.

The handsome gold watch at the pride of the West Coast booth, at the J. O. U. A. M. fair, was stolen at the Coliseum, Allegheny, last night by a thief.

M. HARRY BISHOP, of the National Tube Works, was injured by being knocked down by a runaway horse on Fifth avenue, near the corner of Smithfield street, yesterday afternoon.

P. M. THOMAS HENRY, aged 67 years, 6 months and 16 days.

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[Columbus and Portsmouth (O.) papers please copy.]

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