

LOSCH IS IN LINE.

The Famous Political Chief-tain of the Schuylkill Coal Region

MAKES PEACE WITH QUAY.

Long-Standing Differences Bridged at a Conference.

LOUISIANA REPUBLICANS PLANS.

They Will Do Just as the Democrats Don't With the Lottery.

NO LET-UP IN THE HOT OHIO CAMPAIGN

OFFICIAL TELEGRAM TO THE DISPATCH.

PHILADELPHIA, Oct. 21.—[Special.]—Samuel A. Losch, the Republican chief-tain of the Schuylkill coal region, has effected a reconciliation with Senator Quay, and is once more on business terms with the cabinet that controls and directs Republican interests in the State. Ex-District Attorney Jack Whitehouse and ex-County Chairman D. D. Phillips were the direct channels through which Losch had his readmission to political grace and his second admission to the fold.

The differences between Senator Quay and Colonel Losch have been of long standing. There have been some outbreaks between them, and a certain one early in the year, when Representative Dick Quay ordered Losch off the floor of the House, was the most notorious of the series. Losch has been very useful in past campaigns, and when Mr. Quay was Secretary of State during Governor Hoyt's administration, he was intrusted with a number of important political missions that yielded large returns.

LOSCH A MAN WHO ALWAYS WON.

In spite of every means employed to rout Losch in his own county, he has never yet been set aside, as the record shows. He was not only elected a delegate to the recent Republican State Convention, over combined attempts to defeat him, but the present Republican Schuylkill ticket was practically named by Losch delegates, and his hand is on top of the fierce campaign now waging to re-elect Judge Gregg over George W. Bradford, a matter which Benjamin Smith as Sheriff.

Jack Whitehouse is a skillful manipulator in the circles of harmony, and made quite a rabid district attorney. When William Phillips is a Losch enemy in the political line and was quite a power, north of the mountain, when in active harness. In company with Colonel Losch they came to the city yesterday, and as they were in the city, they were in the city.

QUAY AND LOSCH'S FRIENDLY MEETING.

It is said that Senator Quay met Losch quite cordially, and the little arrangement of bringing the two together worked very nicely. The meeting continued almost half an hour, and the two were in the city.

Since the disappearance of John C. Delaney, in Oklahoma, where a Government appointment claims his undivided attention, there has been no one to take his place in looking up the coal regions under Republican orders, and the defection this year is quite marked. It is believed that Colonel Losch has been delegated to take up Delaney's position of work, and Whitehouse and Phillips were used to bring him to terms. Quay knows that Losch has exceptional qualifications for such an emergency, and when he left for Pittsburg to-day, he took along full instructions and a special Quay committee to meet the county committee and waste no time in arresting the Republican defection.

It is stated that James W. Wright, the labor leader, who recent report on labor legislation was repudiated by a convention in this city, will meet Losch in Pittsburg next Monday, and they are expected to discuss the Republican State Convention, which the Republicans are expected to win, and the Republican party will probably take the opposite, and hope to get some of the bolters.

LOUISIANA REPUBLICANS' SCHEME.

They Will Take Opposite Action to That of the Democrats on the Lottery.

NEW ORLEANS, Oct. 21.—[Special.]—A conference of the Republican leaders was held here yesterday and to-day to determine upon the course the party will take. The leaders agreed that there would be a split in the Democratic convention, and a bolt from it on the lottery issue, and they thought it would afford the Republicans an opportunity to slip in and possibly secure a victory. The only thing lacking was organization, and a committee of 21 was appointed to travel through the State to organize the party, and a committee of 21 was appointed to travel through the State to organize the party, and a committee of 21 was appointed to travel through the State to organize the party.

General Black at Wellston.

WELLSTON, Oct. 21.—[Special.]—This was the date of the big demonstration for Jackson county, and all Southern Ohio. General John C. Black, ex-Commissioner of Pensions, was the speaker. The weather was fine, but the crowd was a failure. About 200 stragglers came to the city. General Black spoke under a tent to 800 people, his speech being confined principally to an attack on the tariff.

Seal Doesn't Mention Campbell.

WAVELEY, O., Oct. 21.—[Special.]—Pie's prime favorite, Louis T. Neal, addressed the Democrats here at the night house to-night. His speech was devoted exclusively to the tariff question. All other issues were matters of minor importance, he explained. Governor Campbell's name was not mentioned during his remarks, a matter which occasioned no little comment.

Kooser Objects a Second Offer.

SOMERSET, Oct. 21.—[Special.]—To-day Candidate Longnecker submitted another offer of compromise to Kooser in the judicial fight. The latter, however, refused to entertain any idea of compromise or settlement, except that he will not do.

A Prohibition Club at McKeesport.

McKEESPORT, Oct. 21.—[Special.]—The McKeesport Prohibition Club has been organized with a membership of 100. A. K. Williamson, paymaster of the National Tea Works, is president of the club and has located permanent headquarters in the central part of the city.

Joe Cannon Talks Mainly Tariff.

NORWALK, O., Oct. 21.—[Special.]—Hon. Joseph Q. Cannon, ex-member of Congress

from Illinois, arrived in this city this morning from Fremont, where he addressed an immense audience. He was the guest while there of ex-President R. B. Hayes. From here he was taken to Greenview, where this afternoon he addressed an immense audience.

M'KINLEY'S OVATIONS.

THE MAJOR SPEAKING AT SEVERAL TOWNS EACH DAY.

His Voice Showing the Strain He Has Put Upon It—A Pretty Reception at the Home of Private Dalzell—On the Baltimore and Ohio.

CALDWELL, O., Oct. 21.—[Special.]—Major McKinley is still marching on his tour in the northern and southeastern counties. It has been one constant ovation, and regardless of the weather he is greeted day and night by thousands of country folks who come miles through storm and over muddy roads to see and hear the champion of protection and honest money.

Major McKinley and the press representatives arrived here from Marietta at 8 A. M. Major McKinley was greeted at the train by a large crowd. Over 100 small girls, dressed in white, wearing McKinley caps and badges and carrying flags and banners, acted as an escort. The distinguished standard bearer refused to enter the carriage in waiting, preferring to walk with the little girls. He was escorted to the Exchange Hotel, where he held a reception during the morning hours.

At 9 o'clock a creditable parade, participated in by many of the various Republican clubs, took place. The parade was reviewed by Major McKinley from the balcony of the hotel. The crowd was estimated at 5,000, many prominent Democrats and two striking ladies being present. Major McKinley was greeted with a storm of applause. As soon as he began speaking silence reigned. His voice shook the strain to which it has been subjected, but it still sounded strong. He began by a brief reference to State affairs, laying great stress upon the importance of the Republicans carrying the Legislature. He next took up the silver question and explained the various Republican clubs, took place.

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SOLDIERS IN DEMAND.

General Schofield Recommends the Addition of a Few Thousand TO THE REGULAR U. S. ARMY FORCE.

Secretary Rusk Reports His Reorganization Is a Success.

A NAVAL COURT OF INQUIRY ORDERED

WASHINGTON, Oct. 21.—Major General Schofield, commanding the army, has made his annual report on the operations of the army to the Secretary of War. He reviews the Indian disturbance of last winter. He recalls that nearly one-half the infantry and cavalry of the army was concentrated at the scene of disturbance, and then says that this campaign teaches the lesson that the entire military force of the United States would be wholly inadequate to prevent great hostilities against the property of a general Indian outbreak should occur. However, he believes that no considerable number of the Sioux intended hostilities against the United States unless driven to it by hardship.

"There is hence a well-grounded belief that by the constant exercise of discretion in the management of Indians, coupled with justice in all dealings of the Government with them, and the presence of a sufficient military force to overawe the turbulent minority among them, there need be no serious apprehension of any general outbreak of the kind which has been the work of the Indian tribes.

"A FEW THOUSAND SOLDIERS WANTED." "It is also well worthy of the most serious consideration that by the addition of a few thousand men to the enlisted strength of the army, whereby a sufficient force might be maintained in the vicinity of the great reservations, the damage of an uprising and resulting destruction of frontier settlements would be entirely removed, and the great expense of transportation of troops from distant parts of the country entirely avoided."

General Schofield then makes a strong plea for a reorganization of the army. The report notes with satisfaction the adoption by Congress of the policy of improvement of the coast defenses.

Touching the enlistment of Indians in the army, the report says the policy has not yet progressed very far in its execution, but the results have been satisfactory. It should be adhered to. Complimentary reference is made to the highest efficiency of the artillery, infantry and cavalry schools, and of the new system of examination of recruits, and the close observer of the end, undoubtedly serve to improve largely the general state of military education. Reference is made to the number of military posts abandoned during the past year, as serving to mark the advance of civilization and the subjugation of roaming Indians, and liberal allowances are recommended for larger and permanent posts, as being in the interest of true economy. The report suggests the reorganization of the infantry and artillery, and an increase in the pay of non-commissioned officers.

EXCELLENT DISCIPLINE IN THE ARMY. General Schofield indorses General Cook's recommendation regarding the fortification of San Diego, Cal. Touching the discipline of the army the report says: "All the reports mark the general state of discipline in the army is excellent, the one lamentable exception being that of the Fourth Cavalry, at Fort Walla Walla. The measures which have been adopted for the improvement of the condition of the enlisted men and for the exclusion of undesirable characters from enlistment have worked together to elevate the character and increase the contentment of the soldiers, without detriment to the efficiency. The winter campaign against the Sioux developed the most cheerful endurance of the greatest hardships, as well as great gallantry in action, and a close observer of the while in the field in the presence of the enemy."

VICE PRESIDENT MORTON SURE That the Republicans Will Win in All the Northern States.

WASHINGTON, Oct. 21.—[Special.]—Vice President Morton made a sudden descent on the city to-day. It was his first visit for several months. He stopped at his hotel, the Shoreham, and made an inspection of the improvements which were finished a short time ago, and consequent from the falling of five flights of spiral stairs. He was well satisfied with the work. He declared to the DISPATCH correspondent that he is also well satisfied with the outlook for the Republican party in New York, Ohio, Iowa and probably Massachusetts.

A FARMER'S PLATFORM. It Includes a Plank Against Government Liquor License and Revenue Acts.

SPRINGFIELD, ILL., Oct. 21.—At today's session of the State Assembly of the Farmers' Mutual Benefit Association resolutions were adopted in substance as follows: Favoring an equality of assessment of all classes of property, real, personal and corporate; an income tax; an increase of the circulating medium to a point that will admit of the business of the country being done on a cash basis; the free and unlimited coinage of silver; demanding that all stocks and bonds of corporations be issued on such basis that when they call for \$1 they shall pay up in full, legitimate interest, and that all watered stock be retired; opposition to fostering certain industries by Government bonds; in favor of co-operation and the federation of all farmers; an early day for the enactment of laws to prevent the adulteration of food products; opposing the alien ownership of land; favoring a uniform system of textbooks for the public schools furnished by the State.

The resolutions also favor the election of President, Vice President, United States Senators and Postmasters by a direct vote of the people; advocate patronizing manufacturers who use home-grown material in the manufacture of binding twine, rope, bagging, etc.; favor the extension of the free postal delivery system to people outside of the towns, and the election of men of agricultural callings to the Legislature. A resolution against liquor license and revenue laws was carried.

Assistance for Russian Hebrews. BERLIN, Oct. 21.—The conference of the Central Committee, formed for the purpose of rendering assistance to the Russian Hebrews, has been opened. Dr. Meyer was elected President, and Mr. Goldman, of New York, was chosen as one of the Vice Presidents.

German Gifts for the Prince of Wales. LONDON, Oct. 21.—The German Imperial family have ordered some costly presents to be sent to the Prince of Wales on the occasion of his jubilee. Prince Henry will probably bring the gifts to England.

The Royal Duke Not Popular. LONDON, Oct. 21.—The agitation is growing in Bristol in protest against conferring the freedom of the city on the Duke of Edinburgh. The newspapers there and elsewhere are devoting editorial articles on the subject.

Will See How a Free Drama Works. PARIS, Oct. 21.—The committee of the Chamber of Deputies having the matter in charge has agreed to report in favor of supporting the dramatic censorship for three years. This action is in the nature of an experiment.

NEW OFFICERS OF THE K. O. F. E. ENR. Oct. 21.—[Special.]—The Knights and Ladies of Honor, at their biennial meeting to-day, adopted a constitution in accordance with the suggestion of the Supreme Lodge. The following officers were elected and installed: Representative to

EUROPE CANT UNITE.

The Interests of the Powers in China Are Too Antagonistic.

AN OPINION BY ONE WHO KNOWS.

Anti-Foreign Riots Censured by Literati and Secret Societies.

RUMORS OF A TRAFFIC IN CHILDREN

(BY CABLE TO THE DISPATCH.) LONDON, Oct. 21.—Lord Comenara writes to the Standard his impressions received during his travels in the disturbed districts of China. He believes that the riots against the foreigners and missionaries are due to the teachings of the literati and to the influence of the secret societies. The popular charges against the nuns, he says, of buying children are of course foolish, although, at the same time, Chinese women often offer to sell their children, knowing that they will be well cared for. The situation is extremely difficult and complicated. Russia and France are bent on persistent territorial aggression. Germany is moving heaven and earth to supplant England in the Chinese markets. Therefore, nothing is to be hoped for any concerted action by these Powers, and he hopes that such action will never be attempted, as it is doomed to failure and would do more harm than good.

Baron Comenara is the Robert Bourke of the Foreign Office under Lord Beaconsfield and Lord Salisbury, and as Commissioner to Turkey, Governor of Madras, indefatigable traveler and magazine writer, etc., he is a recognized authority on facts and their true interpretation in the far East.

MORE GRAIN EXPORTS PROHIBITED.

Ignorant Russians Blame the Hebrews for Causing the Scarcity of Cereals. ST. PETERSBURG, Oct. 21.—The Bourne Gazette, referring to the prohibition of the export of cereals, says: "Although the export of wheat is unfounded, the prohibition of the export of oats and potatoes may be decreed, but not immediately. The Government is reluctant to prohibit the export of grain."

The Moscow Gazette publishes a report that the Government of Russia is about to stop the export of buckwheat and millet. The czar has given 3,000,000 roubles from his own private purse to the famine fund, and has issued an appeal to the members of the nobility and the landed gentry to form another fund for the relief of the famishing people. It is reported that Hebrews baiting and anti-Hebrew riots have occurred at Tchernigoff, and that matters grew so bad at that place that the troops had to interfere to protect the Jews from the violence of their persecutors. The book, in which he is hatred toward these people, were animated by the belief that the Hebrews had caused the scarcity of grain which has created so much distress in this country.

HARD POUNDING FOR A STEAMSHIP.

The City of Paris Had a Very Rough Passage Across the Atlantic. QUEENSTOWN, Oct. 21.—The passengers of the Inman Line steamship City of Paris, which arrived here to-day from New York, tell of fearful weather experienced by that vessel during the last three days of her passage across the Atlantic. Heavy seas swept the steamship's decks on Sunday. Four ladies in the main saloon were knocked down by a sudden lurch of the vessel and sustained bruises and other injuries.

When the City of Paris reached here she showed ample evidence of the pounding she had received. Ten feet of her port rail was carried away and she was damaged about her stern.

THIRTY HEBREWS MURDERED.

Five Hundred Others Suffer Either in Person or in Property. ST. PETERSBURG, Oct. 21.—Serious anti-Semitic riots are reported at Tchernigoff, in which 30 Hebrews were killed, while 500 suffered either in person or in property.

The popular belief is that the Hebrews are responsible for the prevalence of the famine. The Hebrews are usually large buyers of grain, but this year they refrained, owing to the persecution of which they have been the victims.

Ruskin's Youthful Poems Published. LONDON, Oct. 21.—Two handsome volumes of poems written by John Ruskin at various times when he was between the ages of 7 and 25 years have just been published here. They are interesting mainly as furnishing evidence of the precocious genius of the author. The youthful sketches which accompany the poems are said to form a better class of work than the poems themselves.

English Methodists Pleaded. LONDON, Oct. 21.—Rev. Hugh Price Hughes has written a second letter concerning the Methodist Ecclesiastical Council at Washington, in which he says: "Nothing impressed me more than the perfect familiarity of the American ministers with our Conference debates." He also refers to the amazing success of Methodism in the Dominion of Canada since the agitation began.

More Franco-Russia Amenities. PARIS, Oct. 21.—The Emperor of Russia has conferred upon M. Barbey, the French Minister of Marine, the order of the White Eagle as a souvenir of the recent visit of the French fleet to Cronstadt. M. de Giers, the Russian Minister of Foreign Affairs, conferred an early day of leave, ostensibly to see his son, who is Secretary of the Russian Legation.

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German Gifts for the Prince of Wales. LONDON, Oct. 21.—The German Imperial family have ordered some costly presents to be sent to the Prince of Wales on the occasion of his jubilee. Prince Henry will probably bring the gifts to England.

The Royal Duke Not Popular. LONDON, Oct. 21.—The agitation is growing in Bristol in protest against conferring the freedom of the city on the Duke of Edinburgh. The newspapers there and elsewhere are devoting editorial articles on the subject.

Will See How a Free Drama Works. PARIS, Oct. 21.—The committee of the Chamber of Deputies having the matter in charge has agreed to report in favor of supporting the dramatic censorship for three years. This action is in the nature of an experiment.

NEW OFFICERS OF THE K. O. F. E. ENR. Oct. 21.—[Special.]—The Knights and Ladies of Honor, at their biennial meeting to-day, adopted a constitution in accordance with the suggestion of the Supreme Lodge. The following officers were elected and installed: Representative to

Supreme Lodge, J. P. Meehan, March Chuk; alternate, George Englekirch; Franklin; Grand Past Protector, E. W. Dowd, Erie; Grand Protector, G. W. Miller; Allegheny; Vice Protector, W. H. Bradford; Secretary, R. Goodman, Pittsburg; Treasurer, L. Marks, Franklin; Guide, W. J. Stearning, Pittsburg; Chaplin, Rose Wilson; Erie; Guardian, Ada Mann, Lincolnville; Sentinel, G. A. Erskine, etc.

SEARCH FOR A BORGIA.

New York's Police Force Hunting For Fair-Haired Lily O'Keefe.

THE POISONER OF THREE WOMEN.

She Fell Out With One of Them on Religious Matters, and Then

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