

CLEVELAND TO WIN

Will Be the Battle Cry of the Massachusetts Reform Club, Friday.

HONEST MONEY DEMANDED

Warning to Democrats That Independents May Vote Against 'Em.

TAMMANY TO SUPPORT CLEVELAND

If He Succeeds in Getting a Nomination Where It Will Take

A HARD TUGGLE TO DOWN SPOILSMEN

Special Telegram to the Dispatch.

Boston, Feb. 15.—The notices of the monthly dinner of the Massachusetts Reform Club, which the members will receive immediately, will state that at the meeting at Young's, on Friday evening of this week, the subject for discussion will be "A national conference of independent voters at New York to promote tariff reform, honest money, and civil service reform." Resolutions will be offered in support of the position of the Massachusetts members of Congress in opposing free silver coinage, and it is presumed that warm words will be spoken for George Fred Williams, in recognition of the gallant fight which he is making against the Bland bill.

But the main object of the meeting will be to have some effect upon national politics. It is admitted that there is just now a development of Hillism which is not encouraging, and it is desired to circumvent it in time, before it becomes stronger.

Intense Feeling Under the Surface.

One of the best informed men in independent circles says that the feeling under the surface is becoming intense in view of the occurrence at Washington, that Hill were to get the nomination the entire body of independent voters would leave the Democrats and vote the Republican ticket, or organize a protest and vote as a third party with the independent vote against anything, but of merely protesting against the methods which have ruined the cause of the reform of the tariff for this year.

It is told of two straight Democrats in Boston, that within a few days they declared that if Cleveland were not nominated they would surely vote for Harrison. The independent to whom they said this replied that that was farther than he had decided to go, but that he would vote for Cleveland if he were not nominated some explanation would be given, and the real reason would be that Hill opposed him, and so it was not thought best to take him. They would not take any other candidate than Cleveland under any circumstances.

Fans of the Independents.

At the meeting of the Reform Club, Friday evening, the plan is to learn the opinions of the members and see what needs to be done in the present crisis. Repeated conferences of independent voters have been held during the past few weeks, and the plan is to have the reformers of the city, and after much animated discussion was voted down.

In the Ninth ward of this city there is also a big row over the selection of delegates to the district convention to name delegates to the State Convention. Contesting Hill and Cleveland delegates have been elected. At the second district convention, held at Rosedale this afternoon, John T. Cummings, of this city; Eugene F. Patton, of Northborough, and Mrs. Ellen Rock Lock, were chosen delegates to the State Convention. They favor Hill.

LITTLE LEFT FOR GROVER.

The Hill Men Claim to Have 130 Delegates Out of 133 Selected.

ALBANY, N. Y., Feb. 15.—Of the 384 delegates to be selected to attend the Democratic State Convention 275 delegates are outside of New York and Kings counties.

Attention will be given, also, it is expected, to the question, for it is quite possible that the Democratic party will weigh itself down with silver and Hillism that it will enter the campaign foredoomed to defeat. To the members of the Massachusetts Reform Club nothing seemed easier than for the Democrats to win the coming election by putting tariff reform to the front, keeping silver in the rear, and making Cleveland the candidate. They will do what they can to save these conditions from those who have nearly wrecked them at Washington. So the meeting of the club, Friday evening, promises to be one of the most interesting which has been seen for a long time.

TAMMANY AND CLEVELAND.

The Tiger Will Support the Ex-President Heartily If He's Nominated.

WASHINGTON, D. C., Feb. 15.—[Special.]—Some of the Tammany Congressmen who were summoned to New York to attend a conference there Saturday night with Senator Hill, have returned, and additional particulars of the conference are beginning to leak out. Mr. Croker notified the Senator that Tammany would not go to Chicago claiming that Cleveland could not carry New York. While it would seem that the Hillites would not abate Cleveland, if asked, it would frankly admit that if Cleveland is the candidate, Tammany will support him as enthusiastically as it would any other candidate. The Kings county people talked in very much the same fashion. Senator Hill was very much upset by the result of the conference, and instead of coming to Washington to resume his sadly neglected Senatorial duties, he returned to Albany.

THE FACT THAT Hill is sending out 100,000 copies of his Elmsira speech has here gone to confirm the opinion of Senator Gorman that Hill intends to vote for free coinage. It will be remembered that the speech was very satisfactory to such silver advocates as Senators Stewart and Tamm, but did not suit New York, and in a few weeks after Hill made another speech at Albany, in which he changed his views on the silver question. The Elmsira speech is being distributed in the South and West, and a goodly number of copies are sent into Missouri.

FIXING THINGS AT UNIONTOWN.

Ernest Acheson for Congress, Ried and Von Bonhorst for Delegates.

UNIONTOWN, PA., Feb. 15.—[Special.]—It was announced here to-day that Colonel J. M. Ried will make an effort to be one of the two delegates from the Twenty-fourth Congressional district to the National Convention.

A BOLT FROM HILLISM.

The Senator Getting Many of the Delegates, but Not the Good Will.

MIDDLETOWN, N. Y., Feb. 15.—[Special.]—The Orange County Second Assembly District Democratic Convention for the election of delegates to the State Convention at Albany was held this afternoon. There

A NEW MONTE CARLO.

The Louisiana Lottery Catches Diaz With a Golden Hook.

IT WILL LOCATE IN MEXICO

And Will Use Old Fort Chapultepec for a Gambling Hall.

BAITS ARRANGED TO CATCH EVERYBODY

SPECIAL TELEGRAM TO THE DISPATCH. NEW ORLEANS, Feb. 15.—At last the true secret of the withdrawal of the Louisiana State Lottery from the fierce political struggle which has been raging for many months is out. Half a dozen friends of John A. Morris, the principal owner and director of the company, have been and are being carefully guarded. Although he has not yet made an announcement, a stockholder of the company has said that the Louisiana State Lottery will be removed to Mexico in 1893. President Diaz has already expressed himself as favorable to the proposition, provided the lottery will make as favorable a proposition to the Mexican Government as was made to the State of Louisiana.

While the directors of the company have not as yet held any meeting to consider the propositions made by different cities in other countries, it is understood that Mr. Morris favors the city of Mexico, and that practically settles the entire matter. The fact that John A. Morris had entered into a tacit understanding with the Mexican Government undoubtedly influenced the withdrawal of the lottery from Louisiana. He would have stood by the offer if the red-hot political contest had not been precipitated.

DEMOCRACY'S DAY IN NEBRASKA.

Their First Governor Helps to Conquer Himself on His Big Victory.

LINCOLN, Neb., Feb. 15.—This was distinctly Democracy's day. It was the first time in the history of Nebraska Statehood that the Bourbon hosts of the State could assemble under the shadow of the Capitol's dome and cheer lustily for a Democratic Governor. Governor Boyd addressed the throng briefly.

The Governor, in the course of his speech, said he believed the incidents attendant upon the controversy following his election and the final result, will have a salutary effect upon the Democratic party, and that its effect will be beneficial to Democrats. As to the efforts of himself and those the most nearly concerned in resisting the efforts of their opponents to commit a great wrong, he will be proud to stand by a determination to abide absolutely by the law; to act conservatively in all measures taken, with a view of upholding the honor and credit of the party and the fair fame of the State. It was a grand triumph, and the money will be carried from patrons by the express companies and to the winners of prizes by the express companies, if necessary.

EVERYTHING ISN'T HILL'S.

All Cleveland Men Selected as Delegates from Seneca.

KINGSTON, N. Y., Feb. 15.—Both the Hill and Cleveland factions are having lively times throughout Ulster county. On Saturday night one of the most animated meetings held for some time took place at Saengerites. Fully 150 were present, and the followers of both Hill and Cleveland were out in full force. Louis Kleber, John Tracy and Louis Decker, all Cleveland men, were elected delegates. A resolution endorsing the Democratic party, and after much animated discussion was voted down.

THE STRAW THAT BROKE HIS BACK.

The Republicans professed to have strong hopes of carrying the State, but a few days ago the lottery people announced that by reason of a decision of the Supreme Court of the United States, the rights of the Federal Government to exclude from the mails lottery circulars and newspapers publishing them, no new charter would be sought, and it was hoped that this news would bring together the warring factions of the Democracy. But the professions of the company were not trusted, and this, together with the bitter born of the long struggle, has thus far kept the factions apart.

More lottery arrests were made to-day by directors of the Louisiana State Lottery Company for violation of the anti-lottery postal law, this time under indictments by the grand jury of Boston. It was understood that the warrants were to be served by a deputy marshal from Boston, but this was not done, and the lottery men were served by the United States Marshal for this district.

SHOTS EXCHANGED DAILY

Between the Troops and Miners at the Coal Creek Scene of Action.

COAL CREEK, TENN., Feb. 15.—[Special.]—Company G, of the Second Regiment, Tennessee Guards, consisting of eighty men, armed with a Gatling gun and a six-pound Howitzer, and commanded by Captain Killen Anderson, is in a strong position, commanding the town and railway approaches. Shots are exchanged almost every evening between the miners and troops. Several miners are reported wounded, and serious trouble is expected to occur at any moment. Both sides are confident of victory.

BIG SENSATION AFLOAT.

San Antonio People Think Garza Should Long Ago Have Been Caught.

PANAMA, TEX., Feb. 15.—[Special.]—There is evidently a big sensation afloat in the military and judicial departments of this Government that looks to international matters. Some time ago the San Antonio Democrat published a six-column article in which there was an interview with Paul Fryoke, United States Marshal for the Western District of Texas, in which he stated that the United States soldiers had demonstrated their inability to capture Garza, intimating that they were too slow and otherwise inefficient. In the same issue United States Attorney Evans gave color to the idea that Marshall Fryoke was responsible for the failure to capture the noted revolutionist.

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The minority next set up the claim that the effect of the bill clearly must be this: That the mints of this country shall receive all the silver which may be sent from any quarter for coinage into dollars, 35 of which shall be convertible into gold. The Treasury of the United States shall refuse to pay gold coin upon the presentation of a note for 35 silver dollars in lieu of one gold dollar, because the single contract of the world is now made with the silver coin, and the United States Government stands alone as a buyer of silver at a time when the quantity at the price fixed by this law is sold.

SIR EDWIN OUR CHAMPION.

The Post Lord in His Fraines of America—The Amity Between the British Empire and the Republic Both Necessary and Natural.

NEW YORK, Feb. 15.—[Special.]—Sir Edwin Arnold spoke his farewell piece to the American public at Daly's Theater to-day. Before concluding his reading he made this little speech:

I ask your permission before I conclude this last of my readings with some verses from the Parson of Padis, which explains and justifies my choice to offer first to you and next through you, to the 65 audiences which I have had the honor to address in England and America. I do not presume to praise what is far above my praise, the glad-minded enlightenment, the glad intelligence which I have found in every where existing and active in this country, evidenced to me in many clear and plain instances. I have found here, as here, if anywhere in the world, the poet whose credentials are honest, good will, and kind, and do not think that his glorious destiny, may fearlessly speak what is in his heart and brain and be sure of an audience as genuine and generous as is cultivated.

CANADIAN COAL COSTLY.

The British War Ships Will Continue to Burn Welsh Anthracite.

OTTAWA, Feb. 15.—[Special.]—Some time ago it was announced that in view of the superior quality of the anthracite coal deposits in the Canadian Northwest it would in future be used for the burning of the British fleet on the Pacific coast.

A letter received here to-day from Admiral Hotham, in command of the Pacific fleet, says that it is not likely that Canadian anthracite will be used by the British warships, as the distance the coal has to be transported to the Pacific coast brings the cost up to the price of Welsh coal brought about the cape from Cardiff. The Admiral states that a valuable coal for the fleet could be obtained at the wharf on the naval dock yard at Esquimaux, B. C.

PRESIDENT DWIGHT'S SON

Winner of the Literary Medal at Yale for the Present Year.

NEW HAVEN, CONN., Feb. 15.—[Special.]—The announcement was made at Yale to-day that the literary medal had been won by Winthrop Edwards Dwight, '93, son of President Dwight. The medal is a gold valued at \$25, and is offered yearly by the Yale Literary Magazine to the member of the department who shall write the best essay.

AN EXEMPLARY BANK TELLER.

He Has Not a Bad Habit and Is Strictly Honest, but \$194,000 Is Gone.

NEW ORLEANS, Feb. 15.—The case of the United States versus Eugene Garcia, paying teller of the Louisiana National Bank, came up to-day in the United States Circuit Court, Judge E. C. Billings, presiding. Garcia is charged with the embezzlement of \$194,000 of the funds of the bank. There is much sympathy for Garcia, who alleges the shortage occurred through mistakes.

ON A RUNAWAY STEAMBOAT.

The Watchman and the Cook Succeeded in Ending Safely a Perilous Ride.

CINCINNATI, O., Feb. 15.—About midnight last night the night watchman and the cook on the steamer Levi Workman, had a wild ride alone on that vessel for several miles down the Ohio river. The steamer was moored at Petersburg, Ky., about 20 miles below this city, and her floating observatory boat from its moorings and sent it floating at will down the Ohio with only two men on board. Luckily the fires were banked.

A RIVER STEAMER GOES UNDER.

MEMPHIS, TENN., Feb. 15.—The steamer Memphis, running between this city and Arkansas river ports, sank late last night at a point five miles above Helena, Ark., on the Mississippi river. No lives were lost. She was loaded with cotton, principally for Memphis parties, and together with the cargo was valued at \$15,000.

AN ALLIANCE COMPANY EMBARRASSED.

JACKSON, MISS., Feb. 15.—The Alliance manufacturing property, located at Canton, Miss., embracing valuable buildings and grounds, is in debt, and the management has levied an assessment of 20 per cent on the stock. If this assessment is not paid in 30 days the property will be sold.

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Does not follow that the price of silver fixed by the rate in this bill can be maintained even if our Government is willing to receive the payment in silver coin and to pay its debts in silver coin. The exchange value of silver would depend not on the amount of the supply of the Government to keep up the exchange, but upon its ability to do so, and the judgment as to that ability is based not alone in the Department of the Treasury, but in the markets of the world.

DANGEROUS FEATURE OF THE ISSUE.

Every speculation upon the ultimate failure of our Treasury to maintain a policy might well suffice to drive gold to a premium, precipitate a scramble for the gold in the Treasury and suspend gold payments by the Government regardless of the will of the Secretary of the Treasury.

A FREE INDIAN FIGHT.

Two White Men Boldly Done Up by Twice as Many Redskins.

GRAND MARAIS, MINN., Feb. 15.—Word has just arrived by an explorer from North Lake, the present terminus of the Port Arthur, Duluth and Western railway, that a bloody row occurred there one week ago between two white men and four Indians, and, as a result, one of the men is now at the point of death and three with broken heads. The Indians and white men had been drinking bad whisky, and at midnight the whole settlement was awake by the unearthly conflict.

PORTUGAL TOO POOR TO ESTABLISH.

LISBON, Feb. 15.—In consequence of the financial crisis, Portugal will not take part in the World's Fair. The Chamber of Deputies has adopted the principle of the retrenching bill.

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