

REED GIVES SOUND ADVICE

He Observes That Great Victories Bring Great Responsibilities.

BANQUET SPEECH AT BOSTON

Mighty Victory Was Won Not By Organization But by Principles--Wisdom, Moderation and Good Sense Must Prevail That Success May Follow.

By the United Press.

Boston, Nov. 22.—Distinguished speakers, 3,000 guests and unlimited enthusiasm over the recent Republican victory made the eighth annual dinner of the Home Market Club in Mechanic's building this evening a grand success.

When President Root rapped for order he was greeted by nearly 5,000 people. After a brief reference to the recent victory as establishing the principles of the club, he introduced Governor Greenhalge to welcome the guests.

The next speaker was Senator Hoar, who was greeted with three cheers and frequently applauded. His speech was entirely devoted to a recital of the victory attained by the Republican party in the recent elections.

Senator Hoar was followed by ex-Speaker Reed, who was greeted with enthusiastic cheering, the audience giving three cheers and then rising, shouting and waving handkerchiefs. Mr. Reed said:

I do not desire to waste your time in exultation, though I recognize the scriptural truth that rejoicing with those who do rejoice. Nevertheless we have got something else to do besides rejoice. Victories bring responsibilities, and our responsibilities are so great that it probably means responsibilities for many years.

We have had a mighty victory, the greatest in the history of our country. It was won, not by our organization, but by our principles. But great as our victory is, there is a greater which we must win. By our wisdom, moderation and good sense we must go forward.

There are compensations, however. We shall have two years to look over the situation, so as to do the best we can when our time has fully come. Six years we have done all that lay in our power. The bad work cannot go on, even if the good work cannot commence. We have removed one uncertainty, that of the future, the uncertainty of possible change, but the uncertainty of the present still remains.

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FITZSIMMONS FREE.

Coroner's Jury Exonerates Him from Blame for Rordan's Death.

TRIED TO BURN THE BABY.

In a Fit of Hysteria Arising from Anger Annie Quinn Raises a Lively Row in Mrs. Pearson's Kitchen.

By the United Press.

Hilverson, N. J., Nov. 22.—Annie Quinn, a servant girl, attempted to cremate the 2-year-old baby of Edward Pearson, a butcher, today. The girl, who is only 15 years old, but large for her age, has been in Pearson's service about two months.

Mrs. Pearson was in the kitchen assisting the girl in the preparation of dinner. She left the girl busy about her duties and passed into the store. Scarcely had she turned her back when she was startled by the screams of the order of her two children. She hurried back and the sight that met her gaze appalled her. Annie, the girl, held the 2-year-old baby over the stove, from which she had removed all the lids and in which a furious fire was burning.

The little one was already writhing under the fierce heat, and as the shrieking mother sprang toward her she turned like a demon and screamed: "Get out; you must die, too!"

Mrs. Pearson bravely attacked the girl, who, dropping the little one on the floor, she turned and fought like a tigress. Mrs. Pearson was no match for her and the girl thrust her from the room and locked the door.

Mrs. Pearson's frenzied cries for help brought Frank Dean. He burst through the kitchen door and was just in time to divert the attention of the girl, who had seized the baby again. Though a strong, young fellow, he was no match for the girl in her frenzied condition, and he summoned assistance. She was overpowered by three men, and Dr. Marcy administered opiates which quieted her.

Dr. Marcy said that the girl's condition was due to hysteria arising from angry grief for her mother, who lives in East Riverton had called at the house during the morning and collected the wages due her daughter. Annie flew into a violent rage when she learned this, and for the balance of the morning was like one in a trance.

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THE PITZEL CASE MYSTERY

New Developments Are Puzzling the Detectives Daily.

LAWYER HOWE SECURES BAIL

Another Mysterious Individual Appears with a Letter Directing That the Best Counsel Be Engaged for Holmes. The Prisoner Loses His Nerve.

By the United Press.

Philadelphia, Nov. 22.—J. D. Howe, attorney at St. Louis, Mo., who is suspected of being an accessory in the Pitzel insurance conspiracy case and who is under indictment for the crime, arrived here this morning from Washington. He went to the capital to enlist the services of Senator Cockerell, of Missouri, in his behalf, but the senator told him he had no acquaintances in this city who he could ask to go Howe's bail.

On his arrival here Howe was met by a number of reporters to whom he made a statement of his connection with the case. His statement was a general one and he claims that he was only connected with the case as an attorney and that he knew nothing further about it than what Mrs. Pitzel and Holmes told him when they secured him to collect the claim against the insurance company. After making the statement, Howe and his lawyer partner, McDonald, went to the office of Superintendent of Police Linden and the former was introduced to Captain Linden and formally surrendered himself into custody. Judge Brey fixed Howe's bail at \$2,500.

Through the aid of his friend, McDonald, Howe succeeded in getting bail this afternoon. William McConigal, a saloonkeeper, an old friend of McDonald's became Howe's surety.

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CHINA POWERLESS AT SEA

Great Battleship Chen Yuen Is Destroyed by a Torpedo.

SUICIDE OF COMMODORE LIN

Anticipating Official Condemnation He Ends His Own Life—The Ship Is Accidentally Damaged by One of the Chinese Torpedoes and Beached.

By the United Press.

Washington, Nov. 22.—The navy department today received a cablegram from an officer of the American fleet in China, detailing for the purpose of giving confidential information of important events in the Eastern war, stating that the Chen Yuen, the great Chinese battleship in leaving Wel-Hai-Wai harbor on Nov. 15 was accidentally damaged by a torpedo and was afterwards beached. There being no docking facilities, she is therefore now useless.

Commodore Lin, who was in command of the vessel, anticipated official condemnation by committing suicide.

Wel-Hai-Wai harbor is directly across the bay of Korea from Tallen Wan, distant 150 miles, and it is significant that the Japanese admiral, Ito, telegraphed to his government under date of the 18th from Tallen Wan stating that the principal Chinese fleet with four gunboats was lying inside the harbor at Wel-Hai-Wai and that, although for two days the Japanese fleet had made every effort to induce the Chinese vessels to come out, their attempts had proved fruitless. The admiral appears then to have returned to Tallen Wan, probably on the 18th, leaving a portion of his fleet watching for the appearance of Chinese vessels outside of Wel-Hai-Wai.

Fell Into Her Own Trap. The Chen Yuen possibly came out to attack the Japanese fleet when she touched upon one of the submarines which the Chinese themselves had placed in the channel of the harbor, as a means of defense.

With the loss of the Chen Yuen, her greatest battleship, China has become practically powerless on the sea. This splendid vessel was very much like the Maine of the United States navy. Her length was 288 feet, beam 59 feet, and draught 29 feet. She had a belt of 14-inch composite armor, her turrets being 12 inches thick. She was armed with four 12-inch Krupp guns, two of fifteen centimeter caliber, four of one-ton, eight machine guns, two light rapid fire rifles and was provided with two torpedo launching tubes. She was finished at a cost of about \$3,000,000 in 1882. Her speed was fourteen and one-half knots and her bunkers held 1,900 tons of coal.

PLAYING HIDE AND SEEK. Posses of Fifteen Officers Are Balancing Around the Cook Gang. By the United Press.

Muskogee, La., Nov. 22.—A courier who arrived in Muskogee at 1 o'clock this afternoon reports that three of the bandits, French, Cherokee Bill, and Lucky are in the bottoms, five miles north of here. A posse of 15 men left for the bandits' quarters at once. As the officers have been severely criticised by the citizens, it is believed that they will make a genuine effort to capture the bandits.

BUSINESS ENTERPRISE. Hastling Undertakers Stop Each Other in a Fight Over a Corpse. By the United Press.

Ottawa, Kan., Nov. 22.—Last night Charles Lathrop and his brother, Hamilton, attempted to force an entrance into the residence of William Sherman. The latter shot and instantly killed Charles, and seriously wounded his brother, Hamilton.

CONSPIRATORS GUILTY. Seven Miners Charged with Burning Paine Mines Tipped Are Convicted. By the United Press.

Ridgway, Pa., Nov. 22.—The seven miners charged with conspiracy to burn, and with burning the Paine mine last June during the strike, were found guilty by the jury this morning. Ed Fox and Leo Wurm pleaded guilty to the charge of placing explosives under a building, which was all that was charged them.

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SON'S TERRIBLE DISCOVERY

Finds That His Mother's Remains Had Been Dissected and Cremated.

SERVED THE ENDS OF SCIENCE

D. D. Davies Places His Mother in the Almshouse During Temporary Absence. On Returning Finds Her Dead Body Was Sent to a Medical College.

By the United Press.

Philadelphia, Nov. 22.—D. D. Davies, of Bloomsburg, Columbia county, has been to this city upon a fruitless search after the remains of his mother. Davies' father died in 1876, and from that time until about ten months ago the son cared for his mother, even when she became so helpless that he had to dress her in the morning and undress her at night. Davies' business called him away from home, and his mother being unable to prepare a meal for herself, the son took her to the almshouse of Luzerne county. He also asserts that he made diligent efforts and was unable to employ any one to care for the aged woman.

According to Davies' story he left word with the superintendent of the almshouse to notify him at Bloomsburg in case his mother died. Then the agent went on his tour, going to Rochester and Buffalo, N. Y., and as far west as Amherst, Ohio, leaving word at the various postoffices to forward his mail. Returning to the Luzerne county almshouse last Saturday he found that his mother had died on September 15 and that her body had been turned over to the Anatomical board in Philadelphia.

Search for the Body. Then Davies came post haste to this city in search for the body. He ascertained that it had been duly received, a record being kept of it, and he was informed that if it was possible to collect the parts it would be returned to him again and if he was able he would be expected to reimburse the anatomical board for its outlay. An attempt to collect the parts, however, disclosed that they had all been cremated.

Davies threatens to prosecute the authorities of Luzerne county for turning the body over to the anatomical board without notice to him of his mother's death.

It is claimed that notice was sent as Davies directed, but he failed to receive it on account of his absence from his usual place of residence. The law which was enacted to prevent the desecration of graves by supplying medical colleges with bodies of paupers provides that the officers of almshouses shall turn over all unclaimed bodies to the anatomical board, and the officers claim that their act was in compliance with this statute.

THE KNIGHTS OF LABOR. Resolutions Adopted at the Sessions in New Orleans Yesterday. By the United Press.

New Orleans, Nov. 22.—The Knights of Labor met at 9 o'clock this morning. A resolution that each local assembly shall make a maximum scale of wages above the regular scale adopted by the National Trades assembly was adopted. Another resolution was adopted by which all grievances and complaints must come up in the local courts of the assemblies within sixty days.

Recommendations from the general master's annual address advocating that the legislature should enact laws providing for the creation of state labor bureaus in each of the states was adopted.

A proposition was submitted that all tradesmen shall affiliate with organizations of their own trades. It was adopted.

Another resolution was adopted that in all labor parades no flags shall be carried except the national colors.

The general masters' recommendation in his annual address that a plank be inserted in the preamble against gambling of farm products in any way or options, was adopted.

CABLE CULLINGS. The Italian parliament has been convoked for Dec. 3.

Several more shocks of earthquake were felt at Reggio di Calabria, Italy.

Two steamers, carrying 14,000 bales of American cotton, the first of the season, entered the Manchester Ship canal en route for Manchester.

Cork and Dublin merchants will protest vigorously against the Cunard company's plan to drop Queenstown as a stopping place, in order to hasten the mails.

WEATHER REPORT. Fair, followed by increasing cloudiness; slightly warmer; south winds.



Ups and Downs of Alley Journalism.

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