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EMPIRE STATE'S MUDDLE

The Politicians Are All at Sea with Reference to It.

THE SUNDAY LAW IN POLITICS

Careful Observers Are Unable to Form Any Intelligent Estimate of the Probable Result of Next Month's Elections--What Some Fear.

New York, Oct. 11.--After a careful study of the political situation in this city and in the state, William E. Curtis writes to the Chicago Record that there has seldom been a political mix-up so bewildering, and with so many candidates to be elected, not for offices of importance, the municipal reform movement that was so successfully begun in New York city last fall may or may not be paralyzed by the result and the effect upon the presidential election next year cannot be overestimated. It is a campaign of issues and a struggle between factions and not a contest for the control of their respective organizations.

Nobody is making speeches upon the stump. There have been few meetings held here, but the discussion is carried on wherever people gather, in the Sunday school room, and the saloon, in the Christian Endeavor convention, and at the meetings of the Liquor Sellers' association. Both of the big political parties appear to be shattered into a bewildering number of factions representing the point of view from which the members of each regard the questions involved, and the personal ambition of leaders who are working not for success at the polls at the approaching election, but for the control of the party machinery next year, inspires their adherents with unusual zeal.

Roosevelt Gets the Credit. Theodore Roosevelt forced the issue by closing the drinking places in New York city on the Sabbath, and Warner Miller, in the recent convention, without warning or consultation, proposed a plank in the platform pledging a Republican party to maintain it by enforcing the Sunday law. Several years ago Mr. Miller made a campaign upon this issue as a candidate for governor and, in addition to an overwhelming majority, won, after a practical experiment by the reform police board, he demands that the people of the state shall declare their sentiments on this subject--yes or no.

The introduction of this issue has galvanized Tammany hall into something like its old activity, although that famous organization had been in a comatose state since its crushing defeat in November, 1894. It was always the stronghold of the saloons until the political assessments it levied became so onerous that the liquor sellers joined with the reformers at the last election and assisted in its overthrow. But now they complain that the losses they suffer by the enforcement of the Sunday law are more than they can bear, and the sums they were compelled to pay into the Tammany treasury, and by electing a reform mayor they have jumped from the frying pan into the fire. And, in addition to this, they accuse Mayor Strong of having violated the pledges by which they claimed he secured their support. They insist that in his public speeches and private conferences he promised that he would construe the Sunday law liberally, and not allow Dr. Parkhurst and other persons to influence his administrative policy in this respect.

How About Parkhurst? But even Dr. Parkhurst seems to think that the law has been enforced a little too strictly and that the continuance of good government has been imperiled by alienating honest taxpayers. At least, in a speech at Brooklyn the other evening, he said that all great reforms must be gradual in order to succeed--that the sudden and arbitrary application of high principles often caused a reaction and a relapse that might be fatal. Everybody supposed that he was alluding to the unexpected manner in which Mr. Roosevelt and his associates on the police commission have slammed and locked the back doors of the Sunday bar-rooms. On the other hand I hear that the Catholic bishops are preparing to take an active part in the canvass, and intend to use their influence in sustaining Mr. Miller's resolution and Mr. Roosevelt's methods, and, as everybody knows, they will furnish a powerful agency. There is no doubt that the excise plank that Mr. Miller forced upon the Republican convention has disturbed the Republican leaders more than anything that could possibly have happened, for they fear it will not only revive and restore Tammany hall, but will lose them the control of the legislature and so bring down the Democratic party as to make New York an uncertain state at the next presidential election. The state senators to be elected next fall will serve for three years, and if the Democrats secure a majority in the upper house they certainly will control legislation until the end of the century.

There has been a fusion of the factions of all parties opposed to Tammany hall upon the city tickets, and the candidates have been selected by distribution to the satisfaction of the leaders, but the politicians who are standing outside predict that their former followers will not so easily be satisfied and that men do not count this year.

However, the dust has not settled sufficiently to allow the formation of an intelligent opinion upon that subject. We have nothing but the newspaper and the professional politician's guess upon it yet, and in New York, as elsewhere, both are often mistaken in measuring public sentiment.

TEMPERANCE WORKERS.

The Woman's Christian Union in Session at Harrisburg.

Harrisburg, Pa., Oct. 11.--The state convention of the Women's Christian Temperance Union began its session in the Market Square Presbyterian church this morning. About 200 delegates are present from all parts of the state. Mrs. Anna M. Hammer, of Philadelphia, the president, is in the chair. Miss Frances Willard and others prominent in the work will arrive late today. Governor Hastings will deliver an address of welcome this evening. The convention will be in session until next Tuesday. This morning routine reports were presented and they were all encouraging. It is the twenty-first anniversary of the organization.

PASCOE WILL ACT.

Has a Resolution Ready Demanding Recognition of the Cubans. Jacksonville, Fla., Oct. 11.--United States Senator Pascoe has written to a friend here that he will present in congress at the first opportunity a resolution recognizing the belligerency of the Cubans. "I am," he added, "entirely in sympathy with our Cuban neighbors, and will make use of every proper effort that I can as a senator to assist them in their struggle for independence and in the establishment of a republican form of government."

REVENUES NOT ENOUGH.

The Deficit in the Treasury Keeps on Growing Larger.

Washington, Oct. 11.--The first third of October shows receipts of only \$9,157,688.84, against \$9,506,694.18 for the same period in July, and \$9,976,894.81 for the same period in August. The expenditures for October to date aggregate \$16,574,000. For the same time in July they were \$21,250,000, and for the same time in August \$15,286,700. The deficit for October is now \$7,416,311.16. For the first ten days of July the deficit was \$11,743,305.82; for August at the same time, \$5,309,805.19, and for September, \$47,286.29. As the July deficit was \$9,210,195.34 and the August deficit \$3,693,193.30, the deficit for October should be about \$6,000,000. This will be twice as large as treasury officials estimated it would be at the beginning of this month.

INDICATIONS NOT FAVORABLE.

The Anxiety of Buyers to Accumulate Large Stocks May Result in Disaster in Many Instances.

New York, Oct. 11.--R. G. Dun & Co., in their weekly Review of Trade Conditions, say: "The price barometer gives indications that are not entirely favorable. Cotton goods go up with increasing evidence that the crop of cotton is short. Prices of other manufactures, and especially of wool, hides and leather, all show some decline, a general abatement in new orders being the principal cause. With an immense volume of business, and much excess in the largest month of the exceptional year, 1892, and with evidence that in several important branches the volume has surpassed that of any previous year, there is growing uncertainty about the near future of industries. Money markets are neither strained nor threatening, foreign exchange no longer raises apprehensions and all fears about the great northern crops are past. There have been few advances in wages of labor within the past month, and only a few works have been closed by strikes for an advance. The main cause of decreased orders has been repeatedly pointed out by this journal during the last half year when business began to revive. A miller or trader were in haste to order, not only the goods each expected to sell within a given time, but enough more to replenish stocks which had been cut down almost to nothing by two years of prostration. Thus the buying was much in excess of real consumption within the given time. Also, as prices were many times higher than in years of visible needs, hoping that every purchase would mean a gain, while multitudes hurried to get in their orders before competitors could buy as cheaply; and, under such conditions, buying continued for six months and still continues in cotton goods, which have risen less than the material. But in most other manufactures, the buying, for the same reason can no longer be expected, and the steady and regular consumption is not yet known. In woolen manufactures a demand for dress goods and some specialties keeps many fully employed, but most of the works making men's woolsens, for which new orders are scanty, find not enough to keep their looms busy. Under such conditions, buying continued for six months and still continues in cotton goods, which have risen less than the material. But in most other manufactures, the buying, for the same reason can no longer be expected, and the steady and regular consumption is not yet known.

M. R. WRIGHT IS SATISFIED.

The Democratic Chairman Takes a Pleasant View of the Situation.

Philadelphia, Oct. 11.--Chairman Wright, of the Democratic state committee, in an interview this evening, said: "I do not care to enlarge on any of the arguments that have been made in respect to the constitutionality of the act creating the superior court. Our Republican friends are assuming that they would be benefited by the courts holding that each voter may cast his ballot for seven judges. Perhaps they would be and perhaps they would not. We can tell better after the election. The alacrity with which the Chairman Quay seized upon Mr. Olmsted's suggestion of a chance to grab another judgeship is quite characteristic. Our party is now engaged in an effort to elect a Democratic judge of the superior court. If Senator Quay succeeds in his grasping proceeding at Harrisburg the people may conclude to make it seven. As the treasury situation the Republican newspapers seem to be fighting our battle for us. The recent exposures in Pittsburgh have excited attention to the position and condition of the state funds, and the people of Pennsylvania are likely to give expression to their opinion on this subject at the polls. They will read and consider the many declarations in the accepting speech of our candidate for governor, the extravagance and profligacy of the last legislature resulting in the crippling of many charitable institutions, and at one time threatening to deprive the poor of their means of support have set people to thinking. I am satisfied with the condition of our canvass throughout the state."

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The London Telegraph Roasts Lord Sackville's Pamphlet.

London, Oct. 11.--The Daily Telegraph, in an article commenting upon Lord Sackville's issuance of the pamphlet in which he makes an attack upon the United States Ambassador Bayard, says: "A very foolish, ill-mannered, ill-timed and ill-made pamphlet has been issued by Lord Sackville with the nursery rhyme of 'The Cat in the Hat' for a motto. Bayard, now the United States ambassador, charging him with being a political trickster and a consistent and determined enemy of England. The whole thing is so full of thoughtlessness and bitterness that it is not worth while to reproduce any part of the brochure. We only hope that the common sense and practical judgment of the English and American public will treat this unbecoming attack with contemptuous disdain. Those concerned with diplomatic history will be the first to assure Mr. Bayard that no effect whatever is likely to be produced by this series of charges, so utterly unworthy of attention or consideration. During his sojourn here Mr. Bayard has earned golden opinions for his humanity and his judgment of affairs. He has done all that has made studious efforts to cultivate amicable feeling between England and America. Through him the English are hourly receiving the appreciation and higher admiration for the great republic."

DURANT ON THE RACK.

Attorney Barnes Makes Some Telling Points on Cross-Examination.

San Francisco, Oct. 11.--Theodore Durant, while losing none of his coolness and self-possession and without being in the least embarrassed in any way, did not fare as well in his struggle with District Attorney Barnes today as he did yesterday. Barnes had reserved his most telling points for the morning, and he brought them out with good effect. There were in his interrogations today broad intimations of rebuttal testimony of a very important nature, and the case went over until Tuesday.

VACATION DAYS OVER.

The President Leaves Gray Gables on the Yauch-Oncida.

Buzzard's Bay, Mass., Oct. 11.--The president has concluded his vacation, so far as Gray Gables is concerned, and left at 5:15 this afternoon on the steam yacht Oncida as the guest of Commodore Benedict. Private Secretary Thurber accompanied them. Mrs. Cleveland, the children and other members of the family will leave next Tuesday in a special car. The president's entire journey to Washington will be made on the Oncida, a trip never before made, as the president generally sails only as far as New York, where a train is taken to Washington. They will proceed leisurely along the sound and may

CORBETT IS DISCOURAGED

Governor Culberson's Opposition to the Exhibition Makes Him Sad.

WILL SOON LEAVE THE STATE

The Fight Will Not Be Permitted on Government Grounds--It May Be Necessary for the Pugilists to Go Up in a Balloon.

San Antonio, Texas, Oct. 11.--Private advice received here from Austin this afternoon that the Travis county grand jury would return an indictment against Corbett and Fitzsimmons, immediately upon receiving the information that Brady decided to get Corbett out of the state as soon as possible so as to place him out of the reach of the Texas authorities. Brady left on his train tonight, where he will ascertain for himself whether or not the fight can be pulled off there, and if he finds that it can, he will secure training quarters for the fight, and the entire party will be removed to the new battle ground within the next few days. Corbett was very depressed over the outlook today. The unlooked-for opposition of Governor Clarke makes it very doubtful whether the fight can be pulled off at Hot Springs. The champion said to the United Press correspondent this evening: "Fitzsimmons is preparing to get out of the state to evade the possibility of arrest, and I do not want to remain here and be placed in the clutches of the law. I have no objection to my being placed in the clutches of the law, but I shall regret to leave."

Must Keep Off Uncle Sam's Grass.

Washington, D. C., Oct. 11.--In case any attempt should be made to occupy any government land for the purpose of a fight, Secretary Smith has instructed the government authorities at Hot Springs to prevent the same. The secretary said today that he would grant permission to the managers of the fight to have it on government land, but his lease would be speedily revoked. The Indian bureau was in receipt of a telegram today from Chief Perryman, of the Creek Nation, asking permission to have a boxing match on the reservation in the nation. Indian bureau officials were puzzled about the telegram, owing to recent events in the country, and telegraphed Agent Wisdom at Muskogee, T. to ascertain the purpose of it. He replied that the request of Chief Perryman was in regard to the Corbett-Fitzsimmons affair, and that he had taken steps to prevent the fight on any of the lands of the five civilized tribes.

Judge Duffie's Instructions.

Hot Springs, Ark., Oct. 11.--Circuit Judge Duffie, who presided at the fight here this morning and informed him that it was the sheriff's duty to take proper measures to prevent the Corbett-Fitzsimmons contest from taking place in Garland county, and that he had the powers in the premises. When the sheriff asked when and just how he should proceed to do this the judge failed to instruct him, saying he would advise with the prosecuting attorney and advise later. This talk of Judge Duffie seems to have had no perceptible effect on the people most interested, and no importance is attached to it.

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FOUR MEN KILLED.

Fatal and Unexplainable Accident in the Cleveland Rolling Mills--Casualty House Closed.

Cleveland, O., Oct. 11.--Four men were killed and seven others were probably fatally injured as the result of an unexplainable accident at the Cleveland Rolling Mills, at 9 o'clock tonight. The dead are: Charles Wakefield; Vett Kesarth; Anton Gorman; a middle-aged man, not identified. The furnace were carrying heavy fires and the casting department was working a full force. Without warning, and in a manner wholly inexplicable, the casting houses, the largest building of the plant, collapsed, burying many of its inhabitants in the debris. As quickly as possible relief came to the imprisoned men and when all were rescued it was found that three were dead and seven badly injured. One of the injured men died since, after being removed. Of the killed Charles Wakefield was killed by the molten metal. The injured were taken to hospitals and none of them can give their names.

REV. CHUBB GUILTY.

The Jury Decide That He Committed an Assault on Miss Hiltner.

Norristown, Pa., Oct. 11.--The jury in the case of Rev. Samuel Howard Chubb, of Plymouth, charged with indecent assault upon Miss Rachel Hiltner, returned a verdict of guilty this morning. Miss Hiltner is 17 years of age and a member of the Rev. Chubb's congregation. A motion will be made for a new trial. The offense is alleged to have been committed in the fall of 1894, when the girl called at the pastor's house in connection with some Sunday school work. The minister denies the charge and declares the suit was brought by the girl's family in revenge for his taking to task a relative of theirs for endorsing applications for liquor licenses.

CORPSE IN THE BANANAS.

Body of an Unknown Man Found in a Freight Car.

Pittsburg, Pa., Oct. 11.--Today the body of an unknown was found in a box car in the Pan Handle freight yards. Commission merchants who opened the car to unload bananas made the discovery. The body was buried under the fruit. The dead man was about 45 years of age, five feet six inches high and weighed about 140 pounds. It is thought death resulted from heart disease.

Working to Save Rowman's Neck.

Wilkes-Barre, Oct. 11.--The attorneys for William Penn Rowman, the boy murderer, who is awaiting execution for the killing of the Arabian peddler, will take the case before the board of pardons, and an attempt will be made to have the death sentence overruled.

OHIO WILL WHEEL IN LINE

Senator Sherman Promises a Majority of 50,000.

DEMOCRATIC TIMES UNPOPULAR

There Is No Substantial Return of Business Prosperity--Improvement Must Come from an Increase of Tariff Revenue--Wool Needs Bracing.

Washington, D. C., Oct. 11.--A Republican majority of 50,000 is what Senator Sherman, of Ohio, predicts in that state next month. The senator arrived in Washington today and will return west tomorrow. He asserts that the legislature will also be Republican; that in this regard much depends upon Hamilton county, but that the indications there are all favorable to the Republicans. Speaking of the general political outlook, Senator Sherman regards it as unfavorable to the Democrats. Their administration of affairs, he said, has not met with approval. Cleveland has many friends, but the people have no confidence in his party. All signs point to a Republican victory next year. "Do you think there has been a substantial and permanent improvement in business conditions," Senator Sherman was asked. "Times are better than they were. The business conditions have improved over what they have been, but there is no substantial revival, and no promise of return of general prosperity under the present circumstances. In some branches of business there has been material improvement, but the revival is not general. "Do you expect congress to do anything this winter to improve the situation?" "That depends on the president. The Republicans have complete power in the house, but uncertain power in the senate. I do not think it will depend on the president."

SEVEN HUNDRED MURDERED.

New Horrors of the Trebizond Massacre Coming to Light--Armenians Are Terrorized.

Constantinople, Oct. 10, via Sofia, Bulgaria, Oct. 11.--It is now stated upon good authority that the total number of Armenians and missing Armenians, up to date, as a result of the recent rioting in this city, is more than 700. The dragomans of the various embassies, according to instructions from the different envoys of the powers to assist the Turkish authorities in prevailing upon the Armenians to leave their churches, and to accept of a refuge after the outbreak, at first proceeded to the Armenian church of Constantinople. There the Armenian bishop and the dragoman of the British embassy exhorted the Armenians to return to their homes, assuring them they had nothing to fear from the Turks and that the strongest assurances had been given to the representatives of the powers by the Turkish government that the lives and property of Armenians would be protected. After some hesitation the Armenians refused to consider this proposition. In the meanwhile, however, the Armenian women and children had come out of the churches, but when they noticed that the men had not followed they returned, weeping and crying out that they would be killed if they returned to their homes alone, and saying they preferred to die in the churches. The dragomans, in view of the obstinacy of the Armenians, had a conference during the afternoon with the Armenian patriarch, after which, owing to the great influence of that prelate over his congregation, the evacuation of the Kumbakpou cathedral began. As the refugees left the cathedral the priest entered the rooms and searched them, while the cavasses searched them. When arms were found upon the persons of the Armenians, they were taken from them and deposited in the Patriarchate. The evacuation of the other churches followed, the police not interfering with the work. In the Armenian church of Constantinople it was subsequently announced, 1,200 persons had sought refuge and 200 refugees left the Kumbakpou cathedral. Additional advice received here today from Trebizond, Armenia, show that people are fleeing the Christian quarter of that town and killing many of the Armenians. A number of others sought refuge outside the town. The Russian government has decided to send a warship to Trebizond.

HOPELESSLY MUDDLED.

The Accounts of Pittsburg's City Attorney Will Require Expert Manipulation.

Pittsburg, Pa., Oct. 11.--More allegations similar to those made by ex-Cashier Scully, of the First National Bank, with reference to payment of interest to the assistant city attorney, House may be expected in the investigation into the workings of the city attorney's office. William Van Kirk, who in 1884-85 was president of the Tradesmen's National bank and who is thoroughly acquainted with the business of that institution when the first deposit of city funds was made in the name of W. C. Moreland, city attorney, has signed his withdrawal from the investigation. City Attorney Moreland was this morning notified by special messenger to attend a meeting of the city finance committee and Controller Gourley at 2 o'clock this afternoon. Major Moreland's reply was "All right."

THE FINAL LINK.

Detectives Fit One of Holmes' Keys in a Lock at Irvington, N. J.

Indianapolis, Oct. 11.--Interest in the H. H. Holmes case was revived here by the appearance of Detective Geyer, of Philadelphia, going to the house in Irvington, where Howard Pletzel was murdered and his body burned. Geyer fitted a key from his pocket in the front door night-latch. It worked perfectly. The key had been found on the person of Holmes after his arrest in Philadelphia. Dr. Thompson, who lives in the house before Holmes occupied it, recognized the key as the one he had carried for two years. The detectives regard today's discovery as a final in identifying Holmes as the man who moved into the house with Howard Pletzel. Geyer has arranged to take Dr. Thompson and other witnesses to Philadelphia on Oct. 26. He will also take with him the remains of the Pletzel boy.

MAY WANTS DAMAGES.

He Claims That His Character Was Injured by a Newspaper Article.

Reading, Pa., Oct. 11.--Wesley M. May has brought an action against J. H. Carpenter, general manager of the Carpenter Steel works, for \$10,000 damages. May is a machinist and was formerly employed by the above firm. About a year ago May appeared before the secretary of the navy in relation to a lot of shells furnished to the government, alleging that they had not been turned true. The suit is founded upon an article published in the New York World and which May alleges was dictated by Carpenter and published at his instance. Mr. May claims that the article has done him a great deal of damage, his occupation and prevented him from holding positions which he had secured.

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Statue of General Hancock.

Gettysburg, Pa., Oct. 11.--The bronze statue of Major General Hancock was put in position on East Cemetery hill today. The statue of General Meade is here and will be placed on its pedestal just as soon as the stones arrive next week. The dedicatory exercises will likely occur in November.

Brakeman Goes Free.

Norristown, Pa., Oct. 11.--The case of Charles D. Henderson, the Reading railroad brakeman, who shot and killed 15-year-old Harry Schofield, of West Manassas, while the latter was riding on a freight train, was before the grand jury today. After hearing the evidence the jury ignored the bill.

WEATHER REPORT.

For eastern Pennsylvania, fair during the greater portion of the day, but conditions are favorable for local showers in the afternoon or night.