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REPUBLICAN NOMINATIONS.

STATE.

Governor—WILLIAM A. STONE. Lieutenant Governor—J. W. S. GOBIN. Secretary of Internal Affairs—JAMES W. LATTI.

COUNTY.

Congress—WILLIAM CONNELL. Judge—F. W. GUNSTER. Coroner—JOHN J. ROBERTS, M. D. Surveyor—GEORGE E. STEVENSON.

LEGISLATIVE.

Senate.

Twentieth Dist.—JAMES C. VAUGHAN. House. First District—JOHN R. FARR. Second District—JOHN SCHUBERT, JR.

COLONEL STONE'S PLATFORM.

It will be my purpose when elected to do my duty as to win the respect and good will of those who have opposed me as well as those who have given me their support. I shall be the governor of the whole people of the State.

We are glad to learn from the local Democratic organ that Candidate Jenks is the soldier's friend. Perhaps our contemporary is referring to the soldiers who wore the Gray.

Make a Rush to Victory.

It is rumored that at the last minute Swallow or Jenks will retire and an effort will be made to combine their votes against Stone.

But the fact that the possibility of such a move is already being discussed in the press of this and other states ought to excite to every loyal Republican the urgent need of energy and activity in party service.

A result so disastrous to the best interests of the people can be averted if those Republicans in Pennsylvania who have not been carried off their feet by false representation and specious deception will in the few days that remain before election take their coats off and get to work for the party cause.

The dangers of the "Mother Hubbard" engine were shown up at Susquehanna the other night in a startling manner. On the "Mother Hubbard" the apartments of freeman and engineer are some distance apart and it is not easy for them to communi-

cate with each other. On Monday night the freeman, noticing that the train was moving at a frightful rate of speed, climbed over the engine and forcing his way into the cab found the engineer dead at the throttle.

Better reports have reached the Republican congressional committee concerning the political probabilities of the next congress. A Republican majority is now expected but it cannot be considered certain until the votes are counted.

Nearing a Crisis.

It has become plain to those who have followed attentively the deliberations of the Paris peace commission that Spain and Spain are fast approaching a climax. Upon the subject of the disposition of the Cuban debt the Spaniards have taken a position plainly indicative of desperation.

The position taken by the McKinley administration that the people of Cuba shall not be burdened with one penny of a debt from which they derived no benefit and which was saddled upon their island during Spain's control of it against their wishes and in flagrant disregard of equity is the position of the American people.

It is evident that the American commissioners have been instructed to stand firm. They have reached the point which will soon necessitate an ultimatum, and when that is presented Spain must either give way or invite a resumption of hostilities.

Boss Croker Worried.

Richard Croker has taken the platform in defense of his action in inflicting revenge upon Judge Daly, the New York Supreme Court justice who would not permit his judicial actions to be controlled by the leader of Tammany Hall.

This, in Mr. Croker's opinion, is an unpardonable crime. Judge Daly, he evidently believes, had no right to resist party discipline administered in rebuke for his refusal to turn the judicial office into a Tammany annex.

It begins to look now as though the alleged California poisoner, Mrs. Hol-

kin, will never be tried. The courts of California refuse to allow her removal, and as the victims were not in that state at the time of their death, points will probably be raised that will allow the perpetrator of one of the most dastardly crimes on record to escape.

That Tammany's fight in New York has become desperate is shown by the fact that pool rooms, gambling dens and brothels are being squeezed to the limit for campaign funds. The Republican committee has positive evidence that 108 pool rooms have been assessed \$250 each in exchange for promised police protection.

An interesting situation is presented in the Fourteenth New York congressional district, where the Democratic candidate for congress positively refused to discuss national issues. His excuse is that he does not wish to run the risk of alienating any vote.

POT PARTY FOREMOST.

Sir: If you will kindly allow me a little space in your paper I would like to make a few remarks on the present campaign. One year ago Colonel Stone was the idol of a great many independent Republicans.

As to our congressman, Hon. William Connell, his record is unimpeachable and his defeat is a great loss to the country. He is to be sincerely hoped that his majority will not be diminished from that of two years ago and it certainly will not if all true Republicans do their duty.

THE POTENCY OF THE "AD."

George H. Welshons, in Pittston Gazette. If Cattine had run a big department store in Philadelphia as an annex to his contracting business, he would have been a millionaire.

LITERARY NOTES.

The Owl contains each month a generous nickel's worth of original short stories, some of which are exceedingly interesting. The Cosmopolitan for November gives the experience of the only American secret service agent who visited Madrid on government business during the war with Spain.

A handy selection of verses by Rudyard Kipling has been published in the Lack Classics by William Doxey, San Francisco. The volume includes "Departmental Ditties," "The Vampire," "Ballad of the Chamberdown," "Our Lady of the Snows" and other well-known poems by this most gifted and interesting of living writers.

THE WORLD EAST BECOMING CHRISTIANIZED.

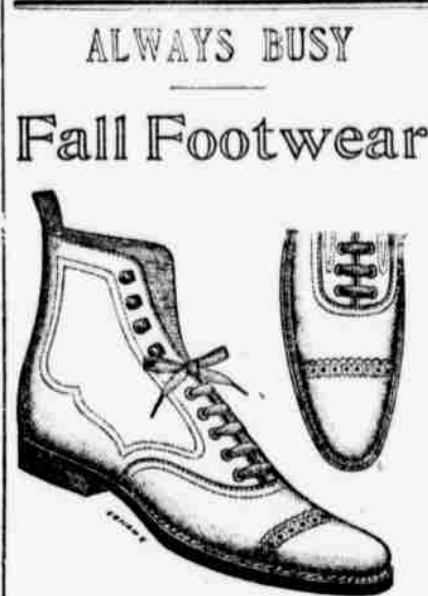
From the Philadelphia Press. The rate at which the world is passing under the control of Christian governments, and especially of the more enlightened and progressive governments, has been greatly accelerated in recent years. The events of the past summer have moved forward in this direction.

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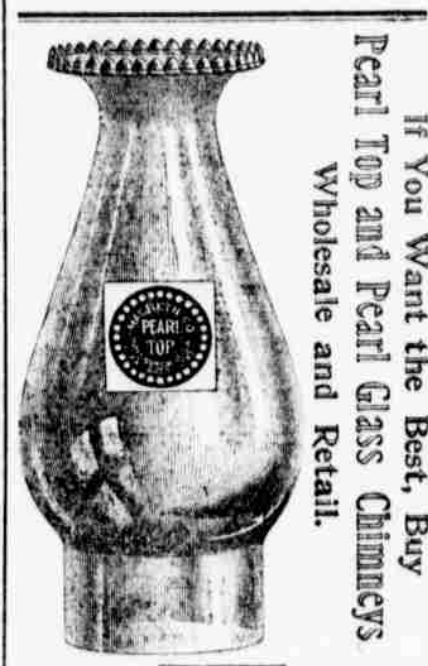
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