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"The next mayor of Philadelphia," says the Press, "should be a man who is thoroughly representative of the best purposes of the city, a man of affairs and of the highest character, and in full sympathy with the progressive spirit of our people." Substitute Scranton and you have good and timely local advice.

The Official Returns.

From the official table of jast Tues day's vote in Lackawanna county, printed elsewhere, it will be perceived that ticket-cutting was indulged in to more than the expected extent. Take, for example, the vote in the city by wards. It is as follows:

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It is interesting to carry this analysis of the vote among Carbondale and the boroughs. Thus we have:

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These figures are given here only for convenience. It would take too long and be unprofitable to point out their various meanings in detail. The important thing to note is that the votecutter is abroad and that future nominations, to be successful, will have to respect the whims or convictions of the independent element. This applies to Democratic and Republican conven- guin. A portion of this latter force tions alike; and it invests with esstarted to the relief of the garrison at

removal of this groundless reflection upon the attitude of the European stupidly pig-headed, Its existence among powers toward the United States, this fable should not be accepted as a part of the record of the war. He does not give this merely as personal opinion, but as established fact learned during visits to Paris and Berlin as well as St. Petersburg. While in no way reflecting upon any other power, the Russian ambassador feels that it is but simple justice to Russia and other continental powers that the consistent friendship they maintained toward the United States throughout every period of the war, and continue to maintain toward this government, should not

be obscured by any sentimental fiction as to the exceptional friendship of one nation and the enmity of others." If the facts are as here represented, the feelings of the Russian ambassador do him conspicuous credit. We might say that he would have, in such a contingency, just ground for com-

plaint against the American government through its official representatives at Washington, who have permitted what he terms a false impression to gain serious foothold among the people when there were ways and means to correct it without trespass upon the proprieties. The very fact, however, that no official effort has been made to counteract this impression supplies fair presumption that it is true: and corroborative evidence is

month. It is to be hoped his call will be effective. The charge against Quay citable in the notoriously sharp disis one which must be sifted to the tinction between public opinion in bottom. Great Britain and public opinion on the continent with reference to our

Governor-elect Roosevelt proposes to war with Spain. The American people bring the organization Republicans do not need to be told by the Rusand the independent Republicans of sian ambassador who our friends in New York state together and show Europe were and who were unfriendly. to each class that it has misunderso far at least as unofficial comment stood the other; that the two can work and sentiment are concerned. Upon together and should work together this point argument is futile because for the common party and public welthe facts forbid. fare. If he can accomplish this de-Because England was friendly while sirable result it will be a greater Ressia was neutral it does not follow victory than the capture of San Juan

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any time and place they may name.'

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that the United States should become htll. an enemy of Russia. But it does sup-

ply a convincing reason why the Uni-According to the Government Board ted States should on just occasion reon Geographic Names, which should iprocate England's good will and make be authoritative, the way to spell Porknown to the world that Americans to Rico is without the Spanish "ue" in are not an ungrateful people. "Puerto". The Americanization of the Island makes logical the Americanization of its name.

If there is to be opposition to Senttor Quay It is time that his opponent should stand forth. The people of Pennsylvania are entitled to take his masure

An Abused Man's Vindication. An interesting fact, brought out by

Islands, seeing that nothing better is General Miles' report, is that General now available. Shafter deliberately unloaded upon the The Democratic pipe-dreamers have Cuban general, Garcia, blame which he revived the blennial romance about a should have shouldered himself. This contemplated Republican effort inhas long been suspected, but now it is spired by McKinley to depose Speaker clearly established. The arrival in Reed. It is unqualified rot. Santiago of Spanish reinforcements, which Shafter attributed to the in-Dewey's congratulations to Roosecompetence of Garcia, Miles shows was

yelt don't lend much color to the fairy due to Shafter alone, who denied Garcia's request for permission to intertale that he is a Democrat. cept the enemy, telling him the more Spanlards got into Santlago the better

General Miles adds: "It will be observed that General Garcia regarded my requests as his orders and promptly took steps to execute the plan of operations. He sent 3,000 men to check any movement of the 12,000 Spaniards stationed at Hol-

ward in his seat looking at Colonel Roose. independence in politics, when it is not velt and wondering what was coming next. It was something out of the usual for a banquet, that tremendous carnest-ness and meaning which the soldier was putting into words. He, too, was lean-ing slightly forward, and he continued, with is eyes flashing, and his clenched fist lifted and pounded in the words that he spice the people is a wholesome check upon party government. In a certain sense It is the deciding vote, to gain which the rival parties strive competitively. But true independence does not mean permanent divorcement from old party he spoke.

bravery, devotion and endurance of pain and peril of the American regular officer and of the American regular soldier; I volves sensible recognition of the fact that the easiest way to get good govwish you could have seen the columns going forward to wrest victory from death, knowing that if wounded they would perhaps lie two or three days in the jungle without medical care, and glad ernment is to demand it through one or the other of the great parties, as has just been done, for example, in New York state through the election of Colonel Roosevelt. Those citizens to do it for the honor and the glory of the flag. I wish you could have seen the wounded, carted away in jostling wagons, who strive fearlessly to keep their own party true to its best principles lying patiently waiting without complaint for the long delayed attentions of the are the best independents and also the

surgeons, delayed because those surgeons wore working unceasingly until they fell asleep in the midst of capital operations from sheer inability to stand the strain longer. And if you had seen that you would feel that too much cannot be done Sonator Quay does not propose that his trip to Florida shall be misinterproted. He says it is not an attempt o evade trial on the conspiracy charge. for the regular." (Cheers). He adds: "I was advised by my coun-

Colonel Roosevelt paused, looked about set that I could, without impropriety, him for a moment, and then raising both hands in the air he thundered out: go where I pleased pending further "I say you would feel that too much could not be done for the men of the reg-ular army, and wee, woe to the senator proceedings in the courts, until notified to be present. I am ready to return immediately when notified. I shall not and woe to the representative who darcs to seek cheap glory by a miggardly econgratify the malice of my enemies by omy in expense that may mean the life blood of our soldiers. (Tremendous a moment's delay in meeting them at cheers). District Attorney Graham, of Philadel-

"I'm speaking tonight for the regular, Some other time I'il speak for the vol-unteer. He's got votes; he's got political influence. The army man doesn't med-dle with politics, and God forbid that he should. He has nothing to give in return for a fair recognition of his services. That's the reason I'm speaking of him tonight.'

IN A PREDICAMENT.

From the Wilkes-Batre Record.

The Republicans of Lackawanna county recently adopted the Crawford county system of making party nominations by pular vote. Under the rules provided a cessary qualification to vote at the primaries is that the voter, at the last preeding election, supported the Republicar loket. There are probably from 5,000 to 6.000 Lackawanna Republicans, who, a the election last Tuesday, voted for Dr

Swallow. Under the new rules adopted these Republicans cannot participate in the primarles next year, having disquali fied themselves by voting against the head of the Republican ticket this year. To the party beyond all hope of success a the general election.

Emperor Willle's prospective visit in Republicans a committee was appointed Spain is no longer a mystery. He goes to prepare a plan for making nomina tions by popular party vote, to be sub-mitted to the next county convention. In to get bargain counter quotations on Spain's colonial odds and ends. He this Lackawanna predicament the comwants to buy the Caroline and Mariana mittee will have a pointer concerning a danger that should be guarded against. There are thousands of Republicans in Luzerne who occasionally, for one reasoor another, fail to vote their party's tick et, nevertheless to all intents and pur-poses they are Republicans. Such mer cannot be incontinently deprived of pur-ticipation in the primaries without im-periling the very life of the party. The politics, in a general way, of 90 per cent, of the voters in any given district is known to political committees, and there is no necessity for rigid rules. If all the Republicans of Pennsylvania who hav voted against some or all of the party' candidates in the past two years were be nied recognition or fellowship as Repub-licans the party would drop to a hope-less minority. Political parties are com-Daily Horoscope Drawn by Ajacchus posed of volunteers, and they go and come as they please. When they come they Astrolabe Cast: 4.08 n. m., for Monday must be welcomed. THE WINNING OF THE WEST.



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interest the proximate munici pal campaign, which is likely to bring every phase of politics to the surface.

Mr. Waaamaker now offers \$29,000 reward for information that will lead to the conviction of any person attempting to corrupt members-elect of the legislature on the senatorial question. Between Quay's offer and John's the Van Valkenburg brood of statesmen ought soon to be able to declare a dividend.

The Attitude of Russia.

The Russian ambassador at Washington, Count Cassini, reputed to be the shrewdest diplomatist in the foreign service of the czar, is displaying an intelligent appreciation of the power of printer's link in a country ruled by public opinion. He had scarcely landed on our shores before he gave to the press an extended interview purporting to explain the friendly intentions of his government toward our own and adroitly appealing to public sentiment in this country not to the up with England at Russia's expense. This was just before the vacation season. Now, at that season's close, Count Cassini, the first thing after returning to the Russian embassy at Washington, gives out another long interview equally shrewd

and apparently frank. In this interview he discusses political conditions in China, uisavowing ably not get a bite. for his country any intention to deal unfairly with China or the other pow ers; says that Russia, while naturally interested in the disposition of the Philippines, has not been asked by Spain or any other government to interfere as between Spain and the United States, and does not intend to become involved in the matter in any way. Continuing, the interview, in the third person, goes on in this fashion: "In this connection Count Cassim took occasion to join issues with a prevailing public view that England showed her conspicuous friendship for the United States during a critical state in the war with Spain, declining to join the great powers of Europe in a move for intervention. The ambassador says he has seen this report frequently, and it seems to be accepted in this country as a part of the history of the recent war and as the basis for much applause for England at the expense of the other great powers of Europe. But Count Cassini says. that no such action on the part of Great Britain ever took place, and that the impeachment of the continued friendliness of other powers is due to misapprehension of the facts. At no time, he says, was there a purpose on the part of the great powers to intervene against the action of the United States, so that there was never an occasion for such a display of English friendship in checking the designs of the great powers as is generally represented. Count Cassini says that the mits this when he calls attention to story, although very widely circulated and generally accepted as fact, is noth- (that is to say, machine) behind Dr. ing less than a fable and that for the truth of history, as well as for the Something is to be said for honest

and turned back by the Cuban forces under General Feria. General Garcia also sent 2,000 men, under Perez, to oppose the 6,000 men at Manzanillo. Of this garrison, 3,500 started to reinforce the garrison at Santiago and were engaged in no less than thirty combats with the Cubans on their way before reaching Santiago, and would have been stampeded had General Garcia's request of June 27 been granted. With an additional force of 5,000 men Gen-

Santiago, but was successfully checked

eral Garcia had besieged the garrison at Santiago, taking up a strong posttion on the west side and in close prox imity to the harbor. He had troops in the rear, as well as on both sides of the garrison at Santiago before the ar rival of our troops."

It is unpleasant to consider that a major general wearing the American uniform would deliberately misrepresent the attitude of an ally who had come to his side under the disadvantages and through the privations which have been Garcia's lot during the past three years. But this is only one of many unpleasant things which appear in the recent record of William R. Shafter The more the public learns concerning him the stronger is the conviction that he should not have command over men.

At Paris tomorrow the Spanlards will be told to fish or cut bait. They will fish-for compensation, and prob-

Third Party Day Dreams.

Out of the ritins of the Swallow move neural permanent third party is to be organized if the plans of Herbert Welsh go through, Says he: "The forces working for Dr. Swallow will cohere steadily for future efforts. A party or combination will remain, non-partisan in its character, advocating honesty and honest methods. This party, though it may be much smaller than the two great national parties, will exert a powerful influence on both of them. It will force them, little by little, to improve their methods and to lift their standards, or else, notwithstanding its present defeat, it will ultimately exert a preponderating influence in local affairs. In the second place, it will indirectly, by the alarm which it undoubtedly has occasioned to the party managers, force them to do better in the future.

Mr. Welsh is unfortunate in his use of words. A non-partisan party is an trained.

impossibility. Men may be non-partisun. They may organize for special occasions as independents. But the moment they undertake to perpetuate a third party organization they necesbecome partisans of the new party and just as liable as the leaders of the Republican or Democratic party to incur the charge of machine methods. In fact, no party can exist any length of time without organization of forces, or machine politics. Mr. Welsh himself adthe lack of an effective organization A dead silence had fallen over the ban-

sarily

Swallow.

Spanish peace commissioners are evi dently in hopes of prolonging sessions until after the next presidential election Isn't it about time for the Ladles' Home Journal to ascertain whether there is a Mrs. Aguinaldo? The philosopher who remarked "econ my is wealth" undoubtedly had a rich father-in-law. Candidates for mayor begin to exhibit symptoms of incomnia. Too much originality is liable to make man a bore.

TOLD BY THE STARS.

The Tribune Astrologer.

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Roosevelt's Tribute to the Regulars.

From His Speech at the Recent Banquet in Honor of General Miles, as Reported in the Sun. THINK we are fortunate in hav-661

ing in General Miles a man in whom we muy recognize the archipe not only of the Amer-ican volunteer, but of the American regular as well. All honor

to the volunteer, but let us now, in time peace, remember our debt to the men the regular army. You have spoken of what General Miles did in the civil war when General Grant faced Lee. Now, thank heaven, we can be proud and glad of the valor of the men who followed Grant and the men who followed Les, (Cheers.) Remember that for thirty-three years since that time the soldiers of the egular army have uncomplainingly, withnit expectation of praise or notice, faced liscomfort, danger and death, warring against the Indians on our frontier, and reclaiming a new country from the waste. in eGneral Miles, the hero of the long civil war, do not forget General Miles, the hero of the long and weary campaigus against the Sloux, the Cheyennes and the Hiackfeet. And do not forget the men with him, who had to face arctic cold, a heat worse than trople, hunger and thirst and the cruellest of foes, and all this without hope of reward other than the knowledge that they were serving the nation and upholding the flag (Cheers). That's the regular army; that's the sort of thing they have been doing all

these years. (Cheers). "And are you men here going to do nothing more than choser for them, on such occasions as this when you sit down to dinner together, or are you going to see that they get their deserts, that they get the equipment they should have? (Yes! yes!) In the next war are you go-ing to have brigadier generals, yes, and major generals, good and fine men, too, who at 50 years of age have never commanded more than three companies to-gether in the field? If so, don't blame your representatives when things go wrong. Blame yourselves for not having had the army trained as it should be

"After this I hope wo'll have a large mough army, and that we'll give them enough money to most their needs, and once a year, or anyway once in two years, I hope that we'll gather that army, say 15,000 of them, at San Antonio, send them on to the coast, put them on transports, take them over to Cuba or somewhere cles, and disembark them, and in that way we will give to the quartermaster's iopartment and to the commissary deariment the actual training so much eded, and you won't have the com plaints in time of war which we have just experienced. Nor will you have to call upon the uncomplaining valor of the line officers to make good those defects of the staff due soley to the fact that the people would not stand by the army.

BIEDLEMAN, THE BOOKMAN, quet hall. Every man was leaning forFlymout's Wilkes-Barry