

Gen. James A. Beaver.

Did you hear anything drap?

The election of yesterday resulted in a complete and glorious Republican victory. Beaver and the State ticket have a majority in the State computed at upwards of forty thousand. In this Congressional district Stull's majority will amount to a thousand, and in the county it is above sixteen hundred. In the Senatorial district Alexander is elected by a majority of more than eighteen hundred.

The Republicans of this County just stretched themselves, and as far as lay in their power, gave General Beaver the vindication he was richly entitled to. The gallant old soldier is a prime favorite with the Republicans of Somerset County, and they turned out in their strength to do him honor. His majority will foot up at least twenty-one hundred.

The County ticket went through with a rush, and Messrs Pugh and Miller, for the Legislature, and Walker and Shaver, for Associate Judges, and the balance of the County ticket have more than the usual majority on account of the fall canvass.

The Republicans of Somerset County have reason to congratulate themselves on their day's work. Always reliable, they have added another leaf to the chapter they have so long worn.

The glorious Republican victory of yesterday was marked by an act of baseness and perfidy to the party. General W. H. Kozart, and a few of his obnoxious satellites, voted and worked for the Democratic Congressional candidate, thus proving that, to them, principles are nothing. By this act they have voluntarily taken a position in the ranks of the Democratic party. There are none to mourn their loss, but many hundreds of true Republicans will extend congratulations to one another that the party has been purified by their voluntary action with the action of these narrow-souled followers of a vindictive and broken down leader was the action of Frank J. Kozart, the late competing candidate for the Congressional nomination. With his principle means something, and self is subjected to the requirements of manhood and party faith. Disappointed in his aspirations, he yet took the stump, and labored for the success of the entire ticket. When the Republicans of the County in the future are seeking men upon whom to bestow their honors, they will need no guide-post to point the way to those who by fidelity to principle have forced the respect of all true and upright men.

The liberality of Methodists in their expenditures for religious work has long been well known, but in this year of grace this great body of earnest Christians has surpassed all its previous efforts. The task set in 1885 was to raise a million dollars for missions for 1887 and for every year thereafter. Already nearly this amount has been obtained, and it is believed that the contributions of this week will make up the million again. To collect this vast sum was a tremendous undertaking, but it has been splendidly accomplished. If it be true that the interest which a Church shows in missionary work is a fair measure of the Christian life of its members, the Methodist churches have reason for devout thankfulness today.

The amount stolen by the Missouri express robber last Monday night, like the amount usually carried off to Canada by absconding cutthroats and robbers, is growing. When the robbery was first reported \$50,000 was the amount said to have been taken by the party, but the returns filed Nov. 11, 1885, and the returns are not all in yet. The detectives are also reported to be giving more attention to the gazed and found express messenger, Frothingham, than to any other. While it is possible that some confederate of Frothingham committed the robbery, the disposition on the part of detectives who fail to detect to support that every man who gets robbed robbed himself is chronic. It has come to pass that men who are so unfortunate as to be the victims of a bona fide robbery prefer not to speak of their loss in order to save themselves from the unfeeling suspicion of having stolen their own money. Detectives must do something, however, to make the public believe they know a great deal about who commits all the crimes.—Philadelphia Times.

The Dominion authorities are reported to be anxious for an extension of the terms of the Canadian extradition treaty with the United States, as they are not anxious that Canada should continue to be an asylum for all the crooks who escape the clutches of the officers of justice on the southern side of the line. Whether this anxiety is born of zeal for the fame of Canada or of a dread that the extradition treaty will be renewed, is not clear. The extradition treaty will be renewed, as both State and Federal authorities

IT IS BEAVER!

Beaver Hears the News. BELLEVILLE, Nov. 2.—Discussions from the State regarding the election of Beaver were received with the wildest enthusiasm by all. Bells are ringing, and the streets are resounding with the cheers of those anxiously awaiting the result. General Beaver at 11 o'clock was found at home in his library quietly reading Thackeray's 'Reminiscences of Abraham Lincoln.' He spoke cheerfully, though very modestly of the result. He displayed no surprise at the news of his election, but said it was what was expected.

The Twenty-sixth District. BELLEVILLE, Pa., Nov. 2.—The Democratic claimant of Butler county conceals Roberts will elect a majority of 300 majority. In that county; Beaver about the same and that county 300 to 500.

40,000 MAJORITY. PENNSYLVANIA REDEEMED! Old Somerset Rolls Up 2113 Majority for the Gallant Beaver and 1600 for Congress



Alexander "gets there" with over 2000 majority.

The Vote of the County. A table showing the vote for various candidates in the county, including names like Alexander, Kozart, and others, with their respective vote counts.

The XXVII Congressional District. JOHNSBURG, Pa., Nov. 31, 2 P. M. Hon. Edward Stull—Tate's majority 800 with three districts to be lost from, and they have to estimate an amount of unknown quantity, but think they will not give Tate over 250, which will make Tate's majority 1,050.

The Adams Express Robbery. St. Louis, Mo., Oct. 29.—A Frothingham, an Adams Express messenger who was arrested on the 23rd inst. and has not yet been arrested, though it is accompanied wherever he goes by a detective. He was in close communication with the officers of the company this morning, and it was ascertained that he was assisting in obtaining a clue to the identity of the robber. It is believed, however, that he is being carefully examined by the detectives, and the stories told by him at different times compared with a view to finding inconsistencies, some being actually proved to be an accessory to the robbery.

Renewal of the Shocks at Charleston. CHARLESTON, S. C., October 30.—There was a renewal of the shocks at Charleston again last night, two shocks having occurred. The first took place at a little after 11 o'clock, and was of a rather moderate character. It consisted of a somewhat lengthened rattling noise, like that of a distant thunder, and was followed by a low, but distinct, rumbling. The second shock occurred at 3:45 A. M. The duration of this one was sufficiently sharp to awake a good many people and it was followed by the usual tremor of the earth, and a low, but distinct, rumbling, but these tremors were only of a few seconds' duration. Considerable disappointment of feeling is felt at the revival of the disturbances, and it was confidently thought that the onset of the present cool weather had ended the shocks. Until last night no shock had been felt here since October 22, with the exception of a few slight tremors, which were scarcely noticeable.

Cooper's Latest. N. Y., Oct. 30.—(Editorial) Cooper gives \$50,000 amount as his latest estimate of the Beaver plumbity. Chairman Hensel has looked himself in the top story of the American Club building and is refused to see anything. A discomfited crowd gathered about the club at midnight but the only dispatches shown on the bulletin board were returned from Schuylkill and Northampton counties in this State and from sunny Democratic strongholds in New Jersey and New York. The crowd widely cheered when the news was published that Robinson county, N. J., had chosen a Democratic State Senator. At 1 A. M. Chairman Hensel had not emerged from his retirement.

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PENNED IN A BURNING CAR.

Thirteen People Burned to Death in a Railroad Accident—Only Three Escaped. An Open Switch the Cause of the Tragedy. PORTWATER, Wis., Oct. 29.—Soon after midnight last night the west-bound limited train was derailed at East 100 siding, a small station on the main line of the Chicago, Milwaukee & St. Paul road. There are two side-tracks, at the time the train was due there last night both were occupied by freight trains, one by a well-known passenger train, No. 14, Conductor H. P. Hankey, of this city, which had just pulled in from the west to allow the limited to pass. No. 14 was very long, and the conductor was at the head of the train, relying upon the brakeman to attend to the switch. The report says the rear brakeman, whose business it was to close the switch after the train, for some reason neglected to do so. The other and more probable story is that the switch had been closed, but had not started back to close the switch, but had remained open at an angle of 30 degrees, and the train was derailed at the open switch. The siding is a cut where the road curves, so that the switch light cannot be seen from the east until a train is within a few rods, so the engineer of the limited could not see the switch light turned wrong until too late to stop.

The Twenty-seventh District. REID, Nov. 2.—There was a large vote, and the count is slow. Returns from 9 of the 10 precincts in the city show Stull's majority of two years ago about 1000. If the ratio of Republican gain continues he will have less than 1000 in the city. Mackey will have 1000 in the county outside of the city. Mr. Scott will have 1000 in Warren and Adams counties, both strongly Republican, with only 500 votes to overcome. Mackey's election is certain, and the State and county tickets are running up to the best former figures by the Republicans. Scott's friends are chiding his re-election with quiet confidence.

Greene Gives Republican Gains. WASHINGTON, Pa., Nov. 2.—Returns at 1 o'clock are very meagre, but enough to indicate a possible majority of 1000 for Black. Donnelly's plurality for Congress will be about 800. Schuylkill's majority over Ray will be about 300.

From Fulton County. McCONNELLY, Pa., Nov. 2.—Black's vote over Beaver in Fulton County is estimated at 200. White's vote over Black is estimated at 200. The vote in the county is estimated at 400. The vote in the county is estimated at 400.

New York. NEW YORK, Nov. 2.—The perfect weather and the deep interest in the election brought out nearly a full vote of the city to-day. Out of 100,000 registered voters, 25,000 nearly 25,000 ballots were cast. The election was orderly throughout. Almon S. Hewitt is elected the Democratic Mayor of New York. His plurality is about 20,000. Henry George is elected about 10,000. The Republican candidate, Theodore Roosevelt, who received about 60,000 votes.

The Result in Indiana. INDIANAPOLIS, Nov. 2.—An election day of more perfect atmospheric conditions was never known in Indiana, and it had the effect of bringing out an unusually large vote for an early day. The Republicans are claiming the State and a gain of three Congressmen, and say that they have private information warranting them in believing that they have a majority in the Legislature. The Democrats, however, claim the State and the Legislature by a fair majority.

Senator from Nevada Secured. VIRGINIA, Nov. 2.—Returns are coming in slowly, but enough is known to warrant the statement that the entire Republican ticket is elected, including the legislative and executive branches. The Republican State ticket is elected, including the legislative and executive branches. The Republican State ticket is elected, including the legislative and executive branches.

Illinois Legislature Republican. CHICAGO, Nov. 2.—The Times says the Illinois Legislature is unquestionably Republican in both branches. According to the Times the next U. S. Senate is Republican and the next U. S. House is Republican. The Democrats are claiming the State and the Legislature by a fair majority.

A Snrprise in Virginia. RICHMOND, Va., Nov. 2.—Returns from numerous points in the state indicate a falling off in the Democratic vote. Republican gains are reported from every direction, and it appears to-night from the returns so far received that in the next Congress the Virginia delegation will stand 6 Democrats and 4 Republicans.

Republican Majority in Ohio. CLEVELAND, O., Nov. 2.—The Democrats received the state to the Republicans, and the latter claim 25,000 majority against 17,457 for Foster in 1885. A Democratic Walk-over in South Carolina. CHARLESTON, S. C., Nov. 2.—The election passed off throughout the state quietly. The vote polled was the lightest cast in a number of years. The total vote of the state is estimated at 100,000. The Democrats are claiming the State and the Legislature by a fair majority.

DAY OF THANKSGIVING.

The President is Jose Proclamation Designating the 25th Inst. WASHINGTON, D. C., Oct. 31.—The following is President Cleveland's proclamation, designating Thursday, November 25th, as a day of thanksgiving and prayer. A proclamation. By the President of the United States:— It has long been the custom of the people of the United States, on a day set apart by their Chief Executive, to acknowledge the goodness and mercy of God, and to invoke His continued care and protection.

It was long been the custom of the people of the United States, on a day set apart by their Chief Executive, to acknowledge the goodness and mercy of God, and to invoke His continued care and protection. In observance of such custom, I, Grover Cleveland, President of the United States, do hereby designate and set apart Thursday, the 25th day of November instant, to be observed and kept as a day of thanksgiving and prayer. On that day let all our people forget their accustomed employments and assemble in their usual places of worship to give thanks to the Ruler of the universe for our continued enjoyment of the blessings of a free Government, for a renewal of business prosperity throughout our land, for the return which has rewarded the labor of those who till the soil and for our progress as a people in all that makes a nation great. And while we contemplate the infinite power of God in earthquake, flood and storm, let the grateful hearts of those who have been shielded from harm through His mercy be turned in sympathy and kindness toward those who have suffered through His visitations.

Let us also in the midst of our thanksgiving remember the poor and needy with cheerful gifts and alms; that our service may, by deeds of charity, be made acceptable in the sight of the Lord. In witness whereof I have hereunto set my hand and caused the seal of the United States to be affixed. Done at the City of Washington this first day of November, A. D. 1885, and of the Independence of the United States of America, the one hundred and eleven.

By the President: GROVER CLEVELAND. F. T. BAYARD, Secretary of State. Everything Sere at Chicago Now. CHICAGO, October 29.—The last of the Pinkerton guards, the last of the Pinkerton men employed by Armour & Co., left the stock yards last night. The train was in charge of a detail of 15 police. When it reached the corner of Fourth and Wabash streets a shot was fired and the officer in charge, writing to the receiving station at Madison square. He was followed by Secretary Whitney, Vilas and Lamar and Colonel Lamont in other carriages.

Considering the festive nature of the day, the decorations upon the private residences and business houses about the city were very meager. This lack of display, however, can be accounted for by the inclemency of the weather for the past two days. The only really handsomely decorated building in the city was the Hotel Hamilton, on Broadway at Courtland street and Madison Lane, nearly all the military and civic companies made their way home. All the vessels in the North river were gaily decorated with flags, the great Atlantic steamers being particularly noticeable in their decorations. One mass of color that enveloped the wreck prevented the passengers from escaping. Men and women could be seen standing on the deck, and the sound of the moment, and frightful screams issued from the death trap. A large woman tore up one of the seats with almost superhuman strength, and endeavored to break her way out of the flaming car, but her strength failed her, and she fell to the floor and to her death. Three persons escaped from the passenger car. All the bodies of the victims were burned in the wreck.

A wreking train from Milwaukee with passengers on board, which contained between fifteen and twenty persons, was derailed at both ends, and the fire and smoke that enveloped the wreck prevented the passengers from escaping. Men and women could be seen standing on the deck, and the sound of the moment, and frightful screams issued from the death trap. A large woman tore up one of the seats with almost superhuman strength, and endeavored to break her way out of the flaming car, but her strength failed her, and she fell to the floor and to her death. Three persons escaped from the passenger car. All the bodies of the victims were burned in the wreck.

Decision in the Soldiers' Home Beer Case. ALBANY, Me., October 29.—The Law Court has given a unanimous decision in the Soldiers' Home beer case, holding that beer imported for sale upon the grounds of the National Soldiers' Home is not subject to the laws of the State officers which prohibit the sale of beer. This decision, which is a violation of the State law, is a violation of the State law, and the State courts have jurisdiction over liquor imported for sale at the home. This reverses the decision of the Municipal Court at Portland.

A Nurse's Charges Not Sustained. HARTFORD, Pa., Oct. 29.—Sumner Jackson, a recently discharged nurse from the Mines' Hospital, at Ashland, Pa., made charges sometime ago against the superintendent of the institution, claiming that patients were neglected, that hospital funds were used for private purposes, that the superintendent had conspired to blow up the hospital. The Executive Committee of the State Board of Public Charities investigated the report, and to-day filed a report with Gov. Pattison exonerating the superintendent.

No One to Tell the Tale. SYRACUSE, N. Y., October 29.—Mr. and Mrs. John McGowan were found lying on a bed in their little home in the outskirts of the city at 9 A. M. to-day covered with blood. The cause of the tragedy was not known until the man's arm encircled the woman's neck. Her dead body was found in her throat. The woman was dead and the man died without explaining the crime.

Father Sherman in Trouble Again. NEW YORK, October 29.—Wm. J. Sherman, the Catholic priest of Brooklyn, who fell from grace by marrying Tillie McVoy, was arrested to-day on complaint of another woman, who charges him with having seduced her. The warrant was issued some time ago, and detectives have been waiting for Sherman ever since he left Brooklyn so suddenly.

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