

GOVERNOR ALTHOFF says he is out of politics. And the people will see to it that he stays out.

Now that Sherman has renounced all ambition for the Presidency, the Democratic papers are telling what a great man he is and how ungrateful his party has been in not giving him the office.

The general Democratic feeling with regard to the third term is that it would only be serving Cleveland right to give him the nomination when there isn't a ghost of a chance for him to be elected.

The extra cost of coal when steam is kept up on the British fleet in the neighborhood of Constantinople is \$35,000 a day. Turkey is an expensive luxury to all the Powers, and will be eliminated as a matter of economy.

COL. BRADLEY shows his good sense in announcing that he is not a candidate for any office. The people of Kentucky have chosen him to be their Governor, and he will serve them in that capacity with the zeal and fidelity that they expect.

CLEVELAND'S forthcoming message is awaited with considerable curiosity by a large number of people who can not imagine how he is going to account for the recent reverses of his party without saying some severe things about his own administration.

The members of Mr. Cleveland's bond syndicate are rubbing their hands gleefully, and occasionally exhorting on their hands to insure a stronger hold, while smilingly contemplating their next opportunity to grab a few millions of the people's money.

A CORRESPONDENT writing from London says he has learned by residence there that "to win English approval one must belittle things American." Ambassador Bayard evidently understands this and is doing his best—or worst—to make himself popular with Englishmen.

The Philadelphia Record is very much agitated over the fact that while the Republican vote in Pennsylvania this fall was 59,286 less than in 1892, the Democratic vote was 169,873 less. The Record thinks "it is not so much a Republican triumph as a Democratic give away. In the genius for organizing progressive disaster the Democratic leadership in Pennsylvania stands peerless."

TALKING of Republican victories the result in old Virginia ought not to be overlooked. It was not a sweep like Maryland and Kentucky but the Republicans made great gains. Notwithstanding the rotten and wicked system of registration to make fraud easy, the Republicans won this fall in many legislative districts. A year ago, there wasn't a Republican in the legislature, now thirty members of the House and six Senators are Republicans. This is a big victory and ought not to be overlooked.

The Secretary of Agriculture at Washington says in his report that he has saved during the year \$55,000 of the \$878,438 84 appropriated for the maintenance of the Weather Bureau. The Secretary seems to think that his mission is to adjust everything and to prune and pare everywhere, so that he can show an unexpended balance at the end of the year. The people would rather have accuracy and reliability even at the outlay of additional money than predictions which savor of the character of those in old-time almanacs, and we may expect any day to find in the weather bulletin that there is a prospect of colder weather between now and Christmas, or before the opening of spring.

The Republican county committee of Jefferson county, at its meeting last week, unanimously endorsed Hon. James G. Mitchell for re-election to the State Senate, and asked the Republicans throughout the district to join in his retention as their representative. A wiser thing they could not do, if they are desirous of having a strictly first class man to represent them in the Senate of the State. In all of the fifty that went to make up that body last winter none were more watchful of the welfare of their constituents, or could accomplish as much with as little fuss, than Senator Mitchell. His popularity in both the Senate and House made him a power for good to his people, who will err grievously if they fail to return him.

It was Nicholas I., of Russia, in January, 1844, in conversation with the British minister at St. Petersburg, who called Turkey the sick man of Europe and proposed that the leading Powers should partition the empire and obliterate it from the map as an independent nation. But England supposed that Russia had designs upon Constantinople, and, instead of an absorption of Turkey, there was a Crimean war. It is hoped this time that the Powers will work out the problem in agreement.

SENATOR FYRE points out that the opening of the Nicaragua Canal would place us as near Hong Kong as England, 1200 miles nearer all the northern ports of China than she, 1900 miles nearer Japan, and 1000 nearer Australia. Furthermore, the time between New York and San Francisco by steamer would be reduced about one half, with a large reduction in freight charges. These considerations seem to him sufficient to justify our Government in giving all possible encouragement to the enterprise.

THE Kentucky Court of Appeals, the highest court in that State, has just decided a case involving the right of a presiding officer to count a quorum present but not voting. The case sprang out of the proceedings of the City Council of Paducah, Ky., the Commonwealth having brought suit against the Mayor for usurpation of office. In giving its decision the Court said that "those present, as shown by the roll call or otherwise, may be counted to make the quorum, but if they do not vote they must be deemed to acquiesce in the action of those who do vote."

This decision sustaining ex-Speaker Reed in his famous quorum counting rule is a little late, but coming as it does from a high Democratic Court in Kentucky the indorsement will be accepted for what it is worth. It is to be hoped, though, that the Louisville Courier-Journal will not go into a hysterical spasm and try to express its mental contentions in circus poster type as it did in 1890, when Speaker Reed counted a quorum in the House of Representatives.

NEWS NOTES.

Since 1894 the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania has expended \$9,974,900 for the care and education of soldiers' orphans. No other state has equalled or approached this record.

Owing to the killing frost last January, the orange crop in Florida, which usually begins to reach the market in large quantity about this season of the year, is almost a complete failure. The crop this year will not be over 100,000 boxes, whereas an average crop is in the neighborhood of 5,000,000 boxes. The Jamaica orange will arrive soon after the holidays. Later we will get the fruit from Sicily, from Valencia, Spain, and finally, from California.

The most accurate petroleum statistics that can be obtained place the total production of the United States in 1894 at 49,344,000 bbls. Although Pennsylvania is still the largest producer of any State, she falls short by over 6,500,000 bbls. of supplying half the entire product. Her output was 18,078,416 bbls. That of some of the other states, in round numbers, was: Ohio, 16,792,000; West Virginia, 8,577,000; Indiana, 3,688,000; New York, 942,000; California, 705,000; Colorado, 513,000; Kansas, 40,000.

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Executor's Notice.

Notice is hereby given that letters testamentary on the estate of Susanna Custis, late of Barnert township, Forest county, Pa., deceased, have been granted to the undersigned. All persons indebted to said estate will please make payment at once, and those having claims against the same will present them, duly authenticated. J. C. KENYON, Executor. Cocksburg, Pa., Nov. 11, 1895.

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