

ADAM BIRD wants to be the next governor of Mississippi. He is under-terred by the fate of a Swallow in Pennsylvania.

ADMIRAL SCHLEY also announces that he is a Republican. Democrats are getting scarce except in the benighted sections of Missouri.

ONE of the gains of the war is a practical knowledge of what is necessary for harbor defense. In many ports the work is going steadily forward.

The increase in the foreign trade of the United States this year exceeds in value the entire foreign trade of the country for any year preceding 1850.

THE German Emperor has not stated whether his interest in the sick men of Europe, Turkey and Spain, is philanthropic, medical or diplomatic.

GEN. MILES says the war was without a defeat for the American side. Not a prisoner, a flag or a rifle was lost. The record of success is extraordinary.

If there was a Nicaragua canal the Oregon and Iowa would be at Honolulu instead of at a Brazilian port on the way around the farthest end of South America.

THE reported pluralities in the election last week foot up 733,000 Republican, 486,000 Democratic, giving the Republicans a lead on the popular vote of 247,000.

DEMOCRATIC Congressmen in Kentucky who have been counted in by the infamously partisan election boards of that State will be given short shrift in the next House.

In 1892 the Democrats of Connecticut gave Cleveland 82,787 votes. The Democratic vote this year was 64,251. It is a fair specimen of the effects of the Chicago platform.

PROMISES having been made that the new capitol at Harrisburg will be ready for meeting day, the legislators of '99 will not be obliged to go to church all winter, often three times daily, Sundays excepted.

In response to an appeal by Geo. Wheeler over 100 American colleges have each offered to take two or more young Cubans to be educated free. The humanitarian side of the Cuban question is not overlooked.

THE Madrid correspondent of the London Standard says: "Spain will decline indemnity for the Philippines if the sum offered appears adequate in the eyes of the nation." Spain would rather have no bread than half a loaf.

ACCORDING to one of the witnesses before the war investigating commission, many of the sick soldiers at Moniak Point were killed by kindness. The volunteer nurses fed them luxuries which should have been withheld.

AFTER the Senatorial elections the Democratic party will possibly be able to realize what a good thing the Chicago platform is—for the opposition. Not a populous northern State will be represented in the Senate by a Democrat and Mr. Kenney will be the only Democratic member from the East.—Washington Post.

THE Dingley law put the country in good condition for war and helped it every day during the war. It put the balance of trade in our favor before the war and it has held it there under the extraordinary conditions of the last four months. It was intended as a peace law, but it has done good service as a war measure.

MR. KEELY, whose motor never would move, but who has had the whole world on the tip-toe of expectancy at times, is dead. He expired Friday last, at his home in Philadelphia, of pneumonia. Keely fooled a good many scientific men with his invention (?), but the contrivance never did any "moting" to speak of.

WANAMAKER says Senator Quay cannot be re-elected. But Wanamaker is a poor guesser. After trying to wreck the Republican party and making such a miserably poor list of it, he has the gall to try to dictate who shall be elected Senator from this State. His methods of running up and down the State robbing Swallows' nests were squarely set upon by the voters, and he ought to realize by this time that he's been repudiated.

THE next Legislature will have 254 members. Of these Mr. Wanamaker says 155 are anti-Quay and for Senator Quay 99. But the people have learned to distrust Mr. Wanamaker's predictions. Prominent Republicans declare that a majority of the members of the Legislature are Quay men. They are more likely to be correct than Mr. Wanamaker.—Warren Mirror.

HON. JOHN P. ELKIN who conducted the late Republican campaign with so much ability and vigor, is very likely to be our next Attorney-General. He is familiar with the duties of the office, and well qualified to perform them. His appointment to the place would be regarded by the public in general as most fitting and proper, and there is little doubt but William A. Stone takes the same view of it. To a man up a tree it looks as though John P. Elkin was pretty nearly all right.—Punzy Spirit.

THE New York Commercial says: Gov. D. H. Hastings of Pennsylvania is known among his friends by the sobriquet of "Big Dan," on account of his immense stature. Governor-elect William A. Stone is perfectly eligible to be called "Big Bill" as governor as he has been in private life. He stands six feet three inches in his stockings and is built in proportion. Besides being interested in manufacturing enterprises, Col. Stone owns row after row of houses in Allegheny City, his home, and many a tenant, out of employment, can attest to the generosity and kindness of the man who will soon be Pennsylvania's chief executive.

THE new voting machine tried at Rochester, N. Y., at the late election was a complete success. Although about 28,000 votes were cast, the exact result in all the election districts was ascertained in less than one hour after the polls closed. The machine is simple, being a booth in which but one voter can be at a time. He presses a button opposite the name of each candidate for whom he wishes to vote. The pressing of the button locks all other buttons for the same office, making repeating impossible. As the man steps out and closes the door the buttons are automatically made ready for the next voter. The machine receives, counts and foots up aggregates as voting progresses. It preserves absolute secrecy and registers with accuracy.

WE have it upon authority of the Erie Dispatch that Mr. Higgins has decided to contest the result of the election in this district before the congressional committee on elections of the next congress. Upon the face of the returns Mr. Gaston has been successful by eighteen votes. As a general proposition, we are opposed to contests of this character. They do more harm than good, almost invariably. However, if Mr. Higgins believes himself to have been rightfully elected, it is his duty to make a contest. He should not only make a contest, but he should leave no stone unturned to bring the violators of the law to the bar of justice. Under any other circumstances a contest would, we believe, be a mistake. On purely technical grounds or because of informality it would find little favor with the Republicans of this district.—Titusville Herald.

A Notable Message. Veteran Gen. Joseph Wheeler has congratulated Governor-elect Roosevelt. So has Admiral George Dewey, in a cable dispatch from the Philippines. But rejoicing over Col. Roosevelt's splendid victory is not confined to his comrades-in-arms of the war with Spain any more than it is to men of his own party affiliations. One of the messages received at Col. Roosevelt's home is this, from the most distinguished Democratic citizen of Massachusetts:

"My Dear Roosevelt—Congratulations, young man, on a conquest the most plucky I have ever known, and followed by the success which so much luck deserves, but does not always achieve." These are the words of the Hon. Richard Olney of Boston, Mr. Cleveland's secretary of state, and the moving power in the greatest achievement of President Cleveland's second term, and one of the grandest achievements of American statesmanship. As the Boston Journal very forcefully remarks, it all goes to emphasize the truth that Col. Roosevelt's victory is something more than a mere triumph of a political party calling itself by one name over a political party calling itself by another. It is a victory for certain fundamental ideas of Americanism and of honest government.—Erie Dispatch.

Late to bed and early to rise prepares a man for his home in the skies. But early to bed and a Little Early Riser, the pill that makes life longer and better and wiser. Heath & Killmer.

THE report of Fourth Assistant Postmaster General Bristow for the fiscal year ending June 30, shows that Pennsylvania ranks second in the number of Presidential offices, having 284. The total number of fourth class offices, in the State during the year was 4,871, and the average salaries of fourth-class postmasters was \$172.91. The whole number of postoffices of all classes in the State was 5,155, and the gross receipts were \$7,721,053. The average amount expended per capita was \$1.31.

THAT's a bad old girl at Dawson, who, whenever she loses her temper, throws a lighted lamp at an imaginary enemy. Within the past year three fires have occurred in that icy town which were caused by Mrs. Belle Mitchell's uncontrollable temper, the latest having taken place on October 6, and resulted in the destruction of \$500,000 worth of property. In each instance she hurled a lamp at a woman with whom she had been quarreling. Belle and the Chicago cow, which kicked over the lantern, would make good companions.

Killing the Mudjokiva. Armed with pitchfork and with corn-knife, With his feelings boiling over; Frothing, fuming, effervescing, Went the doughty Wanamaker, Crying out for bitter vengeance. "I will tell the people," said he, "How a monstrous Mudjokiva Has been sapping at their substance— Eating out their very vitals, Robbing them of independence. And I'll teach this Mudjokiva Not to monkey with the buzz-saw. When I want a thing, I want it, And I'll kick if I don't get it. When they turned me down for Peurose They committed a great error. If they do not make me captain I will scuttle their old vessel." Thus spake bold John Wanamaker As he went upon the hustings. Savagely he swung his corn-knife— Viciously he jabbed his pitchfork At the phantoms of his frenzy, Like the valiant Don Quixote. And he thought when he had finished There would hardly be a grease-spot Of the former Grand Old Party. But imagine his amazement When the votes were cast and counted! Not a thing had he accomplished, Save his own elimination From the councils of his party. And the monstrous Mudjokiva Which he sought to slay asunder And reduce to very nice-meat, Was as vigorous as ever. —Punzy Spirit.

U. S. Oyster Supper. On Friday night, Nov. 11, an oyster supper was served at Porkey, Pa., by the Union Society, the proceeds of which are to be used in buying an organ for the organization. The favorable turn out was much appreciated by the society. Owing to the rage of diphtheria in Kellewille, our sister order, the Dewey Club, was not represented. Three members and three ex-members of the Mayburg "Sisy" Club were present. The success in disposing of oysters was most excellent. The guess cake brought about \$3, while the "last nickel" cake brought \$6.25. It is a feeling throughout the community that Union Society has been a long needed organization, as it furnishes both instruction and amusement for its members. Its career, though short, has been brilliant and enterprising, and its steadily increasing membership is encouraging to all interested. The colors, which are blue and white, emblematic of peace and purity, express the spirit of the society. Our next "doings" have been indefinitely postponed. Sec.

The Rev. Irl K. Hicks Annual Almanac and monthly paper, Word and Works, are now known from sea to sea. We are pleased to call the attention of our readers to the almanac for 1899, now ready. It is a splendidly printed and illustrated book of 116 pages and the storm forecasts and diagrams and astronomical and scientific matter are superior to anything that has ever been seen before in a 25 cent book. His monthly journal, Word and Works, is one of the best literary, home and scientific magazines in the country, beside containing his monthly storm forecasts with explanations. The subscription price of Word and Works is \$1.00 per year and a copy of the Hicks Almanac is sent as a premium to every yearly subscriber. Single copies of Word and Works, 10 cents. Price of Almanac, alone, 25 cents. Send your order to Word and Works Pub. Co., 2201 Locust Street, St. Louis, Mo.

Photographs. I wish to inform the people of Tionesta that the gallery will be open for business on Wednesday of each week. I will be there myself and make all sittings. Under this arrangement work will be promptly finished. We expect to do good work at reasonable prices, therefore ask a share of your patronage. J. W. SIBES.

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THEY DECLARE FOR QUAY.

Republican Members of the Senate and House Say They Will Vote For His Re-election. PHILADELPHIA LEADS OFF.

Wanamakerism Given a Stinging Rebuke in the Home of the Ambitious Millionaire, Where His Political Aspirations Met With an Overwhelming Condemnation in the Seventy-five Thousand Plurality Given Colonel Stone by the Quaker City Republicans, and Now Their Representatives in the Legislature Turn Him Down Hard.

Philadelphia, Nov. 22.—Quickly following Colonel Quay's formal announcement of his candidacy for re-election to the United States senate members of both branches of the legislature in this city, the home of John Wanamaker, have come out in public declarations of their intention to vote for the re-election of the senior senator. It has been a source of keen disappointment to the Wanamaker managers to read these hearty expressions of good will for Senator Quay, after the malignant and desperate assaults that have been made upon him personally and politically. The fact that many members of the legislature who had been counted upon to oppose Senator Quay have already proclaimed their purpose to vote for him surprised the amateur politicians who have been prominent in the Wanamaker organization.

Here are a few significant expressions from both senators and representatives: Senator John M. Scott, who served in the house for some time, and was honored with an election to the senate in the Sixth district, talked interestingly on Quay's candidacy. "It will be a pleasure for me," said he, "to vote for Colonel Quay for United States senator. His stalwart Republicanism and his superb leadership must commend him to the members of his party. Who can forget the gallant fight made against the Democracy when, in the bitterest campaign in the history of this country, he succeeded in landing the party triumphant in the Harrison-Cleveland contest of 1887? In this memorable campaign he set to work from the outset right in the heart of the 'enemy's country,' and it was but a short time before he had Tammany Hall at bay. When the Tammanyites saw defeat staring them in the face they once more attempted their desperate tactics of counting out a successful Republican candidate for president. They found that for once they had met their match—Quay was there, and that tells the story.

Senator Quay's service in the United States senate for Pennsylvania, for her industries and her people, are a matter of history. There could be no higher tribute paid to him than the noble words from the lips of President McKinley, when at the doorsteps of his own home in Canton, O., he addressed a delegation of Pennsylvanians who called upon him in the last presidential campaign. Major McKinley at that time referred to Colonel Quay's speech in the senate in opposition to the Wilson bill, which was the longest address ever made in that body, and which would, no doubt, have lasted many days longer had not the Democrats yielded to Senator Quay's demands in the interests of Pennsylvania's industries. Senator Quay's labors in behalf of the commerce of his native and neighboring states, by his staunch advocacy in Washington of measures looking to the improvement of the Delaware river and harbor and of the water highways in western Pennsylvania are in line with his watchful concern for the interests of his constituents. In Senator Quay Pennsylvania has in the United States senate a man of marvelous influence with Republicans throughout the nation, and especially with his colleagues in congress. Any legislation that may be needed by the commercial and industrial interests of Pennsylvania will be backed by Senator Quay, thus equipped as could be no other man that might be sent to Washington from Pennsylvania. "The personal qualities of Senator Quay, his scholarly attainments and loyalty to his friends commend him to all who know him.

QUAY'S SOLDIER RECORD. "This a patriotic year. Colonel Quay was a brave Union soldier with an honorable record in action, and he was honored by congress with a medal of honor for his heroic service while on the field of battle. Pennsylvania having just honored another brave soldier, Colonel William A. Stone, by electing him with a magnificent majority to the governorship, it is fitting and proper that the Keystone state should send Colonel Quay, a soldier, to the senate in January next for Senator Quay, and I have no doubt but that he will be elected and that his election will meet with the approval of the people of Pennsylvania."

State Senators George A. Vane, Francis A. Osborne and Charles L. Brown, of Philadelphia, and Representatives Mackey, Selby, Adams, Whittingham, Grambsch, Noblitt, Salter, Reibel, Fahy, Lloyd, Keyser and a dozen other Philadelphia members of the house have within the last few days come out publicly in favor of the re-election of Senator Quay, and declared their intention to vote for him. And so it is, the feeling among Republicans in favor of Senator Quay's re-election is such that no tactics to which his opponents may resort, nor the expenditure of any amount of money, can defeat him.

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WESTERN NEW YORK AND PENNSYLVANIA RAILWAY. TIME TABLE, to effect Oct. 30, 1898. Trains leave Tionesta for Oil City and points west as follows: No. 31 Buffalo Express, daily except Sunday, 12:00 noon. No. 61 Way Freight (carrying passengers), daily except Sunday, 4:50 p. m. No. 33 Oil City Express, daily except Sunday, 7:40 p. m. For Hickory, Tidoute, Warren, Kinzua, Bradford, Olean and the East: No. 39 Olean Express, daily except Sunday, 8:45 a. m. No. 52 Pittsburgh Express, daily except Sunday, 4:19 p. m. No. 60 Way Freight (carrying passengers to Irvinton) daily except Sunday, 9:50 a. m. Get Time Tables and full information from W. H. SAUL, Agent, Tionesta, Pa. R. BELL, Gen'l Supt. J. A. FELLOWS, Gen'l Passenger & Ticket Agent, General office, Money-Brisbane Bld Cor. Main and Clinton Sts., Buffalo, N. Y.

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