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Former State Senator Goes to Prison.

CHICAGO, Nov. 28.—Alonzo J. Whitman, former state senator in the Minnesota legislature and prominent in politics in that state, who disappeared after being convicted of forgery in this city, and who was recently re-arrested in New York, was taken to the house of correction today to serve a sentence of two years. Whiteman said that he would at once appeal his case to the supreme court.

The Best Plaster.

A piece of flannel dampened with Chamberlain's Pain Balm and bound to the affected parts is superior to any plaster, remedy is given as soon as the child becomes hoarse, or even after the croupy cough has appeared, it will prevent the attack. Many mothers who have croupy children always keep the remedy at hand and find that it saves them much trouble and worry. It can always be depended upon and is pleasant to take. For sale by all druggists.

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## ARE LOOKING AHEAD.

Pennsylvania Republicans Lining Up For the National Campaign.

NO TIME FOR INSURGENTS.

Masses of the Voters Not Ready to Be Associated With the Democracy on the Eve of a Great Presidential Battle.

(Special Correspondence.)

Harrisburg, Nov. 28.—During the last week there have been a number of prominent Republicans here from different sections of the state on both official and private business, and an opportunity has been afforded for sounding them as to the sentiment in the Republican party in their respective localities. The opinion was unanimous that the stalwarts are everywhere in a happy frame of mind as the result of the late election, and that the party organization was never in a more healthy condition to begin a presidential campaign. The success of so many county tickets where the outcome of the last election had been regarded as doubtful, was most gratifying, and now the closing up of the lines for the next year's fight with the Democracy indicates a better feeling among Republicans throughout the commonwealth.

The complete roster of the Democrats and their insurgent allies at the election fairly dazed the leaders of the bolting Republican contingent. They have been trying ever since to reform their lines and to get themselves together. They have found that while a few disgruntled and disappointed ex-officers, who still have aspirations in the same direction, are getting together in Philadelphia under the Flinn-Martin leadership, with Wamaker money back behind them, they are woefully lacking in followers. Republicans of the rank and file want to stand by the party organization with a presidential campaign coming on, and they have no idea of joining an insurgent outfit which must co-operate with the Democracy if they hope to make any showing at the polls in the future. The Republicans of the interior counties realize that the only road to preferment is through their organization, and they look over the long line of distinguished party leaders and see that they all found success through loyalty to their party organization.

ROOSEVELT A STALWART.

A most conspicuous case in recent years is that of Theodore Roosevelt, who, while undoubtedly a sincere reformer, was quick to realize that the only way to accomplish his aims was through the medium of the Republican organization to which he owed allegiance. While some of the notoriety seeking reformers, who have never accomplished anything practical, are still maligning Senator Platt in the Empire state, Roosevelt has, with Platt's aid, brought about many reforms in the government of New York state. He has found that Platt is not half as bad as the professional reformers would have the people believe and that his services can frequently be utilized to the advantage of the citizens of his native state.

The men who are waging war upon Colonel Quay in this state are also through the Wamaker newspapers of Philadelphia, attacking Senator Platt of Ohio, and they find nothing good to commend in the administration of President McKinley. Editorial assaults upon the McKinley administration are becoming quite as conspicuous and as frequent as attacks upon Colonel Quay, and Senators Platt and Hanna are roasted almost every day. How these men can expect Republicans to follow their selfish and insurgent leadership, when the welfare of the Republican party in the country depends that there shall be a harmonious organization to start the battle of next year, is a mystery to practical minds.

Because Platt and Hanna appreciate the strength of Quay and his ability to help the Republican national campaign next year, they are made the subjects of bitter personal abuse in Wamaker newspapers.

QUAY'S STRENGTH AT WASHINGTON.

A special dispatch from Washington reviewing the situation as to the proposed seating of Colonel Quay by the United States senate, says:

"Colonel M. S. Quay will undoubtedly be seated by the United States senate. It will only require a majority vote to accomplish this result, and it can be positively stated that two-thirds of the total membership of the senate will be recorded in his favor. In other words, out of the 86 senators Colonel Quay will be supported by about 60. The names of all the senators who will vote to seat the distinguished Pennsylvanian are in the possession of Senator Quay's intimate friends here, but they will not be made public at present for the reason that quite a number of the pledges of support have been given in confidence.

"One factor that has materially contributed to the large vote which Colonel Quay will receive has been the methods employed by the insurgent leaders in Pennsylvania to accomplish his defeat. A distinguished Democratic senator from the south, who is a close student of state politics, said that he had but recently made up his mind to vote in favor of Quay.

WILL VOTE FOR QUAY.

"I have always voted against seating gubernatorial appointees when the legislature has failed to elect," said the senator, "but I have decided to do otherwise in the Pennsylvania case. My vote this time shall be cast to rebuke the money power in politics. I see by the newspapers that a crowd of disgruntled politicians, most of whom have fattened at the public crib for years and have thereby accumulated fortunes, are perfecting an organization in Philadelphia having for its purpose the defeat of Senator Quay in the next legislature. It has been published and not denied that, aided by a certain very wealthy merchant prince who has for many years nursed senatorial ambitions, they propose to raise a vast sum of money, estimated at not less

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## DEMOCRATIC DEMOCRACY.

men who hold office through Democratic votes were disloyal to Creasy at the recent election.

Among other things, The Sentinel says:

"Duty and common honesty demand that we speak plainly. About the first duty the Democracy of Columbia county has to perform is to weed out the traitors, and the sooner the weeding out process begins the better for the party and the people. Talk about ingratitude. Men holding high official positions have actually combined with the Republicans or quietly stabbed the party in the back. It may be that men who so far forget themselves are happy over their efforts to disorganize, but all honest and straightforward men will place the proper standard upon their principles and honor.

"It don't pay to be dishonest in politics. If a Democrat can't be square with his party while in office he should be man enough to go squarely over to the Republicans so the public may know where to find him."

It is suggested that at the next meeting of the Flinn-Martins Mr. Creasy be invited to be present in order that he may read the above editorial comment for the benefit of the Republican officeholders, Flinn and Martin, and the other leading members of the legislature and the corps of Republican ex-officers, headed by former Governor Hastings, who have been co-operating with the Democracy for the last two years.

How many of them will follow the advice from this Creasy organ and "go squarely over" to the Democratic party?

PASSING OF M'MANES.

The death of James McManes, the veteran Republican leader, was part of the history of the last week. In earlier days his political power in Philadelphia was great. He made and unmade candidates for office, and he was ever in the thick of the fight. He will be remembered for his executive ability as a leader, and now that old acquaintances have been forgotten, there will be few even among those who fought him hardest who will not say a kind word for him.

HOBART LAID AT REST.

Last Ceremonies Over the Dead at Paterson, N. J.

PATERSON, N. J., Nov. 27.—Garrett A. Hobart, late vice president of the United States, was buried Saturday afternoon amid solemn and impressive ceremonies. The crowd which surrounded the Church of the Redeemer and packed the streets in its neighborhood was an immense one and the police had their hands full in maintaining order.

The services in the church occupied over an hour and were conducted by the Rev. Dr. Magie, assisted by the Rev. Dr. Milburn, the blind chaplain of the senate. The music was furnished by the Orpheus club, of which Mr. Hobart was an honored member.

The president and cabinet members of the supreme court, senate and house of representatives occupied pews in the front portion of the church.

The scene in the church during the services was very impressive, tears springing to the eyes of many of the auditors as the Rev. Dr. Magie spoke of the good traits of the deceased.

After the services had ended the president and cabinet accompanied the remains as far as the door and then proceeded to their carriages and were driven to Attorney General Griggs' home.

The body bearers were officers of the Capitol police, in full uniform, commanded by Captain A. P. Gordien. Then followed the personal pallbearers, members of the senate and house.

Only the relatives and a few intimate friends of the family followed the remains to Cedar Lawn cemetery, where they were placed in a receiving vault until arrangements for burial can be consummated.

The services at the house were attended by the family, the president and his cabinet, members of the senate and house of representatives of the United States and intimate personal friends of the family. They were conducted by Rev. Dr. Magie, who also officiated at the church services.

During the services the bells of all the churches were tolled at intervals in commemoration of the deceased.

Body Will Be Placed in Vault.

PATERSON, N. J., Nov. 27.—There was a big crowd of visitors to the city yesterday. The street in front of Carroll Hall, the Hobart home, was crowded all day. The greatest crowd, however, gathered at Cedar Lawn cemetery. There a special detail of police had to be maintained to prevent the crowds from trampling upon the graves and plots about the receiving vault.

It is likely Mr. Hobart's body will be placed in the ground. It is the intention of the family to erect a tomb upon the plot of land where Miss Fannie Hobart lies and beside whose body it was generally supposed the body of Mr. Hobart would be placed. The work will probably be commenced soon, so it is doubtful if the body of the vice president will be moved until the tomb of the family is erected.

Hobart's Life Insurance Paid.

PATERSON, N. J., Nov. 28.—The companies holding risks on the life of Vice President Hobart yesterday sent his executors their checks for the amount of the policies. The Equitable Life Assurance society had \$100,000, and the New York Life insurance had \$55,000.

Engineer's Shocking Death.

POUGHKEEPSIE, N. Y., Nov. 28.—Charles Leroy, 17 years of age, of New Hamburg, met a shocking death on the little steamboat Messenger. The young man, who was training to be an engineer under his uncle, George Terwilliger, who owns and commands the vessel, went down into the hold to oil the shaft, taking with him a lighted lantern. After a while his uncle heard a strange thumping sound in the hold and went down to investigate. He found the hold on fire, the lantern having been broken and the oil spilled on the wooden floor. After putting out the fire he discovered the body of his nephew terribly mangled. The young man's coat had become caught in the shafting and he had been literally pounded to death.

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## DEMOCRATIC DEMOCRACY.

Guffey in a Bad Way to Work With Republican Insurgents.

HIS PARTY SADLY WRECKED.

Insincerity of the Bolters' Claims Exposed in a Frantic Trade Against Senator Who Refused to Support Creasy.

(Special Correspondence.)

Philadelphia, Nov. 28.—The political wisacres were treated to a rare spectacle this week in the convocation of the wise men of the Democracy of Pennsylvania represented by the members of the executive committee of the Democratic state committee, along with Colonel James Madison Guffey, the ambitious millionaire, who represents the Democratic party of the Keystone state in the Democratic national committee. They met in this city and it was announced that they came to investigate the causes of the falling off of the Democratic vote at the recent election in Philadelphia. Before they left town they had a bigger job on their hands. They found it necessary to inquire into the reasons why the Democratic voters in "certain counties"—which meant nearly all of them—did not go to the polls and cast their ballots for William T. Creasy, who posed before the voters of Pennsylvania in the late campaign as a "farmer." His posing was not, however, a great success. The people soon became aware of the fact that he is what is known as a "political farmer." He was out for office and the farm came in for subsequent consideration.

But that as it may, many Democrats did not vote for him.

Colonel Guffey got his lieutenants here to talk the whole matter over and figure out where Colonel Guffey "was at" in his aspirations to go to the United States senate from Republican Pennsylvania. With the Democratic party in such a bad shape, Colonel Guffey was at a loss to see how he could take advantage of the support of the Republican insurgents under the leadership of the Flinn-Martins.

A CHANGED PROGRAM.

The original program of the Guffeyites was to clean out the Philadelphia Democracy. But they were called down by Chairman Donnelly, of the Democratic committee of this city. He pointed out that the small vote for Creasy in Philadelphia was proportionately no worse than the returns from Colonel Guffey's own county of Allegheny showed, and that Lancaster and other counties of the state were quite as emphatic in turning down the Democratic candidate for state treasurer, who thought he could be elected because he was smiled upon by the Wamakers, the Flinn, the Martins and the others who have gone outside of the Republican organization, either to get office or seek revenge upon the men who have been chosen by the Republican voters of the state to manage their organization.

The executive committee of the Democratic state committee will accordingly appoint a committee to investigate the causes of the falling off of the Democratic vote in "certain counties of the state."

And it will be found that Democrats as well as Republicans were disgusted with the "unholy alliance" of the Democratic leaders with the repudiated Republican insurgents.

THE OTHER SIDE.

The insincerity of the political preachings of the Flinn-Martins and their Democratic allies in Pennsylvania politics is again exposed in the wild rantings of the Democratic organ of Mr. Creasy's home county over the crushing rebuke administered by the people to the men at the head of the campaign of phariseism from which this state has just emerged. Mr. Creasy, a Bryanite Democrat, went up and down the state calling upon Republicans to desert their party candidates and vote for him. In this canvass he was assisted by all the Flinn-Martins of the so-called Republican insurgent combine. These Republican bolters, while still professing to be Republicans, contributed time and money to the cause of the Democratic nominee for state treasurer. They were indignant when they were accused of treachery and disloyalty to the Republican party. Mr. Creasy's champions, with an assumed possession of all the virtues, sought to make the people believe that it was no act of party disloyalty for a Republican to vote for Mr. Creasy and cut Colonel Barnett, because, although they admitted that Colonel Barnett was nominated by the Republican state convention without a single vote being cast against him, they said he was the candidate for "the machine." For this alleged reason Colonel Barnett was not entitled to the support of the Republican voters, despite the fact that they duly chosen representatives in convention assembled had nominated him unanimously.

This preaching of Creasy and the combination of Flinn-Martins does not seem to have borne much fruit in the Republican party. Of course, many politicians attached to the old combine cut Barnett and voted for Creasy, but considering the character of the campaign waged for many weeks and the immense sums of money spent to defeat Colonel Barnett, the cutting done was quite immaterial.

DEMOCRATIC INSURGENTS DENOUNCED.

But the hypocrisy of the men who were working up this boom for Creasy is revealed by the outburst of indignation that has come from the Democratic organ in Creasy's own county, of which he was at one time editor, the Democratic Sentinel, of Bloomsburg. It appears that some of the Democrats among his neighbors took Mr. Creasy and his insurgent allies at their word, and concluded that if it was not reasonable for Republicans to cut their regularly nominated candidates for state treasurer, it could not be wrong for Democrats to go outside of their party and vote for Colonel Barnett. This many of them seem to have done, for the Creasy organ is frantic with rage over their having taken Creasy seriously and cut their ticket.

GOOD READING FOR REPUBLICANS.

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