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Harrisburg, Nov. 19.—Encouraged by the magnificent showing made in the recent campaign, when the combined forces of the Democrats and the insurgents failed to accomplish anything more than the election of a few Democratic county officials, the Republican organization leaders of Pennsylvania are now at work preparing for the state campaign of next year.

The Union party managers were very much disappointed over their poor showing after the expenditure of nearly a million of dollars to elect their fusion candidates on the state ticket. The fact that for the second time in five years the Republican state candidates received a majority of the votes cast for all the candidates was an unexpected and very demoralizing revelation to the insurgent Republicans and their Democratic allies when they scanned the returns closely.

STONE A MINORITY CANDIDATE.

When Colonel William A. Stone ran for Governor he was opposed by a similar combination of disgruntled leaders in his own party, and the Democrats made a bitter fight in favor of their candidate, George A. Jenks, one of their strongest and most representative men.

In that contest the Republicans were additionally handicapped by the fact that Rev. Dr. Swallow's candidacy drew from the Republicans many votes. The result was that while Colonel Stone was elected he did not have a majority of all the votes cast, in fact, the Republican vote for the Republican candidate for Governor was 17,313 less than the combined vote for the other candidates.

The Union party men and the Democrats concluded this fall that if they could agree upon a fusion ticket and get their followers to support the same candidates, they would have no difficulty in defeating Representative Harris and Justice Potter, the regular Republican nominees for state treasurer and justice of the supreme court respectively. They made a severe and unwarranted attack upon Justice Potter, and through certain corporation influences they were quite confident of electing Judge Harmon Yerkes, the Democratic candidate for supreme court justice, whose name was placed on the Union party ticket.

REPUBLICANS IN THE MAJORITY.

When they would not bet upon the election of their candidate for district attorney in Philadelphia, where they made their most aggressive campaign, the Union party leaders made a number of wagers that Judge Yerkes would beat Justice Potter.

The returns for the election showed how much they were mistaken.

While Colonel Stone had simply a minority of the vote at the last election for governor, and the records show that in but one election in this state for the last five years the Republican state ticket had a majority vote, the returns from the last election give Mr. Harris, the Republican candidate for state treasurer, a majority of nearly fifty thousand votes over the votes cast for all the other candidates, and Justice Potter ran but a little behind him.

This vote demonstrates the futility of the Union party leaders working for a fusion campaign in the next state fight.

The Republicans when they get out their party vote can readily poll a good majority over the united forces of the Democrats and the Union party candidates, even if they, the Democrats and the Union men, have the same candidates as they did in the late campaign.

The Republicans held less than a dozen meetings in the interior of the state in the late campaign. They depended almost entirely upon the activity of the county committeemen, and the Republican newspapers to present the issues to the people.

LOOKING TO THE FUTURE.

In the coming canvass matters will be different. The Republican state organization will be called upon by the Republican National Committee and the Republican congressional committee to look after the interests of the National Republican organization at next November's election. Members of congress, representatives and United States senators will have to be chosen next year and the issues in which the business interests of the state are vitally concerned will have to be presented to the citizens of the country.

Already the district organizations are being strengthened to insure the election of Republicans to congress from every doubtful district in Pennsylvania. General Frank Reeder, chairman of the Republican State Committee, has been invited to confer with members of the congressional committee at Washington early in December to consider plans for electing Republicans to congress and to arrange to educate the Republican voters on the importance of co-operating with the regular Republican organization in state and national affairs.

PROUD OF THEIR CITY

Indignant Philadelphians Call Halt Upon Insurgent Newspapers.

A POSITIVE REACTION SETS IN

Editors Who Allowed Misrepresentations to Go Unchallenged Now Admit the Quaker City is the Best Governed Municipality in the World.

(Special Correspondence.)

Philadelphia, Nov. 19.—During the recent political campaign the exhibition of mendacity made by certain newspapers opposed to the Republican ticket disgusted many citizens who might otherwise have supported the Union party candidates. In order to create sentiment against the Republican organization, its leaders and its candidates, these newspapers, voicing the spirit of Wanamakerism, misrepresented and maligned many of the public officials of the Quaker City and described the city government as reeking with dishonesty, and the city officials with harboring vice of every form.

These scandalous reports have done much to injure the city in the eyes of the world and the statements made during the heat of the campaign in the insurgent Republican and Democratic newspapers have been copied widely in the Democratic newspapers of the country to the discredit of Philadelphia and the Republican party generally.

CITIZENS ARE AROUSED.

The public spirited citizens interested in the great centers of learning in Philadelphia, the University of Pennsylvania, Jefferson Medical College and other educational institutions with world wide reputations, have at last become aroused to the importance of checking these malicious and damaging reports, and they have impressed this fact upon the editors of some of the more reputable journals of the city which were identified with the campaign against the Republican organization of this city in the political contest just closed.

The Evening Bulletin, which supported the Union ticket, devoted last week nearly two columns of space to show that Philadelphia was never better governed, that her streets were never in finer condition, that her police force and the fire department were never better organized, nor have they ever done better work in protecting the public, that there is less vice in this city than ever before and that no city in the world can compare with Philadelphia in the protection afforded life and property at this time.

While the campaign was under way such a publication would have been as a bomb exploded in the Union party camp, while the Wanamaker newspapers were filled daily with misrepresentations of the city and abuse of its officials.

That the people did not believe nor countenance these newspaper attacks can be imagined from the returns on election night, when John Weaver, the successful Republican candidate for district attorney, was elected by over 43,000 majority with every one of the morning newspapers of Philadelphia, with one exception, the Philadelphia Inquirer, opposing him bitterly, both editorially and in their local news columns.

LITTLE FRAUD DISCLOSED.

The latest effort of the defeated politicians is an attempt to keep alive opposition to the Republican party by a systematic circulation of reports that great frauds were practiced at the late election, and that if the true vote were returned Rothermel would have been elected over Weaver. Out of 1,045 election precincts in this city there have been specific allegations of fraud in but three or four election divisions, and some of these are based upon the statements of men with well-known criminal records. All the men accused reside in what are known as the slum districts, and there is always more or less trouble in these precincts on election day. The fact that Mr. Weaver's majority is over 43,000 precludes possibility of any serious question being raised as to the regularity of his election. He carried three of the four wards in West Philadelphia, the finest residence section in the city, where there could be no suspicion of fraud.

WORKING FOR A CONTEST.

There has been more or less talk in insurgent newspapers about a proposed contest against the successful candidate for supreme court justice, but this agitation has been traced to a few men who have been drawing large salaries from the Union and Democratic party organizations in working up the recent campaign, and they are exceedingly anxious to continue on the payroll. Some of these men are lawyers who have little practice of their own, but who have been taken up by the millionaires who are fighting the Republican party. They have been regularly employed in running the campaign against Republican candidates. If these men can lead the contributors to the Union party campaign fund to believe there is a chance of successfully contesting the election of Justice Potter they will be assured of employment for many months and possibly several years, whether they would win or lose. The proposition to contest the election of Justice Potter is farcical to those who are familiar with the facts of the case.

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Trial List, December Term.
Return day, Monday Dec. 9, 1901 at 2 p.m.
George M. Thrasher vs John Biddle and Wm. Weaver.
1. No. 158, May term, 1890.
Ejectment, plea "not guilty."
Cronin.
Lizzie Drabant vs H. W. Osler.
2. No. 45, September term, 1899.
Trespass, plea, "not guilty."
Mullen. Inghams
The Lyon Lumber Co. vs L. T. Reichart.
3. No. 32, September term, 1900.
Feigned issue, plea, "payment."
Mullen. Bradley.
W. L. Woodruff vs W. W. Jackson.
4. No. 62, September term, 1900.
Ejectment, plea, "not guilty."
Mullen. Walsh.
Rider-Erierson Engine Co. a corporation vs Henry Brown owner or reputed owner and W. McConnell contractor.
5. No. 40, May term, 1901.
Mechanics Lien, plea, "non-assumpsit."
Mullen. Fredericks & Inghams
Rider-Erierson Engine Co. a corporation, vs Carrie C. Brown and Mary D. Brown owners and W. McConnell, contractor.
6. No. 41, May term, 1901.
Mechanics Lien, plea, "non-assumpsit, payment," etc.
Mullen. Munson.
Charles A. Jayne and Lhancy T. Lilley, lately doing business as Lilley & Jayne vs W. W. Jackson, executor and Blanch W. Sturdevant, executrix of Bernice W. Jackson, deceased.
7. No. 77, May term, 1901.
Assumpsit, plea, "non-assumpsit, payment," etc.
Cronin. Walsh.
W. J. LAWRENCE, Prothy.
Proth. office, Laporte Pa., Oct. 26, 1901.

COURT PROCLAMATION.
WHEREAS, HON. E. M. DUNHAM, President Judge, Honorable John S. Line and Jacob Meyer, Associate Judges of the Courts of Oyer and Terminer and General Jail Delivery, Quarter Sessions of the Peace, Orphans' Court and Common Pleas for the County of Sullivan, have issued their precept, bearing date the 5 day of Oct. 1901, to me directed, for holding the several courts in the borough of Laporte, on Monday the 9th day of Dec. 1901, at 2 o'clock p.m.
Therefore, notice is hereby given to the Coroner Justices of the Peace and Constables within the county, that they be then and there in their proper person at 2 o'clock p.m. of said day, with their rolls, records, requisitions, examinations and other returns to these things to which their offices appertain to be done. And to those who are bound by their recognizance to prosecute against prisoners who are or shall be in the jail of the said county of Sullivan, are hereby notified to be then and there to prosecute against them as will be just.
H. W. OSLER, Sheriff.
Sheriff's Office, Laporte, Pa., Oct. 21, 1901.
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First and final account of H. C. Pardee, Administrator of S. H. G. Pardee, decd.
Also the following widows' appraisments have been filed:
Widows' appraisment of J. B. Magargle, decd. and Wm. Messersmith, decd.
And the same will be presented to the Orphans' Court of Sullivan County on Monday, December 9, 1901, at 3 o'clock p.m., for confirmation and allowance.
W. M. LAWRENCE, Register.
Register's office, Laporte, Pa., Nov. 11, 1901.

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10:20	5:20	4:20	2:12	12:55	7:40	Halls	9:55	11:45	4:00	4:45
10:23	5:23	4:23	2:15	1:00	7:45	Hughesville	9:58	11:48	3:57	4:41
10:26	5:26	4:26	2:18	1:10	7:55	Lairdsville	9:11	11:30	3:48	4:32
10:40	5:40	4:40	2:30		8:03	Picture Rocks	9:53	11:22	3:37	4:22
10:44		4:44			8:06	Lions Mills	9:50	11:18	3:33	4:15
10:46		4:46	2:36		8:08	Chamond	9:28	11:35	3:31	4:11
10:53		4:53	2:42		8:14	Glen Mawr	9:22	11:09	3:25	4:06
11:01		5:01			8:22	Strawbridge	9:13	11:01	3:15	3:55
11:06		5:06			8:30	Muney Valley	9:06	10:54	3:18	3:55
11:10		5:10	2:54		8:35	Sonestown	9:00	10:47	3:12	3:49
11:16		5:16	3:00			Northern		10:28		3:32
11:31		5:31				Mokoma		10:07		1:12
11:48		5:48				Laporte		10:04		3:09
11:50		5:50				Ringdale		9:49		2:54
12:07		6:07				Berlice Road		9:40		2:45
12:16		6:16				Satterfield		9:35		2:40
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