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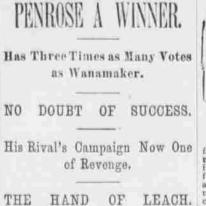


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His Hatred of Quay Causing him to Use the Wanamaker Press Bureau to Gratify His Own Personal Spleen in Vanity-A Bungled Campaign.

PHILADELPHIA, Dec. 28.—Holes Penrose has won the fight for the United States senatorship, and no amount of bluster or manufactured sontiment can possibly change the result between now and the time when the legislature will be called upon to elect the successor to J. Donald Cameron. The young senator from Phil-adelphia is now positive of 152 out of the 215 Republican votes in the next legisla-

ture. Those who are in a position to un-derstand the real political situation in Pennsylvania islieve there will soon be a general scamper, and that a majority of the remaining sixty-three votes will be found in the ranks of the Penrose men, and against Wanamaker.

As a matter of fact, the fight for Wana-maker has virtually closed, and is only being kept up on the surface for the purbeing keys up on the surface for the pur-pose of deceiving the public and gratify-ing the vanity of a few men who cluster around the merchant prince for social, business and pecuniary motives of their own. The whole Wanamaker campaign has now degenerated into a campaign of abuse and exempts and in this unique has now degenerated into a campaign of abuse and revence, and in this unique performance Mr. Frank Willing Leach finds himself employed in a congenial work. Interviews and statements are being sent out assalling Senator Quay and every one else who has the temerity to an nounce himself against Wanamaker, and favor of representing the interests of his constituents.

The 'Take' character of the Business Men's League is now generally understood in all parts of Pensylvania. In the begin-ning, a few business men ware deceived, but they soon saw through the whole selfish scheme and wiped their hands of it. They see now that what was announced as a legitimate business organization is marely a self constituted committee got-ten up by a clique of over-rich Philadel-phia capitalists who desired to further their own selfish intorests at the expense of the people of Pennsylvania.

The most significant feature of the cam-paign at the present time is the willingpage at the person managers to hold an early caucus. The Philadelphia Ledger, noted as one of the most conservative papers in the Quaker City, prints the fol-lowing in its issue of Dec. 26.

"The Penrose managers favor an early caucus of the Republican members of the legislature to vote for a candidate for United States senator. Some of them are agi-tating the question of calling the caucus together on Jan. 6, the day after the legis-lature organizes, although the election of a United States senator to succeed Sonator Cameron cannot be held until Jan. 19. Two weeks before the election is unusual. In 1892 the cancus which agreed upon Sen-ator Quay for re-election must the day be-fore the logislature acted. This year, however, there is a disposition among the Penrose people to hasten matters, in order to commit the members to their candidate and place them on record, so that they could not change to another candidate after voting in the caucus without the risk of having their motives questioned. "The engomess of the Penrose people

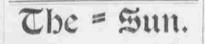
for an early cyneus indicates a confidence that their candidate has pledged to him a majority of the Republican members which Mr. Wanamaker's friends are not willing to admit. Should the caucus be held on Jan. 6, or a day or two later, and decide in favor of Sinator Penrose, the continuance of the agitation on behalf of the defeated candidate's interests would



The skeleton in many a household is the peculiar weak mose of the wife and mother, or of the wife who ought to be a mother and is not Happiness is de-Happiness is de-stroyed by the pres-ence of the secret sickness that may

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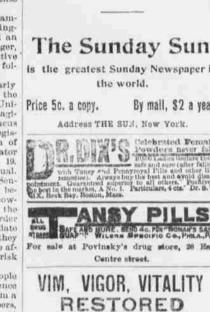
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WASHINGTON, Dec. 23-Secretary Olney yesterday visited the British embassy, where helida long conference by appoint-ment with Sir Julian Panneefore, the British ambassador, relative to the starms of the Venezueian softlement and the general fronty of arbitration between the United States and Great Britain, Mr. Olney's call followed the arrival of Minister Andrade, of Venezuela, and Mr. James J. Storrow, counsel in the Venezuela case. who reached Washington late Sunday evening. The results of the conference were guarded with the utmost secrecy which prevails at meetings between the secretary and the audinessator, but there is good reason to believe it was the occasion for going over several new phases of the Venezuela question which have developed with the recurn of the officials from

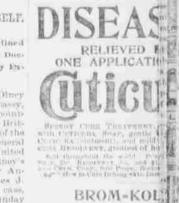
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clusion than has been expected. The plan of an extra assion of the Ven-The plan of an extra acision of the Ven-couchan congress has been practically abandoned. When the settlement was made in Washington, two months ago, little doubt existed that an extra session would be immediately aller by President Crespo. Messrs. Andrade and Storrow left for Caracas to urge President Crespo and the government authorities to secure an immediate acceptance. On arriving at Caracas Mr. Andrada endid Sceretary Olicy that President Crespo would call an extra session. This was received with an extra session. This was received with sufficient at the state department as an evidence that Venezuela would act promptly.

Since then, however, no call for an extra since that, nowever, ho sufficient exists sussion has been issued. It has developed, also, that a strong sentiment exists algunst an extra session, coming only a short time before the regular session of Feb 20. As thirty days must clapse after the notice of an extra session the congress could not possibly convene before Feb. 1 or thereabouts. Under these circumstances or thereabouts. Under these circumstances it is practically settled that there will be no extra seesion, but that the regular se-sion will be advanced, twonty days, under a custom prevailing in Venezuela. The congress meets for two months, according to the law, but usually it has been ex-tended twenty days beyond the two months. It is foll that this extension might be added to the beginning of the might be added to the beginning of the ession with the same propriety as to the

session with the same propriety as to the end of the scalar. For this reason, the political authors is that the Venezuelan authorities will con-vene congress on Pole 1, or twenty days ahead of the usual time. This will give a regular sector without the extra expanse and confusion of an extraordinary assion. The much meeting ugh as to the nature of Venezuela's accept-uses, President Crospo and the governases, ment authorities have expressed subfac-flow with the general results of the settle-ment so far as they seemed arbitration, set they have not yet expressed official ap-proval of all the details of the settlement. On the contrary, there seems to be a very exrest desire at Caracas for more exact information on the terms of the treaty

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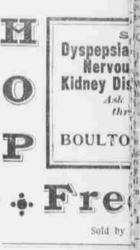
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#### Wanamaker Taotles.

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