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End of the Deadlock in the Lower House of the Legislature.

DEMOCRATS AID THE "BOLTERS."

Louis Schaeffer, of Baltimore City, Chosen For Presiding Officer—A Conflict Between the City and the Country Members.

Annapolis, Md., Jan. 8.—The Republican members of the lower house of the Maryland legislature, after more than two months of "deals" and "promises," failed to agree upon a speaker for the house of delegates, and yesterday 12 of their number, assisted by 41 Democrats, elected Mr. Louis Schaeffer, of Baltimore city, to the position of presiding officer.

It has been a warm struggle throughout. The Baltimore city delegation contended that their 18 votes had given the Republicans the majority, and insisted that they were entitled to the speakership; the county members thought that their 31 votes were entitled to some consideration, and determined that the man to wield the gaved should come from outside the precincts of the metropolis of the state. Seven city members bolted the conference of the city delegation held in Baltimore some weeks ago, and since then chaos has reigned in the Republican ranks.

The Democratic members of the house, realizing that there was not a possibility of electing their candidate for the speakership, Mr. Lloyd Wilkinson, of Worcester county, listened to the overtures of the "bolters," and yesterday "delivered the goods" as agreed upon at a conference held late on Thursday. The thorough organization of the minority was thus illustrated. All phases and factions of Democracy is represented in the minority, yet when the time came there was not a waver in their ranks—each member did as he was directed and cast his secret ballot for a "dyed-in-the-wool" Republican. Preliminary to the balloting Mr. Ashley M. Gould, of Montgomery county, the majority nominee, withdrew, and presented the name of Oscar L. Quinlan, who was on Wednesday elected speaker pro tem. There was one deserter from the ranks of the "regulars," and Mr. Schaeffer received one more vote than was expected, the result being: Schaeffer, 54; Quinlan, 37. There being one absentee—a Democrat—every vote was thus accounted for.

There was no further contest, and the caucus nominees for the other offices of the house were elected viva voce.

Both branches adjourned after the organization of the house until Tuesday evening, Jan. 11. Governor Lowndes announced that he would present his biennial message at that session. Balloting for a successor to United States Senator Arthur P. Gorman will begin in each house a week from that date.

It is easy to catch a cold and just as easy to get rid of it if you commence to use One Minute Cough Cure. It cures coughs, colds bronchitis, pneumonia and all throat and lung troubles. It is pleasant to take, safe to use and sure to cure. C. H. Hagenbuch.

A Drink Crazed Fiend.

New York, Jan. 8.—Michael Healy, crazed by drink and jealousy, crept up behind his wife in their Third avenue home yesterday and crushed her skull with a terrific blow of a stone cutter's mallet. The woman fell headlong down a steep flight of stairs. Her husband landed on the top of her. Picking himself up he rained blow after blow with the mallet upon the unconscious woman's skull. He thought she was dead when at last he stopped. When held in police court without bail Healy said: "I'm sorry I did not make a good job of it. I hit her as hard as I could." The woman has no chance of recovery.

J. A. Perkins, of Antiquity, O., was for thirty years needlessly tortured by physicians for the cure of eczema. He was quickly cured by using DeWitt's Witch Hazel Salve the famous healing salve for piles and skin diseases. C. H. Hagenbuch.

No Pardon For McKane.

Albany, Jan. 8.—It is stated on indisputable authority, despite the rumors to the contrary, that Governor Black will not pardon or commute the sentence of John Y. McKane, a former popular leader of Gravesend, whose term of seven years' imprisonment in Sing Sing will expire in April next by limitation.

Pains in the region of the liver and kidneys can be broken up almost immediately by using Dr. Bull's Pills, the best prescription for liver and kidney troubles. At all dealers, 10 and 25 cts.

City Clerk Sued For Divorce.

Trenton, Jan. 8.—Mrs. Alice K. Varney has brought suit for divorce against her husband, City Clerk Thaddeus P. Varney, of Camden. Della De Haven is made co-respondent. The place and date named are Philadelphia, Jan. 1, 1897. It is understood that Mr. and Mrs. Varney have lived apart for a long time.

Household Gods.

The ancient Greeks believed that the Penates were the gods who attended to the welfare and prosperity of the family. They were worshipped as household gods in every home. The household god of to-day is Dr. Kings New Discovery. For consumption, coughs, colds and for all affections of Throat, Chest and Lungs it is invaluable. It has been tried for a quarter of a century and is guaranteed to cure, or money returned. No household should be without this good angel. It is pleasant to take and a safe and sure remedy for old and young. Free trial bottles at A. Wasley's drug store. Regular size 50 cents and $1.00.

Seeking Refuge For the Yukon.

London, Jan. 8.—Lieutenant D. H. Devore, military secretary of the United States secretary of war, has chartered the Allan line steamer Manitoban, on board of which he sails for Alten, Norway, on Monday next. The Manitoban will call at several Norwegian ports to embark reindeer and Laplanders for the Yukon valley relief expedition, after which she will sail direct for New York.

Prosperity comes quickest to the man whose liver is in good condition. DeWitt's Little Early Risers are famous little pills for constipation, biliousness, indigestion and all stomach and liver troubles. C. H. Hagenbuch.

Captain Devery Promoted.

New York, Jan. 8.—Police Captain Devery, who was twice tried on charges resulting from the Lexow investigation, was yesterday made an inspector by the police commissioners.

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When such a man, a recognized leader and teacher of the people, testifies by his written testimonial that Dr. Greene's Nervura blood and nerve remedy has helped him and that he recommends its use for invigoration after over-work, to restore the strength, energy, nerve force and vitality of the system, when for any reason they are lost, weakened or impaired, those who are sick and suffering, who are weak, nervous, without strength, energy and ambition, who are discouraged and disheartened by repeated failures to be cured, in fact all who have need of a strength-giving and health restoring medicine, can take renewed hope from the words of this great preacher, that Dr. Greene's Nervura is the one remedy among all others to give them back the health and strength they have lost.

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You can be cured if you will use Dr. Greene's Nervura blood and nerve remedy. Strength of nerves, strength of muscle, strength of body, renewed power, ambition and endurance are its wondrous gifts to nerve-weakened, run-down, debilitated, nervous, tired out and exhausted people.

To the despondent and discouraged it is the hope of renewed life,—a new world, as it were, from which pain, suffering and despair are banished; to the weak, tired and prostrate, it is a tower of strength; to the nervous, sleepless, irritable, brain-weary and nerve-racked, it gives natural, refreshing sleep and strong and steady nerves; to the low-spirited sufferers from nervous prostration and female complaints it is the entrance upon a new existence of robust happiness; indeed, the sick and suffering will find in Dr. Greene's Nervura a veritable fountain of health.

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Trains will leave Shenandoah after the above date for Wiggans, Gilberton, Frackville Dark Water, St. Clair, Pottsville, Hamburg, Reading Pottstown, Phoenixville, Norristown and Philadelphia (Broad street station) at 5 08 and 11 05 a. m. and 4 20 p. m. on week days. Sundays, 6 08 a. m., 3 10 p. m. For Pottsville and intermediate stations only 9 17 a. m. week days. Sundays, 9 45 a. m.

Leave Shenandoah for Pottsville (via Delano) 7 38, 9 14 a. m., 12 58, 3 10, 6 00, 8 42 p. m. week days. Sundays, 9 10 a. m., 12 50 and 6 31 p. m.

Trains leave Frackville for Shenandoah at 10 40 a. m. and 12 31, 5 41, 7 52 and 10 37 p. m. Sunday, 11 13 a. m, and 5 41 p. m.

Leave Pottsville for Shenandoah (via Frackville 10 15 a. m., 12 35, 5 15, 7 25 and 10 10 p. m. Sunday 10 40 a. m., 5 15 p. m.

Leave Pottsville for Shenandoah (via Delano) 6 00, 7 45, 9 05 a. m., 12 35, 3 00, 5 40 p. m. week days. Sundays, 8 45 a. m 12 35 and 6 10 p. m.

Leave Philadelphia, (Broad street station), for Shenandoah at 5 57, 8 35 and 10 19 a. m., 4 10 and 7 1 p. m. week days. Sundays leave at 6 50 a. m.

Leave Broad street station, Philadelphia, for Sea Girt, Asbury Park, Ocean Grove, Long Branch, and intermediate stations, 8.50 11.14, a. m., 3.20 and 4.00 p. m. week-days.

Leave Broad Street Station, Philadelphia, FOR NEW YORK.

Express, week-days, 3 20, 4 00, 4 50 5 15, 6 50, 7 33, 8 36, 8 33, 9 50, 10 21 (Dining Car), 11 00 a. m, 12 00 noon, 2 35 (Limited 1 00 and 4 22 p. m. Dining Car), 1 40, 2 00 (Dining Car) 3 20, 4 50, 4 00, 5 00, 5 36 (Dining Car), 6 00, 7 02, 7 43, 10 00 p. m., 12 01, night. Sundays, 3 20, 4 00, 4 50 5 15, 8 20, 8 33, 9 50, 10 21, (Dining Car), 11 35 a. m., 12 35, 1 05 Dining Car) 2 30 (Dining Car), 4 00 (Limited 4 22 Dining Car), 5 20, 5 36, (Dining Car) 6 35, 7 02, 7 43, 10 00 p. m., 12 01 night.

Express for Boston without change, 11 00 a. m., week-days, and 7 43 p. m., daily.

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For Baltimore and Washington, 3 50, 7 20, 8 32, 10 20, 11 23, a. m., 12 09, 12 31 (Dining Car), 1 12, 3 18, 4 41, (5 25 Congressional Limited, Dining Car), 6 17, 6 55 (Dining Car), 7 31 (Dining Car) p. m., and 12 05 night week days. Sundays, 3 50, 7 20, 9 12, 11 23, a. m., 12 09, 1 12, 4 41, (5 20 Congressional Limited, Dining Car), 6 55 (Dining Car), 7 31 (Dining Car) p. m. and 12 05 night.

FOR ATLANTIC CITY.

Leave Broad street station via Delaware river bridge—Express, 7 05 p. m. daily.

Leave Market Street Wharf—Express, 8 50 a m 2 00, 4 00, 5 00 p. m. Sundays, 8 45, 9 45 a. m (accommodation 4 30 and 5 00 p. m.)

For Cape May, Anglesea, Wildwood and Holly Beach, Sea Isle City, Ocean City, Avalon and Stone Harbor—Express, 9 00 a. m., 4 00, p. m. week days. Sundays, 9 00 a. m.

For Somers Point—Express, 8 50, a. m., 2 00, 4 00, 5 00, p. m. week days Sundays, 8 45 a. m.

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For New York via Mauch Chunk, week days, 5 36, 7 08 a. m., 12 33 and 3 10 p. m.

For Reading and Philadelphia, week days, 2 10, 5 36, 7 03, 9 54 a.m., 12 33, 3 10 and 6 07 p. m. Sundays, 2 10 a. m.

For Pottsville, week days, 2 10, 7 03, 9 54 a. m., 12 33, 3 10, 6 07 and 7 25 p. m. Sundays, 2 10 a. m.

For Tamaqua and Mahanoy City, week days 2 10, 5 36, 7 03, 9 54 a. m., 12 33, 3 10 and 6 07 p. m Sundays, 2 10 a. m

For Williamsport, Sunbury and Lewisburg, week days, 3 25, 5 36, 11 30 a. m., and 7 25 p. m Sundays, 3 25 a. m.

For Mahanoy Plane, weekdays, 2 10, 3 25, 5 36, 7 03, 9 54, 11 30 a. m., 12 33, 3 10, 6 07, 7 25, 9 55 and 11 40 p. m. Sundays, 2 10, 3 25 a. m.

For Ashland and Shamokin, week days, 3 25, 5 36, 7 03, 11 30 a. m., 6 07, 7 25 and 9 55 p. m. Sundays, 3 25 a. m.

For Baltimore, Washington and the West via B. & O. R. R. through trains leave Reading Terminal, Philadelphia, (P. & R. R. R.) at 3 20, 7 55, 11 26 a. m., 3 10 and 7.27 p. m. Sundays, 3 20, 7 00, 11 26 a. m., 3 46 and 7 27 p. m. Additional trains from Twenty-fourth and Chestnut streets station, week days, 10 30 a. m. 12 20, 12 15 8 40 p m. Sundays, 1 35, 8 23 p. m.

TRAINS FOR SHENANDOAH.

Leave New York via Philadelphia, week days, 12 15, 4 30, 8 00 a. m., and 1 30, 4 30, 9 00 p. m. Sundays, 5 00 p. m.

Leave New York via Mauch Chunk, week days, 4 30, 9 10 a. m., 1 30 and 4 15 p. m.

Leave Philadelphia, Reading Terminal, week days, 4 20, 8 35, 10 10 a. m. and 1 42, 4 05, 6 30, 11 30 p. m. Sundays, 11 30 p. m.

Leave Reading, week days, 1 35, 7 10, 10 08, a. m. 12 00 m., 4 19, 6 00 and 8 20 p. m. Sundays, 1 35 a. m.

Leave Pottsville, week days, 2 35, 7 40 a. m., 12 30 and 6 12 p. m. Sundays, 2 35 a. m.

Leave Tamaqua, week days, 3 18, 8 43, 11 28 a. m., 1 26, 5 51, 7 20 and 9 43 p. m. Sundays, 3 18 a. m

Leave Mahanoy City, week days, 12 20, 3 45, 9 12 11 47 a. m., 2 17, 5 18, 6 17, 7 44 and 10 08 p. m. Sundays 12 25, 3 45 a. m.

Leave Mahanoy Plane, week days, 12 25, 2 40, 4 00 6 30, 9 26, 10 25, 11 39 a. m., 2 32, 5 32, 6 38, 7 57, 10 22 p m. Sundays, 12 40, 2 40, 4 00 a. m.

Leave Williamsport, week days, 7 12, 10 20 a m., 4 00 and 11 30 p. m. Sundays, 11 30 p. m.

ATLANTIC CITY DIVISION.

Leave Philadelphia Chestnut street wharf and South street wharf for Atlantic City.

Weekdays—Express, 9 00 a. m., 2 00, 4 00, 5 00 p. m. Accommodation, 8 00 a. m., 3 30 p. m. Sundays—Express, 9 00, 10 00 a. m. Accommodation, 8 00 a. m., 4 45 p. m.

Returning leave Atlantic City depot, corner Atlantic and Arkansas avenues.

Weekdays—Express, 7 35, 9 00 a m., 3 30, 5 30 p. m. Accommodation, 8 15 a. m., 4 05 p. m.

Sundays—Express, 4 00, 7 30 p. m. Accommodation, 7 15 a. m., 4 15 p. m.

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AS A MENACE TO THE RUSSIANS.

The Step Taken as a Precaution, "In Case Russia Persists in Ignoring the Joint Interests of England and Japan"—The British Loan to China.

London, Jan 8.—A special dispatch from Shanghai says that a Japanese fleet of three battleships, ten first class cruisers and numerous smaller vessels, has received orders practically placing it at the disposal of Sir Alexander Buller, commander-in-chief in the China station, this step being taken "in case Russia persists in ignoring the joint interests of England and Japan."

The Berlin correspondent of The Daily News says he understands that the peculiar form of the lease of Kiao-Chau was the outcome of the prolonged negotiations between Germany and Russia, ending in an agreement and the mediation of Russia between China and Germany. The correspondent says: "This happy conclusion of Baron Von Bulow's negotiations is the cause of universal satisfaction here."

The cabinet will meet today, presumably to decide about the Chinese loan. The Standard, in an editorial apparently inspired, says: "For the present it must suffice to say that China has made earnest overtures for Great Britain's good offices, and that Lord Salisbury is giving the closest attention to the matter in its practical aspects. The probabilities point to a settlement which, without involving undue risk to the British exchequer, will secure for England advantages the value of which cannot be appraised in mere monetary terms."

The editorial proceeds to state that the loan will be partly devoted to paying the Japanese indemnity, and "will thus make the emperor of China again master in his own house, while enabling the mikado so to increase his army and fleet as to render Japan a power which the strongest western state cannot afford to affront."

The editorial declares: "It is the common policy of England and Japan to bring the comercial development of China into harmony with its territorial integrity, and in pursuance of this policy the cordial co-operation of the United States may be presumed."

A dispatch to The Daily Mail from Singapore says a telegram received there from Hoi-How, on Hai Nan Island, denies the reported annexation of Hai Nan, but says that the French warships Descartes and Surprise are there.

The Shanghai correspondent of The Daily Mail says that Emperor Nicholas, in telegraphing his thanks for the letters and gifts from the Chinese emperor, adds that he is glad to learn Russian vessels are anchoring at Port Arthur, and that they are friendly to the Chinese.

Mrs. Mary Bird, Harrisburg, Pa., says, "My child is worth millions to me; yet I would have lost her by croup had I not invested twenty-five cents in a bottle of One Minute Cough Cure." It cures coughs, colds and all throat and lung troubles. C. H. Hagenbuch.

Confessed 15 Eleven Murders.

New Orleans, Jan. 8.—Three negro murderers died on the scaffold at Hahnville, a small town in St. Charles parish, yesterday. Louis Richards, alias Pierre, alias Creole, George Washington and Foxil Morris murdered and robbed a Jewish peddler named Louis Zeigler last June on Ellington plantation, near Hahnville. The murderers were traced by the discovery of goods in possession of their female companions. Creole confessed, implicating the other two. Creole also confessed that since 1884 he had murdered at least nine men and one colored woman. Investigation revealed that his confession was entirely correct.

Household Necessity.

Cascarets Candy Cathartic, the most wonderful medical discovery of the age, pleasant and refreshing to the taste, act gently and positively on kidneys, liver and bowels, cleansing the entire system, dispel colds, cure headache, fever, habitual constipation and biliousness. Please buy and try a box of C. C. C. to-day; 10, 25, 50 cents. Sold and guaranteed to cure by all druggists.

Immigration Protective League.

New York, Jan. 8.—The Immigration Protective League was formally organized in this city yesterday. The following officers were elected: President, Bourke Cockran; vice presidents, Oswald Ottendorfer, Oscar Straus, Ashbel P. Fitch, William Lloyd Garrison, John Crane, Dr. John Frederick, Paul Goepel and the Rev. Father Bonaventura Pascopa; treasurer, James McMahon; secretary, Dr. J. H. Senner. The object of the league is to opose the restriction of immigration, and its immediate project is to combat Senator Lodge's bill.

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If you want to quit tobacco using easily and forever, be made well, strong, magnetic, full of new life and vigor, take No-To-Bac, the wonder-worker that makes weak men strong. Many gain ten pounds in ten days. Over 400,000 cured. Buy No-To-Bac from your own druggist, who will guarantee a cure. 50c or $1.00. Booklet and sample mailed free. Ad. Sterling Remedy Co., Chicago or New York.

Killed For Bleaching Her Hair.

St. Louis, Jan. 8.—Judge Zachritz, in the criminal court, passed sentence of 25 years in the penitentiary on Otto Willig for murder of the second degree. Last February Willig's sweetheart, Pauline Rosenthal, bleached her hair. Willig was angered at the act, and one evening soon after the girl was shot down while in a crowded room. Nobody saw Willig fire the shot, but the girl before she died said Willig was her murderer.

Something to Know.

It may be worth something to know that the very best medicine for restoring the tired out nervous system to a healthy vigor is Electric Bitters. This medicine is purely vegetable, acts by giving tone to the nerve centres in the stomach, gently stimulates the Liver and Kidneys, and aids these organs in throwing off impurities in the blood. Electric Bitters improves the appetite, aids digestion, and is pronounced by those who have tried it as the very best blood purifier and nerve tonic. Try it. Sold for 50c or $1.00 per bottle at A. Wasley's drug store.

Murdered Body Shipped by Express.

Des Moines, Ia., Jan. 8.—Representatives of the Adams Express company opened an ill smelling box at Chariton yesterday and found the remains of a human body, cut into bits. The box had stood several days in the express office, and the officers, becoming suspicious, pried off the lid. Detectives were at once put to work.

Terrible plagues, those itching, pestering diseases of the skin. Put an end to misery. Doan's Ointment cures. At any drug store.

NUGGETS OF NEWS.

A rich deposit of platinum has been found in Jack county, Tex.

Ernest Hart, editor of the British Medical Journal, died in London yesterday aged 67.

It is feared that the steamer Pelican has foundered in the Pacific with her 45 officers and men.

Martin Thorn's counsel will apply for a new trial on the ground that the jury consumed too much wine.

Over 100 convicts—men, women and children (white and black)—were sold at auction at West Point, Ga., Fla.

John McCullagh, just appointed chief of police of New York, says the police force of that city is far from behind the times.

Ex-Mayor Pi[illegible] of [illegible] says he is willing that [illegible] investigate all the [illegible] accounts.

A Grand Trunk train [illegible] derailed by [illegible] fatally injuring the [illegible] and fireman.

The civil service commission has prepared interesting backgrounds [illegible] civil service for the early part of the century.

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