THOS. A. BUCKLEY, EDITOR AND PROPRIETOR.

Harrison is said to be urging Secretary Elkins to accept the Republican nomination for Governor of West Virginia, with the hope that the State-electoral vote would be cast for the Republican nominee for President. If Elkins is nominated the Democrats will force the nomination of their favorite, Congressman William L. Wilson, and make the battle a royal one. Wilson is one of the greatest free trade speakers in the United States, and did much effective work for the party in the campaign of 1890. It would be well for West Virginia if Elkins would receive the Republican nomination, thus insuring the can nomination, thus insuring the State a first class Governor.

Nor content with monopolizing all the railroads and collieries it can the Reading Company is trying to fill every newspaper in the anthracite region with free puffs of its deal and the men who engineered that unlawful lease. It would be necessary to run off a special edition of the TRIBUXS every other day if we would insert all the "news items" that come from the company's headquarters. This paper has its columns open for communications of any kind, but railroad or individual puffs must be paid for. Through vidual puffs must be paid for. Through a misunderstanding one of these lau datory notices slipped in the Tribuse two weeks ago, but the others are resting quietly in our waste-basket.

CLEVELAND's vigorous message in 1887, says the Chicago Herald, iden 1887, says the Chicago Herald, iden tified him closely with the great issue, and that identity cannot be destroyed by political foes or jealous party rivals. His message may be said to have constituted the Democratic platform in 1888, as it did, coupled with the protest against the McKinley bill in 1890. The position which Mr. Cleveland occupied in 1887 helped to impress him in the popular mind as a powerful exponent of tariff reform, and the impression is largely retained. Whatever may be his future politically, to him will belong the credit for having precipitated tariff agitation into an irrepressible conflict, which will close only with the overwhelming triumph of the reformers.

Washington's Birthday was memorable politically, among other things, for the admirable address of ex-President Cleveland, in which he discoursed upon sentiment in politics and the character of Washington. Mr. Cleveland's edition of the character of washington. character of Washington. Mr. Cleve-land's address was, according to the general verdict, fully equal to any of his deliverances. It was marked by the same broadness of view, clea-sighted perception of duty, unflinch-ing opposition to all that was sham and tawdry, and beyond all was the fervent patriotism and abiding con-fidence in the ultimate triumph of justice. It was in every sense non justice. It was in every sense non partisan, and its spirit was so loyally. American as to evoke warm commen dation from the New York Tribune, the leading Republican journal in the

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In a brief summary of the Democratic political situation the Philadelphia Ledger states that "from all sections of the country come reports of declarations in favor of the nomination of Grover Cleveland. He is as near the hearts of Democrats as near the hearts of Democrats as near the hearts of Democrating definite. His views on the tariff and the currency are well known. He would lead his party out upon open ground to fight in fair battle. In a word, in him is represented all of sincerity and affirmation that is lacking in the character of Hill. The nomination of Hill by the Chicago Convention in generally scouted. The independent press is against him unanimously. The leading papers of his own party have attacked him so harshly that it is difficult to see how they could support him were be nominated, so much ammunition have they furnished to be turned against them.

The works of a good man live after him. He enjoys the blessings and distinctions they entitle him to in this world, and build for him a home in eternity. It is the mission of every living soul to do some good to benefit humanity in some way. Notwithstanding this fact, how few look upon life in this manner.

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The bill introduced in congress to prohibit the desceration of the national flag was ordered to be reported favorably by the committee on judiciary. The bill, which was slightly amended from the form as introduced, provides that any person who shall use the national flag by printing, painting or fixing on it any advertisement for public display or privategain shall be guilty of a misdemeanor, and liable, on conviction, to a fine not less than \$50 or imprisonment for not less than \$0 days, or both.

The United States Supreme Courty esterday decided the case brought by the governments of Great Britain and Canada, known as the Sayward case, to test the right of the United States to exercise exclusive jurisdiction over the seal fisheries of Bering Sea. The decision is in favor of the United States, the application for a writed to prohibition against the Alaska Court being denied. The political aspects of the case were not directly decided, but the court intimated that the judicial tribunals should not interest the states, the application for a writed for the case were not directly decided, but the court intimated that the judicial tribunals should not interest the exercise exclusive jurisdiction over the seal fisheries of Bering Sea. The decision is in favor of the United States the application for a write of prohibition against the Alaska Court being denied. The political aspects of the case were not directly decided, but the court intimated that the judicial tribunals should not interest the season of the work on opum and whisky, and the work of the season of the court intimated the Democrate of the case of the season of the case of the case of the season of the case of t

Bitter Fights Insure Victory.

There is one thing certain, in connection with the politicial contest between the Hill and Cleveland Democrats, now going on with such flerceness in New York, and that is, that it is better that the Presidential convention. There exists the terms of that State to get thoroughly wakeness of that State, and without a fight there in either life nor vigor in the Democracy of that State, and without a fight there in either life nor vigor in the Democration in growing they have never yet won a victory. A stange fact in politics is, that New York has never gone Democratic in a Presidential contest, when its delegation was a unit for the successful nominee. When Cleveland was nominated in '84, Tammany Hall sent a delegation to Echicago, headed by Grady, Cochran and Fellows, that made every opposition to his nomination that earnest men could conceive of. They refused to be bound by the unit rule, and declared upon the floor of the convention, as well as in the corridors of the hotels, that if his name was placed upon the ticket, New York would repudiate him overwhelmingly at the polls. He was nominated and New York was a unit for him. Not a voice in the State convention that named the delegation, or at St. Louis, was raised against him. The followers of Tammany and the adherents of the County Democraty, view with each other how Correrousness of their glorification and the country felt sure that New York Democrats before the nomination was made, and there was no victory afterwards.

As it was in '84 and '88, so has it been in that State since the recollection of campaigns linger in the memory of man. It was the same in both State and Federal contests. No fight among Democrats—no victory for the ticket.

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There is a bill before congress which purports to be in the interest of morality and decency. In fact it would establish, if passed, a censorship of the press of the most irresponsible, arbitrary and oppressive character. Upon the pretxt of extending the law against obscene literature the bil gives to the postmaster yeneral authority to exclude from the mails all publications which in his uncorrected judgment are "indecent," and even to exclude news apers upon the ground that they contain medical advertisements of a certain class.

In the hands of an unco guid postmaster-general we have already seen a work of Count Toistoi's excluded from the mails. A nostmaster-general imbued with the idea that newspapers ought not opublish the news except of strictly proper doings might easily perver such a law as is proposed to the sire contains.

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H. B. Harkins, of Jeddo, has been granted a pension of \$209.60 and \$12 per month.

The teachers and pupils of the Butler schools are collecting for the Russian Relief Fund.

Condy O. Boyle and wife were tender ed a serenade by the St. : atrick's Corne Band on Saturday evening.

Three pairs of bob sleds and two business sleighs are for sale at reasonable or ces at Washburn's shops.

Several parties in town were notified to attend court next Wednesday as witnesses in the damage suit of Mrs. Finnegan vs. Foster Township. A crowded house witnessed the "Dear Irish Boy" on Friday evening. Gus Reynolds and his excellent company pleased the audience as usual.

Larry Farley, of Harleigh, and Mrs. Con Herron, of Milnesville, were mar-ried on Monday, and have left for a wedding tour through the South.

The saloon now occupied by Neice McCole is offered for rent. Possession given on April 1. Apply at the premises, corner of Walnut and Pine Streets.

Charles A. Johnson has removed his carpet weaving establishment from his late residence on Walnut Street to Haas' building, next to the Cottage Hotel, on Washington Street.

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The borough and township officers elected last month will assume their offices on Monday, March 7, except school directors, who go into office the first Monday in June.

The "New Boy Tramp," with the original company, is booked for the Opera House on Friday evening of next week. It is a great favorite here and will draw a large audience.

Hon. John J. Gallagher died on Sunday at his home in Beaver Meadow, aged 64 years. He was postmaster of the town under Cleveland, and also served in the Legislature, where he introduced the semi-monthly pay law. He was a brother of Anthony and Mrs. John Gallagher, of this place.

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