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HON. TOM L. JOHNSON is being favorably considered as the Democratic candidate for governor in Ohio, next fall.

The following story which has been making the rounds contains a good point: A boy who was sent to market with a sack of roasting ears and after lingering around town all day came home without selling them.

Jersey justice was not long in overtaking the two bandits who were captured last week after successfully robbing a bank at Allentown, N. J. Two days after the robbery was committed they were sentenced each to ten years in prison.

It is said that Governor Pattison will devote a considerable portion of his next message in pointing out several weak spots in the ballot law, and recommending to the legislature some beneficial changes.

When the people read the annual reports of the various departments of the state and national governments few of them try to form any idea of the vast amount of money expended each year. The head of every bureau comes forward and gives itemized accounts of millions spent for such and such a purpose.

A famous wax figure maker. The late Joseph Randall Tussaud was for thirty years the only wax figure maker for Mrs. Tussaud's collection in London.

The new cruiser Olympia. The new protected cruiser that is to be launched at San Francisco will be named the Olympia, after the capital of the state of Washington.

A New Society Leader. When James J. Corbett was hammering John L. Sullivan in the ring at New Orleans, and in the expressive language of sporting men "making a monkey out of him," Ward McAllister, who had abandoned all his social duties for that evening, was sitting in a telegraph office at Newport reading bulletins and experiencing the most exquisite excitement.

Would Ward McAllister have done this if it were not the proper thing to do? And if it is the proper thing to do, haven't all of us who are in society got to do it, and do it hammer and tongs, while the craze lasts?

Now that the pugilists have a leader of refinement in the person of "Gentleman Jim," the doors of society will gradually open to them. Mr. Corbett is a sample of physical perfection and a gentleman at heart.

A singular scene, resulting in the destruction by a crowd of 1,000 people of a marquee and the looting of provisions, took place at Ramsey, Huntingdonshire, on Thursday evening.

A shower of rain made the crowd rush for shelter to the marquee, which was already full. A scene of indescribable confusion ensued. The crowd made an attack upon the provisions, waiters were knocked down and a clean sweep made of the tables, much of the crockery being destroyed.

The question, "What is to become of all this bunting?" has been asked repeatedly the past few weeks by persons who appreciate the fact that never before has there been such a profusion of decorative display in this great metropolis.

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Crossing Broadway During a Parade. An amusing echo of the night pageant, which is probably only one of thousands that happened, is that told by a young business man who resides in the neighborhood of Washington square, west of Fifth avenue, New York.

Chicago has done well, and it is only fair that the fact of nonextortion should be recognized and universally known. That overpressed hotels should raise their prices was to have been expected, but that they should have been comparatively moderate as they have is to their credit.

What will be the fate of the people who imagine it to be wise and desirable to be here when the fair is first opened? Dignitaries, correspondents and exhibitors must be here when the doors are opened, but it is dollars to cents the fair will not be here for a good month thereafter, yet experience warrants the prophecy that, as half of the million strangers came to town to try and see dedicatory ceremonies, double that number will be here to participate in the wild and comfortless rush at the opening ceremonies next May.

Why the King of Greece Mourns. The king of Greece has just lost a little dog which he came by in rather a curious way. He was at some maneuvers a number of years ago, standing amid his staff, when it suddenly made its appearance, no one knew whence, and stationed itself at the king's feet.

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Selling Smoked Glass for the Eclipse. Few citizens in Brooklyn had apparently provided themselves with means for viewing the recent eclipse, and when the moon began to move across the sun's face there was a running litter and thither for colored glasses in the business part of the city in the neighborhood of the city hall.

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