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NEW YORK FOR CLEVELAND.

NEW YORK, Nov. 4.—The N. Y. Herald says: Tammany's triumph, it was said on highest democratic authority, will mean a delegation from New York to the democratic national convention, pledged to Grover Cleveland. Charles F. Murphy, Tammany leader for some time, has been in a plot with other democratic leaders throughout the state to overthrow David B. Hill and establish an old line Cleveland democrat in his place as state leader. D. Cady Herick, of Albany, judge of the supreme court is the man chosen for the place.

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UNITED STATES ELECTIONS.

Republicans Carry Majority of Contested States.

Tammany's Victory Will Mean That New York Will Back Cleveland for President.

MASS. GOES REPUBLICAN AGAIN.

BOSTON, Nov. 4.—With the exception of the falling off in the socialist vote, the election in Massachusetts yesterday very nearly paralleled that of last year. Governor John U. Bates was re-elected by the republicans by a plurality of 35,840 over Colonel Wm. A. Gaston in a total vote only slightly under that of 1902, when Bates won by 37,130 plurality. With the head of the ticket went the other republican candidates for state officers. The senate next year will stand 31 republicans and 9 democrats, and the house 155 republicans, 83 democrats and one socialist, with two ties to be decided.

RACE CRY WINS MARYLAND.

BALTIMORE, Nov. 4.—The returns from 354 precincts of the 308 in Baltimore city have been counted and these show a majority of 4,847 for Edwin Warfield, democratic candidate for governor. It is quite certain that the returns from the remaining 34 precincts will increase this lead. Complete returns have not been received from any one of the 23 Maryland counties, but the returns received indicate that there will be a democratic majority of 5,000 in the counties and that Warfield's plurality in the city and county will probably reach 7,000. The democrats have elected a substantial majority of the legislature, thus insuring a democratic successor to U. S. Senator McCoombs.

BOSS QUAY STILL THERE.

PHILADELPHIA, Pa., Nov. 4.—Latest estimates from the country districts indicate that the republican state ticket will have majorities ranging from 235,000 to 230,000.

IN NEW JERSEY.

NEW YORK, Nov. 4.—In the election in New Jersey yesterday the democrats made a net gain of one in the New Jersey house of assembly, U. S. Senator Kean lost his own county, Union, because of Plainfield going democratic. The state senate will stand the same as last year—republicans 14, democrats 7.

LABOR WINS IN FRISCO.

SAN FRANCISCO, Nov. 4.—Election returns today indicate that the majority victory has been won by Eugene E. Smith (union labor) the present incumbent, over Henry J. Crocker, republican candidate. The democrats will fill the assembly and the leading offices and have a majority on the board of supervisors.

TOM JOHNSON'S WATERLOO.

COLUMBUS, O., Nov. 4.—More complete returns today indicate that the plurality of Herrick, republican, for governor over Johnson, democrat will exceed 135,000, but that the rest of the republican state ticket will not have so large a plurality. The majority on joint ballot in the legislature for the election of Senator Hanna is now placed at 90, out of a total membership in both branches of 143. Chairman Dick says: "Hanna's personality did it." The victory of the republicans in the city and county in the most decisive and sweeping recorded in many years, not a single democrat being elected throughout the entire ticket. The republicans elect a solid delegation of four state senators and ten representatives by pluralities ranging from 4,000 to 4,000.

ONE MAN'S POPULARITY.

PROVIDENCE, R. I., Nov. 4.—The democrats re-elected Governor L. P. C. Garvin yesterday by a reduced plurality, but the other state offices went to the republicans and that party will also have a working majority in the legislature. Garvin's plurality in the election of 1902 was 1,035. The senate will stand 26 republicans and 16 democrats, and the house 36 republicans and 35 democrats.

NO JUSTICE IN RUSSIA

Trial of Kisheneff Murderers Will Be Mere Mockery—Real Miscreants Left Alone

LONDON, Nov. 4.—A correspondent of the Times in Russia says that arrangements for the trial of those alleged to be involved in the massacre of the Jews at Kisheneff have been made, but the selection of the judges and court officials by the authorities, adds the correspondent, shows that the trial will be a mere mockery, especially as the defendants will not be those against whom considerable incriminating evidence was produced at the preliminary inquiry but merely handful of poor workmen and vagabonds.

KILLED BY FALLING PLANK.

HALIFAX, Nov. 3.—A young man named Albert Power, assistant bookkeeper at H. W. Wentzel & Co., who was struck on the head by a plank which fell from the top of A. M. Bell & Co.'s new building, Granville street, this morning, died at the Victoria General Hospital at five o'clock this evening without regaining consciousness.

\$50,000 BONFIRE.

BUTTE, Mont., Nov. 4.—Despatches received here today indicate that the town of Basin, Montana, was yesterday destroyed by fire which started from a bonfire built by some children at play. All the business section has been wiped out and the fire is still burning. The large contractor of the Montana Ore Purchasing Company was saved. A loss of \$50,000.

DIED, BALLOT IN HAND.

Fatal Stroke of Apoplexy Robs Seth Low of the Vote of a Famous Physician.

NEW YORK, Nov. 4.—The World today: Determined to vote for Seth Low, though so weak from illness that he could scarcely walk, Dr. Emerson G. Angell, eighty-one years old, of Brooklyn, died yesterday afternoon while waiting in line to cast his ballot. Dr. Angell had his coachman drive him to the polling place. He had been there but a few moments when he complained of illness. He tottered and would have fallen had not two policemen held him. Feebly he said: "Give me a ballot and mark it for Seth Low. He will be our next man," when he gasped and fell back dead. Apoplexy it is believed caused death. As a writer and authority on dietetics and hygiene, Dr. Angell is said to have had no peer. He was identified with Columbia College when Seth Low graduated.

GERMAN GARRISON CRUSHED

Natives in Rebellion Annihilate Troops at Warmbad, in German Southwest Africa.

BEAUFORT WEST, Cape Colony.

Nov. 3.—It is reported here that the German garrison at Warmbad, in German Southwest Africa, has been annihilated by the Hottentots.

Warmbad is a mission station in Great Namaqualand, South Africa, about one hundred and thirty-five miles east of the mouth and twenty-three miles north of the Orange River.

CAPE TOWN, Nov. 3.—The German consul here confirms the rumor of a native rebellion in Damaraland, a colony of Southwest Africa forming a part of the German possessions there. A German non-commissioned officer commanding at Warmbad has been killed and the chief of the rebels has been shot down.

Other rumors to the effect that a commanding officer and another body of troops have been killed indicate a greater disaster.

MANY BRIDES SAIL FOR SOUTH AFRICA.

Hardly a mail steamer leaves England for Capetown without bearing on board an English bride for a sweet-scented voyage before she provides a home in that land of promise.

Not infrequently the list of passengers includes three or four brides, who ingeniously confide their secret to each other, with the result that the vessel is engaged on the voyage to fellow-passengers become known all over the ship, from captain to cabin-boy. Sailors consider it lucky to have brides on board.

These bridegrooms meet them at the landing place, and forthwith they repair to a public office to be married by special license, while gentle Jack Tara crowd the gangway and throw rice among the bride's hair.

These marriages are mostly happy sequels to the conclusion of the war, many young men having decided to settle in South Africa and bring thither the girls they had left behind them. For them absence had made the heart grow fonder.

But there have been exceptions. Flirtations on board—no place equals a ship's deck for that pastime—have brought bitter disappointment to waiting bridegrooms. Sometimes girls get engaged on the voyage to fellow-passengers or members of the crew, and arrive at the Cape, "off with the old love and on with the new."

It has also been recently observed that young girls going to South Africa from England in increasing numbers as domestic servants in the smaller up-country towns.

If they have not calculated upon the chances of matrimony, they are not long in their new home before offers come along for their selection.

Generally speaking, storekeepers rank as the best matches.

"I never expect to keep a good-looking domestic more than a year," said a South African gentleman in London. "In that time she is generally wooed and won. Presently she will have domestics of her own."

He recalled the incident of the ship Tara, which landed about a score of pretty young women at Natal sixteen or so years ago.

The pick of them were married after very short courtships, and several, now in good positions in the colony, still delight to speak of themselves as the Tartar girls.

A COSTLY KNIFE.

The most valuable knife in the world is to be seen in the collection of a famous firm of cutlery in Sheffield. It is large enough to fit the pocket of none but a giant, and contains 75 blades, which close up like those of an ordinary knife. Each of the large blades is elaborately engraved and among the subjects of the strange pictures are views of Sheffield College, the City of York, Windsor Castle, Arundel Castle and a score of other famous scenes. The hilt is of mother of pearl, carved with great skill. On one side the artist has depicted a stag hunt and on the other a bear hunt. When asked as to the value of the knife, the firm replied: "Well, we calculated it up to £250, but that was before it was finished, and then we ceased to estimate what it had cost."—Answers.

CONDUCTOR KILLED.

DANVILLE, Ill., Nov. 4.—Conductor Lewis Lashley was killed and a dozen passengers were injured in a wreck on the Danville Urbana Chicago Interurban line at Vermilion Heights, last night. The car jumped the track while rounding a sharp curve and crashed to death. None of the injured will die.

FATAL STREET CAR COLLISION.

KANSAS CITY, Mo., Nov. 4.—One person was killed and 19 others injured, four perhaps fatally, in a collision of two cable cars in a fog on the 12th street incline near the Union depot this morning.

THE OLDEST PORTRAIT KNOWN.

Professor W. M. Flinders Petrie, the world famous archaeologist, contributes to Harper's Magazine for November an absorbing account of his recent explorations at Abydos, Egypt, where he has discovered the past of Egypt. What is probably the oldest portrait known has been discovered by Professor Petrie himself, while "groping in the thick, brown organic mud of a rubbish hole." It is the ivory portrait of a king, subtle in conception, wonderful in execution, a photograph of which accompanies the article. Professor Petrie is an Englishman, born at Charlton in 1853. His discoveries at Abydos, ranging through a period of nearly a quarter of a century, have been of incalculable value and distinction.

CIVIL WAR IN PANAMA

Battleships Shell the City—Non-Combatants Killed

Another Revolution in Central America—Panama Wants to be Independent.

WASHINGTON, Nov. 4.—United States vice-consul Ehrman at Panama cables the state department under today's date that the Colombian government warship Bogota is shelling the city. Eleven children have been killed. Mr. Ehrman has been instructed to protest against the bombardment.

PANAMA, Colombia, Nov. 3.—The independence of the isthmus was proclaimed at 6 p. m. today. A large and enthusiastic crowd of all political parties assembled and marched to the headquarters of the government troops, where General Torero and Aguero were arrested this morning, were imprisoned in the name of the republic of Panama. The enthusiasm was great and at least 3,000 of the men in the gathering were armed.

The battalion of Colombian troops at Panama favor the movement, which is also thought to meet with the approval of at least two of the government transporters now here.

PANAMA, Nov. 4.—Governor Obaldia, of the department of Panama and all the principal government officials of the department, in addition to Generals Torero and Aguero, are held prisoners by the revolutionists. All the Colombian cruisers on the Pacific side of the isthmus are also in the hands of the insurrectionists, and Colon, it is believed, will be captured today as well as the cruiser Carthago, which arrived there yesterday.

SHOT AT THE POLLS

Prominent Democrat Shot in Troy, N. J., For Getting Too Close to Polling Booth.

TROY, N. Y., Nov. 3.—Phillip J. Riley, a regular democrat, was shot in the fleshy part of the right leg at the polling place for the third district of the ninth ward this morning by Wm. J. Myers, ex-deputy charity commissioner. Dr. Gravit says Mr. Riley is not dangerously injured. Riley is captain of the Osgood steamship company.

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The shooting occurred shortly after the opening of the polls. Meyer was acting as a special deputy sheriff and undertook to force Riley away from the polls, the claim having been made that the latter was inside the boundary line. Riley related, on the ground that he was conforming with the law and a general argument followed. Riley was struck by the ward workers. In the confusion which ensued, a shot rang out and Riley fell. The police made a rush for the crowd and Myers was found with a smoking revolver in his hand. He did not deny having used the weapon and he was placed under arrest and locked up in the first precinct. At the hospital where Riley was taken, it was found that the bullet had entered the leg but had embedded itself in the left side above the hip. The surgeons did not deem it safe to probe for the ball, although they said that they did not think that Capt. Riley is seriously injured.

HUNDREDS KILLED BY AN EARTHQUAKE.

Turkiah, in Persia, is Demolished, Its Inhabitants Lying Dead or Injured.

LONDON, Nov. 4.—A despatch to the Daily Mail from Simla, India, says terrible earthquakes have occurred at Turkiah, near Turbat-i-Haidari, in Persia, in which three hundred and fifty persons were killed and numbers were injured.

One hundred and eighty-four carpet factories were destroyed, and only thirty-two stalls were left standing in the great bazaar. The entire town was practically demolished.

WARM WEATHER MAY CONTINUE

Summer weather on the verge of winter—this is the treat with which the weather deity is entertaining St. John today. The official thermometer at the St. John observatory registered, about noon today, 60 degrees above zero, an altitude to which the mercury falls even in the midst of summer sometimes to attain. The weather man at the observatory would offer no reason for the unusual warm weather, other than that frequently offered, that a warm wave had set in from the west.

The indications are that this delightful weather will continue throughout tomorrow, when possibly the mercury will beat its record of today by two or three degrees.

LATE PERSONALS.

R. D. Richardson, of Chipman, is at the Victoria.

Mrs. J. Parker Connell, of Charlottetown, P. E. I., is a guest at the Royal. James Hawthorne, of Fredericton, is registered at the Royal today.

C. N. S. Strickland, C. E. W. Logan and C. S. Pickford, of Halifax, are at the royal.

PORT OF ST. JOHN.

Arrived.

Str. Calvin Austin, 2,553, Pike from Boston, via Maine ports.

Str. Norman, 1,350, Morlaix, from Barrow-on-Furrow, ballast.

Consul-General: Rough Rider, Chesney, from Campbellton, 1,000, ballast; from Windsor: Beulah, Tutta, from St. Martins; Winkie, Holland, from Beaver Harbor; sloop Eys and Fide, Lokem, from Grand Harbor (Grand Manan); Alfred, Small, from Tiber; sloop Bannock, Calder, from a fishing cruise; Effe B. Nickerson, Doucet, from Tiberion.

Cleared.

Sch. Vardon G. Thomson, 153, McLean, for Atlantic City, N. J. A. Cushing & Co, spruce laths.

Consul-General: Sloop Bonita, on a fishing cruise; Rough Rider, for Campbellton; Beulah, for St. Martins; Winkie, for Beaver Harbor; Clara A. Hunter, Brown, for Campbellton; Sloop Prescott, Daly, for Point Wolfe; Telephone, Brown, for Campbellton.

TOO LATE FOR CLASSIFICATION

LOST.—In Fairville, a Boston Terrier Dog, answering to the name of Sam. Finder will please leave him at 63 Mill street. WANTED.—Office boy wanted. Enquire at 2 or 7 p. m., 50 Waterloo street.

THE CITY IS TO BLAME

Chairman Reynolds, of the Board of Health Denies Responsibility for Orange St. Dump.

THE WEATHER.

TORONTO, Nov. 4.—Forecast.—Fine and very mild today and on Thursday. Synopsis.—Fine weather is still indicated with moderate to fresh north-west to southwest winds. To the Banks and American ports, moderate to fresh northwest to southwest winds.

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By Auction, at store, corner Union and Waterloo streets (removed from residence for convenience of sale), on MONDAY, THE NINTH inst., at 10 o'clock, a. m., the contents of a ten room house, consisting of: Solid Oak Bedroom Suite, Oak Leather Sewing Machine, Oak Dressing Case, Oak Folding Bed, 1 very fine Parlor Suite, 1 Walnut Bed, 1 Walnut Dining Table, 1 Walnut Dining Chair, 1 Walnut Bedstead, 1 very fine Mirror, Sofa, Blinds, Spring Mattresses, Dinets, Kitchen Utensils, Bedding, 1 very fine Range, 1 Self Feeder, etc. Also, at 12 o'clock, to be sold off almost new Morris Upright Piano (cost \$400).

F. L. POTTS, Auctioneer.

Furniture, Furs, Prize Range, Stoves, Etc.

By Auction, at salesroom, 88 Germain street, on FRIDAY, THE SIXTH inst., at 10 o'clock a. m., a quantity of Furniture and Household Effects, belonging to a person giving up housekeeping, consisting of: 2 Bedrooms Suits, 1 Walnut Bedstead, 1 Iron Bedstead, Wire Spring Mattresses, Steel Bedsteads, 3 Oil Paintings, Rockers, Sewing Machine, Carpets, etc. Also, 1 Ladies' Fur Collar (Sable and Persian Lamb), 1 Krimmer Lamb Fur Jacket, 1 Gent's Beaver Collar and Cap, 1 Prize Range (in good order), 1 New Silver Moon Stove (almost new), 2 Base Burner Stoves, 2 Franklin's Tin Shields, etc., etc.

F. L. POTTS, Auctioneer.