

SENATOR HILL is mad because Grover Cleveland has not apologized for "doing up" his snap convention in Chicago.

The democrats say in their platform that they are in favor of pensions to disabled veterans, and they will prove it by citing Cleveland's numerous and insulting pension vetoes.

THE independents have put up the same old Weaver, which reminds us of old "Barkis," whom we would just as soon doubt as to doubt that General Weaver "is willin'."

THE Louisiana legislature has rejected a bill providing for the adoption of the Australian ballot system; and the democratic majority in that state will accordingly remain at the present figures.

GROVER CLEVELAND has requested the committee not to notify him of his nomination till the 20th of this month, so as to give his private secretary time to look through the encyclopedia and copy out a speech for him to read.

DAVID B. HILL says "the tariff plank of the platform adopted at Chicago has made every workshop and factory in the United States a republican campaign headquarters. That is what consoles the senator for the loss of that nomination."

At last Adlai Stevenson has heard from Grover Cleveland at Bizzard's Bay, and Adlai has notified the committee that he and Grover will be in one of the halls of Tammany in the city of New York on July 20, ready to be surprised at the mortification of their nomination at Chicago.

A FIRM of tin plate importers which has opposed the McKinley duty on tin plate now admits that prices of tin cans and utensils have not advanced. Well then what are democrats howling about? It is certain that the industry is rapidly becoming established in this country and there are many workmen being employed.—Hartford Post.

SATAN'S SIGNATURE. A Bates county farmer saw a bolt of lightning strike in the center of one of his fields, and, being curious to see the effects of the stroke, visited the spot. He found the subtle fluid had left its mark in the shape of an enormous "D" of an angry red color, and had no doubt it was the sign manual of the arch fiend himself.—Kansas City Journal.

TRADE WITH CUBA. Reciprocity has increased our exportation of flour to Cuba the last six months in an unprecedented degree. In 1891, from January to April inclusive, we exported

39,377 barrels.  
In 1892, during the same period, the amount exported reached

2,609 barrels.

WHEN the alliance first started we were told that it was not a political party; that politics had nothing to do with the organization. That being a fact, then why is it that the politicians are now at the head of the farmers or a few of the politicians from the other old organizations? Did any farmer come in for the nomination? Not that you can see with the naked eye.—David City News.

SALUTE THE FLAG AND VOTE. The United States fiscal year closed last week, June 30. Uncle Sam finds himself in good condition, thank you.

For the first time in the history of the nation the export of American merchandise and American products amounted to more than a billion dollars, or written this way, more than \$1,000,000,000.

The balance of the trade is in favor of this country by one hundred and fifty millions, (\$500,000,000). That is, this country sold to other countries \$1,500,000,000 worth of goods more than it bought from other countries. As long as a man's income exceeds his expenditures he prospers. It is the same way with nations.

The national debt during the year was reduced by \$11,886,284, or nearly a million dollars a month.

There is a surplus in the treasury, including the gold reserve, of \$125,002,377. When the republican party reduced the duties on many articles and removed it from others, notably sugar, entirely, the democrats predicted a bankrupted treasury. But the republican party has been able to give a practical demonstration of a system of tariff duties "sufficient for the needs of the government economically administered."

Salute McKinley's protection, Blaine's reciprocity and Harrison's administration. And vote the republican ticket next November.

SEIZURE OF THE OTERI. The steamship Joseph Oteri is named after its owner, who is an American citizen, resident at New Orleans, between which port and the harbor of the republic of Honduras his vessel does a regular trade. On her last outward trip the Oteri carried, among other goods, 250 Winchester rifles and a quantity of ammunition, consigned to the government of Honduras.

But while the Oteri was on her way a revolution, headed by Colonel Nalla, broke out in Honduras. The revolutionists were in need of arms, and it happened that the Oteri touched at the port of Ceiba, which the revolutionists had been successful in capturing. The captain of the Oteri had no knowledge of the changed condition of affairs, and was astonished to find himself made a prisoner and his vessel and its cargo confiscated as soon as he entered the harbor. The insurgents were kind enough to tell him that if the revolution developed into a government it would pay \$150,000 for the ship and cargo, and that if the revolution was suppressed and its leaders shot, which is the fate of unsuccessful revolutionists in Honduras, the owner of the Oteri could sue the regular government for damages inflicted by rebels.

It is a somewhat slow process to sue and collect money from any government by any civil method. And so the owner of the Oteri is to ask the government of the United States to demand reparation on his behalf from the government of Honduras. As the act of seizure is a flagrant violation of international law, and constitutes a gross insult to the United States flag, it is quite probable that President Harrison will act with his accustomed vigor in matters of international policy. But if Mr. Oteri of New Orleans be, as most of his fellow citizens are, opposed to all acts and appropriations that help to build up a war navy for the United States, he may be very thankful that the government of Honduras is a weak one, for southern democratic policy would not enable this government to enforce a just demand against a strong naval power.

Trifling as the value of the Oteri may be, this lawless seizure emphasizes the need of increased facilities for the protection of United States persons and property when afloat in foreign waters.

GOWNS FOR DAINTY MAIDENS. The brettelette ruffles, commencing narrow and scanty near the center of the waist line and growing fuller and wider over the shoulders, where they end or continue down the back as in the front, were apparently invented for the stout girl, as they give her a longer and more slender waist, as does the pointed girdle now worn, writes Emma M. Hooper in her valuable department "Hints on Home Dressmaking" in the July Ladies Home Journal. For the slender girl, the bertha trimming of face, embroidery, silk, etc., outlines a round yoke, falling fuller over the shoulders and giving breadth to the form and fullness to the chest. Both wear-bell and gathered skirts and full sleeves. One may wear any material, but the other looks better in narrow stripes, small figures and solid colors. Girls of fourteen to sixteen years wear the Russian blouse, and has been described many times, for their street and house dresses. Other pretty waists for them have a round back, where it buttons, and short, square jacket fronts opening over a plastron of China silk or surah. Neat chalfie frocks have the front shirred on cords from one armhole to the other, forming a yoke, with the fullness running into a pointed girdle made of six-inch ribbon, which is then folded narrowly around the waist and falls in two long ends at the back. A girl of fourteen wears a gathered skirt of crepon, three yards and a half wide, with a round waist gathered at the neck in shirred tucks to form a yoke. The sleeves are shirred at the wrists, and a corslet from the side seams is faced permanently in the front, as the frock fastens in the back. The corslet is well boned, straight on the upper edge, deep and slightly pointed or round on the lower edge.

A NEW YORK Tammany paper offers \$500 for a democratic campaign song. "It must be ident and rhythmic in style." That is, it must handle in good measure the names of Adlai Cleveland and Grover Stevenson, and make them sound musical and sweet. It wants also the song "to have catchy expressions." Possibly the most "catchy expressions" of Tammany have been, "Cleveland can't carry New York," "With Cleveland defeat is sure," "The Pussy Prophet," "The Perpetual Candidate." Western poets who compete for the prize will do well to note these points. Poets are requested to communicate with the New York World for further particulars.—Ex.

THIRD PARTIES IN PRESIDENTIAL YEARS

Minor parties never carry the presidency themselves, but they sometimes give it to one or other of the great organizations which could not have obtained it without their aid. They do this, too, when they do not gain a single vote in the electoral college. Indeed, the only decisive influence which they have had in politics was in the years in which they did not carry a single state. The earliest of the so-called third parties which was formed was the Anti-Masonic party, which figured in the presidential canvass of 1832, and whose standard-bearer, William Wirt, secured the seven electoral votes of Vermont, but it did not have a feather's weight in the canvass so far as regards its effect on either of the great organizations. Jackson beat Clay that year, as he would have done if Wirt and his party had not been in the field. The know-nothings of 1850, led by ex-President Fillmore, carried Maryland, but they neither materially hurt nor helped Fremont or Buchanan, the republican and democratic standard-bearer respectively. Nor did the constitutional union party of Bell and Everett, which carried Virginia, Kentucky and Tennessee in 1860, change the result in that year. The liberty party in 1844, however, the free soil party in 1848 and the prohibition party in 1854, although neither secured an electoral vote, turned the scale, and all did this in New York. The libertarians drew enough whig votes away from Clay in that state to give that state and the nation to Polk and the democracy; Van Buren, as head of the free soilers, attracted enough democrats in the state away from Cass, the regular democratic nominee, to put the whig candidate, Taylor, in power, and St. John, in the same state, carried a sufficient number of prohibition republicans away from Blaine eight years ago to send Cleveland to the white house.

This is the record of third parties in presidential canvasses, and it lends some popular interest to the organization which has just put a ticket in the field at Omaha. The question as to which of the two great parties will be injured the more by this tickets depends chiefly on the section in which it displays its greatest strength. If it polls more votes in the ex-slave states than in the others, then the democrats will be the principal losers, and vice versa. The third party leaders boast that they will carry two or three states in the south and about the same number in the north. In such a case there would hardly be any election by the people, in which event the house of representatives would be called on to make the choice, and the democratic candidate would be victorious. But no level-headed person either of the great parties looks for any result of this sort. There is no good reason to assume that the people's party vote anywhere in the south will be great enough even to throw any state of that region into the republican column, nor that it will be heavy enough in the west to take any state away from the republicans.—St. Louis Globe Democrat.

Never Pontice the Eye. It is the prevailing custom among ignorant people to put a pontice on an inflamed eye, a thing which should never under any circumstances be done. It is said to see the vast number of men, women and children made blind for life by this one thing.—Jeune Miller illustrated.

The Delights of a Honeymoon. She—Look here! This is the third handkerchief I have wet through with bitter tears! He (very coolly)—Nothing but useless expense! That's how the washing bill runs up.—Popolo Romano.

Do not draw a check unless you have the money in bank or in your possession to deposit. Don't test the courage or generosity of your bank by presenting or allowing to be presented your check for a larger sum than your balance.

Mr. Stanford has endowed the Leland Stanford Junior university, which is really a sort of home school for poor children, with property and money amounting to about \$10,000,000.

A certain duration of a luminous impression is necessary to produce an effect on the retina; hence it is that we do not see a very rapidly moving object, such as a bullet fired from a gun.

Without its atmosphere, which serves as a coverlet to protect it against the fearful cold of space, the surface of the earth would be frozen like that of the airless moon.

A device that works well in keeping loose waste paper out of the parlor of Chicago is the placing of big trash baskets about on the lawns and paths.

Pretty Poor Pickings. Findings are popularly supposed to belong to the sweeper, but one of the street sweepers of Portland observes that his is a very disappointing job. He has found only a one cent piece and a short lead pencil during his term of office and is disgusted with politics.—Lewiston Journal.

WHAT THE MEN SAY

The Pinkerton Men Have Been Given Their Liberty.

ARE BLOODSHED IMMINENT.

Why They Are Opposed to the Sheriff—Any Attempt to Install Deputies in the Works Will Start the Battle.

HONESTAD, Pa., July 7.—If Sheriff McCleary attempts to enter the enclosure surrounding the Carnegie steel works with a posse of deputies in the morning, a more serious and bloody battle than that of yesterday morning may be expected.

This information was not obtained from the leaders of the strike, nor from the committee appointed by them to give out information to the press, but from the strikers themselves. Nearly 100 of them were seen at their homes by a reporter this afternoon, and they were of one mind. The works must stand idle until the strike is declared off. The high sheriff, the Pinkerton men, or the state militia will not be allowed to take possession.

Well Armed and Desperate. Since the awful encounter with the Pinkertons the toilers of this town have become more desperate and determined than ever. They have secured from some source a large quantity of arms and ammunition. Those known to be good marksmen have been selected to act as a band of sharpshooters. They will be concealed and pick off the deputy sheriffs, Pinkertons or militia, as the case may be, as soon as a landing is attempted.

The strikers are not boisterous, nor do they show signs of excitement. But there is a more ominous sign, if there is anything of truth in the saying a calm precedes a storm. Fortunately the strikers are not all Hungarians and Slavs. Fortunately the men in the lead are men who know their success depends largely on their bravery.

But the talk of the men themselves will show which way the wind is blowing. They gave their honest opinions, unbiased by any crowd or agitator, for they were away from their companions and at home.

"We will see that the works are not harmed, and that nothing is in the way of property belonging to Mr. Carnegie is destroyed, unless it be the boats used in attempting to land officers," was the reply made by D. Corker, a steel worker, yesterday. "The managers of the works know this as well as we do. What they want is to put the sheriff in possession of the works and then the county will be responsible for any damage that may result from any disturbance that may follow. It will insure him against loss and we property owners will have it to pay. You see, as soon as the managers install a sheriff at the works, they will then bring in the 'black sheep.' They know this may incite the strikers to riot and that serious damage to the works may follow. They know that many of us own our homes, and that we do not care to incur heavy taxes to pay for damages done to the works while the sheriff is in possession. We do not fear that the Pinkertons or any other body of officers will gain possession of the works, but we do fear another battle.

Ready to Die If Need Be. "Not that we are cowards, for every man of us is prepared to sacrifice his life if necessary in this struggle for what we believe to be just and right. But we are fearful of the sorrow it is bound to bring to many of our homes. We are not thirsting for blood, but we will not stand idly by and see the bread wrested from the mouths of our wives and children without making a vigorous effort to prevent it."

This story in substance was repeated scores of times by men from every branch of work at the mill. Many added that their arms had been supplied and that they had secured plenty of ammunition to use in case an attempt is made to put the works in the hands of the high sheriff of Allegheny county.

The expression of the men found backing from the aged pastor of one of the Methodist churches here, who in a very remarkable sermon preached over the body of John Morris, the best known and most popular of the killed workmen, said in unmistakable words that in his opinion the Pinkertons had been sent here for blood if that were necessary for the non-unionization of the mills. He gave commendation to the workmen and evidently is firm in his belief that to Mr. Frick is to be attributed all the trouble between

the employers and employed, and spoke of him in scathing terms as a man with no more sensibility than a toad. His speech aside from the negative feature of the almost unnatural quiet and hush of the town, was the event of the day.

There were three funerals during the afternoon and it was not unnaturally expected that they might culminate in some sort of disturbance, but they passed off with all the decorum that should attend such a solemn celebration.

Up to a late hour there are no deaths in addition to those named. Three men are in a very dangerous condition and it is doubtful whether or not they will recover.

WHAT THE CARNEGIE STRIKE IS ABOUT.

As we understand the situation at Honestad three questions are involved:

- 1. A reduction in the scale from \$25 to \$23 for 48 Bessemer billets.
2. A change in the date of the expiration of the scale from June 19 to December 31.
3. A reduction in tonnage rates at those furnaces and mills where important improvements have been made and new machinery has been added that has greatly increased their output and consequently the earnings of the workmen. Where no such improvements or additions have been made no reduction is asked. American Manufacturer.

The fight is on, and there is no questioning the issues. It is protection to American industries, American homes and American people against free trade, a destruction of our industries, and a paralyzing of our people. Americans should not hesitate as to how they will vote upon such an issue. The republican party that has saved this union from destruction at the hands of democrats, must still preserve it. The men who failed in war are now attempting by different methods to accomplish what they fought for then. Republicans must be loyal to their country.—Beatrice Times.

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