

Weekly Press Forum

Mount Morris (Ill.) Democrat: The reorganizers ask the democrats to repent and ask the devil to forgive them for doing right.

Cameron (Mo.) Sun: Those reorganizing Morganizers of the east who want to nominate a republican on the democratic ticket should go into the republican party at once and be done with it.

Clarksville (Mo.) Piker: A thousand times would it be better for the party to stand for its own principles and the people's interests and be defeated than gain a dozen "victories" tied to the chariot wheel of Mammon.

Mount Morris (Ill.) Democrat: The republican party has been in power seven years without checking a single monopoly. In fact, it has fostered monopolies. And yet no leader of the party will admit being a champion of the trusts. But they don't need to admit it. The people are finding it out.

Rockville (Ind.) Tribune: These fellows who are so anxious to find a candidate and frame a platform acceptable to the democrats, so-called, who have not voted the ticket since 1892, would do well to consider what the dog had left when he dropped the substance that was in his mouth to grab at its shauw in the water.

Shenandoah (Ia.) World: Instead of laying on God the responsibility for having sent us there, we had better be praying to God, asking His forgiveness for the way we have murdered those poor people, debauched their women, and put an everlasting blot on the page of what might have been a most glorious civilization.

Newark (O.) Advocate: British authorities continue to assert that England and the United States have an entangling alliance of some kind in the far east, and Mr. Hay persists in the statement that America is bound for the "promotion of the common good." It used to be considered uncommonly good for the United States to keep out of all such mix-ups.

Roodhouse (Ill.) Record. Chicago packers deny that they are forcing the public to pay exorbitant prices for dressed meats. The Bloomington Bulletin suggests that as farmers are not getting the money and the retail butchers are barely making a living, and the packers are reducing wages from time to time, the only explanation would seem to be that the money falls upon the floor and rolls under the office desk.

Rushville (Ind.) Jacksonian: The power usurped by the president in the defiance of the constitution and the bedrock principle of the American republic must be curtailed if free government is to endure. This can only be accomplished by routing the forces of plutocracy and greed next fall. Let the democratic forces then stand firmly united for this great battle that must determine which is to be supreme—law or boodle.

Eureka (Ill.) Democrat-Journal: The Chicago Inter-Ocean, "the only republican paper in Chicago," does not believe that Roosevelt could car-

ry New York next November. If the western farmers get a little wider awake he will not be able to carry Wisconsin, Minnesota, Iowa, Nebraska, or Kansas. That is why Allison and others are trying to make Governor Cummins shut up. They are afraid he will awake the farmers to the robbery of the tariff.

Seneca (Kas.) Courier-Democrat: The last detachment of United States troops left Cuba the other day, and the last American flag flying on the island was lowered. This brings to mind the campaign cry of the republicans in 1900, "Who will pull down the flag?" To pull down the flag does not seem such a serious or traitorous act when it is flying where it does not belong, but the cry served in 1900 to catch gudgeons who imagined they were stirred by patriotism.

Albion (Mich.) Mirror: The turnout of a glittering troop of cavalry to receive Governor Taft of the Philippines, and the mustering of another clattering company to enable Secretary Root to resume his position as a private citizen, are likely to have important results. Foreign ambassadors in Washington are inquiring why they cannot have some of this royal pomp and circumstance, and members of the cabinet visiting various parts of the country wonder why they cannot make their tours accompanied by the gorgeousness of soldiers and a brass band. It might surprise Washington, Jefferson, Franklin, and even Lincoln, but, as Senator Lodge remarked, "We must be prepared for larger demonstrations."

Spartanburg (S. C.) Journal: The Charlotte Observer, the greatest Clevelandite of them all, admits that Mr. Cleveland lacks his usual directness in dealing with the Panama question in his recent letter when he fails to advise the democratic senators to vote for or against the Panama canal treaty. Mr. Cleveland is always indirect and involved in his advice to the party. He writes of foundation democratic principles and old-fashioned democratic maxims, but he never states what these are, nor how they should be applied to present conditions and issues. We only know that while he was president he applied whatever principles he had toward the benefit of those who have always been considered the enemies of the democratic party and of the people. That is why the democrats distrust him and republicans admire him.

Tammany Club Leads Fight For Cleveland.

With the sanction of Charles F. Murphy, the Tammany organization of the "Diamond Black" district took the lead last night in launching the candidacy of Grover Cleveland for the democratic nomination for president.

The "Cleveland meeting" was the first of a series of similar meetings to be held by the Tammany organizations in various districts of the city. Thomas E. Rush, the leader of the Twenty-ninth, started the ball rolling because Mr. Cleveland is the only democratic candidate who ever carried the district. Ashbel P. Fitch, Charles S. Fairchild and other prominent Cleveland democrats of the district gave their hearty support. Mr. Rush, the leader of the district, is the law partner of Mayor McClellan. The Twenty-ninth is the Fifth avenue district.

James W. Gerard, jr., presided at

the meeting which was held at the Tuxedo, Fifty-ninth street and Madison avenue. It was stated that another large Cleveland mass meeting is soon to be held, at which John G. Carlisle, Charles S. Fairchild and Ashbel P. Fitch are to be present.

Chairman Gerard, in introducing the first speaker, Thomas W. Churchill, said: "He twice held office under the man who will be the next president of the United States, Grover Cleveland." At this reference to Mr. Cleveland there was enthusiastic cheering.

"In the past eight years," said Mr. Gerard, "the democratic party has been a party of defeat, but with the present leadership of the party, with the present disposition of the party to follow safe counsels, and with the prestige of the splendid administration Mayor McClellan is giving us, there is every prospect that the party is soon to be not merely a party of criticism, but a party of action."

Champe S. Andrews aroused the greatest enthusiasm of the evening in his strong demand for Mr. Cleveland's nomination.

"We have been too long wedded to dead issues," he said. "The democratic party has too long been a party of obstruction. The Kansas City and Chicago platforms gave us not one single positive constructive program. We want a platform that declares for something that is to be done, not a platform that merely criticises and opposes. There are more young voters in the democratic party now than in its history. The young blood calls for a program of action, not one of obstruction."

"The democratic party now needs, as it never needed before, some man with force and character to rise up and lead us. We have the voters, we have the ammunition—we want the man. I know it is a popular thing at Albany and elsewhere for after-dinner speakers to nominate candidates for president. It is not at dinners that our next candidate will be named. He will not be named by a newspaper or a chain of newspapers. It is in the affections of the people. I have said that we have the tariff question, and we have still living among us, thank God, the man who led us twice to victory on that issue, Grover Cleveland."

"Mr. Cleveland is now living in dignified retirement, the beloved of his fellow citizens. He has said that he would not accept a nomination for the presidency, but there is no man in this country, not even if he has the strong will of Grover Cleveland, who can refuse the demand of his countrymen and decline to carry the standard of leadership when the nomination of his party for that high office is tendered to him."

All of the other speakers referred in similar terms to Mr. Cleveland and provoked the greatest enthusiasm. Dr. H. A. C. Anderson, the German leader, said:

"Mr. Cleveland can certainly carry New York, New Jersey and Connecticut, and will have a better chance than any other we might name in the doubtful states of Indiana and Illinois. He is the man to lead us."

Maurice B. Blumenthal, former deputy attorney general, said that in the past year the democratic party had set about rectifying the mistakes of the past, and was now determined to regain the power and prestige it possessed. He said that the party was in line for a return to those sound beliefs.—New York World.

The London correspondent to the Associated press declares that parliament will be dissolved during the next six weeks; that the liberals will be returned to power, and that King Edward will summon Lord Spencer, liberal leader in the house of lords, to form a cabinet.

EMPIRE CREAM SEPARATOR

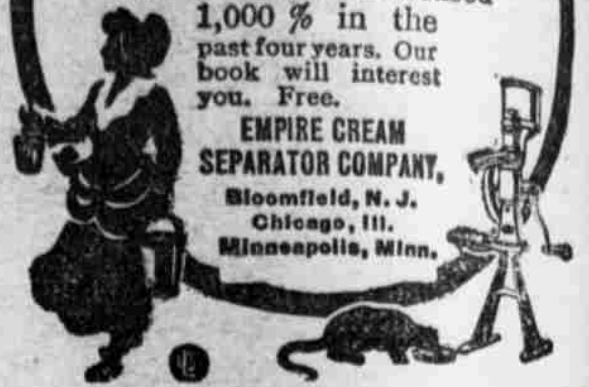
Makes the Milk Cows Pay.

It's the Best

built separator in the world; simpler in construction, with fewer parts, most durable, most easily cleaned. Its sales have increased

1,000% in the past four years. Our book will interest you. Free.

EMPIRE CREAM SEPARATOR COMPANY, Bloomfield, N. J. Chicago, Ill. Minneapolis, Minn.



CATARRH

is the most prevalent of diseases. It is a local ailment of the mucous membrane as well as constitutional and

CAN BE CURED

eradicated by proper treatment. Dr. Sykes cured himself in 1870, and the treatment has thousands since, and by using Dr. Sykes' Sure Cure for Catarrh will cure you. Send for the best book on catarrh ever published. Mailed free.

DR. SYKES' SURE CURE CO. Department C 118 So. Leavitt St., Chicago, Ill.

CANCER CURED

WITH SOOTHING, BALMY OILS. Cancer, Tumor, Catarrh, Piles, Fistula, Ulcers, Eczema and all Skin and Womb Diseases. Write for Illustrated Book. Sent free. Address DR. BYE, Cor. 9th & Broadway, Kansas City, Mo.

AGENTS: "The Russo-Japanese War," by Mural Halstead; fastest selling-book of the day; a valuable history; now in press; outfits ready; agents taking 15 to 25 orders daily. Price \$1.75; 100 per cent profit to agents; freight paid; credit given; send 12 cents postage on outfit and be first in field. Federal Publishing House, 252 Hastings St., Chicago, Ill.

DEATH TO HEAVES Guaranteed NEWTON'S Eeze, Cough, Hoarse-ness and Indigestion Cure. A veterinary specific for work, throat and stomach troubles. Strongly recommended. \$1.00 per can. Dealers, Mail or Ex. paid. The Newton Remedy Co., Toledo, Ohio.

MAKE MONEY pulling stumps, grubbing, etc., and clearing land for yourself and others. Hercules Stamp Puller is the best. Catalog FREE. Hercules Mfg. Co., Dept. 10 Centerville, Mo.

FENCE! STRONGEST MADE, Full Strong, Chicago, Ill. Tight. Sold to the Farmer at Wholesale Prices. Fully Warranted. Catalog Free. COILED SPRING FENCE CO. Box 224 Winchester, Indiana, U. S. A.

\$80 A MONTH SALARY And all expenses to introduce our Guaranteed Poultry and Stock Remedies. Send for contract; we mean business and furnish best reference. G. B. BIGLER CO., X 660 Springfield, Ill.

FLOWERS Park's Floral Magazine, Park's Floral Guide, 1904, and Park's Seed Pkg., 1000 sorts, for a big bed that will surprise you with new flowers every day all summer, all for stamp. Geo. W. Park, B18, La Park, Pa.

ECZEMA PERMANENTLY CURED! Our guarantee is backed by a National Bank. Booklet free. Manter Chemical Co., 6039 N. Indiana Ave., Chicago, Ill.

\$75 Month and expenses; no experience needed; position permanent; self-seller. PRASE MFG. CO., Stat'n 59, Cincinnati, O.

If Cleveland happens to remember that he had the control of one campaign that went the other way he may come to the conclusion that some others may have valuable opinions on the subject of management.—Cedar Rapids Gazette.

"I Can't Go

I've such a terrible headache," need never be said again. Dr. Miles' Anti-Pain Pills quickly cure and positively prevent headache and all bodily pain. No opiates, non-laxative, never sold in bulk. Guaranteed. All druggists. 25 doses 25 cents. DR. MILES MEDICAL CO., Elkhart, Ind.