

AS NEW YORK GOES SO GOES NATION

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Be President.

EFFORTS CENTERED THERE.

GLANCE BACK INTO POLITICAL HISTORY WARRANTS ASSERTION—OTHER GOSSIP FROM NATIONAL CAPITAL.

Special to Palladium.

Washington, Oct. 24.—Keep your eye on New York! Now that the campaign has rounded itself into shape, politicians generally are agreed that the man who gets the electoral vote of the Empire state will be the next president. From now on republican and democratic managers alike will center their efforts on the New York fight.

It is an old saw of politics that as New York goes so goes the nation, but this is not necessarily true. Four years ago Roosevelt could have given Parker New York's 39 electoral votes and still have had the comfortable margin of 118 votes in the electoral college. You often hear it declared that New York is necessary to the success of this candidate or is not necessary to the success of that one. As a matter of fact, New York's vote is never necessary to the success of a presidential candidate—provided he gets enough votes to elect him without New York. The point is that the conditions which will turn New York one way or the other are certain to overflow into and affect the result in other states, and enough other states together with New York to determine the result.

Hence the saying that as New York goes so goes the nation. A glance back at political history will show that this is warranted. In 1876 Tilden carried New York and Hayes was inaugurated president, having finally been declared to have a majority of one in the electoral college. Since then New York has been an unerring barometer. Garfield carried it in 1880, and was elected; Cleveland carried it in 1884, and was elected; Harrison carried it in 1888, and was elected; Cleveland carried it in 1892, and was elected; McKinley carried it in 1896 and again in 1900 and Roosevelt carried it in 1904.

Yet we find that in each of these cases the successful candidate would have been successful even without the vote of New York, though in 1884 Cleveland would have had but one vote to spare without the 36 electoral votes New York then had. In all other cases the successful candidate would win by a comfortable margin had New York's vote been entirely eliminated from the contest. Had New York's vote not been counted in 1880 Garfield still would have had a margin of 21; Harrison would have had 29 in 1888; Cleveland 74 in 1892; McKinley 59 in 1896 and 101 in 1900, while Roosevelt would have had 118 in 1904. In 1880, 1884 and 1888, therefore, had New York's vote been given to the opposing candidate Garfield, Cleveland and Harrison would have lost, while in 1892, 1896, 1900 and 1904 Cleveland, McKinley and Roosevelt would have won had New York been carried by their opponents.

When politicians say this year that as New York goes so will go the nation they mean in the sense that it determined the result in 1880, 1884 and 1888 and not in the general sense that it will indicate the drift of sentiment as in the subsequent elections.

The diplomatic world holds the opinion that the next acquisition of territories by the United States will be in the West Indies and that Santa Domingo will be the particular piece of real estate to come under the American flag. We are busy down there

now as a sort of elder brother, collecting her revenues and standing off her creditors with partial payments and most well-informed people believe this partial administration is certain to become complete.

About the only ones who seem opposed to the prospect are a few colored gentry who miss the easy money their administration of the Black Republic's revenues gave them. Santa Domingo is reputed to be the richest of all the Greater Antilles. Lying just west of Porto Rico and on the direct route to Panama, it is of strategic importance and its possession would be of no little advantage to the United States. Annexation of Santa Domingo could mean nothing but eventual annexation of Haiti, the other black republic occupying the western part of the island and which has caused almost as much trouble as has Santa Domingo.

REPORTS WERE NOT EXAGGERATED.

As Many People of Richmond Are Testifying.

The Root Juice instructors made many lasting friends while in Richmond. Their wonderful remedy has done worlds of good at this point, and reports of cures are being circulated from every direction. A. G. Luken's drug store is more busy than ever wrapping up Root Juice, and listening to the many flattering reports of the great good it is doing.

Miss Sarah Collins said: "I used to bloat so at times I could hardly get my breath, sour gases would form in my stomach and dull heavy headaches were at times so bad I felt I would go crazy; my tongue coated and I always had a bad taste in my mouth. My hands and feet were cold at times and at other times they would burn like fire, but, thank my good stars, after hearing so much about Root Juice, I went to the drug store and bought a bottle of it and after using the first bottle I went back and bought two more bottles. I have used it all and don't think I will need any more as I feel as well as I ever did in my life."

Root Juice seems to be good for any trouble of the stomach, liver, kidneys, bowels or blood. It is sold for \$1 a bottle, 3 for \$2.50, at A. G. Luken & Co's drug store.

EAST GERMANTOWN, IND.

East Germantown, Ind., Oct. 24.—Preaching services at the Evangelical church Sunday morning by Rev. Kaylor.

Mr. George Fadely is visiting her daughter Mrs. Hayne at Richmond this week.

Ray Doll and Paul Kepler are attending business college at Richmond.

Mrs. Mary Elebarger of Dublin spent several days this week with Washington Beck and wife.

Mrs. James Leighty and Mrs. Leonards goes to Indianapolis this week to visit their sister Mrs. Ida Boyd.

Mrs. Harry Rodenberg is at Indianapolis visiting relatives.

Miss Tillie Landig of Indianapolis who came to attend the funeral of her cousin, Henry Imboden Monday, will spend the week with her sister Mrs. Sarah Barkley.

Mr. and Mrs. George Butler are visiting friends at their former home at Columbus, O.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Kocher spent the week with Verne De Hays and wife north of Richmond.

Mrs. Clydus Reigle and baby of Richmond are the guests of Andrew Reigle and family.

Mrs. Emma Myers is at Indianapolis.

Woman Interrupts Political Speaker.

A well dressed woman interrupted a political speaker recently by continually coughing. If she had taken Foley's Honey and Tar it would have cured her cough quickly and expelled the cold from her system. The genuine Foley's Honey and Tar contains no opiates and is in a yellow package. Refuse substitutes. A. G. Luken & Co.

CAMBRIDGE CITY, IND.

Cambridge City, Ind., Oct. 23.—Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Reynolds, of Sulphur, Okla., are spending sometime here with C. W. Routh and family and other friends.

The meeting of the Social Union will

be held with Mrs. J. R. Mank next Tuesday afternoon. Joe Bender has again taken charge of the meat market.

Cambridge City was well represented at the Bentonville rally Thursday.

Thomas Henby has purchased the Cope dairy.

Mr. and Mrs. Colplazer, of Lavonia, Ind., are the guests of Dr. and Mrs. Wright for a few days.

Theodore Monger who has been confined to his home in East Cambridge for several weeks by a severe illness is again able to be out.

Thomas Peet has returned from a visit to Cincinnati and other Ohio Ohio towns.

Mr. and Mrs. Ford Romer are moving into their new home on Maple street. Mr. Romer has one of the prettiest and most commodious of the many new houses built in Cambridge City within the last year.

Louis Bloom, of Cincinnati, was in the city Friday.

The teachers of the public schools of Milton, Cambridge City and Dublin met in joint institute at the latter place today.

Miss Harriet Ault is enjoying a pleasant visit with her brother in Chicago.

Mr. and Mrs. Lewis Stickrath, of Columbus, O., are visiting the former's brothers in this city.

Mrs. Barbara Van Trump and granddaughter Lena Sobb, of Kansas City, are here the guests of the former's sister, Mrs. W. W. Dill.

Mrs. Abram Boyd spent Thursday in Indianapolis.

Mrs. W. A. Johnstone spent Friday in Richmond.

CENTERVILLE, IND.

Centerville, Ind., Oct. 23.—Mr. and Mrs. Joseph B. Hurst entertained Mr. Howard Cook of Greensboro, Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. Samuel Webster, of Dickson, O., are at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Henry Seymour, being called here by the serious illness of Mr. Seymour, the father of Mrs. Webster.

Mrs. James Martin, Sr., of West Nellie Ellison.

Mrs. Charles Black and son John, of West Richmond, are visiting Mr. and Mrs. James C. Marshall.

Mr. and Mrs. C. A. Langley entertained this week Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Craig, of Richmond.

Mrs. Walter Terry is entertaining her mother, Mrs. Cooper, of Urbana, O.

Mrs. Edna Shissler, of Richmond, spent Friday with Mrs. George T. Linting.

SAVED HIS BOY'S LIFE.

"My three year old boy was badly constipated, had a high fever and was in an awful condition. I gave him two doses of Foley's Orino Laxative and the next morning the fever was gone and he was entirely well. Foley's Orino Laxative saved his life."

A. Volkush, Casimir, Wis. A. G. Luken & Co.

NEW PARIS, OHIO.

New Paris, O., Oct. 23.—Henry Fudge and wife of Warren, Ind., are visiting with Albert Fudge and family.

Miss Helen Epler, of New Hope, is spending this week with New Paris friends.

The teachers of the Christian Sunday school met at the home of B. S. Davis, Thursday evening, for the purpose of reorganizing their school.

Mrs. Susan McNeill and daughter Love McNeill, of Cincinnati, are visiting with Mrs. Caroline McNeill and daughter.

The Ladies' Aid society of the Methodist church met with Mrs. Allie White, Thursday, with about twenty-five members present.

The Thimble club met with Mrs. Charles Scott Friday afternoon.

The Odd Fellows from this place went to West Manchester last evening to attend the district meeting and put on the degree work.

Professor Good, of Richmond, was here Thursday evening for the purpose of organizing a chorus.

MILTON, IND.

Milton, Ind., Oct. 24.—Mrs. Carrie Brage Johnson went to Indianapolis Friday where she will remain till after the Johnson-Nichols wedding.

Miss Belle Scott, of Richmond, is Mrs. Alice H. Gresh. Thursday, Mrs. Gresh entertained at a 6 o'clock dinner for Miss Scott. Beside the honor guest there were present Mr. and Mrs. Hiram L. Jones and Miss Nellie Jones.

Mrs. Mary Noll has received word of the alarming illness of her sister, Mrs. Jennie Neff at Columbus, O., to which place Mrs. Noll went Friday.

Miss Reba Crans is visiting in Richmond.

Mrs. Lizzie Cochran has returned from Pecksbury and is in very poor health.

Vernon Branson, of Covington, Ky., is visiting his parents at Beechwood.

LETTER LIST.

Ladies' List—Miss Andrews, Mrs. Biss, Miss Lucile Helm, Mrs. Ferra E. Hayes, Mrs. Rosa Isentrager, Lydia Jackson, Miss Helen LeClair (2), Amanda Miller, Mrs. C. M. Robeson, Miss Nellie Rourke, Mrs. Stella Rice, Mrs. J. Randall, Mrs. I. G. Taylor, Lettie Wisener, Miss M. D. Williams.

Gentlemen's List—Rev. W. H. Brown, Mr. and Mrs. Thomas P. Bryan, Jack Botsford, P. D. Broadbent, E. H. Critchett, W. C. Ewry, W. H. Gilbert, J. H. Hubbard, C. C. Harris, Mercantile & Mfg. Co., New Method Laundry Co., Richmond Elevator & Milling Co., The International Law & Collection Co., Hon. O. P. Whelan.

Drops—Geo. Mayer, Gilbert Tharp, J. A. SPEKENHIER, P. M.

A new occupation for women is the "grateful patient." Well-dressed women are hired by unscrupulous men in Paris to sit in their waiting-rooms, enter into conversation with genuine patients and hold forth glowing terms on the benefits derived from the doctor's treatment.

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Just scratch a match—light the Perfection Oil Heater—and stop shivering. Whenever you have a room that's hard to heat—that the furnace doesn't reach—there you'll need a

The **Rayo Lamp** gives a restful, steady, soft light which is so much appreciated by workers and students. Made of brass nickel plated with the latest improved central draft burner. Every lamp warranted. Write our nearest agency for descriptive circular if your dealer cannot supply the Perfection Oil Heater or Rayo Lamp.

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FISH FOUND BENEATH SURFACE OF GROUND

Economy Man Makes an Interesting Find.

Hagerstown, Ind., Oct. 24.—After digging in the sand on his farm south of town a depth of four feet, Charles Knapp was surprised to find buried two fish. The appearance indicated they had been removed from the water only a short time. Mr. Knapp was mystified somewhat and did not know how to explain the apparent phenomenon until he dug deeper and came upon a king-fisher's nest. The fish had been caught in the creek and were intended for the food of the birds which build their nests by burrowing into the sand and soil.

LARGE APPLES.

Washington Fruit on Exhibition at Milton.

Milton, Ind., Oct. 24.—Mrs. John Ferguson has received a box of the finest apples ever seen in this section from her daughter, Mrs. Ada Ferguson Swearer, Weenatchee, Washington. Samples of nine different kinds are in exhibition at Callaway's drug store and attract much attention. The varieties sent are: Hoover, Stamin, Winesap, Spitzberg, Grimes' Golden, Delicious Jonathan, Rome Beauty, Gano, Winter Banana and Wolf River. The last mentioned is fifteen inches in diameter and weighs twenty ounces. Old fruit growers in this section say they never saw such fine specimens of fruit and had discredited the published statements as distorted facts, but now have been convinced by seeing the apples.

ARE YOU ONLY HALF ALIVE?

People with kidney trouble are so weak and exhausted that they are only half alive. Foley's Kidney Remedy makes healthy kidneys, restores lost vitality, and weak delicate people are restored to health. Refuse any but Foley's. A. G. Luken & Co.

REYNOLDS TEACHES.

Fill Vacancy in the Hagerstown Schools.

YOUNG COUPLE MARRIED.

Mr. Walter Strong Weds Miss Lucy Benton.

Fountain City, Ind., Oct. 23.—Lee Reynolds has been secured by the school board here to fill the vacancy caused by the sickness of C. W. Woods in the public schools. During the past month W. D. Cook of Centerville has held the position, but the school board decided that Mr. Reynolds should be employed as Mr. Cook was secured for one month only.

TO STUDY FOR STAGE.

Economy Boy Goes to Quaker City of East.

Economy, Ind., Oct. 24.—Albert Clark, a former student at Earlham College, has left for Philadelphia. He will study for the stage. Clark is well known for his musical ability.

A JEWELER'S EXPERIENCE

C. R. Kluger, the Jeweler, 1060 Virginia Ave., Indianapolis, Ind., writes: "I was so weak from kidney trouble that I could hardly walk a hundred feet. Four bottles of Foley's Kidney Remedy cleared my complexion, cured my backache and the irregularities disappeared, and I can now attend to business every day, and recommend Foley's Kidney Remedy to all sufferers as it cured me after the doctors and other remedies had failed. A. G. Luken & Co.

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