

REFORMS THE DOMINANT ISSUE

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A REPUTATION. We've a long-standing reputation for selling fine table linens. Ask any woman about it. Take advantage of our annual Thanksgiving sale. See our ad elsewhere in this issue.

Ohio—Municipal and township officers will be elected in every community in Ohio. The issues are local, although the temperance question is a factor in several cities.

Indiana—The disfranchising question is prominent in the municipal campaign in Indianapolis. The primary elections at Indianapolis resulted in "anti-organization" candidates for Mayor, secondly, nominated by both Republicans and Democrats.

NEBRASKA—No important issues are at stake in this state. The only state officers to be elected are three justices of the Supreme Court.

Dr. Wise's Words Too Moderate to Please Them. The execution of Francisco Ferrer was the subject of discussion at a meeting of

the Jewish Socialist Literary Society at the Neighborhood House, 47 First street, last night, with H. Langerock and Dr. Joseph H. Wise the speakers.

Dr. Wise protested against the United States law that no anarchist be allowed to enter America as a refugee from political oppression at home.

We are all ready to declaim against the assassination of Ferrer. But who was Ferrer? Few know. A prominent anarchist told me that he was contemplating killing the assassin of Ferrer, but that he could not because he did not know anything about Ferrer.

Mr. Langerock, the first speaker, outlined Ferrer's life, drew a picture of Spanish intolerance and conditions, and announced America as being by its better, calling attention to the De Lara affair in Los Angeles.

Ferrer was not killed for an act of any particular mischief but for the ideas which he upheld. He was a martyr. Now, he would not be sure, ask for the details. He has been said that the man who killed Ferrer has spoken every three in Europe.

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PARTY LINES LOST BY PRIMARY LAW

San Francisco Ready to Vote After Hottest Campaign in City's History.

HENEY FOUR TIMES NAMED

Is Nominated for District Attorney of Democrat, Good Government League, Independence League, Heney League—Work Ends.

SAN FRANCISCO, Oct. 31.—This city will hold next Tuesday its first biennial municipal election for nominees chosen under the new direct primary law.

TWO CANDIDATES FOR MAYOR IN SAN FRANCISCO, AND MAN WHO HOPES TO BECOME DISTRICT ATTORNEY.



William Crocker. Francis J. Heney. P. H. McCarthy.

hottest election battles ever waged in San Francisco, and with the last of the big mass meetings held in various districts last night the contending political forces will rest on their arms until the polls open Tuesday morning.

All the candidates on the various tickets which will appear on the official ballot were selected either by the votes of the party electors at the direct primary held under the provision of the new direct primary law or will be placed on the ballot by petition.

In the fight for the Mayoralty and the District Attorneyship, party lines have been cast aside and even the so-called machine politicians of both the leading parties are divided in their allegiance.

For the Mayoralty the Republicans have put forward William Crocker, a retired planing-mill man. The Democrats have named Dr. T. W. B. Leland, who is now finishing his third term as City and County Coroner.

Francis J. Heney, who as Deputy District Attorney has been connected with the prosecution of the cases which grew out of the graft charges when the Schmitz administration was overturned three years ago, appears on the ticket four times as a candidate for the office of District Attorney.

His opponent, Charles M. Fickert, is the nominee of the Union Labor and the Republican parties. Heney secured the Democratic nomination by a narrow margin after both his and Fickert's names had been written in by the electors of that party.

WOMEN APPLAUD HEARST

lives of the two other candidates profess equal confidence. At most of the New York churches today sermons dealing with the election were preached to large congregations. Tammany Hall was scarcely

ingly denounced by interference if not by name. At the Metropolitan Temple Rev. John W. Hill spoke on "The Duty of the Voter," and pleaded earnestly for patriotism at the ballot box.

At Carnegie Hall, Dr. Felix Adler discussed "The Present Contest and the Final Emancipation of New York." He declared Tammany Hall as a general proposition, but did not hesitate to say that it was not Tammany per se he objected to; it was the system that permitted Tammany to exist.

Legal precautions preceding the election resulted today in an invasion of 30 lodging-houses on the East Side by Superintendent of Election Leary and 40 deputies. The officials discovered about 6000 men that sleep nightly in these places and about 1200 registered there from as their homes.

Repeaters Are Found. The calling out of troops followed much disorder here Friday and Saturday of last week. An armed body of men forcibly seized the official ballots Friday and carried them to a remote part of the county, where they defied arrest.

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GERMANS RUN FROM ARMY

Epidemic of Desertions Reported on Western Frontier.

BERLIN, Oct. 28.—(Special)—An article in the Kreuzzeitung deplores the increasing number of desertions from the army on the Western frontier. It is said that there is an epidemic of desertion in the garrisons of Upper Saxe.

DEATH'S TOLL FOUGHT

DOCTORS HOPE TO CHECK INFANT MORTALITY. Convention of Eminent Physicians Will Convene in New Haven November 11.

NEW HAVEN, Oct. 31.—Practicing physicians, representatives of the most important medical schools in this country, educators and workers will take part in the conference arranged by the American Academy of Medicine on Prevention of Infant Mortality.

The closing address at that session will be by Dr. Wood Hutchinson, well known as an author and lecturer, in the effect of philanthropic experiments in increasing and reducing infant mortality.

An important feature of the session on infant mortality prevention will be a report by the chairman, Homer Folks, on the place of institutions in the care of destitute and sick infants, with a review of the recent changes in methods and suggestions for the further development in institutional care.

MILWAUKEE MEN GO UP

Promotions Are Announced as Effective November 1.

SEATTLE, Wash., Oct. 31.—Announcement was made at the general offices of the Chicago, Milwaukee & Puget Sound Railway here today of the following promotions effective November 1:

H. Barrett, division superintendent of the Missoula division, is promoted to assistant general superintendent of the Trans-Mississippi division, Rocky Mountain & Missoula divisions, with offices at Butte, Mont.

TROOPS TO GUARD KENTUCKY BALLOT

Factions in Breathitt County, Suspicious of Each Other, Afraid of Violence.

OFFICIAL BALLOTS STOLEN

Carried to Remote Part of County by Side, While Opponents Take Possession of Courthouse—Then a Temporary Truce Is Made.

JACKSON, Ky., Oct. 31.—State troops will be on guard in Breathitt County Monday and Tuesday, November 1 and 2, during the election, as a result of the heated contest growing out of the bitter campaign over county and district offices.

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HALLOWEEN JOKE SERIOUS

Boy Taking Buggy Is Target for Shotgun at Twenty Yards.

PHOENIX, Ariz., Oct. 31.—An 18-year-old boy named Gillett was shot in the night with a shotgun at 20 yards' stable here.

AIRSHIP BLADE KILLS HIM

Lieutenant, Hit by Whirling Propeller, Dies Instantly.

ROME, Oct. 31.—As the Italian military dirigible balloon No. 1 made a landing here on a trip from Bracciano to Naples and return, Pietro Rovetti, lieutenant of engineers, stepped too near the whirling propeller and was killed instantly.

TORNADO WRECKS HOME

Mother Is Dead and Two Children Seriously Hurt.

WILLIAM SPRINGS, Ark., Oct. 31.—Mrs. E. M. Fowler was killed and her two children seriously injured today when their home was destroyed by a tornado.

WINE CARGO IS RUSHED

SAN DIEGO REACHED IN TIME TO AVOID TARIFF. Eight Hundred Tons of French Liquors Will Now Be Dispensed at Good Profit to Dealers.

SAN DIEGO, Cal., Oct. 31.—(Special)—By chartering a fast steamer across the Atlantic, making a hurried haul by special train across the isthmus of Tehuantepec and a quick trip up the coast to San Diego, French liquor merchants succeeded in landing an immense cargo of wines, liquors and cordials on California soil before the new reciprocity treaty went into effect tonight.

THE TAMMANY TIGER, ONE OF THE FEATURES OF THE NEW YORK CAMPAIGN. NEW YORK, Oct. 31.—(Special)—The committee of one hundred on Thursday of last week added to their collection of babies, coffins and roast turkeys in their "museum" on Union Square by the unveiling of a "statue" of a tiger, which was erected or put together by the committee in reply to the Tammany statue of "Miss Purity" on Long Acre Square.



THANKSGIVING SALES

Linens and Fine Cut Glass

—WOMEN KNOW LINENS. Every housekeeper grows enthusiastic over beautiful Linens. And the Lipman, Wolfe Linen Store today will be a center of enthusiasm that will repay us all the effort we made in preparing for this annual sale.

Table with 4 columns: Regular price, Special price, Regular price, Special price. Items include Regular \$2.50, Special \$1.95, Regular \$ 6.00, Special \$5.10, etc.

Napkins to Match Table Cloths

Table with 4 columns: Regular price, Special price, Regular price, Special price. Items include Regular \$3.50, Special \$2.95, Regular \$ 6.50, Special \$5.55, etc.

French Cluny Doilies Irish Embr'd Linens. 6-inch, special, 21c. 12-inch, special, 56c. 20-inch, special, \$1.05.

Chinese Embr'd Doilies. 7 1/2-inch, special, 25c. 9 1/2-inch, special, 35c. 18-inch, special, \$2.48.

Cut Glass

In a monster sale today—Values greater than ever offered before.



A Grand Sale of Exhibition Pianos

Every Instrument in This Sale Obtainable at Reductions of \$107, \$194, \$169 and Up to \$335—All Cash Not Necessary—A Little Down and the Balance on Easy Monthly Payments.

Promptly at 9:30 this morning commenced a sale at the Elgers Piano House, the like of which has never before been equaled, or even approached anywhere.

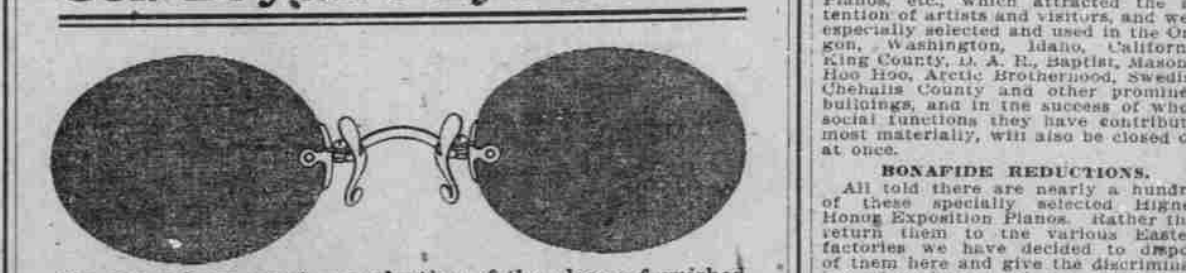
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ALL CASH NOT NECESSARY. Any instrument in this stock may be purchased on small monthly payments. Bring a little cash as first payment, and we will arrange to secure the rest to suit your convenience.

BE ON HAND EARLY. Remember, sale opens promptly at 9:30 this morning. Don't wait or delay. The pianos are here, the reductions are genuine. There will be hundreds of anxious buyers to secure one of them.

President Taft and Col. Bryan's Eye-Glasses



The above is an exact reproduction of the glasses furnished by Thompson to President Taft and Col. Bryan.

Comparison with other makes only serves to emphasize the quality that pronounces Thompson's glasses distinctive and pre-eminent.

President Taft and Colonel Bryan always had the BEST in eye-glasses.

High-Class Work at the Lowest Possible Prices

THOMPSON SIGHT EXPERT SECOND FLOOR, CORBETT BLDG.