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TELEGRAPHIC NEWS.

CLEVELAND, Nov. 15.—Not for years has there been so much activity manifested in the iron ore market here as at present, and the rush of shippers to procure vessels for bringing down their ore has put the price of lake-freights up to a figure that insures immense profits to the ship owners. Last year, about this time, the rate per ton from Lake Superior was \$1.10. This spring opened with the price at \$1.30. From that time it has gone steadily up the scale, and vessel men are now obtaining \$3 a ton on all ore brought down from Ashland, with probability of a still further rise. There is a scarcity of ore at this port, the greater part of that now on the docks being contracted for.

WASHINGTON, Nov. 15.—The annual sale of unclaimed articles in the Dead Letter Office will be held about the 13th of December. In accordance with the practice of the department, all articles offered for sale have been kept, subject to being reclaimed, for two years, and after the expiration of that time, no owner appearing, they are disposed of to make room for the matter that daily accumulates. Defective addresses and insufficient postage are the main reasons why there is a constant flow of postage matter into the Dead Letter Office. After reaching the office every means is employed to ascertain the senders or owners of the letters and packages, and the articles offered at these annual sales represent the proportion of the entire matter for which no owner could be found. The catalogue this year will contain some 7,000 articles.

PITTSBURG, Nov. 15.—Joseph D. Weeks, Secretary of the Western Iron Association, says there has been a remarkable increase in the production of pig iron in the year ending on the 1st instant. "On the 1st of November, 1885," said he, "there were eighty-nine furnaces in blast, producing 45,160 tons weekly. To-day there are 141 in blast, with a weekly capacity of 78,990 tons. The probabilities are that considerable part of the iron sold during the past week is for future delivery—possibly not far in the future—so that it will not have the effect of reducing stock at the furnaces by this amount immediately."

NEW YORK, Nov. 15.—Joseph O'Donohue, who came near getting the Democratic nomination for Mayor in place of Hawitt, said yesterday: "If Cleveland had been running in the last election in New York, he would have been beaten. The state would have gone Republican. Blaine would have won by 30,000 majority. Cleveland is making the re-nomination. I shall use his letter of acceptance against him. Thirty thousand Democrats who voted for him before will turn over to Blaine now."

DALLAS, TEX., Nov. 15.—Two men have been here for five days organizing a filibustering expedition against Mexico. They have now enrolled in Dallas twenty or thirty trusted men, who are ready to raid across the border at the moment the summons is received. The number will be swelled to at least 100. Their object is to establish a new republic on the Rio Grande. It will be a socialist confederation, composed of Northwest Mexican states, and will include Chihuahua, Durango and Sonora. One of the emissaries is a personal friend of Henry George, and for whom he has the strongest admiration and acquiescence in his doctrines.

WASHINGTON, Nov. 15.—Issue of standard silver dollars from the mints during the week ended Nov. 13, was \$853,144. The issue during the same week last year was \$628,117. Shipments of fractional silver since Nov. 1 amount to \$406,544.

WASHINGTON, Nov. 15.—The Secretary of the Interior addressed the Attorney General about two years ago, showing that George W. Evans, of Cleveland, W. T., and Charles Miller, of Pendleton, Oregon, had cut 1,000,000 feet of pine lumber on the public lands in Umatilla county, Oregon, 522,770 feet of which they sold to Watson & Lubbs of Pendleton. The latter claimed afterward that he did not know the timber was fraudulently procured. Secretary Lamar requests the Attorney General to institute criminal suit against Evans and Miller for violation of the law by cutting and removing timber, and joint civil suit against Watson & Lubbs and Evans and Miller for the value of the timber sold, at the rate of \$10 per 1,000 feet.

WASHINGTON, Nov. 15.—President Cleveland began to-day systematic work on his annual message. He received no callers.

PHILADELPHIA, Nov. 16.—The official returns of the state election show that Beaver (Rep.) leads Black (Dem.) by 42,851, and has a clear majority of 5,598 over all other candidates.

NEW YORK, Nov. 16.—An address to the Executive Committee of the Central Labor Union, printed yesterday, is said to be from the pen of Henry George. It contains the following sentence: "It is necessary that we should make war upon that great wrong which causes poverty, primary, the injustice of which makes land, on which and from which all must live, the exclusive property of individuals; that denies the rest of us the right to live and work unless we pay blackmail privileges."

CLEVELAND, Nov. 16.—Cohen, Sampliner & Co., one of the largest men's furnishing goods manufacturers in this city, and who have been in the business for twenty-five years past, made an assignment to-day for the benefit of creditors; assets, \$150,000; liabilities, \$300,000. Inability to collect debts due the firm and the impotency of creditors is stated as the cause of failure.

CHICAGO, Nov. 16.—In view of the determination of the Socialist element to concentrate all their energies during the next three months on ward organization, with a view of expiring the Mayorality next spring, a secret movement has been initiated among a number of prominent business and financial leaders looking to a combination of the best elements of both parties upon Robert T. Lincoln for that office. It is thought that if nominated as a law and order representative he would, as in the case of Mr. Hewitt in New York, command the votes of both parties.

NEW YORK, Nov. 17.—The Central Labor Union is out with a petition in behalf of the condemned Chicago anarchists. Trade unionists generally support the application. It is expected that 50,000 of those who voted for George will sign the petition.

PITTSBURG, Nov. 17.—The monthly report of the condition of the blast furnaces of the United States, published by the American Manufacturer, shows 312 furnaces, with a weekly capacity of 122,641 tons in blast on November 1st, and 278 furnaces, with a weekly capacity of 63,499 tons at blast. At the same time last year 233 furnaces, having a capacity of 76,723 tons per week, were in blast. The report shows an increase in the production of charcoal iron over last year of 25 per cent, of anthracite 33 per cent and of bituminous 80 per cent.

ST. LOUIS, Nov. 17.—Hon. Wm. R. Morrison is in the city and was seen by a reporter. One of the first subjects touched upon was the rumor that Mr. Carlisle could not be a candidate for re-election as Speaker. "There is nothing in it," said Mr. Morrison. "He will be elected Speaker of the next, as he was of the present House, without opposition. About one hundred and fifty-three Republicans and one hundred and seventy-two Democrats will be in the next House. Of that 172 more than 130 agree with Mr. Carlisle on the tariff, and a still greater number will support him for Speaker."

ST. PAUL, Nov. 17.—The report has been current in Chicago the past two days that the great bulk of wheat along the line of the Manitoba Railroad has been already sold, and that the movement may be expected to be very light from this time forward. The facts are that about 8,000,000 bushels of wheat are now in store on that road in country houses, and the road is unable to supply cars enough to lessen the amount, as farmers' current deliveries are more than the current shipments along the line. In some sections the elevators now contain 10 per cent more wheat than when the published statement of stocks was made some two weeks ago, and none have materially decreased.

JACKSON, MISS., Nov. 8.—The Supreme Court to-day decided upon what is commonly called the prohibition or local option case, Judge Campbell delivering the opinion. An elaborate argument had been made by the Hon. Thomas A. Wood against the validity of the statute. The objections urged were that it was delegative of legislative power to an electoral body; that the feature ultimately making twenty-five freeholders the arbiters, vested them with legislative power, and made them by a property qualification an exclusive circle; that the law was to take effect only upon a contingent event in the future—that is, a vote by a majority for prohibition—and that it allowed citizens of Mississippi only to sell liquor and excluded the citizens of other states. The Court considered and rejected each objection as unavailing, and declared the statute constitutional as a valid exercise of the police power of the state.

ST. PAUL, Nov. 17.—Snow began falling early yesterday morning, and continued the day through, although the fall was light. After midnight last night, however, a genuine blizzard set in. This morning the people found the streets and sidewalks badly blanketed, so that travel was next to impossible. Reports indicate that the blizzard began in the western part of this state and swept south into Wisconsin. Railroad travel is greatly impeded, and street cars find it almost impossible to run. The wind is blowing hard and drifting the snow. No such storm has occurred so early in the season for years.

ST. LOUIS, Nov. 12.—A special from Chadwick, Mo., says that about one hundred "Bald Knobbers" entered town at 1 o'clock yesterday morning and began a raid on the saloons, their object being to open the barrels and pour the whisky out, but while they were at this work citizens of the town opened fire on them, when the shooting became general, more than one hundred shots being exchanged, which resulted in the stampede of the "Bald Knobbers." It was ascertained that only one man was seriously wounded, and he was a member of the "Bald Knobbers" gang, whose companions carried him away with them in the darkness. The affair has created much excitement among the people in that locality.

THE PROGRESSIVE DEMOCRACY. The new labor party in New York which has adopted the name of "Progressive Democrats" has adopted the following as a part of the platform upon which they propose to build up a party to "reform" the government: I. "We hold that the value which attaches to the surface of the earth by reason of the growth of population belongs to society at large, and we propose, therefore, to abolish all taxation upon buildings, improvements, and all other things of human production, and by taxation on the value of land alone, to provide for purposes of common necessity and benefit. In this way we propose to make it unprofitable for monopolists to hold land, mines, forests or city lots which they are not putting to use."

II. "We declare war on that system which hands over the public works to corporate control, and permits such beneficent agencies as the railroad and the telegraph to be made the means of robbing the producer and enabling railroad kings and stock gamblers to throttle business and dictate laws."

We hope every reader of the Democrat will carefully weigh and digest the first of the above resolutions, and then determine whether such policy of taxation would be beneficial or not.

And, now at this time, comes forward Prof. Foster, of Burlington, Iowa, in his own proper person, and publishes his prediction of a great storm period extending from Dec. 4th to 17th, during which, he says, will occur some of the most destructive winter storms of recent years. These storms will be much of the same nature as the great blizzards of last January. Heavy snow and high winds will greatly impede railway travel, and he advises the railways to prepare for blockades that will occur in the Western states about Dec. 5th and reach the Eastern states Dec. 9th. There will be energetic electrical disturbances that will affect telegraph and telephone lines. He suggests that many lives and much property can be saved from loss by making preparations for this storm period.

The *Vindicator* truthfully says: "The Republicans are welcome to all the capital they can make against President Cleveland by abusing him on account of his vetoes of special pension bills passed by congress. There is nobody that hates and despises pension sharp and bunns so heartily as do the soldiers. It was against the fraudulent scheme of such that the President's vetoes were directed, and nothing could please a true soldier more than to see those who are asking around congress for special bills giving them pensions which they have no right to, while men who should receive pensions rightfully have to wait for years, solidly set down upon, Mr. Cleveland has done."

It appears that there will be quite a number of contests for seats in the next Congress. A very groundless one will be that of Thoburn who contests Carlisle's seat, who has 708 majority. Mr. Carlisle says there is no grounds whatever upon which to base a contest of his seat. He says he is not seeking the Speakership, but if elected he will serve.

Persons desiring repairing done, such as guns, sewing machines, umbrellas, parasols, fans, locks, all kinds of small machinery and utensils, also fitting keys, grinding scissors, etc., have now an opportunity to have the same done at most reasonable rates and on short notice. We have engaged an experienced workman to assist in this department. All work warranted. W. L. BROS., Gun Store, Albany.

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Washington. (From our regular correspondent.) WASHINGTON, Nov. 5th, 1886. Those features of Tuesday's contest which were unexpected and seem inexplicable are still the chief subject of discussion here. Indeed the elections were full of small sized miracles. When President Cleveland first formulated his policy of civil service reform you heard a good deal said about the opposition it would meet with in the North and the disposition of the Southern people to approve of it. Yet North Carolina lets Representative Cox be defeated in convention, and develops a sudden fancy for anti-democratic provisions to her delegation. Kentucky cuts Speaker Carlisle's vote down to a mere shadow of its former self, and Virginia throws away her democratic seats in Congress with reckless ease. On the other hand, Minnesota, the old Republican stronghold, pulls so close a vote as to leave the issue in doubt for a time. Massachusetts pushes Andrew almost to the front, and New Hampshire almost breaks her straight Republican record in the House.

The news of Speaker Carlisle's possible defeat caused profound surprise here. That of Mr. Morrison did not, as it had been regarded among the possibilities. He has always had a more or less close contest, and his district is really Republican, although he has repeatedly carried it by his personal popularity.

The question of who is likely to succeed Mr. Morrison as Chairman of the Committee on Ways and Means is one about which little definite ideas can be formed at present. Mr. S. S. Cox will require to be placed, and there is an impression that somehow he may be Mr. Morrison's successor. He has a longer Congressional record than any other Democrat in the House, and he has been very prominent in the party.

Hardly anybody alludes to Mr. Morrison but speaks of his conspicuous honesty. When Morrison previous to 1880 was spoken of as a possible candidate for the Presidency, Geo. Epps Hutton, of Virginia, then a member of the House, was said to have struck the mark when he expressed the opinion that if Morrison were made President there would be more honesty and less nonsense in the White House than at any time since Gen. Jackson lived there.

The President did not go home to vote last Tuesday, but sat in the room adjoining the little telegraph office of the White House that evening, and read the news direct from all parts of the country as fast as it came. Of all the flimsy reasons given why the President did not go to Buffalo, probably the silliest explanation was that he did not wish to vote for a certain Democratic candidate for Congress in the Buffalo district, that gentleman having made a speech some time ago, in which it is alleged he expressed lack of sympathy with the Administration. The whole thing about which so much ado was made amounts to nothing, but I will state one good reason why he was not there. He removed from the district some time ago, and although he is entitled to registration in Buffalo, is at present disfranchised like many other residents of Washington.

I have it from good authority that Mr. Blaine believes that President Cleveland will be re-nominated in 1888, and that he will be re-elected. That is why he says he does not expect to be nominated himself at that time, and why he says he does not want to be. He has said recently with great emphasis that he would never accept a nomination for the Presidency unless he felt certain of election. He will work for some good Blaine man, though, in the Republican convention of 1888, and bide his time. He will keep himself before the country, as no one knows better how to do than he, for the nomination in 1892. Mr. Blaine will not be as old a man, even then, as was Samuel Tilden when he was elected in '76.

Mr. Blaine's recent attack in one of his campaign speeches, upon the civil service reform record of the Administration, came with a very bad grace from him, it is the least of it. He has a number of relatives and friends in the employment of the Government here, some of whom are retained in their places because of a desire to show courtesy to the President's late opponent. His private secretary draws a salary at the State Department while he is still attending to Mr. Blaine's business here. His brother is still retained as curator of the Agricultural Department museum, and his son remained in the Court of Alabama until that institution expired. I could cite other dependants of his who are

quartered on the government. Yet in the face of this he has the effrontery to abuse the Administration for turning out more efficient old clerks and putting their friends in the place.

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