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Captain Moffit, editor of the Portland Telegram was arrested Saturday night at the instance of W. L. Lightner, charged with criminal libel. The ground of complaint was an article which appeared the same evening in the Telegram, which asserted that Lightner, Bob Smith, Chief Parrish, Captain Watson and Ira F. Powers, had met Saturday morning in Chief Parrish's private office for the purpose of devising means for raising campaign funds, and had decided that the 'demi monde' should be assessed, and as a result, that two hacks had been ordered and two assessors started out to gather in the shekels. The statement further alleged that the Whitechapel women, and men, too, responded with alacrity to the call for 'stuff' for they were informed at the start that they must either put up or shut up, and immediately, too. Each of the persons named in the Telegram article emphatically denies that there is a shadow of foundation for the charges made, and the prompt arrest of Captain Moffit would indicate that they are not afraid of a legal investigation. If the Telegram article is made out of whole cloth, as it seems to be, it would indicate that the citizen reformers of the webfoot metropolis are sadly in need of reformation themselves.

The Weston Lender claims to have learned one thing by the Australian ballot system, namely: "That there should be an educational qualification in the present general election law. A citizen who doesn't know the difference between 'A' and 'Z' and signs his name with an X-mark should not have the right of suffrage in this enlightened age." Apropos to this we are reminded of an incident that happened in this city at the late county election. A "worker" brought to the door of the voting place a man who claimed that he could neither read nor write. The man had a marked ballot in his hand. Two judges of election accompanied him to the booth where he told them that he wished to vote as his marked ballot indicated. He then stood by while the judges marked his ballot. The voter was in full view of the "worker," who waited at the door of the voting place and who may or may not have been watching to see that the ticket was voted according to contract. The circumstances looked suspicious enough to, at least, suggest how a vote might be bought and the goods delivered with certainty.

It will take 599 or two thirds of the 898 votes of the Chicago convention to nominate. The friends of Hill claim 299 for their candidate and allow Cleveland 461, with the remaining votes pretty equally divided between Palmer, Carlisle, Boies, Gray and Gorman. Whatever may be the result Cleveland has no walk-over. The great managers are out for his scalp. Brice has no use for him and Colonel Higgins loves him not. Watterson makes no effort to conceal his antagonism and Col. Ricey of Missouri, says Cleveland is not in it. Then there is Dick Crocker and Billy Sheehan and all the rest of the Tammany gang who are for Hill and will stop at nothing to humiliate Grover. If it were not for the two-thirds rule Cleveland would stand a good show of being nominated on the first ballot.

Emmons Blaine, second son of ex-Secretary Blaine, died on the 18th inst., at the home of his father-in-law, Cyrus H. McCormick of Chicago. The cause of his death was blood poisoning, resulting from inflammation of the bowels. Young Blaine had attended the Minneapolis convention where he took an active part in the exciting scenes of his father's presidential candidacy and took his defeat much to heart. He was confined to his bed shortly after his return from the convention. His death is another sad blow to his parents who are reported utterly prostrated with sorrow.

Now that Governor Penney has avowed his faith in the doctrines of the people's party, like all new converts, he is a little hard on his quondam brethren of the old democratic faith. He styles Cleveland a "mugwump," in a manner that leaves the impression that he thinks a mugwump is one of the most horrid things in the world; says the stuffed prophet is an "old fraud," and hopes the Chicago convention "won't put him up," calls Hill "another failure" and thinks it would be a pity if the party could not bring out better men.

It is understood at Washington that the president has strongly urged Chauncey Depew to accept the secretaryship of state made vacant by the resignation of James G. Blaine. A gentleman on intimate terms with Depew claims that it is absurd to suppose that Depew would sacrifice his important business interests for a federal office, no matter how high it might be. It might be answered that the exalted character of the office would more than compensate for a temporary loss of income, to a man already well supplied with this world's goods.

It will not be at all surprising if the election in Portland today results in a victory for the citizens' ticket. Simon and Lotan are no longer bossing the republicans and as a result the central committee of that party is said to be left without funds to pay legitimate expenses. The party of "reform" are well provided with funds which they have placed in the hands of men who know how to use them to the best advantage and money "talks" in a Portland election.

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