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MARK TWAIN'S LATEST JOKE

Overlooked a Banquet Held in His Honor Given at the Lotus Club.

New York, Nov. 10.—Mark Twain was the guest of honor at a dinner to-night given at the Lotus Club. There were 200 persons present, among them Thomas Bailey Aldrich, William Dean Howells, Senator Depew, Thomas E. Reed, Augustus Thomas, John Kendrick Bangs, St. Clair McElway, Booker T. Washington, Chester S. Lord, General Stewart L. Woodford, Randolph Guggenheimer, Miles M. O'Brien, William Brookfield and William Berry. The dinner was held in the drawing-room and cafe made into one room for the occasion. It was hardly sufficient in capacity.

The guest of the evening gave the guests a little bit of worry by not appearing until some minutes after 8 o'clock, and then only after he had been called up by telephone. Mr. Clemens explained that the dinner had quite slipped his memory, and he made apologies. In his speech he said:

"I thank you all for this fraternal welcome; it is really too fine, too magnanimous, for a poor Missourian far away from his native haunts, and my modesty is fortified as I see at this festive board other great men from Missouri; there is St. Clair McElway, and that greatest of all Missourians, Tom Reed.

"Since I left this country we have fought a righteous war. A righteous war is so rare in history as to be practically unknown. We have set Cuba free and given her a place among the two or three real free nations that exist. We started to free the Philippines, but it seems that the righteous purpose miscarried somehow. I am glad, however, we made a creditable record in China through the sound-headedness of our administration. What yellow peril is threatening the world today we do not know, but we can say that this government has done nothing to evoke it.

"We have done our best to nurse free silver. We have watched by its cradle and done our best to raise the child. But these pestiferous republicans have been trying to give it the measles, and I am afraid we will never be able to raise it now. We have a president who was criticized up and down and found fault with for four years, and now we have re-elected him, and with votes to spare to elect another.

"Now I am back from my exile, young again, ready to begin life anew. Your welcome puts the finishing touches to my renewed youth, and makes it something more than a dream that will vanish with the morning."

Mr. Reed and Mr. Howells also made felicitous remarks, and Governor elect Odell, Mr. Elway, Senator Depew, Mr. Bangs and Mr. Aldrich also spoke.

It Happened in a Drug Store.

"One day last winter a lady came to my drug store and asked for a brand of cough medicine that I did not have in stock," says Mr. C. R. Grandin, the popular druggist of Ontario, N. Y. "She was disappointed and wanted to know what cough preparation I could recommend. I said to her that I could freely recommend Chamberlain's Cough Remedy and that she could take a bottle of the remedy and after giving it a fair trial if she did not find it worth the money to bring back the bottle and I would refund the price paid. In the course of a day or two the lady came back in company with a friend in need of a cough medicine and advised her to buy a bottle of Chamberlain's Cough Remedy. I consider that a very good recommendation for the remedy." It is for sale by G. C. Blakeley, the druggist.

John L. Wilson Quits.

SPOKANE, Wash., Nov. 11.—John L. Wilson, ex-United States senator, at one time leader of the republicans of Washington and dispenser of federal patronage, is out of the political game. He formally announced Saturday night at a meeting of former lieutenants of the Wilson ring that he would not seek political office again in Washington; that he would no longer be found among the leaders of his party; that he would retire to the ranks of workers, realizing that his term of usefulness as a leader was over. With tears in his eyes he concluded a short speech by bidding a political farewell to a small coterie of his chief assistants, and the chief assistants also dissolved in tears.

It had been given out that the private meeting was to talk over political plans for the future. Mr. Wilson's announcement was the only speech made, and when he finished the little party dispersed.



THANKSGIVING LINEN SALE.

One-Fourth Off on All Grades.

A choice collection of Table Linens by-the-yard, Table Cloths, Lunch Cloths, Napkins, Doylies and Towels. Cotton, Half-Linen and Pure Linen Qualities.

A chance for money-saving in all grades—an opportunity for every buyer; for every purse. The Henry Glass Linens, known everywhere for their superior value, and for which we are Dalles representatives, form a large part of our stock and are included in this sale.

Here we offer a few hints, which may suggest something you are in need of:—

Bleached Damask.	
Cotton, 25c value	special 19c
All Linen, 50c value	special 38c
" 60c value	special 45c
" 75c value	special 56c
" 85c value	special 64c
72-inch Pure Linen Double Damask; value \$1.00 per yard.	
Satin Damask, \$1.25 value	special 94c
Satin Damask, 1.35 value	special \$1.01
Satin Damask, 1.50 value	special 1.13
Satin Damask, 1.75 value	special 1.31
Satin Damask, 2.00 value	special 1.50
Unbleached Damask.	
Union, 30c value	special 23c
Union, 35c value	special 26c
All Linen, 40c value	special 30c
72-inch German Linen Damask; extra value at 50c yard	38c
72-inch All Linen, 75c value	special 56c
72-inch All Linen, \$1.00 value	special 75c
72-inch All Linen, 1.25 value	special 94c
Turkey-Red Table Linens: 19 to 50c a yard, reduced	
	One-fourth
Hotel Napkins.	
Unbleached German Linen, checked, 22x22; value \$1.50	\$1.13
Linen Doylies.	
Fringed; red on white and blue on white; good value at 25c dozen	19c
Figured damask, colored border; worth 40c dozen	30c
50c qualities	special 38c
60c qualities	special 45c
65c qualities	special 49c
75c qualities	special 56c
Linen Lunch Cloths.	
Hemstitched, 45x45 inch; value \$2.00; sale price	\$1.50
Same, value \$2.50	sale price 1.88
Hemmed, 45x45 inch; worth \$1.50	1.13
Hemmed, 54x54 inch; worth 2.00	1.50
Table Cloths.	
All cotton, bleached; 75c value	55c
All cotton, bleached; \$1.00 value	75c
Union, bleached; \$1.50 value	\$1.13
10-4, hemstitched, 1/2 bleached; \$2.00 value	1.50
Other grades, fringed and hemstitched; worth from \$2.50 to \$6.00 each, all reduced one-fourth.	
Towels.	
Absorb. cotton, 16x32; 75c value	55c
Absorb. cotton, 18x36; \$1.00 value	75c
Absorb. cotton, 23x45; 1.50 value	\$1.13
Hemstitched Damask, 1/2-bleached towels, good value at 25c each	19c
Hemmed All-Linen Huck Towels.	
22x44 inch; worth 25c each	19c
24x42 inch; worth 30c each	23c
26x40 inch; worth 40c each	30c
Hemstitched Birds-eye Linen, damask border-22x44; worth 50c; special	38c
TOWELS worth up to \$1.00 in this sale.	

Everything Just as Advertised.

The 72-inch Damask at 50c, now 38c yard, is extra good value.

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Unionism.
WASHINGTON, Nov. 10.—H. W. Steinbiess, of St. Louis, president of the National Building Trades Council, today testified before the Industrial Commission concerning labor organizations, arbitration, strikes and other matters. He said that in 1894 he had framed a paragraph in the constitution of the national council declaring that experience showed that strikes were failures, but he had since changed his view and the constitution accordingly had been changed. As amended, it made strikes a last resort. He contended that strikes were successful in accomplishing the ends aimed at.

Labor organization, he said, is progressing in this country. This has resulted in raising the rates of wages and shortening working hours, though as much work is accomplished and it is of a better class than before. He concedes that this makes building more expensive but he does not believe it prevents the construction of any buildings. He said the council had a membership of 250,000. Mr. Steinbiess denounced agreements that contractors are said to have with employes that the latter shall work for none but members of the contractors' organization and alleged collusion of the furnishers of materials with contractors. He said this policy of the contractors is dangerous and tends to create a trust to squeeze the public.

Mr. Steinbiess was asked "Is not organized labor looked upon as a trust?" "Yes," he answered, "and I acknowledge that it is a trust. But it is a trust that benefits mankind."

He did not think the trusts had union labor, as a member of the commission suggested.

A Thousand Tongues
Could not express the rapture of Annie E. Springer, of 1125 Howard st., Philadelphia, Pa., when she found that Dr. King's New Discovery for Consumption had completely cured her of a hacking cough that for many years had made life a burden. All other remedies and doctors could give her no help, but she says of this Royal Cure—"It soon removed the pain in my chest and I can now sleep soundly, something I can scarcely remember doing before. I feel like sounding its praises throughout the universe." So will every one who tries Dr. King's New Discovery for any trouble of the throat, chest or lungs. Price 50c and \$1. Trial bottle free at Blakeley's drug store; every bottle guaranteed. 5
Extra good values at the New York Cash Store.

Cotton Mill Owners Alarmed.

NEW YORK, Nov. 10.—Forty-five cotton mill owners in the South, fearing that the recent war will seriously change the trade conditions between this country and China, have prepared a petition which they are sending the secretary of state. They are afraid Russia will obtain possession of Manchuria and will impose such heavy duties on American goods as to render a withdrawal of American interests from that country necessary.

The petition expresses approval of the "open door" policy and expresses the hope that the administration will take such action as it may deem proper to maintain the protection and perpetuity of the existing commercial relations with China, especially as regards Manchuria. This petition is signed by eight hundred mill-owners in North Carolina, twenty-one in South Carolina, four in Alabama, one in Georgia and one in Maryland. The total capital invested in their mills is \$14,364,500. The total number of looms is 31,080, and the total number of spindles is 1,072,654.

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Having disposed of my breeding ewes today, I have thirteen thoroughbred Merino bucks for sale. These are choice, large and in fine condition, and will be sold cheap rather than keep them over. Inquire at Prospect Ranch, on the Deschutes divide, or of A. S. Roberts, box 507, The Dalles. o26-2w

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Just wet the affected part freely with Mysterious Pain Cure, a Scotch remedy, and the pain is gone. Sold by Clarke & Falk.

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A. Y. Marsh will give a turkey and trap-pigeon shoot on the beach, Nov. 27, 28 and 29th.

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