

WASHINGTON. (From our regular correspondent.)

WASHINGTON, June 15, 1891. Representatives Hayes, of Iowa, who is a wide-awake democrat, stopped in Washington long enough to leave some good news for his party friends. He says that Iowa can confidently be counted in the Democratic column for 1892. Of the third party, he said: "They could have done something if they had shown more judgment, but they met there in Cincinnati and tried to make a party that could stand on every sort of crank theory that was proposed. They merely got on the platform and kissed each other and let the cranks run the convention. I do not believe they can organize now so as to have any influence on the elections in Iowa, either this fall or in '92." Being asked who the republicans would nominate for president, Mr Hayes replied: "Harrison. I think he is the only man mentioned who thinks there is enough in the nomination to make it worth fighting for, and the party has got to take him. If Blaine wanted the nomination all that Harrison or anybody could do would not prevent his getting it, but Blaine understands the present condition of the republican party so well that he doesn't want the nomination."

"There's going to be some mighty lively democratic music before long," said a close friend of Senator Gorman today, "if a certain class of men who are trying to dictate the next candidate of the democratic party, and who never voted a straight democratic ticket in their lives, do not let up in their underhanded mud-throwing at Author Gorman. His friends have stood it about as long as they intend to, and as they know where it all comes from they will know where and how to hit back."

The examiners in the Patent Office, who made a practice of rejecting many applications for patents that should have been granted, in order to bleed the inventors for an attorneys' fee a little later on, when they shall have accumulated a sufficient number of these unjustly rejected cases to justify them in resigning and going into business as Patent Attorneys, and the Examiners who are already in business as Patent Attorneys, with a centage made up almost entirely of the inventors whose applications they had unjustly rejected when examiners, are in a state of mind over a ruling of Hon Charles F Mitchell, commissioner of patents, which prohibits the appearance before that office of an ex-employee as attorney or agent in any case upon which he had passed while an employee. Their little game, which had grown into a mammoth abuse, is ended, and the inventors of the country now have reason to hope that their applications will in the first place be honestly dealt with, as they will be if Mr Mitchell's new and excellent rule shall be as strictly enforced by his successors as by him.

Representative Mills will remain in Washington the greater portion of the summer, engaged in literary work. He is not doing any talking for publication on political subjects, and thinks that the numerous fake interviews with him that have recently appeared in prominent newspapers, are a part of a plan to injure his prospects of being elected speaker of the house by making him appear ridiculous. He wishes his friends to know that any interview purporting to give his opinions on the fitness of any candidate, either for the speakership or the presidency is entirely spurious, as he has expressed no such opinions.

Col W W Dudley says the anti-Harrison republicans made fools of themselves by holding their recent conference at Indianapolis, and that the conference amounted to nothing except an attempt of Gresham's friends to bring him out as a candidate. This is taken here to mean that Col Dudley will support Harrison, as had been rumored a short time ago.

Senator Quay, who was here a few days ago told his friends that he would not remain at the head of the republican committee during the coming campaign, but whether he really intends to retire or is bluffing is a matter of doubt.

Much ugly talk connecting various members of the administration with complicity in the crooked Philadelphia bank failures, has been indulged in here during the last few days, but the only thing definite is that Assistant Secretary of the Treasury Nettleton acknowledges that he is endorsing upon some notes, amount not stated, held by one of these banks. It looks as though Examiner Drew was to be made the scape-goat.

The following is the personnel of the private land claims court. Chief Justice, M Reed, of Iowa, Associate Justice, W H Stone, of Colorado; H C Sloss, of Kansas; T O Fuller, of North Carolina and W W Murray, of Tennessee. Two of these are democrats.

The suggestion heretofore made in these columns that the new United States Judges, should be given to Judge Lord of the state supreme bench have met with a very hearty response from the masses of the people except from a little coterie of ring politicians in Portland who have already fixed upon a man of their own ilk whom they expect the president to appoint. Judge Lord, though a strong party republican, is a clean, able man and would adorn the bench. He is a man of the people and should be appointed instead of the man the rings and monopolies have selected.

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MCKINLEY. The republicans of Ohio have nominated McKinley for governor. This was practically settled months ago. If the democrats of Ohio were united this course of the republicans would be just what democrats all over the country would have desired. McKinley is the distinguished representative of the idea of protectionism and the democrats of Ohio will put themselves squarely on the platform of low tariff. Here would have been a square test of arif sentiment. Governor Campbell whom the democrats will likely nominate has incurred the displeasure of many democrats in Cincinnati and Hamilton county who are determined to defeat him if he should be nominated. So it is plain to be seen that the republicans are very apt to have easy sailing this year in Ohio. It may be that the republicans are not so thoroughly united and harmonious as the very accommodating associated press would have us believe. If so the victory for McKinley may not be so overwhelming as republicans now claim it will.

The republicans of Ohio were evidently very timid and mild mannered when they put their silver plank in their platform. They simply say they endorse the amended coinage act of the last republican congress, but designedly say nothing about free coinage. That party is evidently very much divided on the subject.

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