## WEST HAS LEAD **OVER BOWERMAN**

Lafferty and Hawley for Congress from Oregon, Warburton, La Follette and Humphrey Win In Washington.

## **DEMOCRATS WIN EAST---CARRY NEW YORK**

Indications Are That Prohibition Has Lost in Oregon, but Showed Surprising Strength in Washington-Woman Suffrage Also Defeated.

in the state counted indications point strong approval to the Eastern Washto the election of Oswald West as governor over Jay Bowerman, the Repub- three tax amendments have been favlican candidate. Bowerman, appar- ored. The employers' liability bill has ently is the only state candidate lost by a strong lead in Portland, all county the Republicans, A. W. Lafferty and division bills have been disapproved W. C. Hawely, candidates for repre- but the normal school bills seem to sentatives in congress, being elected by large pluralities, and the balance of The railroad district. Republican vote.

Estimates based on the meager returns place West's plurality over Bowerman at from 3,000 to 5,000 with the possibility that the latter figure may be reached. Bowerman has run WASHINGTON GOES REPUBLICAN well in most of Eastern Oregon, but lost some of the larger counties of Western Oregon, including Multnomah, Marion, Jackson, Clackamas and Clat.

Out of a total of 10,479 votes re corded Bowerman has 4,544 and that Washington has elected three Re-West 5,935, or a lead for West, 1,391. publican representatives in congress,

the vote the ratio is not likely to be ticket, by a good majority over the maintained, because returns are wholly missing from some of the Bowerman strongholds. These, however, are the smaller counties, and it is probable that they will not permit Bowerman to overtake West's lead by several thousand votes.

county, in which West has a majority over Bowerman of 359.

The pluralities of Lafferty and Hawley, it is indicated by the early returns will be greater than forecasted before the election. On the vote so far as reported Lafferty has 4,165 to Manning s 3.065 in the Second district, or a lead of 1,100. In Multnomah county he had a lead of 769, with one-eighth of the votes counted. His vote exceeds Manning's in every county reported, with the exception of Umatilla, and the plurality so far shown indicates ern part of the state and including that he will pull out with a lead of from 7,500 to 10,000 in the district.

In the First district returns are not so full as in the Second district, but throughout the district Hawley is running well ahead of his Democratic opponent, R. G. Smith. The votes so far as reported give Hawley 767 and Smith 446, or a majority over Smith for Haiwley for 321. As more than 46,000 Republicans and Democratic votes were cast in the district in 1908, this lead of Hawley's indicates that he Democrat, 735 Bugge, Democrat, 904;

With about one-eighth of the vote | district measure. Portland has given ington asylum bill, has voted against a constitutional convention and all given in the dispatch:

The railroad district amendment als the state ticket receiving the nominal has a lead in Portland. The good roads amendment has more than a twoto-one vote; the employes' indemnity commission bill is snowed under in Portland. niles from land.

Woman's Suffrage Wins-Drys Show Unaffected Strength.

Seattle - Returns from all over the state, although not complete, indicate While this is less than one-eighth of and the Republican Supreme court non-partisan ticket, and that woman's suffrage had been adopted by a vote of two to one.

One of the surprises of the election (April). "One day I (Apilak) came upon Dr. was the unexpected strength of the "drys" in the localities where local

everal thousand votes. In these totals are represented 5,335 of the largest towns in the state and I looked at it and asked him: 'Whose votes polled outside of Multnomah county seat of Whatcom county, was route are you drawing? voted "dry" as were Everett, Mount " 'My own,' replied Dr. Cook.

"But that was a lie, because he Vernon and a number of smaller towns. drew the map a long way out at sea, Late returns show that William E. Humphrey, Republican, was re-elected where he had never been.

as representative in congress from the "We continued to shoot bears on the district which includes Seattle and ice, until we had enough for the dogs. We do not know how many nights we King county, winning a decisive vicslept on this part of the journey. The tory over W. W. Blake, Democrat. small rivers had only begun to break the congressional district which Tacoma is the principla portion, when we reached Hell's Gate. "Here as Dr. Cook directed, we left Senator Warburton, insurgent Repubour dogs behind, although they were fat from the bear meat. We had lican, was victorious over Langhorne and in the Third district, in the Eastfat from the bear meat. oush our boat along the ice. Spokane, W. F. LaFollette, insurgent

Republican, was elected by a good majority. For representative from the Second days.

"We had slept twice when he looked Washington district 90 out of 110 Seahead and said he saw a tent, but it attle districts give Humphrey, Repub was only a stone. We kept hunting a run for their money." lican, 3,268; Black, Democrat, 2,817. for human beings a long time. Then for human beings a long time. Then we came to an island on which eider glasses. "How's that?" For Supreme court justices the same precincts give Gose, Republican, 1,491; Rudkin, Republican, 1,384; Fullerton birds were resting. We followed the 1,643; Morris, Republican, 1,491; Moore, Democrat, 1,003; Shepard, provisions were nearly gone we re-Democrat, 735 Bugge, Democrat, 904; turned toward Cape Zeddon, where we day night when I was tramping the Troy, Democrat, 1,437.

ESKIMOS DISCREDIT COOK. Missionaries Get Terse Story of THE QUICKENING Wanderings in Arctic. Chicago-Dr. Frederick A. Cook is

further discredited in a special cable dispatch to the Chicago Daily News from its correspondent in Copenhag-en, Denmark. The story is the first publication of

Knud Rasmussen, the Danish explorer, as sent by him to his wife in Copenhagen, and now given out by her. Contained in the story are purported statements of Cook's two Eskimo companions in the Polar quest, Itukusuk and Apilak, in which they confirm Commander Robert E. Peary's charge that Cook traveled in a circle and never even approached the Pole.

CHAPTER XVI. Rasmussen, in the story, is quoted as saying he did not himself interview In these days of slowing wheels and silenced anvils South Tredegar had its the man, but that their statements own troubles, and when some one telewere taken by the Rev. Gustav Olsen phoned the editor of the Morning Trib and Kateket Sechmann Rosebach, misune that Chiawasse Consolidated had

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ours. I'm just about dead on my

this strain for another twenty-four

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succumbed at last, he did not deem it sionaries. worth while to inquire whether the The dispatch to the Daily News strike at Gordonia was the cause or the

says: "Already in 1909 when I was on an nsequence of the sudden shut-down. But a day or two later, when rumors expedition to Greenland," writes Ras- of threatened violence began to trickle nussen, "there existed grave doubts in over the telephone wires, a Tribune as to whether Dr. Cook really had man called, in passing, at the general reached the Pole, so I determined to offices in the Coosa Building, and was ind out from his two Eskimo companpromptly put to sleep by the astute Dyckman, who, for reasons of his own, ions, I secured their statements through the missionaries." was quite willing to conceal the true state of affairs. Yes, there was a sus-

This is the story of the Eskimos, as pension of active operations at Gordona, and he believed there had been some "We traveled from Annatook with hot-headed talk among the miners. But

eight sledges in company with Dr. there would be no trouble. Mr. Farley Cook, at the first sunshine, February. was at present in London negotiating From there to Ellsmere we slept for English capital. When he should return, the capital stock of the comonly once on the ice. It took four days pany would be increased, and the plant to cross Elismere land. Eighteen would probably be removed to South days out our companions left us. We Tredegar and enlarged. All of which was duly jotted down to then had gone only about 12 English

e passed into the Tribune's archives; "The ice was fine and there was no and the following morning Tom, doing reason to stop, for anyone who wanted guard duty with his father, the two o go on could do so. The 19th day Helgersons and a squad of the yard men at the threatened plant, read Dr. Cook took observations with an pointless editorial in which misstatenstrument he held in his hand and we ment of fact and sympathy for the ab

then changed our course westward. ant and struggling Farleys were "We left here a lot of food for men equally and impartially blended. and dogs and one of us went ahead to "Look at that!" he growled, wrathexamine the ice. He reported it in fully, handing the paper across the office desk to Caleb. "One of these fine day; I'm going to land that fellow Dyckman in the penitentiary." good shape, which it was, but Dr. Cook looked at it and said it was bad. "On they way back we stopped at

open water near the land. We stopped The iron-master put on his specta cles and plodded slowly and conscienne day and went over to Ringnas istiously through the editorial, turning land before the snow had melted the paper, at length, to glance over the headings on the telegraphic page.

in the middle of it he looked up suddenly to say: "Son, what was the name o' that In-

diany town with the big water-pipe ontract?" Tom gave it in a word, and Caleb

assed the paper back, with his thumb n one of the press dispatches. "Read that," he said.

Tom read, and the wrathful scowl oked by the foolish editorial gave they should have it. place to a flitting smile of triumph There was trouble in the Indiana city over the awarding of the pipe contract. In some way unknown to the press re porter, it had leaked out that a much lower bid than the one accepted had been ignored by the purchasing committee. A municipal election was crossed the great sound and had to pending, and the people were up in arms. Rumors of a wholesale indict-

"Dr Cook said: 'We will reach ment of the suspected officials were human beings (Baffinsland) within two rife, and the city offices were in a state of slege.

Tom put the paper down and smoth on the desk. "I thought perhaps I could give theat

"He allowed maybe you'all'd gimme a nickel for bringin' hit." The coin was found and passed, and the small boy was whooping and yell-

ing for Helgerson to come and let him through the gates when Tom tore the "It was a shot in the dark, and I envelope across and read the telegram. It was from the Indiana city, and it land past Cape Sparbo and when our didn't want to brag beforehand," he "It was yet twilight the whole night when a was tramping the hills after Doc Williams had brought mother around. One member of the "Proposals for water." was signed by the chairman of the

Southern bred, wrote the Gordon name still a little higher on the scroll of es-teem. When Pete had done his office with the European gatherings of the party the ancient carriage looked like a van, and there was scant room inside for three passengers. "That means us for old Longfellow

and the buggy," said Tom to Ardea. "Any way," said Ardea; so he put her into the buggy and they drew in behind the carriage. Before they were half-way to the iron-works they had the pike to themselves, and Tom was not urging the leisurely horse. "My land! but it's good for tired eyes to have another sight of you!"

declared. Then: "It has been a full month of Sundays. Do you realize that?" "Since we saw each other? It has

been much longer than that, hasn't it?" Helgerson to throw open the great "Not so very much. I saw you I New York the day you salled." gates while he ran to the boiler room

and sent the firecall of the huge siren "You did! Where was 1?" whistle shricking out on the night. The "You had just come down in the ela experiment was only meagerly successvator at the hotel with your grandfath ful. Less than a score of the strikers er and Miss Euphrasia."

"And you wouldn't stop to speak to answered the call, but these worked with a will, and the fire was quickly us? I think that was simply barbar ous!

"But the time was horribly unpro Tom was under the arc-light at the gates when the volunteers straggled pitious."

out. He had a word for each man-"Why?" "I'm wondering whether I'd better lie vord of appreciation and a plea for suspended judgment. Most of the men

out of it; say I knew you were on your way to breakfast, and that I hoped to have a later opportunity, and all that Shall I do it?"

side of law and order. Tom took the names of the few, and went back to his She did not reply at once. The un deceived inner self was telling her that guard duty with the burden a little But the succeeding night here lay the parting of the ways; that there were more attempts at violence on her answer would be built the struc-ture, formal or confidential, of their three of them so determined as 126 leave no doubt that the crists was .t future intercourse. Loyalty to the hald demanded self-restraint; but every This was Tom's discouraged admission when his father came to reother fiber of her was reaching out fo a re-establishment of the old boy-and

girl openness of heart and mind. He "We're about at the end of the rope he said, wearily, when Caleb had closed hesitation was only momentary. the door of the log-house yard office behind him. "The two Helgersons are "You are just as rude and Gothic a

you used to be, aren't you, Tom? Don' you know, I'm childishly glad of it; was afraid you might be changed in that way, too-and I don't want to find anything changed. You needn't be po lite at the expense of truth-not wit

feet for sleep, and I know you are. I know what I'm going to do. I had a phone wire from Bradley, the sheriff, "I had my war paint on that morn ast night after you went home. He ing, and I wasn't fit to talk to you Didn't the Major tell you about it?" funked like a boy; said he couldn't raise a posse in South Tredegar that

would serve against striking workmen Then I wired the governor, and his anrel with him, too?" He marked the adverb of additio swer came an hour ago. We can have and wondered if Vincent Farley had been less reticent than Major Dabney the soldiers if we make a formal de-

"But, Tom, son; you wouldn't do at!" protested Caleb, tremulously. "No; I didn't quarrel with your grandfather." "But you did quarrel with Mr. Far-"Let's try to hold out a little spell lon-ger, Buddy. It'll be like fire to tow; ley ?-or was it with Vincent? I am

there'll be men killed-men that I've going to make you like the Farleys." known since they were boys: men "You'l He shook his head again. killed, and women made widders. Tom, have to make a Christian of me first.

I've seen enough of war to last me." and teach me how to love my ene-"I know," said Tom. None the less, mies." "Don't you do that now?" he found a telegraph blank and began to write the message. There had been "No; not unless you are my enemy;

Napoleonic period.

posal.

European lady green with envy. It is

now time for the resident to return

After Discarding the Knife.

dinner in Washington:

home, and the ancient carriage, with

shots fired in the night, in a sally on love you." the inclined railway, and one of them (To be continued.) had scored his arm. If the rioters needed the strong hand to curb them,

SULTAN OF TERNATE.

Tom signed the call for help, read it over methodically, and placed it be-tween dampened sheets in the letter-Quaint Entertainment Furnished by the Comie Opera Ruler.

press. He had pushed the electric but-There was a time when the Sultan ton which summoned Stub Helgerson, when the door opened silently and Jeff of Ternate had great power and riches, and lived in grand style. But now-

udlow's boy thrust face and hand adays, when this potentate shows himthrough the aperture. "Well; what is it?" demanded Tom. self to his people, he rides in a state more sharply than he meant to. The carriage-a gift from the government, strain was beginning to tell on his dating from a very remote period of the coach building art-which is

dragged and pushed by natives, whose business it is to take the place of horses. It is said that horses are river in Washington, three men were scarce on the island and that the Sultan resents the idea of placing a native plunge in the river and a very narrow coachman in a more elevated position escape.

than himself; therefore, he prefers to A California auto party met a huge drive out at a snail's pace, towed by bear at a sharp curve in the road, and coolies. in turning out to avoid the bear the When the resident returns an official front axle of the car broke short off.

**OF THE WEEK** 

Joings of the World at Large Told in Brief.

**CURRENT EVENTS** 

General Resume of Important Events Presented in Condensed Form for Our Busy Readers.

The wholesale district of Peoria.

Ill., is swept by a disastraous fire. High school girls of Tacoma have

thrown all their false hair into the furnace.

The census figures show a great inrease in the cut of lumber in the United States.

Theodore Roosevelt said he had "abolutely nothing to say" regarding the election returns.

President Taft lost his smile when he read of the reverses of the Republican party, but made no comment.

Statements have been secured by missionaries from Dr. Cook's Eskimo companions in the Arctic to the effect that he never reached the Pole.

A Bridgeport, Conn., man committed suicide by turning on the gas, and his wife and son also inhaled the fumes and are not expected to live.

When King Albert, of Belgium, rode through the streets of Brussels on his way to open parliament he was stormed with slips of paper demanding woman suifrage.

Henry L. Stimson, defeated Republican candidate for governor of New York, attributes his defeat to general unrest and a movement of the party to progressivism.

An explosion of gas in the Victor American Coal company's mine at Delagua, Colo., entombed between 60 and 90 men, and it is believed most of them have perished.

Secretary of War Dickinson has returned from a trip around the world.

After casting his ballot on Tuesday, President Taft sails on the cruiser Tennessee for Panama.

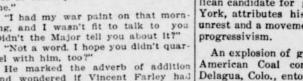
The big theatrical managers' war is at an end, Frohman, Klaw, Erlinger and Cort having signed an agreement.

It appears that Seattle women were made the dummy incorporators for an Alaska coal company worth many mil-

Secretary of War Dickinson says: "I am greatly impressed by the military value of aeroplanes and shall urge their adoption in the U.S. navy.

Aviator Latham, in an Antoinette aeroplane, sailed for 52 minutes over the city of Baltimore, varying his height from 400 to 2,000 feet, and covering a prescribed course.

By the breaking of the supports of an aerial tramway across the Skagit drowned and two others had a thrilling



has been elected by a plurality of 10, 000 to 15,000.

For justice of the Supreme court the regular Republican candidates are ap parently easy victors. The vote on Dix Wins in New York-Ohio an ustice for the four-year term gives the Republican candidates. Bean and McBride, 4,588 and 4,796 respectively, while Slater, non-partisan, has 2,774. For the six-year term, Burnett has 4,419 and Moore 3,899, while King,

the non-partisan candidate, shows a count of 3,376. Early returns indicate that the pro-

hibition amendment has been defeated by a large majority. Out of 4,879 sult is uncertain, although tending tovotes counted in Multnomah county 3,- ward Democratic success. Thomas F. 222 are against the amendment. From the state outside of Multnomah county the returns are made up exclusively of hind Dix. the votes in the towns and cities and

Elections throughout the country these figures also give a heavy majority against the measure. If the same Tuesday resulted in a political convulratio is continued in the votes unsion of far-reaching extent similar to counted, Multhomah county will give the famous tidal wave of 1892, and to balance the present budget. 5,000 to 7,500 against prohibition. even more widespread in its effect.

In

In 1,700 votes counted in other por-The National House of representa tions of the state a majority of 200 tives was carried by the Democrats, have voted "no" and it is probable who will control that branch of con that the unreported vote from the gress by a safe working majority after country precincts will not more than March 4, reversing the previous Reoffset the majority given against the publican majority of 43. Representa amendment in the towns and cities out- tive Champ Clark, of Missouri, has side of Portland. The vote as counted announced his candidacy for speaker of throughout the state now stands: the house to succeed Speaker Cannon. Yes, 2,410; no, 4,174. The United States senate will have

The home rule bill may reasonably a reduced Republican majority as a be expected to have passed, although result of legislative elections held in the majority for the bill is not as great many states.

present.

360, yes 75, no 67.

as the majority against prohibiltion. The vote so far as reported, including Multnomah county, is yes, 3,157; no, 2,271.

Governor Harmon, Democrat, has made Very meager returns on other a clean sweep of the state, defeating amendments are in from the state Warren G. Harding, Republican, and outside of Portland, but in that city his plurality will approximate 50,000. woman's suffrage has been defeated Ohio will send ten and possibly 12 two to one and a like majority has been rolled up against the separate the delegation, instead of eight as at

Roseburg Wants Bowerman.

Roseburg-Out of a total of 150 leaders are claiming a majority in the votes counted up to 11:30 o'clock Bow- next legislature, which will elect a erman had 100 votes. Indications are successor to Dick, the Republican that Bowerman will carry the county senator. by 300 votes instead of 150 votes, as

predicted. Hawley will win over Smith by 400 votes in Douglas county. All other Republican nominees on the state ticket will outdistance their op- sentatives when advised that the Demponents. Roseburg will probably go ocrats probably would control the next wet" by 200 votes. Owing to the house, predicted that the Democratic slow count it will be impossible to majority would be 50. "The land-determine the results in detail for slide," said Mr. Clark, "is attributed some time.

McMInnville Republican and Wet. McMinnville - A partial count in

five precincts up to 11:30 p. m. of faction throughout the country." election day gave Hawley 110, Smith, 60, Bowerman 92, West 78, Bean 51, McBride 72, Slater 67, Burnett 86, King 39, Moore 52. For woman's suffrage taxpaying amendment 69, against 109, West 216: Hawley, 153, Smith 102; for home rule amendment 93; 87; Bean 86; McBride 105, Slater 61, against 77: for employers' liability 51-

41; against 74.

DEMOCRATS GAIN IN EAST. and we built a house of peat and stone, just as we do at home. We caught

walrus, musk ox and bear for winter. It was a fine autumn and we had made saw how we might spend some money Indiana Also Democratic.

provisions for the winter. During the to a possible advantage." New York-John A. Dix, Democrat, dark time we were inside most of the has been elected governor of New York time making clothes " over Harry L. Stimson, Republican, by

55,000 to 60,000 plurality. New York City went for Dix with a plurality that more than offset the reduced plurality of the Republicans up state.

Cleveland, O .- Returns indicate that

Without definite figures, Democratic

Clark Would Be Speaksr.

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Below Mr. Dix on the ticket, the re imately \$12,975,545. The estimate Conway, the Democratic nominee for Lieutenant-Governor, ran slightly be-

is \$112,639,849, an increase of \$4,128,-482. The budget requires a loan of \$24,438,982 to balance the expenditures as against \$47,962,290 borrowed

Germany's Budget Grows.

## Poisoned Wine Kills.

Vancouver, B. C.-Four Frenchmen

engaged in a drinking bout in a house in the Fairview section of Vancouver. house after midnight they found one After another interval of silence he man lying dead beside a table on which spoke again. Harmon Wins in Ohio By 50,000

and the police are seeking him.

In Death's Jaws, Girl Wins,

that danger surrounded her and under telegram from Indiana before these

aron farm near here. As she careless- tient. ly swung the pails laborers stood breathless 100 yards away, fearing into eternity. At a quiet command

down and was taken out of danger.

Brussels-An extraordinary demonstration took place in the streets here as King Albert drove to the palace of the nation to open parliament. A million slips of paper, bearing a demand directly to the tariff and his fight on the rules in the house. The rules split the Republican party and the tariff bill of these were thrown at the king's carcoming so soon after, caused dissatis-Majesty was not hit. As the King West Leads in Oregon City.

the Socialists and Catholics began.

Berlin-The Nord Deutsche Allgeong enough to reach the persimmons." The old iron-master left his chair miene Zeitung prints the details of the budget for 1912, showing expendand began to walk the floor, six steps and a turn. After a fittle he said: itures of 2,924,945,136 marks, approx-"Tom, is that business?" "it is the modern definition of it." includes for the army \$203,941,844, an "What's goin' to happen up yonder increase of \$20,214,155, of which amount \$1,976,124 is for additions to n Indiany?" "If I knew, I'd be a good bit easter the peace footing. The navy estimate in my mind. What I'm hoping is that the rumpus will be big enough to make

em turn the contract out way. "Where's your heart, Buddy? Would you take the chance of sendin' these fellows to jail for the sake of gettin' that contract?" "Cheerfully," said Tom. They're rascals; I could have bought them if I'd

what-all did you do?"

"Wired the disgruntled one

had money enough; and the other fellow did buy them." The old man resumed his monoton Their port wine disagreed with them, ous tramp up and down the room. The and when the police were called to the hardness in Tom's voice unnerved him.

is thought to contain strychnine. Two "Norman says it's a condition "Norman says it's a condition, not a clean and white and spotless, if need others were almost dead from the theory; and he is right. We are liveffects of the liquor and were taken to ing under a new order of things, and a hospital, where they are critically if we want to stay alive, we've got to ill. The fourth man had disappeared conform to it. It gagged me at first: I reckon there are some traces of the

Christian tradition left. But, pappy, I'm going to win. That is what I'm here for. There is nothing for us to do Washington, Pa. -Totally ignorant but to sit tight and wait. If we get a the first to welcome them.

smashed." "You mustn't be too hard on the

for shooting an oil well on the Cem- men, Buddy. They've been mighty pa-

fire the last man of them. It makes every moment to see the child hurled me savage to have them turn up and and making himself generally useful sweating blood to pull through. Have you seen Ludlow ?"

and dynamite to us." "Well, if they do, he'll be the first

the round of the guarded gates. Ludlow was as good as his word. On talk you to a finish." for universal suffrage, stormed the the night following the day of susroyal cortege and some heavy packages pense an attempt was made to wreck riage by a crowd of Socialists. His mines on Lebanon to the coke yard. There was conscious manhood, effect It was happily frustrated; but when opened the session altercations between back to the foot of the hill they found attack of patriotism, saying to herself

heaped against the end of the foundry building.

osals for water-pipe have been reopened, and your bid is accepted. dodge; he gave me a pointer before I Wire how soon you can begin to ship eighteen-inch mains," was what it said. left Louisville. I didn't see anything Tom handed it to his father and stepin it then but revenge; but afterward I per quickly to the telephone. There was a little delay in getting the ear of the president of the Iron City Nation-"I reckon I'm sort o' dull, Buddy; al at South Tredegar, and the boundthat ing, pulsing blood of impatience made

"Hit's a letter for you-all from Mr

Stamford at the dee-po," said the boy.

it seem interminable. there was a letter and a check in the mail for him to be followed by another "Is that you, Mr. Henniker? This is and a bigger one if his pole proved Gordon at the Chiawassee plant, Gordonia. We have secured that Indiana contract I was telling you about, and I'll be in to see you on the 10 o'clock train. Will you save five minutes for Thank you. Good-by."

Tom hung the ear-plece on its hoo and turned to face his father. "Have you surrounded it?" he laugh

ed, with a little quaver of excitement in his voice, which he had been careful to master in the announcement to the bank president. "We live, pappy; we live and win! Get word to the men to come up here at 3 o'clock for their pay. Tell them we blow in again to-mor row, and they can all come back to work and no questions asked."

In gladsome easing of the strain were the wheels of Chiawassee Consolidat ed olled to their new whirlings on the road to fortune. If Caleb Gordon remembered how the miracle had been or so, walk slowly in stately fashion wrought, he said no word to clench his one behind the other, accompanied by disapproval; and as for Tom-ah, weil; a clarinet player in the uniform of the it was not the first time in the history "I wish you hadn't done it, son. It's of the race that the end has served t the means-to make them justify

> were. CHAPTER XVII.

How Tom Gordon had informed him self of the precise day and train of

their home-coming, Ardea did not think to inquire. But he was on the plat-form when the train drew in, and was playing violins, flutes and drums. The dance of the men consists of a series of high jumps and acrobatic perform-She was quick to see and appreciate

idiots of ours lose their heads and go the changes wrought in him, by time, to rioting and burning, we shall still by the Boston sojourn, by the sumances, ending by their forming themhave a fighting chance. If not, we're mer's struggle with adverse men and things-though of this last she knew nothing as yet. It seemed scarcely namented with birds-of-paradise feathcredible that the big, handsome young ers, the sight of which would turn any fellow who was shaking hands with

"If I could do what I'd like to, I'd her grandfather, helping Miss Euphrasia with her multifarious belongings, knock us on the head after we've been and hospitable, could be a later reincarnation of the abashed school-boy. "Not a word for me, Tom?" she said.

"Yes; I saw him last night. He's when the last of Cousin Euphrasia's right ugly; swore he wouldn't raise a treasures had been rescued from the hand even if the boys took kerosene impatient train porter and added to the impatient train porter and added to the head on the platform.

"All the words are for you-or they man to pay for it," said Tom; and he shall be presently," he laughed. "Just left the office and the house to make let me get your luggage out of pawn

and started Deer-Traceward, and Fill She stood by and looked on while he did it. Surely, he had grown and mathe inclined railway running from the tured in the three broadening years! tiveness, in every movement; in the Tom and his handful of guards got very bigness of him. She had a little a fire started in a pile of wooden flasks that they did not fashion such young men in the Old World.

now?" Mammy Juliet's grandson, Pete, was The fire was easily extinguishable down with the family carriage, and he

against 66; for prohibition amendment 39; against 73; for prohibition bill, hibition, yes 128, no 109; amendment velt's own district: Dix, 218; Stim-

visit he is fetched in the same vehicle, The bear surveyed the strange sight and in the same curious style. Visits for some minutes, and then apparently are generally paid by the resident at unnerved by the screams and shouts of 7 o'clock in the evening, and the car- the party, took to the woods. riage is then accompanied by torch

Spain has begun the building of a bearers, which adds to the fantastic modern navy. appearance of the cortege and causes

The population of Iowa has decreased great excitement among the islanders, who flock to watch the procession. It in the past ten years.

takes half an hour to reach the palace Roosevelt tells Ohioans that their from the resident's house, and at the platform makers are away behind the palace the Sultan awaits his guest at times. the foot of the steps, surrounded by

The Chicago Tribune predicts that lackeys holding lighted candles. On Democrats will control the next house arrival of the resident, the Sultan of representatives. offers him his arm and leads him up

the steps to his reception hall, where Auto dealers of the Coast will ena few chairs covered with red velvet deavor to have strict laws passed have been placed beforehand. The res against "joy riding." ident takes a seat to the right of the

The Armour Grain company is said Sultan, and the native secretaries place to have cleared \$1,000,000 in one week themselves at either side of their royal by gambling in wheat. master. As soon as the resident is

A general sympathetic strike is seated a servant brings a basin of water for his excellency to wash his likely to be the climax of the New hands, if he wishes to do so, but as a York express drivers' strike. rule the resident waves him off. Tea

Serious rioting attends the strike of and cakes are next presented; after New York express drivers, and one which a troupe of royal woman striker was shot and badly wounded. dancers, to the number of half a dozen

Chicago garment workers repudiated agreements made by their president with leading clothing manufacturers.

A straw ballot shows more than 20 At the end of the performance the per cent of the nominees for congress ladies walk out in the same slow and on all tickets are in favor of woman stately manner, and then there is a suffrage. pause, during which cigars and sweets

A complete combine harvester has are presented. At the termination of been shipped to Argentine Republic, the interval another set of dancersand a crew of Americans accompanythis time of the male sex-file in, fol ing it will show Argentine wheat raislowed by a large number of musicians ers the latest methods in harvesting.

New York experss companies flatly refuse to arbitrate the question of a "closed shop."

Fire destroyed two large "fireselves into a human pyramid. The proof" blocks in Philadelphia, together male dancers wear curious harlequin costumes with three-cornered hats or with three residences.

> Five men and two women were hurled nearly across the Ohio river by the bursting of a big steamer boiler.

In accordance with a royal edict, its quaint human horses and torch- the entire Chinese consular force in bearers, is once more placed at his dis San Francisco have discarded their queues and adopted American dress.

A general strike has been declared Discussing international marriages, in Catalonia, Spain, and will extend Senator Tillman said humorously at a throughout the empire within a week. It is believed to be the first move in "Think, too, of their queer foreign the revolution. manners. They knot their napkins

There are prospects that the governabout their necks, you know, like bibs. They say that a Czech nobleman, a ment may recover coal lands in Alaska short time after his marriage with a valued at \$200,000,000.

Chicago heiress, appeared at the club A terriffic surf, unaccompanied by with his face covered wth fine scars. wind or any other disturbance, swept "'Dear me, count!' cried a friend. up the beach at Nome and flooded the Your face! Dueling again! Don't you streets and basements of the city, doknow that your life is more valuable ing much damage.

An Indian horse trader sold a mule "'Ah, no, count,' the other answer for a "shaved-tail" horse, and was uned, touching his torn countenance able to stop laughing over the joke. gravely; I have not been dueling. It After laughing several hours he was is my American wife. She insists on given a strong electric shock, which quieted him, and next day he was as well as ever.

New York—The following telegram was received at Tammany hall from a tried an experiment. Steam had been bestowal of the luggage as he would

the impression that she was carrying water, 11-year-old Mildred Anderson tripped along with two pails of nitroglycerine, which had been prepared

from her father the child set the pails

Oregon City, Or .- Twelve out of 42 precincts, incomplete, give Bowerman

'Frazzle' is Remembered.

Burnett 64, King 60, Moore 86; home

son, 158. Beaten to a frazzle.'

Bowling Green, Ky .- Champ Clark, minority leader in the House of Repre-Suffragists Storm King.