

## NEW YORK NEWS LETTER

New York, Oct. 29.—There are two noted democrats whose influence is active and effective in accelerating the campaign for Parker and Davis, and yet they are seldom seen by the everyday visitors to the national democratic headquarters in this city. These men are Senator Arthur P. Gorman, of Maryland, and ex-Secretary of War Daniel S. Lamont. Each has assured Candidate Parker of his belief that the chances of democratic success in the nation at the approaching election are fair, and each is working in his own way to bring about such success. Gorman and Lamont appreciate each other's political qualities, and to that extent they are friends. Lamont knows—perhaps better than any other man—how much Gorman did toward bringing about Cleveland's election to the presidency in 1884, and Senator Gorman knows just how much Cleveland and the democratic party owe to Lamont's tact and intuitive knowledge of human nature.

While Senator Gorman keeps aloof from the hurly-burly of democratic headquarters, he, together with ex-Secretary Lamont, is a member of the inner council upon which the national committee relies for its most efficient aid in the matter of ways and means. These two successful handlers of men are exceedingly close to August Belmont just now, and it is largely to their efforts that the democratic national

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campaign chest is far from being empty. It is a fact that Gorman and Lamont are regarded as the principal money getters—next to Belmont—in the national democratic councils. Senator Gorman is influential in certain financial quarters, and Colonel Lamont is influential in other quarters. Between the two they can reach pretty nearly all the sources of monetary supply for democratic campaign purposes.

A man well advanced in years is almost a daily visitor to Central park. He is generally accompanied by a young woman. Some of the park employees who observed the two thought they were father and daughter. After awhile it was noticed that a different young woman appeared with the man about every two weeks. It was not possible that any man could have so many daughters. A person of an inquisitive turn of mind constituted himself an investigator. This is what he learned:

The old man is a person of means, and he pays 50 cents an hour for the society of any young woman of education who is willing to accompany him and entertain him on his rambles through the park with bright conversation on any topic but love. As they pass about six hours a day in the park, the girl earns \$3 a day just by talking. The different objects in the park evidently supplies the different themes of discourse. Why the man changes his escort every two weeks remains a mystery. Perhaps a young woman talks herself out in that time. Maybe he thinks it best to take no chances.

Frank Taylor, an aged resident of Brooklyn, who declares that he has been cured of dyspepsia by eating nothing but grass, has bought a farm in New Hampshire, which he will lay out in grass and clover so that he can have an inexhaustible supply to draw from. He now gets his daily supply from Sunset park, where it is gathered by his daughter. The young woman makes daily trips to the park and plucks the grass, bringing it home in a paper bag. Her father eats it with great relish. His palate has now become so accustomed to the juice of the grass that nothing attempts him any more, and he considers that he has taken a new lease on life. He has been made an offer of \$100 a week to lecture in a museum, but it has been declined, as, he says, he desires no notoriety.

Few persons have any idea of the rigorous extreme to which surgeons carry the antiseptic idea nowadays. Here is an illustration: At an operation in one of the big city hospitals a few days ago one of the assistants discovered that something was needed from outside after he had disinfected his hands. He stood on one foot and pushed the electric button with the toe of his other shoe rather than take the risk of picking up bacteria by touching it with his finger.

New Yorkers justly pride themselves on the completeness of their telegraph and telephone service in these days. All the same there was a very efficient means of communication between the early Dutch settlers before the year 1700. It might be called the first wireless system used in America, though there was no electricity about it and the poles were common Dutch windmills. The windmill appeared in America almost as soon as the Dutch set foot on Manhattan Island. In a few years there was such a mill on every bit of rising ground in the island. When the windmills were not running

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Whether or not William K. Vanderbilt, Jr., will organize an automobile club on Long Island is yet a question. He is jubilant over the success of the recent automobile race. The interest taken in it by the Meadowbrook hunting set was stronger than in the tri-weekly hunt. On the way to Westbury a farmer had a tame fox chained in his front yard, and the motorists, who were obliged to go slow in procession, looked at the animal as if it were a curiosity. And perhaps in future years a fox will again be rare in a country where at one time it was necessary to import from England some of the beasts in order to make a Meadowbrook holiday. One by one those who were opposed to motors are setting up machines of their own. Fox-hall Keene has sold his hunters, and E. R. Thomas, that indefatigable young gentleman who seems to have a little stock in everything, is among the enthusiastic automobilists.

A new cult, the Circle of Divine Ministry, is reported to be gaining ground rapidly in New York. This cult finds its theory of life and its religious creed in the power of right thinking over all evil. The only prerequisites for membership is an open mind and an active interest in the psychological principles, which the circle hopes to bring to maturity in the human race. The theory, as advanced by one of the prophetesses of the religion, is that right thinking, if the thinking is good and hard, will banish any evil, material or otherwise. The banishment consists not in annihilation, but in relegation to proper relations. This prophetess says she has known of many houses from which cockroaches and other insects have been driven and acres upon acres of potato vines rid of Colorado beetles by properly directed thought. The new thought, she declares, has a peculiarly quick and satisfactory effect on cockroaches. She has never discovered where the poor bugs go when driven away.

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