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AN ORDERLY ELECTION.

A noticeable feature of the last election day in this city was the good order that prevailed everywhere, until the polls were closed. The people here fully realized that the election would decide whether they were to be disfranchised and become the victims of a conspiracy aimed at their rights as citizens of a free country. They knew that they were called upon to defend the principles of American government against the savage efforts to set them aside in the interest of insatiable ambition, and that all that was dear to an American citizen was at stake. But, notwithstanding this, there was little excitement, or nervousness. Citizens went to the polls firmly determined to do their duty, leaving the outcome to the future. There was no lawlessness, no attempt at resorting to illegal, or even questionable, measures, speaks volumes for the sobriety and loyalty of the voters that were menaced. Citizens who can do their duty calmly in the face of a stormy agitation, such as that which has swept this region for some time, can be trusted.

Some excitement was noticed in the streets. In the evening, especially around the saloons where boisterous crowds gave vent to their joy, generally in a savage manner, in the mistaken belief and hope that hatred and bigotry had won the day. Their yells and whoops were proper accompaniments of the echoes of a campaign of falsehood. But for the occasional outbursts of savagery inspired by false rumors of victory, the day was quiet and orderly. A stranger passing through the city, unacquainted with the fact, would not have suspected that a struggle was going on, involving the vital interests of an entire community. Respect for law, and dignified resignation under trying circumstances are characteristics of the Latter-day Saints, and of communities where they have strong influence. That is one effect of the teachings of their loyal, noble leaders.

The result of the election in Utah and Idaho conveys a lesson to the entire country, which, we trust, will impress itself on the minds of all who take an interest in public affairs. In both States gigantic efforts were made to win by appeals to the basest passions. Bigotry and religious prejudices were counted on. Anti-Mormonism was the force that was set in motion. In Idaho particularly no pretext was made to conceal the un-American motives and aims of the agitators. Senator Dubois hoped to win, not as a Democrat but as an anti-Mormon. His political defeat in a state where the Latter-day Saints are as well known as they are in Idaho, and where they are a small minority, is a well-deserved rebuke by non-Mormon citizens to the unscrupulous demagogues who tried to make a political issue of religious questions that do not belong to the sphere of politics. It amounts to a popular verdict of acquittal of the Latter-day Saints of the various charges heaped forth to almost every corner of the world. It proves that the citizens who have "Mormons" for neighbors do not regard them as dangerous to the home and the state, and it puts the proper stamp upon their traducers. These may secure a hearing abroad, but not where the virtues and excellent qualities of the Latter-day Saints are known. This is one of the evident lessons of the election, and we believe it will not be lost upon the country.

THE REAL REASON.

Two of the morning dailies of this city seem to be united upon the proposition that it was "Church influence" which won for the Republican party last Tuesday's election. They charge the "Mormon" leaders with using their power to transfer into the Republican column several thousand Democratic votes, for the purpose of winning this political fight. They make this charge without qualification, and assign no other reason for the defeat suffered by the Democrats and the so-called "Americans" at the polls.

From one of those papers, the organ of the "American" party, nothing else could be expected. Like the fallen being whose cause it represents, it was "a lie from the beginning," a fountain of slander and misrepresentation, and in making such a charge against the "Mormon" Democrats, who are accused of changing their political principles at the dictum of their Church leaders, it is consistently true to its traditions, precedents and general malpractice. We have nothing further to say in relation to that disreputable sheet.

But from that other paper, the organ of the local Democracy, which, if not always free from bias in its premises and conclusions, aims to be decent and dignified in its course, and whose general fairness we very much appreciate, the "Mormon" Democrats and the people at large have a right to expect something better. That paper knows, as well as any citizen knows, of the flagrant misgovernment of this municipality by the piratical minions of the "American" party. It knows how that party came into existence, and what has been its ruling principles, or passions, since it has no principles that are worthy of the name. It has heard of George Sheets and the McWhirter robbery, and of various other misdeeds, and justly

chargeable to representatives of the "rule and ruin" gang now posing as patriots and would-be reformers of this community—acts that have aroused the people, "Mormons" and non-Mormons alike, almost to the point of desperation, and have planted in the breast of every well-meaning man and woman in the State, not under the malodorous influence of these plotters against its peace and prosperity, a determination to put an end to such roguery by any fair means available. Our esteemed contemporary knows all this, and has itself exposed the rascalities referred to, and voiced the public conscience in denouncing them.

Why, then, can it not see something else than "Church influence" as the mainspring in the action of those Democrats who are said to have voted with the Republicans on Tuesday? If it be true that three thousand Democrats joined with their traditional opponents in order to drive out the disreputable crew that is fast wrecking Salt Lake City, and would fain wreck Salt Lake County and the entire State of Utah in like manner, is it not just possible that those Democrats voted their honest convictions, and that there was no need of any outside influence in the premises?

Are the people of Utah so morally dense that they do not know the difference between right and wrong? Are they so color-blind that they cannot distinguish between black and white, without being told? Are they not fully aware of the mismanagement of public affairs that constitutes the record of the "American" administration in Salt Lake City, and furnishes them with the only motive they need in working for its overthrow? They have only to read the papers, and reflect upon the facts for themselves, and they are qualified, without any further advice, to act intelligently against the prevailing evil. There was no need of Church dictation; it would have been a superfluous element; and as a matter of fact, no such dictation or undue influence of any kind was used.

In the recent political campaign the all-absorbing theme, the over-shadowing issue among liberty-loving, peace-desiring advocates of good and honest government was this—What can be done to beat the American party? How can we "turn the rascals out," or prevent them from getting any farther in? The Democratic party thought it knew the way, and invited citizens of all political beliefs to help in making good its promise of party success. On the other hand, the Republican party felt capable, with like assistance, of dealing Ameri-Keanism a stunning blow. The people were free, as they have ever been to accept either invitation and carry the banner of Republicanism or that of Democracy to victory. The majority, it seems, chose the former course, and the defeat of the party of fraud, dishonesty, vilification and abuse was the result.

The moral of the matter is this: The people know their rights and dare maintain them. Tuesday's election is a case in point. That is the whole thing in a nutshell.

ABOUT THAT GRASS.

A short time ago we published, in these columns, part of a correspondence, from Mr. B. Harrison of Tweed, New South Wales, Australia, in which he extolled the virtues of a grass known as paspalum dilatatum. A friend of the "News" of this city has made inquiries at the U. S. Department of Agriculture and learned that: "This grass is native in the United States from Virginia to Tennessee, southward to Texas and Florida. It has never proven to be of much value in this region, although we know of some few farmers who are growing it. In Australia, however, it seems to have proven of very marked value and it is possible that under cultivation it may prove valuable in part of the West."

A EUROPEAN COALITION.

According to foreign dispatches, Italy demands the full recognition of its government by the Emperor of Austria, as a condition of the renewal of the triple alliance on the part of Italy. The Italian government demands that the Emperor pay the Italian king an official visit, and officially receive the Italian monarch. But the Pope, it is said, for ecclesiastical reasons, refuses to advise the Austrian Emperor to accept this condition. As a consequence, Italy threatens to join Great Britain and France in a new coalition which would disrupt the old Dreikund and displace the political equilibrium in Europe.

This would practically isolate Germany and Austria-Hungary, and it is not impossible that a new alignment of the powers would have some influence upon the deliberations of the next Hague congress. Germany has hitherto been opposed to gradual disarmament. But if that country finds itself without strong allies, the disarmament proposition may assume a more reasonable aspect, in the view of her statesmen. Under certain agreements and guarantees regarding the future policy of the leading powers, there can be no reason why a large and concerted reduction of military and naval armaments should not immediately follow.

The United States is traditionally opposed to "entangling alliances." But there can be no reason why this country should not join a coalition for the purpose of reducing armaments and securing the permanent peace of the world. It would be in direct line with the traditions of the United States to support a world-movement for that purpose.

Election returns should be printed in a colored supplement, they're so funny.

Now the President can write his message to Congress in peace and reformed spelling.

Count Bond is accused of wife-beating. He is also believed to beat his creditors.

McCarren is prouder than ever of that Croker telegram. It's a vindication vindicated.

Castellan's love letters to his wife are quite "fetching." In fact they fetched him millions.

Since September gifts amounting to

nearly a million and a quarter have been made to the University of Chicago.

As advertisers those Utes have proven themselves quite as successful as the actresses who lose diamonds.

The pure food bureau of the agricultural department does not mince matters. It says that mince meat is not meat.

A Missouri town claims to have the champion sceller. It is not stated whether his specialty is reform or regular.

When Hughes exposed the wickedness of the great life insurance companies he proved himself one of the elect.

The Utes seem to be proceeding on the theory that those who run away and come back may live to run away another day.

Taft and Root are the names the President has given his carriage horses. A great team that will never be hitched to a slow coach.

Deer hunting in Maine is almost as exciting as head hunting in Borneo. Already this season six men have been killed in Maine.

The venerable Dr. Edward Everett Hale repeats that sage advice: "Speak every day to some one whom you recognize as your intellectual superior." Easy advice for soldiers to follow, but hard for civilians.

The independence gubernatorial candidate in New York claims he was defeated by fraud. Supposing that he were, it was simply a case of similia similibus curantur.

Bishop Fallows of Chicago says that pies, pickles, cream puffs and doughnuts are crime producers. The good bishop must have been eating something that does not agree with him to make such a statement.

"Having all consideration for the principle involved, and regarding the attainment of political office as being merely a consequence of the triumph of principle, the American feels no chagrin in the fact that he was outvoted on Tuesday last," says the organ of the anti-Mormon party.

Express companies doing business in South Dakota are common carriers and subject to the orders of the state railroad commission, is the substance of a decision by Judge Carland of the United States court at Sioux Falls. Very slowly but very surely the great corporations that have acted as though they were above the law are being brought under it. Let the law reign.

THE DAY AFTER IN CUBA.

Harper's Weekly.

As it is settled that the Cubans are to make one more experiment in self-government, the sooner the second test is applied, the better. All the resident foreigners believe, and most of the intelligent natives concur with them in believing, that the second experiment, like the first, is foredoomed to failure. If a vote could be taken today on the question, there is little reason to doubt that a large majority of the qualified electors would declare for annexation. What was hard for the native Cubans to credit, though they are convinced of it at last, is the indubitable fact that we do not want their island, and that if we could honorably rid ourselves of the responsibilities imposed by the treaty of Paris and the Platt amendment, we would not take Cuba for a gift. The discovery of this surprising truth has had a tremendous effect on the Cuban attitude. The average Cuban, having been divested of his former self-conceit, is now convinced that he cannot govern himself, and that he would be far happier and more prosperous if the United States would save him the trouble of maintaining tranquillity and order. We do not care for the job, however. Noisome volens, the Cuban has got to make a second attempt at self-rule.

NOT YET HARDENED IN SIN.

George Harvey in the North American Review.

We are a "glorious people," of course, and "torch-bearers of liberty" and the "hope" or prey of that portion of other communities considered undesirable at home; and too, too, is it "nobly" at least comfortably, "placed" in comparative isolation and is really sufficiently fertile for all immediate necessities. We would not, however, insist very earnestly, except for purposes of oratory, that exploitation has yielded entirely to development, and we have given utterance to rather strong suspicions of late that the light of true freedom guaranteeing all men "equality before the law" is blazing somewhat less brightly than it might burn with propriety and usefulness. Now are we absolutely certain that we have passed all of the gods of gold or broken the last of the idols of the market-place, but the shattering process is well under way, and we are truly looking forward to a renewed experience at no distant day of the "joy of righteous-living." Meanwhile, we beseech our ancestral relatives to be patient with us; we are young and crude, not hardened yet, as others are, even in sin—and we do love to hear ourselves talked because thereby, without irritating others unduly, we amuse ourselves at our own cheerful expense.

IN THE "ZOO."

Springfield Republican.

An interesting and exciting operation was performed on Thursday in the New York zoological garden upon a two-year-old rhinoceros that was afflicted with necrosis of the jawbone. The 700-pound animal, with a two-inch hide and a pair of servicable horns, had to be handled with care and with force. At one time it looked as if Miss Victoria, the rhinoceros, had put to rout the veterinarian, and all his half-dozen assistants. But with the aid of anesthetics the deed was finally accomplished. It was a major operation in one sense at least.

JUST FOR FUN.

Went to the Right Place.

An American whose business frequently takes him to London tells of an amusing conversation between the driver and conductor of a public bus in that city.

The bus was fairly crowded, so the American climbed to the top, where, shortly after taking his seat, he observed a person in peculiar garb, with a red turban. There was a sudden sky overhead and a slow, drizzling rain, such weather as is the rule rather than the exception in the British metropolis.

As the conductor came to the top the red-turbaned person, evidently an Indian Parsee, got down.

"What sort of chap is that?" asked the driver of the conductor.

"I fancied that 'e's one of them fellers that worships the sun."

"Worships the sun," repeated the driver, with a shiver. "Then I

suppose he comes over 'ere to 'ave a rest."—Success Magazine.

Philanthropy or Misanthropy.

Philanthropists have now organized a society that will find a good home for any wandering dog or cat. Why doesn't someone think of doing that for human beings?—New York Commercial.

Heartless Man.

Man wants to be comfortable as a cat on a warm hearth-rug; to feel no prick of conscience; to see nothing unpleasant, such as tears or a wan face. It exasperates him to madness when he is obliged to see his wife sad, but it never occurs to him to try and prevent her sadness.—M. A. P.

Miss Yawpstein (the vocal teacher) "I'm all out of patience with Jakey. He persists in singing 'Old Hundred' in too high a key."

"That's so," interrupted the heartless girl, "you may lose your job."—Philadelphia Ledger.

"New York is to have a new automobile speedway."

"Just for automobiles?"

"Yes."

"And nothing to get in the way?"

"Nothing."

"Say, wouldn't that be the limit of deadly dullness?"—Cleveland Plain Dealer.

"Ah! proud beauty!" exclaimed the little Snifflins, "you spurn my love now, but let me tell you, I will not always be a clerk!"

"That's so," interrupted the heartless girl, "you may lose your job."—Philadelphia Ledger.

Bones—Why the groutch?

PSmith—My wife called me a fool.

Bones—Cheer up, it may not be true.

PSmith—But it is. She proved it. Went and dug up a bunch of my old love letters, and read 'em to me!—Cleveland Leader.

Guest—What did you pay for these cigars?

Host—Twenty-five sous the two.

Guest (astonished)—What?

Host—Yes, 20 sous for mine and 5 sous for yours.—Bon Vivant.

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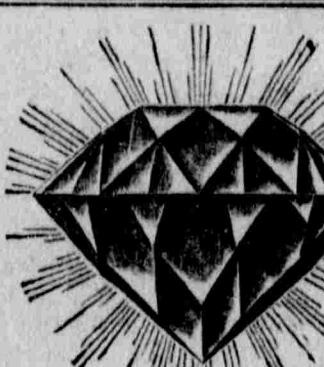
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