

THE WASHER THERE

BUT MRS. CLEVELAND IS PRETTY SHEER AND ENERGETIC.

The Reform Club Dinner at Madison Square Garden—Gov. Boies on New Year's Eve—Northwest—A Cap for Cleveland.

New York, Dec. 23.—The Tariff Reform Club held a banquet tonight in the concert hall of Madison Square Garden to celebrate recent Democratic victories which the club views as a vindication of its principles.

The decorations of the beautiful hall were almost the same as on the previous night's banquet of the New England Club. The tables were on a raised dais in the western end of the hall.

On either side of Chairman Robert P. Wheeler, Jr., President of the Reform Club, were Gov. Boies of Iowa, William E. Russell of Massachusetts, and J. W. D. Brown of Virginia.

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THE SHERMAN MESSAGE

CONSIDERED A DIRECT DRIVE AT THE SILVER BILL.

Stewart Will Offer an Amendment Providing for Free Coinage—Judge Brown of Michigan Appointed to the Supreme Bench.

Washington, Dec. 23.—In the senate today Mr. Stewart reported a financial bill. The new bill is a direct drive at the silver men and will be fought from beginning to end by the free coiners.

Senator Stewart gave notice that when the bill was called up for consideration he would move to amend the amendment to the Sherman bill as follows:

"Strike out the first, fourth and fifth sections of the act and insert the following: 'That any owner of silver bullion not to be used for the operations of any mint of the United States to be formed under an act of congress to be hereafter passed and re-passed in the same extent as other treasury notes, and may be used by any national banking association and counted as part of its lawful reserve.'"

JUDGE BROWN GETS IT.

Michigan Has a Representative on the Supreme Bench.

Washington, Dec. 23.—The president today sent to the senate the following nomination: Henry B. Brown of Detroit, Mich., to associate justice of the Supreme court of the United States, vice James M. McHugh deceased.

The War Is Not Over. Princeton, N. J., Dec. 23.—The report that all hostilities have been captured by the military. They say that Big Foot had some 500 warriors and that the report is untrue.

Drying the Soldiers. PINK RICE AGENCY, S. D., Dec. 23.—An Indian scout named Stans Pasto, who has just returned from a visit to the Indian camp in the Bad Lands, says that 100,000 soldiers were ordered to dry. All his efforts to induce them to come in are answered with jeers and war cries.

A Town's Narrow Escape. NEW VEXIA, Dec. 23.—This place came near being blown up this morning. A west bound B. & O. freight train of 18 cars was wrecked by a defective rail.

Three Saloon Cases Occupied the attention of Judge Grove yesterday, the same being two against Jerome Coffin and one against William Van der Putte.

Entertainment at North Park. Miss Myra Douglas, Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Wonderly, entertained a large party of friends at the North Park pavilion last evening.

Deaths and Burials. It is announced that Emperor William would be buried in Paris in the Bois de Boulogne.

Will be Tried in the Circuit. The return papers in the case of the postmaster general's jury have been executed after January 3, 1891.

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SECOND DAY OF THEIR MEETING. Papers and Discussions, Reception at the City Hall and a Lecture by the Faculty Will Close on the Evening.

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FIRE AT ROCKFORD

George Spring's Residence Destroyed—Children Burned at Ironwood—Various Michigan Matters.

Rockford, Dec. 23.—Fire this afternoon destroyed the fine residence of George Spring, located at Rockford. The fire first discovered was but a small blaze, but before help arrived the flames had gained rapid headway under a strong wind that blew all day.

Resolutions—Supt. Cible, Inca; Supt. Russell, Battle Creek; Emma Rice, Lawrence. Resolutions—C. Hall, Detroit; Anna George, state normal school; Con Cummings, White Pigeon; Mrs. Ferguson, Howard City; Dr. I. M. Demmon, State University; A. Strong, Ypsilanti; Superintendent McCall, Alpena; Mary Stine, Cass City; Mrs. Adams, St. Ignace; Mrs. Cuddick, Alcona.

Ironwood, Dec. 23.—The residence of Victor Rodgers at Jerseyville was burned at 4 o'clock yesterday afternoon and his two children, aged 3 and 10 years, perished. The fire broke out about 3 o'clock and was extinguished in half an hour.

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BRITISH INSULTS.

The mere money value of the seal fisheries is not worth a war, and for two such nations as the United States and England to engage in war over a cause so trivial would be a reproach to the age.

THE SELECTION VETO UNBROKEN: The stock of pianos, organs, sheet music, music merchandise, etc. is yet complete and unbroken at Julius A. J. Friedman's, 30 and 32 Canal street.

TURKEY DINNER TODAY: Mr. Beach of the New York Coffee Room, 103 Broadway street, will serve a turkey dinner today.

THE TORY PARTY NOW IN POWER IN ENGLAND: The Tory party now in power in England holds the United States and has already declared its doctrine.

PUBLIC OPINION: Through parlor coach leaves Grand Rapids for Chicago, Monday, December 11, 1890.

RECEIVED RATES: On December 11, 1890, the Grand Rapids and Indiana railroad will sell holiday excursion tickets.

CASTLED violets and rose leaves at Miss Formby's, 103 Monroe street.

Dr. S. Clay Todd,

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AMUSEMENTS.

POWERS' GRAND OPERA HOUSE: TONIGHT. IDEAL EXTRAVAGANZA CO.

BLUE BEARD, JR.: OR FATIMA AND THE FAIRY. Presented at 8:15 and 10:30.

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FREE CONSULTATION AND EXAMINATION. Regular Physicians and Surgeons in attendance.

Amas Presents. DIAMONDS JEWELRY, OPERA GLASSES, AND NOVELTIES.

Bodenstein Bros.: And get a pair of Fine, Heavy Cassimere Pants.

M. H. PASCO, M.D.: Physician and Surgeon. 30 Monroe St., Grand Rapids, Mich.

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It is too wonderful to be true! "Farmer Reynolds" is the real genius of the age, but my imagination is limited, and I must content to grovel in plain prose... I would like to sit at his feet, if happily I might gather some moral crumbs from the abundance of his wisdom...

Who vigorously he strikes the opening chord, "Parnell," stand straight! Why! How is this Farmer Reynolds? Why did you not turn poet at the time when "Cleopatra came your Anthony to gaze?" Your exhortation to "stand firm" would be a more fitting motto for a statesman...

"Farmer Reynolds" with poetic license gladdens some and lacerates the brains of others. He has been too long a member of the "Irish" to be a member of the "Irish"...

That is what you ought to have, in fact, you must have it to fully enjoy life. Thousands are searching for it, and they are not finding it because they find it too late. Thousands upon thousands of dollars are spent annually by our people in the hope that they may attain this boon...

WIT AND WISDOM.

ALL kinds of fur Gloves and Mitts at Cole's for ladies and gents. Fine Jewels. L. J. Buschell, the Jeweler and manufacturer of jewelry, of 159 Monroe street...

Everyone Wants Frost. And those baskets of tropical fruit shown at Elliott's, 101 Monroe street, ranging in price from 75 cents to \$1.00, are the first yet shown for the holidays.

Christmas Flowers. Henry Smith, the florist of 130 Monroe street, has the finest line of cut flowers to be seen in the city, and will offer them for the holidays at reduced prices.

What You Can Buy at Compton's Furniture House, 79 Division Street, on Payments. A Beautiful Fancy Becker for Christmas. A Carpet Racer, Hanging or Stand Lamp.

Strike for a Fee. Champagne, instead of being \$17.70 a pint, is now sold for the extra cent or two that used to be left on the tray for the waiter now goes to the cook...

There is a little funny story among the union signmakers of New York. The union rules call for an eight-hour workday. It is said that some of the employers are trying to break the rule and to compel their men to work nine and ten hours...

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OUR DRESS GOODS DEPARTMENT. Here, too, may be found useful presents. In fact, so department in our store is more suggestive of the useful than our Dress Goods Department. We have just received an elegant line of dress fabrics in new and desirable shades for Christmas trade.

OUR RIBBON SALE. If you enjoy a busy scene, come and witness the crowd at our Ribbon Counter taking advantage of the bargains offered. Our entire stock of Ribbons is marked down to the lowest price. Ribbons are in demand, and an opportunity like this is seldom offered.

OUR UMBRELLA DEPARTMENT. Is stocked with an elegant line of Silk Umbrellas. We anticipated the demand and are prepared to show complete assortments at all prices. SPRING & COMPANY.

OUR PERFUMERY AND TOILET DEPARTMENT. Our elegant line of reliable Perfumery is offered to the trade at popular prices. If you have anything to buy in this line a visit to our store will give you an idea of the business done in this department by offering an attractive line at moderate prices.

We Are Prepared for the Holiday Trade. The perplexities that usually attend an expedition in search of suitable and acceptable Holiday Gifts are easily banished when you observe the variety of attractive goods offered in each of our many departments.

ARE A FEW OF THE DESIRABLE GOODS WE OFFER FOR THE OCCASION. SPRING & COMPANY.

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A. B. KNOWLSON. SPECIAL NOTICE. Try our Jackson Hill coal taken from "Graco" mine. Can be successfully burned in ordinary wood stoves, grates, fire places and cooking stoves.

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