

GEORGE R. PERRY RUINED BY WINE AND WOMEN.

How He Has Degraded Himself and Family and Fortified the Constancy of His Friends—His Downy Attack.

The greatest surprise in the Democratic city convention, held during the first week in April, was the vote on the nomination for city treasurer. George R. Perry and John L. Curtis were the candidates for the position. The fitness of Mr. Curtis for the place was conceded by all, but no one, not even Mr. Curtis himself, expected that he would defeat Mr. Perry. Mr. Curtis had done little work in the caucus and as Mr. Perry had filled the office acceptably it was not expected there would be any contest over his re-nomination. He therefore urged as a reason for giving him the office for another term, that he had done more or more into the congressional campaign of 1888, and that he had defeated it had not been refused it, and he ought to have a chance to make it up. The surprise came when the first ballot showed a tie vote. It was not until the second ballot was cast that it was ascertained that there had been a mistake in collecting or counting the ballots. A second ballot showed the same result and a third, and a fourth were taken before Mr. Perry secured the nomination. There were several prominent business men in the convention and it was learned afterward that the unexpected strength shown by their votes was due to their votes. Recent events, some of which are mentioned by Mr. Perry, are as follows: There were several times as long as there was any chance for his nomination. In fact, it was known that Mr. Curtis would win, and Mr. Perry, who had for years commanded their respect and confidence, with some few exceptions had been living in a style and manner to lead to failure.

THE STRIKE CONTINUED UNDER THE COVERT HANDS.

CONDUCTED IN AN ORDERLY, PEACEABLE MANNER.

Care was taken over the High Ward and Cherry Street streets without rioting or disorder or securing of passengers.

The street railway strike continues with good prospects for a stubborn struggle, but so far there has been little excitement and no disorder, or threatened violence. A greater number of cars than usual were running on the streets yesterday, and sprinkled among the groups here and there were the blue and gray uniforms of the strikers; there was no drunkenness among them, and without any possible exception any conductor or passenger was treated as a law-abiding citizen.

PROPERTY ATTACHED.

As an indication of Mr. Perry's financial condition it may be mentioned that while the matter of his disappearance and the probable cause was being discussed by the board of directors at a late afternoon of bills drew out one against Mr. Perry saying, "That explains why he wanted me to carry that bill over for another month."

MAJOR UHLMANN'S EXAMINATION.

Major Uhlmann's examination of the city treasurer's books yesterday and discovered no evidence of any discrepancy in the accounts. Comptroller VandeBerge checked up with the city treasurer's books and found no discrepancy in the annual report, but he published without disclosing anything with any of the various funds.

DON'T LIKE THE TOLL GATE.

Another Suit Against the Alleghene Road Company.

Chancery proceedings were continued by Albert B. Egan on Tuesday, in which Albert B. Egan, as attorney of school district No. 7 of Walker township is complainant, and the Bridge Street and Alleghene Gravel Road company are defendants.

"HAIL TO THE CHIEF"

President Harrison Heard the Same Old Tune Yesterday.

LEADVILLE, Col., May 11.—The presidential train pulled into Leadville at five o'clock yesterday. About 90 miles from Glenwood Springs, a great crowd greeted the party at the station. As the train entered the station were fired and several hands waved the national flag.

"AL HARRY MORSE"

SAN FRANCISCO STORIES INVENTED BY A DETECTIVE.

Commander Ramsey scouted the idea that the Charleston has been sent to capture the Chilean fleet.

THE TRIP THROUGH THE MOUNTAINS.

COLORADO SPRINGS, May 11.—After leaving Leadville the presidential party left at 10 o'clock yesterday for Pueblo and arriving here this evening. The day's journey was very interesting and full of surprises.

THE LEGISLATURE.

Bill Passed by the House in Committee of the Whole.

ALLEGAN APFAIRS.

The Record Sold at Auction.—The record was sold at auction yesterday.

FROSTED COUNTRY.

GRAND HAVEN, May 11.—The furnace at Grand Haven has been shut down for several days.

A TRAMP IN HERD LOCK.

SARANAC, May 11.—C. B. Lockwood, claiming to hail from Chesapeake of this county, was arrested yesterday.

FOUR MEN KILLED.

SHEPARD, Mich., May 11.—A log train loading logs on the main track of the Toledo & Ann Arbor road near here at 9 o'clock last night was run into by the south bound freight, causing a fatal wreck in which four men were killed and one engineer was injured.

A TRAIN DETACHED AND BURNED.

CORDELETT, Pa., May 11.—A train with two car loads of men of the Rock Island, was detached from the main line between Newburg and New York and was burned by the authorities.

THE WESTON REORGANIZATION.

The Weston reorganization of the Michigan life insurance company was held at Grand Rapids.

CLEVELAND IN BUFFALO.

He Talks to the Young German Members Without Mentioning Gertches.

BUFFALO, May 11.—The reception given to Mr. Cleveland tonight by the German members of the Young German Club was most enthusiastic. He held one of the largest ever assembled in the city. The scene which followed the introduction of Mr. Cleveland as the speaker of the evening was beyond description.

THE CHARLESTON.

WASHINGTON, May 11.—The whole navy department is laughing at the seasonal reports that come from the Pacific coast concerning the Itata affair.

WARREN'S SIXTEEN FRIENDS.

EXERCISES of German and French patriots were held at Grand Rapids yesterday.

"POETRY OF THE WAR"

General Sherman Held Last Night—Entertained by the Young German Club.

CHARGED WITH DESTROYING A LETTER.

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COUNTY OF PROCEEDINGS.

MANY IMPORTANT MATTERS CONSIDERED LAST NIGHT.

The Reed's Lake Petition for an injunction was granted by the court. The court also considered the petition for a writ of habeas corpus.

PROPERTY OWNERS ON WEST BRIDGE STREET.

A petition from neighbors of Cornelius Gower, whose family are stricken with scarlet fever, to adopt some measures for their relief. Committee on poor.

LAWRENCE E. CARROLL WAS CONFIRMED.

Lawrence E. Carroll was confirmed as assistant city attorney. The court also confirmed the appointment of several other officers.

A LARGE NUMBER OF PROTESTS AGAINST SELLING LICENSES WERE LAID ON THE TABLE.

The committee on claims and accounts reported on the accounts of the Kennel Club. The committee also reported on the accounts of the Young German Club.

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By Month, one year, \$1.50  
Delivered by carrier in city and suburbs,  
TWENTY-FIVE CENTS PER MONTH.

John Vander Stoop has charge of circulation  
on the east side of the river. Geo. H. Beaton  
has charge of circulation on the west side of  
the river. E. A. Moore has charge of the circulation  
outside of the city and suburbs.

Display advertisements 5 cents per inch for  
each 100 words circulated. Locals 10 cents  
per line.  
For advertisements occupying less than one  
month, special rates for insertion and those  
requiring special or prominent positions, \$1  
to \$2 per cent above above rates.  
A. Sheldon is manager of the advertising  
department.

CIRCULATION YESTERDAY, 5,175

Number of papers printed, 5,175  
Delivered by Carriers, 4,818  
Mailed, 357  
Sold in Advance, 1,638  
Total Circulation, 5,175  
Sample Copies Mailed, 4,128  
Total Circulation, 5,175

TUESDAY, MAY 12, 1915

DISTRICT ELECTORS OPPOSED  
Senator Brown declined to vote for  
the Miner electoral bill because he could  
see nothing in it that would benefit his  
people. The New York state is opposed  
to the bill and gives reasons for its opposition  
that show the people would be  
benefited by it, as follows:  
There is at this time another good  
opportunity against the present bill should  
impel Democrats to caution. As makers  
are at present the Democracy is in  
the majority in the country, and a  
suitable presidential candidate was  
elected in 1912, the Democracy is in  
a satisfactory platform should win in  
1916. It, however, the Democracy is  
defeated in 1916, it will be in a  
difficult position to be taken up. A  
glorious opportunity will be furnished  
to state for the Democracy, but also to  
the Farmers' Alliance. The latter or-  
ganization might not carry any state;  
but it would carry a certain number  
of states in the district.

This is true equality of the Labor party.  
Therefore, should these two organiza-  
tions, acting either separately or in con-  
cert, run a presidential ticket, it is not  
at all doubtful that they might secure  
votes enough to throw the election  
president into the house of representa-  
tives, and the Republicans, now a  
minority in the country, could well af-  
ford to encourage such a movement, see-  
ing that they are stronger in the  
country than in the state. If the  
population, for under this system Ver-  
mont would count as much as New York.  
Even if, therefore, the Democrats secured half  
a dozen electoral votes in Michigan,  
one vote of that state in the house of  
representatives would undoubtedly be  
Republican. If the motion went to the  
house, and it would afford New York  
with 36 electors.

The Sun seems to fall into the singular  
class that elects the house of representa-  
tives elects the president is the one to be  
chosen next year. The present house of  
representatives elects the next president  
if the election is not held in Virginia,  
then the state is to elect the president.  
The Republicans hold a majority of  
the congressmen in only 12 out of 44  
states. These states are California, Colo-  
rado, Idaho, Maine, Nevada, North  
Dakota, South Dakota, Oregon, Penn-  
sylvania, Vermont, Washington and Wyo-  
ning.

All the other state have a majority in  
their delegates against the Republicans,  
but are not all Democratic.  
Georgia, Kansas, Mississippi, Missis-  
sippi, Missouri, North Carolina, South  
Carolina, Tennessee, Nebraska and  
Iowa, might not stand with the Democ-  
racy in electing a president in the house  
against an Alliance man if the Alli-  
ance candidate was a follower of the  
Sherman-Manning financial policy. In  
order to elect a president the Democ-  
racy would have to get 33 states, and it's  
very doubtful if they could get that and  
be sure of the circumstances of a con-  
test in the house of representatives. We  
have shown that ten of the states ranked  
as opposed to the Republican, are not  
solidly and gold basis. If these ten states  
failed to vote for the Democratic candi-  
date he could not be elected. The Alli-  
ance candidate would probably receive  
these ten votes and the two Dakotas  
and the Republican state in the Alli-  
ance platform. To these could be added  
to the Alliance candidate on the silver  
question, California, Colorado, Idaho,  
Nevada, Oregon, Washington and Wyo-  
ning. This would make 33 states, and the  
Republican candidate would be elect-  
able stand at the opening of the congres-  
sion. Democratic 22, Alliance 19 and R  
publican 3.

This would tie the house and defeat a  
president elected in the senate would be  
Democratic president, thus giving the  
Republicans the presidency for another term.  
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pernit this, nor would the Republi-  
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ratic election, and they would come to-  
gether in the house in sufficient numbers  
to elect the Alliance man.  
Pondering upon "complications" that  
may arise in this congressional district  
this fall "a man with half an eye"  
said in a serious one an appropriation for  
the furniture factory at the state house  
of correction, for either \$40,000 or \$50,  
000, should pass the legislature by both  
Democratic and Republican votes and  
that the state would be the labor  
issues are dead set against the use of  
convict labor to cheapen free and honest  
labor.  
It would have been big money to Des-  
sander if Mat Quay had never des-  
sander him.

IT'S SURVEYOR'S TOO GREAT.  
The real bottom of this street railway  
issue is not seen, it is watered stock.  
If all the inflated stock was eliminated  
the street railway would earn  
enough to pay capital a fair return and  
labor could be given living wages for  
reasonable hours of service.  
There are too many shares of stock  
demanding dividends that represent no  
value, and too many bonds demanding  
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**THE NEW PENSION LAW**  
Which they may not have fully considered. It  
is very liberal. Pensioners are being granted  
with other evidence save a medical certificate.  
The majority of claimants are getting  
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pension under the new law, and then complete  
and now have a permanent disability.  
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previous habits. Then if you received any dis-  
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Wind and Weather. WASHINGTON, May 11.—For Michigan: Fair weather; warmer winds, becoming southerly.

CITY AND SUBURBS C. E. Bassett of the Allegan Record was at the Eagle last evening. The school board district No. 9 of Paris township has closed the school for two weeks on account of scarlet fever.

The call in Judge Gove's court today in issues of fee 45, 37, 7, 10, 12, 16 and 17. In Judge Gove's court today in issues of fee 45, 37, 7, 10, 12, 16 and 17.

The funeral of Mrs. Myron Hester will be held at the funeral home at 10 o'clock this afternoon. Friends of the family invited.

The appearance of the bill has been entered in the case of Carrie Brooks. A request for a copy of the bill has been entered in the case of Carrie Brooks.

Marshall W. Gibbs and Thomas Callan filed their oaths of office as deputy sheriffs yesterday. John Madison was also appointed to the same position and took the oath of office.

To the surprise of everyone the apple tree in the front yard of the residence in this section. This is the apple year and the failure of it is a great disappointment to orchardists.

M. T. Ryan of the Allegan Democrat is in the city. He came yesterday attended the funeral of his niece, Mrs. J. E. Roberts, who was the daughter of Captain Charles J. Roberts.

Mary Role had her husband, Wm. Role, arrested yesterday on a warrant for drunkenness. The warrant charged that he had been drunk on May 11 and ten days prior thereto.

Benjamin Hands, from the Soldiers Home, was arrested yesterday on a warrant for drunkenness. The warrant charged that he had been drunk on May 11 and ten days prior thereto.

The minor children of Frankie B. Welch and Helen I. Welch who are illegitimate divorce proceedings in the court, Wm. F. McKnight has entered their appearance and requested a continuance of the bill of complaint.

Yesterday was the opening day in the Superior court and attorneys interested in approaching the court were busy trying to get their cases placed at the foot of the calendar. Original arrangements will be made this morning.

Police Court Notes. In Police court today the following were heard: Robert Ross paid \$3.35 for being drunk; Murray McNeil, Milo Gray, Peter Haas and Al Finlay, for the same offense, were all committed to jail.

John Doe was a resident of the jail for the past 30 days, was brought out on his scullion yesterday and released on his scullion. On March 11 Lou Riverman, Little River, and Peter Harris were convicted of being disorderly and upon their promise to leave the city they were released.

The time expired yesterday and the case was disposed of by ordering the girl to be suspended from school for one year, so that even now they are not safe in returning to the city.

Her father came here in 1836, and his home was on the southeast corner of what is now Pearl and Ottawa streets, where the Trust company is now located. She had the estate and affection to a high degree, of all who knew her.

FILE THIS MORNING Store and Dwelling Burned on West Leonard Street. Early this morning fire was discovered in the grocery store of Henry Andrus at 875 West Leonard street, and an alarm turned in from box 63, but before the department arrived the store and dwelling were a mass of flames.

Oil Well on Fire. Oil City, May 11.—Thirteen oil wells of the Fuel Supply company at Pine Grove are in fire. Several firemen have been arrested for setting fire to the forest here.

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REPORT OF THE CONDITION OF THE Grand Rapids National Bank, Of Grand Rapids, in the City of Michigan, as at the close of business on May 4, 1911. RESOURCES: Loans and discounts, \$1,338,482.02; Overdrafts, 4,911.68; United States bonds to secure deposits, 50,000.00; Deposits on hand, 693,834.64; Due from other National Banks, 15,284.60; Due from State banks and bankers, 11,738.00; Real estate, furniture and fixtures, 31,949.74; Premiums paid, 2,740.00; Other assets, 222.22; Total, \$2,168,178.50.

LIABILITIES: Capital stock, \$400,000.00; Surplus funds, 100,000.00; Loans payable, 100,000.00; Deposits, 1,568,178.50; Total, \$2,168,178.50.

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