UNITED STATES SENATORS. Elections for United States Sena tors take place in the Legislatures of five leading States to-day, viz: in New York, to supply the place now occupied by Senator Fenton, Liberal in Massachusetts, in place of Senator Washburne; in Pennsylvania, in place of Senator Scott; and in Indiana, in place of Senator Pratt; in Missouri in place of Senator Schurz. In all these States except possibly Massachusetts the Democrats will choose: man of their own party. In that State, as has been hinted, the rivalry between Messrs. Dawes and Hoan may secure the election of one of the Adamses, most probably John Quincy. Democratic caucuses have been held in New York, Pennsyl vania, Indiana, and Missouri, and the choice has fallen respectively upon Messrs. Kernan, Wallace, McDonald and Cockrell.

Francis Kernan is a friend and fellow-townsman of Horatio Seymour and was the supposed choice of Gov. Tilden. His principal competitor was State Senator Murphy. Mr. Kernan ran for Governor in 1872 and was beaten in the general demoralization of that year. He is described as possessing all the qualifications for a good Senator, having honesty, eloquence and solid ability. Intellectually, we presume, he is to be rated in his State after ex-Gov. Seymour and Chief Justice Church.

Wm. A. Wallace was born in Huntingdon county, Pennsylvania, in 1827. In 1836 the family removed to Clearfield county, where he has since resided. At the age of seventeen he commenced the study of the law, and in 1847 he was admitted to the bar. In 1862 he was elected State Senator, and from this period he has participated actively in political life. He has been four times re-elected State Senator, and in addition to his continuous service in the higher branch of the State Legislature, has acted auring several years as Chairman of the Democratic State Central Committee. He was also at one time Vice President of the Texas and Pacific Railroad Company, and in 1874 Governor Hartranft appointed him one of the commissioners to propose amendments to the new Constitution. He is spoken of as an able stump speaker, a brilliant political leader and an accomplished parliamentarian. A better choice would have been grand old Jerry Black or broadhearted, broad-headed Buckalew.

The Hon. Joseph E. McDonald, the Democratic caucus nominee for Senator in Indiana, is a native of Ohio, and entered political life as a member of Congress from that State in 1849. serving one term only. In those days he was a member of the anti-slavery wing of the Democratic party in Ohio, the late Chief Justice Chase being its head and front, and Mr. McDonald voted for the abolition of slavery in the District of Columbia, or at least for the removal of the national capital to free territory. Some years ago Mr. McDonald removed to Indiana, and in 1864 was the Democratic candidate for Governer, being defeated by Oliver P. Morton by over twenty thousand majority. During the campaign of last year he served as chairman of the State Central Committee. Mr. McDonald is a leading member of the Indianapolis bar, and has held a seat upon the bench. As a party manager Mr. McDonald has been eminently successful. On a different and much broader field we hope he will acquit himself equally as well.

Gen. Frank W. Cockrell was a gallant Confederate officer. We know nothing of his political history beyond the fact that he has recently been quite prominent in the Senatorial canvass. He succeeds one of the most gifted statesmen and orators in Amer-

There is a little hitch it appears in Pennsylvania, growing out of the refusal by three Democrats to make the nomination of Mr. Wallace unanimous. The Harrisburg correspondence of the New York Herald thus

states the situation: "The total number of votes to be cast is Republican, giving on joint ballot a Demo-eratic majority of 7. In this 127 Demo-cratic votes are included the vote of an Independent member, who may favor the Republican nominee, in which case the Democratic majority on joint bailot will be only 5. Two Democrats are lying seriously ill—Fagin, of Philadelphia, and Ryan, of Columbia county—and neither will be able to be here at the time of election. This reduces the majority to three votes, and in case severe sickness or death should visit any of the other Democratic members

the vote of Mr. Wallace himself and that of the Independent man as well as the votes of the three parties who sternly refused to-day to make the nomination of Wallace unanimous. It will be seen from this that the Democrats claim a great deal, and it is an exceedingly difficult matter for them to discover what they are sure of. They seem confident that Wallace will be elected, however, though they admit that he contest will be exceedingly close. The Republicans are quiet, like tigers, waiting their time to leap.

THEN AND NOW.

Since the Republicans in Congress have resolved to support Grant's Louisiana policy, it will be interesting to the country to know how leading Senators voted on the matter when the new election bill was before the Senate two years ago. There is no better way to convict a rogue than by his own confession. Examine the record. Thirteen of the Republican Senators who voted for that bill are still members of the Senate. They are Anthony, Carpenter, Cragin, Frelinghuysen, Ferry of Michigan, Gil bert, Hamlin, Howe, Logan, Pomeroy, Sherman, Sprague and Stewart. Vice-President Wilson, then a member of the Senate, also voted for it.

Let us commence with Carpenter. Carpenter is the most brilliant man perhaps since Byron who has had the audacity to flaunt certain vices before the public eye. He is said to be for all that a goodish fellow, though an unreliable politician. Well, Mr. Carpenter for a long while was the special champion of Louisiana's rights, and people thought he was going to leave the company he had been keeping-we mean Morton & Co.-and go into better political society. An extract from one of his speeches in favor of a new election is pertinent at this time. "If we leave the President with this responsibility upon his shoulders, virtually compel him to stand by that sham and fraud (Kellogg) through the summer and through four years, we shall hear from it, and I wish to know what reason and excuse I shall render to the people of Wisconsin for such a course on the part of a Republican Congress in a great emergency like this."

Stand aside Mr. Carpenter. Call Mr. Edmunds. Senator Edmunds was one of those who agreed with Mr. Carpenter two years ago as to the illegality and fraud on which the Kellogg government was set up, and was as earnest in characterizing the outrageous acts of the Returning Board which undertook to declare Mr. Kellogg elected. In reply to a question of Mr. Howe why the Kellogg government should not stand, Mr. Edmunds said: "I say it should not stand, as the committee have said it shall not stand, because it exists at this moment through a usurpation of our own. I repeat, we should not let it stand because we are the guilty party that has given it all the life it has." Further on Mr. Edmunds said, as the majority of the committee have reported, and I think satisfactorily, we have put up a government there which neither the returns nor the Constitution of that State, nor the law of that State allowed to exercise its powers."

Mr. Stewart, in advocating a new election, said "non-action keeps a government in place that did not have a majority of the votes and was not elected by the people."

Mr. Sherman said, "it is alleged that the government set up by Gov. Kellogg, supported by the decision of Judge Durell, and supported also by the decision of the Supreme Court of Louisiana, is a usurpation. Of the truth of this allegation there is substantial proof. The papers before us show to a reasonable certainty that the majority of the votes legally returned were not in favor of the Kellogg government, and that the Kellogg government is now a government of the minority of the votes that were returned. We cannot afford to set such an example."

Mr. Edinunds and Mr. Sherman did not think two years ago that they could afford to set the example of recognizing such a government as Kellogg's. Will they think that they can afford now to perpetuate such a government after it has repeated on greater scale the returning board frauds of 1873?

MR. GLADSTONE RETIRES. The withdrawal of Hon. W. E. Gladstone from public life is not unexpected. He has been in the service of his country in many responsible and honorable positions for more than | the case of Forney, not so much dif-247, of which 127 are Democratic and 120 forty years. He retires with not a ference was made by the disclosure stain on his character and with the personal good wishes of his strongest political opponents.

As a prime minister he succeeded Palmerston in 1865. His most prominent measures have been of a religious and reformatory character. He disestablished the Irish Church in the circumstances of the campaign as far as Wallace is concerned will be exceedingthe statesmanship of Mr. Gladstone will be chiefly judged.

We presume Mr. Gladstone will go to his books with redoubled energy. He is almost as great in literature and theological controversy as he is in statesmanship. Who his successor will be is not known. There are many surmises. Perhaps it will be the equable and accomplished Wm. Forster, who lately visited this country. Perhaps the veteran John Bright will once more go to the front, or it may be that Earl Granville will take the helm. These gentlemen were all members of Mr. Gladstone's last Cabi-

STAR-DUST.

- A New Orleans saloonist an nounces "Who's afraid cocktails." - About five thousand idemen along the Hudson rive are on a strike. - The new German Luthern liturgy

will be finished by the close of 1876. - Bodices must be laced in the back, not buttoned in front. [Latest

- Roger A. Prior is lank, and has straight black hair and an uneasy manner.

- When a woman blushes and veeps, can she be said to raise a hue - Harper's Weekly is also out-

spoken against the course of the administration. - Mr. J. D. McArthur, of Marlboro, S. C., crushed his arm in a steam

mill last week. - Madame Janauschek gave her dramatic company one thousand five hundred dollars' worth of Christmas

- Poetic justice: A Boston doctor has died from the effects of inhaling the ether he administered to one of his patients.

- Dion Boucicault is hard at work on two new plays, and is co-operating with Mr. Bret Harte in making an American drama.

- The Presbyterians of Philadelphia, desirous of honoring the memory of Rev. Dr. John Witherspoon, the celebrated Presbyterian divine of revolutionary fame, have decided to erect a statue to his memory in Fairmount Park in 1876. He was the only minister whose name is signed to the Declaration of Independence.

Good Witness and a Good Point. Senator Schurz, in his splendid peech on Louisiana a few days ago,

"I shall be the last man on earth to say a word of excuse for Southern ruffians who threaten a negro voter with violence. I know no language too severe to condemn; but I cannot forget that the only act of terrorism and intimidation I ever happened to witness with my own eyes was the cruel clubbing and stoning of a colored man in North Carolina in 1872, by men of his own race, because he had declared for the Conservatives; and if the whole story of the South were told, it would be discovered that such a practice has not been unfrequent. I cannot forget that as to the discharge of laborers from employdischarge of laborers from employment for political cause, a most seductive and demoralizing example is set by the highest authority in the land. While we have law on our statute book imposing a penalty for the intimidation of voters by threat the intimidation of voters by threatened or actual discharge from employment, it is the notorious practice of your Government to discharge every one of its employes who dares to oppose the administration party.' The testimony of Senator Schurz as to the North Carolina incident. says the Mobile Register, cannot be

placed by Senator Morton at the door of lying Southern newspapers and lying telegraph agents. He saw it with his own eyes, just as we all have seen similar outrages all over the South. It was only a few days ago that a colred statesman of Vicksburg informed he Congressional Committee that any negro who voted the Democratic tic-

ket should have his head chopped off. The other point made by Mr. Schurz is also well put. The Radi cals invariably discharge from employment men who will not vote with them. We have seen policemen discharged in Mobile for voting the Democratic ticket.

"Thrift, Thrift, Horatio," We are sorry, says the Petersburg ndex Appeal, that Don Piatt, the elever and amiable editor of the Washington Capital, has been involved in the scandalous disclosures of the Pacific Mail subsidy. It may e, as Col. Piatt alleges, that the \$5,-000 which were traced to him, were only borrowed from his personal friend Irwin and were duly returned to that person by another "friend." But ven this version if accepted as true and it appears to be hardly "suf ficiently materialized," as the slang now goes,) the case is not particularly mended. Mr. Piatt has no business to be under any kind of obligation to any such class of people as Mr. Irwin. We fear he has damaged the influence alike of himself and his paper, by allowing it to appear that money has been paid him by the lobbyists. In of his purchase for \$25,000. Nobody expected anything better than that of Mr. Forney; and perhaps among his own gang of people, he will stand all the higher for the neat and suc-

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