

ORATOR AND LEADER.

In colorful language a New York paper rejoices over the wonderful evolution of Hanna, as an orator. It notes with pride and satisfaction that this man, "who but years ago was simply Hanna, known to only a small segment of the busy world as a plain business man, with apparently no ambition to shine shine society or politics, has in a short period of time developed such transcendent masterfulness, not only in managing successfully the complicated machinery of political campaigns, but also in attracting crowds to run after him, to listen to his earnest eloquence and be convinced by his powerful arguments."

This is indeed wonderful, especially the "eloquence" and the "powerful arguments" portions of it. Those who have read Hanna's speeches must marvel at his New York reputation as a spell binder. There is danger that the sudden discovery by the Boss that he possesses not only all the necessary but the ornamental equipment for political leadership as well may turn his head. It may put into the mind of Warwick the thought and the temptation to become king. If he can make another man President, why can he not make one of himself?

Hanna is the living incarnation and embodiment of present-day Republicanism. He is the ideal agent for the trust, the spoilsman, the advocates of Hamiltonian doctrines. Why should he be longer content to conduct functions of leadership through a respectable and submissive figurehead? Since the official hands that carry out the behests of the syndicated monopolies are the hands of Hanna, why should not the Republican party be logical and contrive that the voice which promulgates these policies from the White House be the voice of Hanna also?

Consistency and fitness alike suggest that the Republican party reward Mr. McKinley's political maker and the conservator, director, manager, boss and orator extraordinary of the Republican machine by bestowing upon him the Presidential nomination. There is scant danger that orator Hanna will turn his back on it.

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IT IS FUSION IN 1900.

The lamb and the lion have consented to lay down in harmony. The oil of personal ambition has been poured on the troubled waters and Marion Butler and Jeter Pritchard, the advocates of trusts and combines, have shaken hands over the bloody chasm, hoping thereby to bring about political uni-

SCOTT'S EMULSION OF COD-LIVER OIL WITH HYPOPHOSPHITES should always be kept in the house for the following reasons: FIRST—Because, if any member of the family has a hard cold, it will cure it. SECOND—Because, if the children are delicate and sickly, it will make them strong and well. THIRD—Because, if the father or mother is losing flesh and becoming thin and emaciated, it will build them up and give them flesh and strength. FOURTH—Because it is the standard remedy in all throat and lung affections. No household should be without it. It can be taken in summer as well as in winter.

ty and amalgamation to defeat the ratification of the amendment. This is the outgrowth of the Fusion assembly which met at Statesville a short time since. The issue will be white or black supremacy. It is whether white supremacy, which gained temporary ascendancy, shall be made permanent by the ratification of the Constitutional Amendment by the people, or a return, Fusion rule of which was born in sin and germinated in corruption, and championed by the iconoclast Marion; and Jeter, who went to the St. Louis Convention a silver advocate and returned a gold bug and is in full sympathy with administrative policy to promote trusts and monopolies.

The bargain and sale has been made and the question now arises can Butler fulfill his pledges to the alliance. We seriously doubt his ability to lead the rank and file of the honest Populist into the fold again. But Jeter can marshal 120,000 negroes and the Pie brigade to do his bidding and carry out his part of the contract.

It is apparent to these two leaders that the adoption of the Constitutional Amendment will end their political existence henceforth and forever. It is a fight of their life and we confidently expect in the ensuing August election that they will be buried so deep that their resurrection will be among the impossibilities.

The tempting bait given to Marion is his return to the U. S. Senate and if this fails, a Western judgeship as a reward for his affiliation with the Republicans. BEWARE OF OINTENTS FOEM CATARRH THAT CONTAIN MERCURY, as mercury will surely destroy the sense of smell and completely derange the whole system when entering it through the mucous surfaces. Such articles should never be used except prescriptions from reputable physicians, as the damage they will do is ten fold to the good you can possibly derive from them. Hall's Catarrh Cure, manufactured by F. J. Cheney & Co., Toledo, O., contains no mercury, and is taken internally, acting directly upon the blood and mucous surfaces of the system. In buying Hall's Catarrh Cure be sure you get the genuine. It is taken internally, and is made in Toledo, Ohio, by F. J. & Co. Testimonials free. Sold by all Druggists, price 75c. per bottle. Hall's Family Pills are the best.

PERPLEXING QUESTIONS.

Hon. Thomas Settle, Ex-Congressman of 5th district, a brilliant Republican, has written to R. Z. Linney, Chairman of the last Republican State Convention, and member of the present Executive Committee, in which, as our esteemed conservator, the News & Observer, terms it, dealt a solar plexus blow, the effect of which will frustrate the outlines of the Republican policy formulated at Statesville a short time ago unless the managers adhere to a game of bluff and play it through the ensuing campaign. They are perplexing questions propounded, both, from the stand point of party policy and legal.

He asked Mr. Linney how is the election law to be tested, and pointed to practical difficulties in the way of getting decision of the courts etc., and further says in the courts "they will not entertain a hypothetical or theoretical case and I do not know of any persons having authority to submit a 'case agreed.'" Its ingenious conception has no logical bases whereupon to build, hence they are vulnerable and will be bombarded and shattered in fragments and fall fruitless to the ground. The leaders, in the crusade against the amendment, may cling tenaciously to their fallacious policies but the people will surely turn on the search light of scrutiny and probe the deepest abysses for political intrigues, and adroit subterfuges to deceive them. It has been done sometimes but not always and these shrewd politicians had better seek the haunts of seclusion rather than bolster up a campaign, pregnant with inconsistencies and veiling their personal ambition under

the cover of deception to satiate their appetites. His letter is full of logic and analyzes the practical difficulties in the way which would be exceedingly embarrassing to the party which he unquestionably holds allegiance, if carried out. In his closing paragraph, he says: "Why would it not be the better plan for the Republican organization of this State to leave the amendment alone and make the campaign on sound money, protection, and support of the Administration's foreign policy? Let us expand our currency, our manufacture, and our country by an adherence to the principles of the National Republican party. This suggestion, if heeded, would relieve the party managers of a dilemma in which their short-sightedness have plunged them into, and cement parties, with better defined issues with which to enter the campaign."

Why were 25,000 BOTTLES OF ROBERTS' TASTELESS 25c. CHILL TONIC sold the first year of its birth? Answer: Because it is the BEST AT ANY PRICE, guaranteed to cure, money refunded if it fails, pleasant to take, 25c per bottle. It is sold and guaranteed by Griggs & Son; Dr. J. E. Wood, City Drug Store and W. J. Woodley, Grocer, Elizabeth City, and H. S. Cason Edenton, N. C.

THE ELECTION. The elections were held in 12 States Tuesday. In Kentucky it was particularly hot on account of factional strife in the Democratic ranks, and in Ohio there was also a Republican quarrel, the result of which is narrow Republican majority. In Nebraska, Bryan's native State, a vigorous campaign was conducted between the two contending political organizations, which resulted in the defeat of the Republicans. In Maryland an active campaign was waged and turned the scales in favor of the Democrats by over 10,000. This State has been giving Republican majorities for the last 5 years, but in the election Tuesday, the prodigal returned to the Democratic fold. Up to going to press: Kentucky still in doubt. If you read through Republican glasses, Taylor, Republican nominee for Governor, is elected, but if through Democratic, the result is just the reverse. Kentucky gave McKinley for President 247 majority, one or two Bryan electors leading in the race by small majorities. Much interest has been felt in its State election on account of the extreme closeness of the vote; likewise in Ohio, McKinley's home, where the entire administration resources were concentrated in order to secure its endorsement. The returns do not seem to indicate a hearty approval of Hanna's method and McKinley's foreign policy, together with his promoting trusts, combines and monopolies, by a reduction in the majority. In California the Democrats in municipal contests had a walk over. In Philadelphia the Republican majority was lessened by 30,000. Democracy has every reason to take new courage, and we congratulate the National Dem. party on its splendid fight in the several States, the redemption of old Maryland and the general cutting down of majorities in the Republican States. We have great cause to rejoice.

From the reports of the dealers in this city, we think no proprietary medicine has a larger sale than PAIN-KILLER. Its valuable properties as a speedy cure for pain cannot fail to be generally appreciated, in case of accident, or sudden attack of dysentery, diarrhoea, cholera morbus, - Montreal Star. A good substitute, there is but one Pain Killer, Perry Davis'. Price 25c. and 50c.

CONGRATULATIONS, ADMIRAL!

That Admiral Dewey is shortly to be married, preliminary to settling down on shore for the remainder of his days, is a fact which will greatly tickle the American people, solicitous as they are for the comfort and

happiness of the hero of Manila Bay. This wooing and winning of a wife was the one thing that his admiring countrymen could not do for Dewey. It had to come of his own initiative. It was even a delicate undertaking to head him in that direction. And yet that it is eminently necessary for the fullest enjoyment of the fame and fortune coming to him in his later days no sensible person could doubt. Nevertheless, his Government and his fellow-Americans did all they could in a roundabout way to direct the gallant sailor's steps toward the hymeneal altar. The former revived the rank and the fine salary of the Admiral to increase his eligibility in the matrimonial market. The latter testified to his immense fame and the certainty of his place in history and presented to him a handsome Washington home that needed only the supervision of a wife to be complete. Solely unto Dewey devolved the duty of adding the crowning glory to these good gifts.

And the old sea-dog has promptly done this very thing. "I have secured the promise of one of the most charming little women in world to become Mrs. Dewey," he announced to his friends the other day. This is the best of good news. The country congratulates Dewey. It felicitates the future Mrs. Dewey. It feels sure that the Admiral and his wife will make a regular story-book finish—"And then they were married and lived happy ever after,"

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"LAUGH AND THE WORLD LAUGHS WITH YOU. This is an old saying, yet is quite a true one to-day. No one wants your troubles: so if you want peace and happiness always carry a bright face and a smiling countenance. To be well dressed may often serve you better than a friend. Speaking about dress, we are dressing more men and boys in fashionable clothing at popular prices, than any other concern in the town. We have enlarged our ready-made clothing department and have the exclusive control of the famous "satisfaction brand." There is no sentiment about our clothing sales. We sell it with just one small profit, marked in plain figures and the same price to everybody alike, can't even afford to throw in a pair of suspenders or a neck tie. We are not looking for a fortune out of one seasons business but, as the little things make up the sum of life so we only add a little, but give you bestness at the price of cheapness. Don't pay old time figures for your clothing. Don't pay ten dollars for an eight dollar suit because a neck tie is thrown in. Don't think because you have had two dollars knocked off the price, you are getting a bargain: it was added to the price for that purpose—that's the old way. We resort to no such methods. We have but one price and do not allow our clerks to misrepresent anything. Your money back if you want it, without any contention whatever. You will like our way best and we will save you money. Our men's suits begin at \$5.00 and gradually go up to \$10.00 and we defy you to match any suit at our price. We have a full line in Black Clay Worsteds, in square cut and round cut (all sizes) and these goods are very scarce and going up every day. We have pleased a number of mothers this season, with our little boys suits; they all say, we have the greatest assortment and the right price goods. Our \$1.98 boy suits (all wool) are what others ask \$2.50 for. Seeing is believing. We invite you. MITCHELL'S BEE HIVE, 1114 1/2 City's Greatest Store.

A QUICK CURE FOR COUGHS AND COLDS Pyny-Pectoral The Canadian Remedy for all Throat and Lung Affections. Large Bottles, 25 cents. DAVIS & LAWRENCE CO., Limited, 270 1/2 Perry Davis' Pain-Killer, Montreal.

PILE'S RUDDY'S Suppository is guaranteed to cure PILES, and CONSTIPATION (itching, itching, protruding, itching, whether of recent or long standing, or chronic nature). It gives instant relief, and acts as a real and permanent cure. No surgical operation necessary. Try it and you will be satisfied. Send for list of retail dealers and free sample. Only 25c. a box. For sale by druggists, or sent by mail on receipt of price. HARRY RUDY, 224 FARRIS ST., LOUISIANA, LA.

Camden Commissioners. CAMDEN, N. C., Nov. 6, '99. Board of County Commissioners met to-day. Full Board present. The Crystal Ice and Coal Company was allowed \$7 for one ton coal and bags to hold the same. J. L. Lister, M. D., was allowed \$5 as special coroner in holding inquest over Christopher Stallings. W. S. Bartlett was allowed \$3.60 for serving notice on six jurors in the above inquest. The following were allowed each \$1.50 for serving as jurors: G. H. Jacobs, R. S. Bullock, Chas. Spencer, Chas. Norris, J. G. Etheridge, C. L. Davis. Chas. Norris was allowed \$6 for coffin and burial of Christopher Stallings. John F. Foster was allowed \$1 for finding the dead body of Christopher Stallings. W. J. Cowell was allowed \$13.14 for material furnished in making bridge over Portahook Creek. C. B. Burgess was allowed \$1.95, J. P. fees in cases of State vs. Zion Lewis, Jno. Coleman and Chas. Coleman. Cuse Poyner was released from the payment of poll tax for year 1899 on account of bodily infirmity. Benj. Dunford was allowed \$12.50 as Keeper of Alms House. John B. Bell was allowed 60 cents as witness in case of State vs. Camden Tel. Co. C. S. Sawyer was allowed \$5.07 for supplies to Alms House.

The following reports made by the grand jury and solicitor for the fall term of the Superior Court, were approved and ordered to be recorded: To the Honorable Superior Court of Camden County, North Carolina: We, the grand jurors, have examined the offices of the Register of Deeds and the Clerk of the Superior Court and found them in good condition. We have examined the Alms House and found it in an excellent condition. We recommend that fresh meats be furnished once a week to the paupers. We have examined the jail and found it in a good condition. L. F. WRIGHT, Foreman. North Carolina, } Superior Court, Camden county, } Fall Term, 1899. I, G. W. Ward, Solicitor of the First District, respectfully report to the Clerk that at this term of the Court I have examined the offices of Clerk, Register of Deeds, Sheriff and Treasurer of this county and find same in good condition. G. W. WARD, Solicitor.

Approved: H. R. STARBUCK, Judge Presiding. Benj. Dunford was authorized to purchase enough good heart lumber to repair the well at the Alms House. The Treasurer submitted vouchers to the amount of \$654.55 of which \$160.40 was jury tickets. C. S. Sawyer was allowed \$1.93 for freight and hauling one ton coal. C. B. Garrett was allowed \$21.80, for extra work in making out merchant taxes, etc. Eliza Deal was allowed \$1.50 as benefit. Eliza Etheridge was allowed \$2 as benefit. Nancy Beale was allowed \$2 as benefit.

The Clerk of the Board was ordered to notify the Treasurer, Sheriff and Finance Committee, composed of T. B. Boushall, C. H. Spencer and S. S. Forbes, to meet at Camden Courthouse Monday, 20, 1899, and for said committee to audit accounts with the Sheriff and Treasurer of this Board on the First Monday in December next. W. G. Cox submitted \$3.75 to the Board as payment of net hire of John Coleman for one and a half months. The Board adjourned to meet the first Monday in December. G. C. BARCO, Chm'n. C. B. GARRETT, Clerk.

ARE YOU BANKRUPT in health, constitution undermined by extravagance in eating, by disregarding the laws of nature, or physical capital all gone, if so, NEVER DESPAIR. Tutt's Liver Pills will cure you. For sick headache, dyspepsia, sour stomach, malaria, torpid liver, constipation, biliousness and all kindred diseases. Tutt's Liver Pills an absolute cure.

Notice of Desolution. S. M. S. Rollinson, P. W. Stevens and D. C. Whitehurst, trading as Rollinson, Stevens & Co., have this day dissolved partnership by mutual consent. S. M. S. Rollinson and D. C. Whitehurst, having purchased the interest of P. W. Stevens, will continue the business as Rollinson & Whitehurst. All persons indebted to Rollinson, Stevens & Co., will settle the same with Rollinson & Whitehurst. All liabilities of Rollinson, Stevens & Co., are assumed by the new firm. This October 30th, 1899. S. M. S. ROLLINSON, P. W. STEVENS, D. C. WHITEHURST.

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NOTICE. MANTRO, N. C., Sept. 26, 1899. I have in my possession \$24.13, being amount received from I. B. Midgett, Wreck Commissioner for District No. 2, as net proceeds from sale of 1 lot of railroad ties, lumber and 1 barrel kegs, sold on Onieamicom beach on the 14th day of September, 1899. Any person showing good title for same will receive the amount stated, less expenses for advertising, etc. This 26th day of September, 1899. THEO. S. MEEKINS, Clerk Supr. Court of Dare county.

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NOTICE! NET PROCEEDS OF WRECKED PROPERTY. Office Clerk Superior Court. Dare County, N. C. I have in my hands \$483.00 the same being amount received from B. F. Wheelbee, Wreck Commissioner for Dist. No. 2, as net proceeds of sale of 51,000 oak, staves and a small amount wreckage, that washed ashore on Hatteras Beach in August 1899, and sold on the 19th day of September, 1899. Anyone one applying and showing good title for the same in the next 12 months will receive the said amount less Clerk Com's. and advertising expenses. THEO. S. MEEKINS, Clerk Sup'r. Court.

Rent, Rent, Rent. Rooms above store corner of Main and Water streets. Shop on Main street, near Water, recently occupied as a Chinese laundry. FOR SALE. House and lot facing Court House. Law office building. Dwelling on North Side. House and lot on River Side avenue. Wharf property—old Net and Twine Company site. Griffin mill property. P. F. & S. S. LAMB.

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