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#### FRIDAY, OCT. 12, 1883.

A MOVE IN THE RIGHT DIREC-

A National Co Operative Workmen's Union has been organized in New York, the object of which is to assist working people to purchase the necessaries of life more cheaply and to own their own homes. It is proposed to form Unions of a thousand working people, each member to pay \$100 in weekly instalments of 25 cents each. With the \$1,000 raised the first month groceries will be bought and sold to the members of the Union at cost. In addition to this other branches of trade will be established at which members may purchase anything they need. Desirable houses that can be purchased to advantage will be bought, rented to members at a rent sufficient to pay six per cent. on the purchase price, and when an amount of rent has been paid equivalent to the cost of the house a deed will be made to the renter who becomes the owner of the property. The first Union formed has already 100 members and much interest in the subject is being manifested by the working people.

There is much to be gained by this movement if properly directed and carried out with care and system, and if the working men will deposit the small sum required weekly, which any of them can do, and not feel it, this Union will grow and become a strong organization for mutual benefit.

Non only the working men but their employers, and other men of large means, ought to take a lively interest in the success of this movement and help it along with a cheerful aid. It is to the interest of the employers that their employees should prosper, because the more prosperous they are the better contented they are, and the better contented they are the more cheerfully and the more effectively they labor and the better service they render. There would be less complaint, fewer strikes and less disarrangement of business, which sometimes entail such heavy loss on both employer and working men. Such an organization, properly managed, is better than a savings bank for not only the interest but the capital is used for the benefit of the members, while the reduced prices at which they will be enabled to purchase the necessaries of life will enable them to live at much less cost and far more comfortably. This is one of the movements in the way of practical reform which has our

#### heartiest wishes for success. THE RESULT IN OHIO.

We have not yet sufficient details from the election in Ohio to take a comprehensive view of the situation, but we know that the Democrats have won a much more signal victory than we had reason to hope for, in view of the political complications in that State, and the discord that prevailed in certain localities within the Democratic lines. With the dissatisfaction expressed by some of the Democrats at the nomination of Hoadly, and the wrangles between the factions in Hamilton county. disaster was foreboded, and it would not have been surprising. When we consider how tenaciously that State has clung to the Republican party during and ever since the war, we can form some conception of the work the Democrats had before them, and the brilliancy of the victory which they have just won. The following figures give the result of the elections held in that State in the last twelve years:

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1871—For Governor20	168
1872—For President37	531
1873—For Governor	81
1874—For Secretary of State	17 20
1875—For Governor	544
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1878—For Secretary of State 3	154
1879—For Governor17	129
1880—For President25	.155
1882—For Governor24	309
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were successful only four times within sylvania Democrats believe a mistake these twelve years, and electing a Governor but twice within that period, once by the small majority of 817.

The turning tide in politics was when the Republicans became involved in sumptuary legislation, which gave offense to many who had previously acted with it and drove the German voters almost in a body over to the Democrats, resulting last year in the election of a Democratic Secretary of State by a majority of 19,155. The Republican managers consoled themselves with the hope that this German defection was simply temporary, and that they would come back to the party, but in this they have been evidently disappointed, for without this vote the Democrats could not have won the victory of last Tuesday.

This victory brings Ohio to the front as a factor on the Democratic side in the coming presidential election, and sends her presidential aspirants on the Republican side to the rear. It lays John Sherman out as cold as a wedge and brings the importance of Gov Foster down to zero, for both worked hard to carry the State and were whipped on their own ground. The result does not absolutely ensure that State for the Democrats in the presidential race, but it gives them the vantage ground and puts it in their power if they act wisely to hold it in the Democratic column.

Boston has not as many millionaires as New York, but she has the boss slugger of this continent.

The Russian government, which has national debt of over \$4,000,000,000, is short and wants to borrow \$65,000,000

Parasites are making havoc among the trees in Central Park, New York, many of the finest trees in the park being killed.

Typhoid fever is prevalent in portions of New York and Massachusetts, and the boards of health are taking means to prevent its spreading.

The tobacco rebate claims filed in the internal revenue bureau at Washington do not aggregate much over \$4,000,000, a considerably smaller sum than was anticipated.

S R Crumbaugh, Collector of Internal Revenue of the Second District of Kentucky, is up before the U S Court in Louisville charged with using official government envelopes in his private correspondence to save postage,

Miss Jennie Chamberlain, the American beauty, who has attracted so much attention, is an Ohio girl, born in Cleveland, but has spent several years abroad, chiefly in Paris, where she was educated. She is not only a beauty and an heiress, but a millionairess.

Governor Butler said in an agricultural address recently at Attleboro, Mass, that 92 per cent of every 100 of the population of that State do not go to school after they are 15 years old, because they have to quit school and go

Since July 31st of this year 7,549,138 country from Italy, Belgium, Germany and Denmark. The people of these countries understand the process of preserving eggs from deterioration, so ble period.

Jay Gould is trying to, if he has not already secured control of the North Pacific railroad. With this and the Mexican Southern road, which will be in operation before long, and the other roads he already runs, he will have control of 17,556 miles of road. There an R. R. King for you.

Among the 108,000 who have been as-20,000 are down for more than poll tax. Of the remainder there are only 2,500 who pay over \$1,000 tax. The richest man in the city is Frederick L Ames, worth \$15,000,000, and after him Oliver M Forbes, worth nearly as much.

Philadelphia has an ex-councilman, named Logan, who has become cranky on Charlie Ross. He delivered a lecture several nights ago in which he advanced the theory that Charlie was stolen by his father, who had him secreted in St. Louis, and if the court would issue papers he would have the boy back in ninety days.

In a speech delivered before the negroes at Zuni, Va, boss Mahone said that Mr Goode held his seat in Congress by fraud, and was therefore a cheat. Mr Goode was not present, but when he heard the charge he wrote a letter to Mahone denouncing him as a liar and a coward. This opens the way for further proceedings.

Since the opening of the Brooklyn bridge 1,865,800 pedestrians crossed from New York to Brooklyn and 1,519,-600 from Brooklyn to New York, which difference in the number going and returning is accounted for on the theory that many of those who crossed from New York were strangers, who returned on the ferry boats to get a better view of the bridge.

A bridge over the Mississippi at New Orleans, where the river is 2,400 feet wide, is projected. An engineer proposes seven spans of 300 feet each, one to be a draw. The piers are to be creosoted piles, driven in clusters, and heavily capped and cased with iron. The depth of water will be no obstacle, as the piles can be spliced. The estimated cost is \$13,000,000.

May there not be some mistake about the power of a large fortune to make a man happy? May it not be true that carrying \$200,000,000 or even \$5,000,000 for board and clothes is doing a great deal of hard work for very small pay? -[Dio Lewis.

Yes; but there are very few people who would not tackle the job, on trial anyway, and take the chances.

Dio Lewis makes this shrewd obser vation: "I have never met a man who was not confident he could take a hundred millions and use them most wisely. And yet we have not had a rich man in New York City, with the exception of Peter Cooper of blessed memory, and, in a less degree, two or three others, who could use wisely even one million."

Congressman James H Hopkins, of Pittsburg, says Pennsylvan a is booming for Tilden. Mr Hopkins explains the It will be seen that the Democrats | feeling upon the ground that the Pennwas made in 1880 in not nominating Mr Tilden. Now, he says, the Democrats of his State want to remedy the blunder by giving him their support. Mr Hopkins is certain that "nothing but a peremptory and positive refusal upon the part of Mr Tilden can prevent his being the unanimous choice of the next convention."

> Mormon Statistics. At the Mormon conference in Salt

Lake last Saturday the following statistics were presented by Apostle Cannon: The membership of the church in Utah is 127,294. Number of families, 23,000. Births in the past six months 1,200 males, 1,100 females; number of children under eight years 37,000. Number of marriages in the past six months 339. New members 23,040, and deaths 781. The church organization embraces

12 apostles, 58 patriarchs, 3,885 secretaries, 3,153 high priests, 11,000 elders, 1,500 bishops and 4,400 deacons. Arizona reports a membership of 2,264. Idaho is not reported, but has double that of Arizona. Eighty-one missionaries have been appointed to go on missions to Europe and the United States. Eighteen of this number were set apart for missions in the Southern States, where the church is meeting with considerable, success in increasing its membership. Southern converts are being colonized mainly in Colorado.

A World of Glood. One of the most popular medicines now before the American public, is Hop Bitters. You see it everywhere. People take it with good effect. It builds them up. It is not as bleasant to the taste as some other bitters, at it is not a whiskey drink. It is more like he old fash loned bone-set tea, that has done a world of good. If you don't feel just right, my hop bitters.—He wade News. The Worn-out Street-Car Horse.

The wretched beast staggers along with his heavy load, looking miserable, and feeling worse than he looks. The driver urges him onward with the whip, and perhaps swears at him a little to make him go faster. - The horse plunges on a few steps, then comes to a sudden halt and tries to stand still for a few moments of rest. His shaky legs give way under him, and he falls heavily to the gr und. Boys and men crowd around him, and try to make him stand up. They pull his tail and purch nim with sticks. Some of them are so cruel as to kick him. Presently he gives a few convulsive gasps, and he is dead.

Poor street-car horse! He was overworked and underfed. He had! hard life of it. Now that he is gone, the company will put another horse in his place. The other horse will be overloaded and worked to death in like manner. Cruel business.

There are many men who overwork and underfeed themselves till they are in as bad a way as the nearly-dead street-car horse. Sometimes they do it from a sense of solemn duty and ster; conscientiousness. They do not mean to kill themselves. They only want to make a living for their families. - With impoverished blood and unstrung nerves and lailing stomach and aching head and torpid liver they drag along a weary and miserable existence. They make their families as miserable as themselves.

To bring these wretched, worn, and weary men out of their misery is better than to let them die. Is not a man better than a horse? Can a husband and father be replaced at the price of a worn-out animal? Save the man! Brown's Iron Bitters will renew his blood, restore his strength, drive away his pains, and make a healthy man of him. Your druggist, who keeps Brown's Iron Bitters, will tell you of the work it has done in renewing poor invalids who were almost dead.

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