EXCITING SCENES IN DOVER.

Addicks Fails to Buy the Senatorship—Three Democrats Betray Their Party.

John Edward Addicks is not yet senator from Delaware. Most of the vast throng of politicans who were in Dover Monday say there was a miscarriage of the plans of the Union Republicans. Three Democrats put the blush of shame upon their cheeks by voting for Mr. Addicks, and betraying their constituents. But the number was not enough—Addicks and his lieutenants were five short. The politicans say "the goods were not delivered." Three Democrats who brought down upon themselves a torrent of sulphurous adjectives and the fiercest sort of denunciations were:

SENATOR E. H. FARLOW.
REPRESENTATIVE WILLIAM F. KING.
REPRESENTATIVE J. B. Clark.

When the speaker announced the session adjourned a mighty shout went up from the spectators, and there were groans and jeers for Farlow, Clark and King.

Speaker Salmon, Mr. Rose, and several Democratic leaders marched from the room singing—

"He's my baby, so, so, so,
"We do love him, no, no, no,"

and jeering at the Union Republicans.

After the adjournment angry Democrats crowded around Farlow, Clark and King and bitterly denounced them, fists were shaken in their faces and all sorts of epithets were hurled at them.

Clark mysteriously disappeared. Farlow and King both seemed to realize their positions and looked sheepish and wore hang-dog expressions.

The angry Democrats would tolerate no excuse. Farlow and King went to the Senate chamber and a small boy promptly began to shout: "five cents to see the traitors on exhibition."

"Lynch them, rotten egg them," "traitors," assailed the ears of Farlow and King as they left the State House. Neither did they seem to get much comfort from the Union Republicans. Detective McVey told the men to remain in the State House awhile for fear of violence. The faces of King and Farlow turned ghastly pale at this advice. A crowd of Laurel men had the two members cornered in part of the State House and denounced them.

King and Farlow are both from the town of Laurel. Clark hails from Hartly, in West Dover hundred, along the Delaware and Chesapeak roilroad.

Clark, the Kent county traitor, is well-known in Smyrna, and in the near future some interesting facts may be brought to light in reference to certain "early morning visits" paid Clark while he was stopping in this town last week. This man, who is branded forever, left the train at Cheswold. He was evidently afraid to go to his home at Hartly and well he may be for he will meet with a warm reception when he does arrive in that town. At Clayton the platform was crowded with men waiting to see Clark and angry mutterings were heard, one man threatening to thrash the traitorous representative as soon as he stepped from the platform of the car. On the train Clark tried to brazen it out and said, "Yes I voted for Addicks; what of it?" but this man would give anthing to-day if he could live yesterday over again. The Democrats don't want them, the Republicans will never trust them. What a price Farlow, King and Clark have paid for deserting their party, even with the Democratic Judases in their camp the Addicksites could not elect the man who has caused so much dishonor in the State. A certain element of the Union Republicans in Smyrna is trying to make it appear that they uphold these men in betraying their party, but at heart they regard them as all honest citizens should—"Benedict Arnolds," miserable cringing creatures who are a disgrace to Delaware.

Prior to their departure from Dover for their homes in Laurel, Farlow and King received a telegram stating it would not be safe to come home, but they decided to risk it. Reaching Laurel they went to their homes by the back streets. A pathetic feature of their home-coming was that Farlow's daughter met him. His children are hooted at on the streets, and the entire family will be ostracized by the community.

The above was taken from the Smyrna Call. Reports say: "The amounts they are alleged to have received for their votes, if any money was paid, have been estimated at $4,000 apiece and $7,000 more if Addicks was elected.

Clark, who was the station agent here, has been discharged by Superintendent Holliday. He claims to have been offered a lucrative position in New York.

A dispatch from Hartley, Del., says: Throughout the day the intense excitement has prevailed here, as Representative J. B. Clark, the Democrat who cast vote for J. E. Addicks in the joint session of the Delaware Legislature Monday was expected home.

A mob that has threatened to kill him as soon as he reached Hartley has been loafing around the railroad station all day.

Senator Farlow and Representative King, Democrats, who also voted for Addicks with Representative Clark, left for their homes in Laurel, Del., and it was only the cooler judgment of the older citizens that saved these men from being tarred and feathered. Clark was afraid to go to Hartley and spent last night at Cheswold, Del., nine miles from his home.

PENINSULA CANAL.

Will Have to Slumber Until Congress Meets Again.

"The promoters of the Peninsula canal scheme haven't given up by any means" said Councilman Simering, who is taking a great deal of interest in the proposed gash across the "Eastern Shore" to connect the Chesapeake bay with the salty Atlantic.

"The matter came up too late in the year for congress," he continued, "but we will make an effort next December to have money appropriated for the Sassafras river route. It would be the greatest advantage to Baltimore, particularly in coal shipments, as vessels could cut straight through bound for European ports We could send coal and other products across cheaper because vessels would not have to pay pilotage from the capes to Baltimore and back."

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Men's Shoes and Boots.....$1.00 to $5.00
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Some Shoes require a lot of talk to sell them, but we have in our $2.00, $3.00 and $3.50 line of Men's Shoes that after you have seen them does not require much talking, because they speak for themselves. We have them in Box-Calf, Willow-Calf, Russets, and Patent Leather, for a strictly dress shoe, on the new English Toe, Golf cut with back stay, Double Sole, right up to date. Inspect this line and satisfy yourself.

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A fine line to select from.
See what $1.00 buys.
See what $1.50 buys.
See what $2.00 buys.
See what $3.00 buys.
See what $3.50 buys.

No Trouble To Show Goods.

We believe in so treating customers that they will not only feel grateful to us but will send others to us about the shoe question.

If they come again, that's clear gain; if they bring others, that helps swell the average. In any event, it now begins to look as if people knew where the Shoe Store is. A large lot of Shoe findings, such as Slipper sole, Over-gaiters, Shoe Laces, Cork Soles, Brushes and all the different kinds of polish.

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STOCKS, BONDS, REAL ESTATE and CASH -	$64,608 08
PREMIUM NOTES - - -	188,176 00
TOTAL - - - - -	$252,784 08

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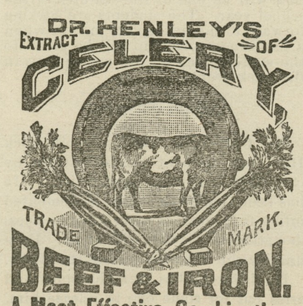

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EFFECT FELT ALL OVER THE COUNTY

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To stranger, and patron, and dear farmer friend,
I publish this ad. as a means to an end;
For forty-four (44) years I've been located here,
And have always tried to deal strictly square.

In quiet retrospection I look back with pride,
How I've kept abreast of the times at each giant stride;
So in the year of our Lord eighteen ninety-nine,
You will find me "right in it" with up-to-date line.

I have twine made of manila, from about Manila Bay,
Where Dewey spanked the Spaniards so soundly last May;
Then there's the famous "Ideal" Binder, strong, neat and fine,
Which is made by "Billy" Deering, who manufactures the twine.

Deering Mowers and Rakes with which you can save hay,
I have sold nineteen years, for they come here to stay;
I sell the Birdsall Engines, both traction and plain,
Also their Threshers that save all the grain.

They build Feeders, and Weighers, and Blowers, to blow,
The straw to the stack, like a blizzard blows snow;
Now if they interest you just write for a cat,
Which describes them in detail, and makes everything pat.

If you're looking for something with which to plant corn,
That the Deere Planter is the best in your mind should be born;
That we keep them here, too, please bear in mind,
And Grass Seeders also, the best you can find.

I have Plow Castings, and Plows of all makes and sizes,
And among them, my friend, you will find many prizes;
For the Plows made like Oliver's, the Roland, and Ohio,
In this section are leaders, and an excellent trio.

In South Bend, Indiana, the "Perfection" is made,
We sell it, and there's no better on earth, it is said;
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We have Harrows with peg teeth, and Harrows with spring,
All made of steel which is proved by the ring;
Hames for plow harness, and all sizes of trees,
Which are made in our shops and are warranted to please.

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And we have a Horse Shoer, the best in the State;
So if you've had trouble just bring us your steed,
We'll shoe him for you, and all work's guaranteed.

Now you can buy any of our goods on time or for cash,
At prices so low other dealers say we're rash;
But that's all right, I've been here a long while,
And have always done business in my own way and style.

So if I sell cheaper than my competitors do,
It's none of their business, it's between me and you;
I have seen others come, and I have seen others go,
But "Hyland's" hung on and has hoed his own row!

And if you'll continue my patron and friend,
They'll all find Hyland right here to the end;
For I fear not the Spaniard nor bold Filipeno,
Neither can rout Hyland from his strong-hold, Galena.

Then come see our goods before elsewhere you buy,
For we're knocking the lowest of prices "sky high."

My Friends: By the above little piece of pleasantry, which consists of some sense and a good deal of nonsense, I have endeavored to relate in rhyme our leaders for 1899, which I wish to present for your consideration, and while I do not wish to pose as a poet, for I know nothing of rhyme, measure nor any of the rudimentary requirements of a poet, yet if I succeed in attracting your attention and impressing upon you the fact that I am still here with an up-to-date line, my object will have been accomplished.

For in all seriousness I believe I have the best line of Implements that is represented on the shore, and guarantee my prices to compare favorably with any for I have bought right and can sell right. Watch this column and in a short time this ad will be changed and will contain a few facts relative to the history of invention and development of one of the leading farm implements, which I hope will interest you. I thank you all kindly for past patronage and ask that you continue with, and influence your friends to give me a trial also.

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COMPANY OF NEW YORK
RICHARD A. McCURDY PRESIDENT
STATEMENT
For the year ending Decembr 31 1898
According to the Standard of the Insurance Department of the State of New York

INCOME

Received for Premiums - -	$42,318,748 51
From all other Sources - -	12,687,880 92
	$55,006,629 43

DISBURSEMENTS

To Policy-holders for Claims by Death - - - -	$13,265,908 00
To Policy-holders for Endowments, Dividends, etc. - -	11,485,751 35
For all other accounts - -	10,493,379 53
	$35,245,038 88

ASSETS

United States Bonds and other Securities - - -	$160,956,141 33
First Lien Loans on Bond and Mortgage - - - -	68,503,580 90
Loans on Bonds and other Securities - - - - -	9,396,619 00
Real Estate appraised by Insurance Superintendents at $23,534,826.88: Book Value	20,604,649 61
Cash in Banks and Trust Companies - - - - -	11,621,377 36
Accrued interest, Net Deferred Premiums, etc. - - -	6,434,957 16
	$277,517,325 36

LIABILITIES

Policy Reserves, etc. - -	$233,068,640 68
Contingent Guarantee Fund -	42,238,684 68
Divisible Surplus - - -	2,220,000 00
	$277,517,325 36
Insurance and Annuities in force - - - - -	$971,711,997 79

I have carefully examined the foregoing Statement and find the same to be correct; liabilities calculated by the Insurance Department.
CHARLES A. PRELLER Auditor

From the Divisible Surplus a dividend will be apportioned as usual.

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