

Cambria Freeman.

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FRIDAY, OCTOBER 28, 1892.

Democratic National Ticket.

For President, GROVER CLEVELAND, New York.
For Vice-President, ADLAI STEVENSON, Illinois.

Democratic State Ticket.

For Congressman at Large, GEORGE A. ALLEN, Erie.
THOMAS P. MERRITT, Berks.
For Supreme Judge, CRISTOPHER HEYDRICK, Venango.

For Electors at Large.

MORTIMER F. ELLIOTT, Tioga.
J. NO. C. BULLITT, Philadelphia.
THOMAS R. KENNEDY, Franklin.
DAVID WILSON, Allegheny.

For District Electors.

For District of Columbia, Charles H. Laidley, R. F. D., York.
For District of Columbia, John O. James, York.
For District of Columbia, W. F. Hauser, York.
For District of Columbia, Anna Lottrop, York.
For District of Columbia, P. H. Strimlinger, York.
For District of Columbia, Joseph D. Ivey, York.
For District of Columbia, Andrew A. Payton, York.
For District of Columbia, J. K. Hill, York.

Democratic County Ticket.

For Congress, L. D. WOODRUFF.
For Senate, GEORGE W. RHINE.
For Assembly, S. W. ALLEN.
For Probationary, JAMES J. THOMAS.
For Prisoners, J. C. DARRBY.
For Register and Recorder, D. A. MCGOUGH.
For District Attorney, F. J. COONNOIL.
For Postoffice Director, RAPHAEL RITE.
For Surveyor, H. SCANLAN.
For Coroner, DR. GEORGE MARTIN.

VOTE the straight Democratic ticket. It is easily done and you cannot make any error.

If you were a candidate on the Democratic ticket neither Stinson, Darr, or Murphy would vote for you. They are not built that way. They will give you plenty of taffy, while they are candidates, but never a vote.

It was announced at Minneapolis on Friday night that John P. Roy, ex-Chief of Police of the Grand Army of the Republic, would vote the Democratic ticket at the next election on November 8. It is said that Judge Roy's conversion from Republicanism was primarily brought about by Mr. Cleveland's pension vetoes. Speaking of the matter Judge Roy said that after an exhaustive examination into the matter he failed to find a single veto that was not based upon principles of right and justice. He also says that the Republican party is wrong in its tariff theories.

Every Democrat in the state of Pennsylvania makes up his mind that if he shall live until the 8th day of November, he will go to the polls and vote. Not again for four years will he have an opportunity to strike blow for the principles which are the only safeguard of Republican institutions. Remember, that the Republican organization is weakened in every stronghold. In the county of Allegheny, it is probably defeated. Every Democratic vote is going to count this year. We are not fighting a hopeless fight. Tens of thousands of Republicans are with us. If the full Democratic vote is brought out, we may carry the Keystone state for the cause of honest government.

JUDGE BARKER'S election, says the *Hastings Tribune*, may have been a disappointment to many people in this county, yet the majority of them believed that he would fill the office with dignity and credit. Are they to be disappointed? If not, it is high time for Judge Barker to turn his back upon a good many of the politicians who beset him for his influence and his counsel. If he would wear without stain the mantle which fell upon his shoulders in spotless purity, he must not drag it in the political mire. Besides, the integrity which does not find an unimpaired corner in street corners and back room political councils is in danger of an early death. Judge Barker is openly accused of electioneering practices. We do not know him to be guilty, but we think he should be above suspicion for the sake of the high trust which has been committed to his keeping. He will not be so if these things continue.

Being plentifully supplied with cash, the managers of the Republican campaign in New York state, says the *Philadelphia Record*, have begun earlier than usual the systematic debauchery of the suffrage by which that party occasionally carries the state in important elections. Hereafter, on these rare occasions, they have been aided by Democratic defection, but this favorable condition does not exist now. There must be a profuse expenditure not only to bring out Republican votes, but also to keep out Democratic ballots. Hence the adoption by State Chairman Hackett of the simple plan, just exposed, of sending money into the various counties to bribe Democrats not to register. No registry, no vote; and this trick has been worked before with considerable success. It is part of a desperate game, in which the real parties interested are the mass of the people on one hand and the protect and manufacture on the other.

For the first time in the history of the country the result of a national election is avowedly dependent on the ability of the minority to purchase votes enough to win. How far the resentment of intelligent citizens against this cold-blooded commercial system of electioneering will go cannot be foretold, but we greatly mistake the temper and spirit of the American people if the vote-buyers do not receive this year a memorable lesson and chastisement.

The *Mountaineer* is out in a long article in this issue on the subject of the county commissioners for not advertising a letting for the printing of the election tickets in this county. It is a brilliant conception of the youthful gall.

Two weeks ago the size of the ballot was uncertain, and every responsible printer in Pennsylvania who had put in bids on election tickets withdrew his bid. In Allegheny county where the young man has evidently heard something about a letting having been made—the printers of Pittsburgh went together and agreed to let one man do the bidding—practically no letting at all—and then did the work. Had the attorney general decided, as it was for a time feared, that the ballot would be fifty-two inches long, three-fourths of the counties in Pennsylvania would have had no election tickets. It would have been an impossibility to print the tickets, for the reason that there were not printing presses enough in the state of size large enough to have printed them.

The commissioners of this county, anxious to perform their duty in providing election tickets, talked with the proprietor of the *FREEMAN* about the matter, and it was concluded that, in the uncertainty attending the construction of the Baker ballot and the uncertainty of its size, the proprietor of the *FREEMAN* should, as soon as the size of the ballot would be known, at once make arrangements to secure the paper necessary for printing them.

This we did, and have undertaken to print one-half of the ballots. Unless something unforeseen occurs, we expect to have them done in time. Why the commissioners did not consult the *Mountaineer* we do not know. It may have been because they knew his charges would be extortionate if not a chance. They had some experience, for in publishing the trial assessment last year the *Cherrytown News* and the *Johnstown Herald* each charged the county \$25, while the *Mountaineer* charged them both and sweetened the pot two dollars, charging \$72 for the same work.

But we are spinning this article out longer than we intended and must cut it off. The game is not worth the powder. The readers of the *Mountaineer* will, however, be benefited this week as in its article it quotes liberally from the *FREEMAN* of several years ago, and although the matter is a little old, its readers will have some good reading matter for once. It may, however, be like "casting pearls before swine," and not appreciated.

But where else we wish to quote the *Mountaineer* in what it says in drawing a parallel between Allegheny and Cambria counties in printing the ballots. The editor of the *Mountaineer*, who had prepared a bid for the work in this county, and who is therefore familiar with the work, and who figures that the work in the county at the same rate would cost \$41,500, or \$11,500 more than Allegheny county will pay for it, ought to enlighten us.

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Of course the protect manufacturer is for a Protection system out of which he can get the wages of his employees and have a handsome bonus besides. Steel rail makers are protected \$124 per ton, and they pay \$11.50 in wages. Sugar refiners are protected \$11.20, and they pay \$3.04 in wages. Iron workers are protected \$6.72, and pay in wages \$3.35 per ton. It is easy to understand why a protect manufacturer should be for the McKinley bill. But why in the name of common sense should the mechanic, the laborer, or the miner, the stocker, the car driver, the professional man, or any of the great unprotected class want to keep up this great scheme of fraudulent taxation? They don't want to do so. And they will say so at the polls in November.

A DEMOCRAT remarked the other day that in a conversation had with J. C. Stinson, one of the Republican candidates for assembly, he was led to believe that Mr. Stinson hardly knew which party he belonged to—he liked them both—he voted for men. It takes no lasses to catch flies.

The easiest and safest way for every Democrat to vote is to vote the straight Democratic ticket. If you try cutting it may result in your whole vote being thrown out on account of some mistake.

Washington Letter.

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The large registrations in all states, especially in the cities where personal registration is a requisite of voting, indicate the alleged apathy in this campaign is only skin deep, and is simply indifference, more demonstration. The people understand the issues and have made up their minds. Still in New York city the acts of Democrats who assembled on Tuesday night did not indicate either indifference or apathy in the metropolis. In the state the apathy is confined to the rural districts, and according to the *Herald's* non-partisan census of the situation by correspondence, especially detailed, the Republican farmers are in an amiable frame of mind toward their party because of McKinleyism. In summing up the results of its correspondence from the rural counties of the state, the *Herald* says editorially:

"The localities visited have been chiefly rural districts, where the Republican party has long been and has hitherto received plenary support to make up the majority which they bring down to the Harbinger river. The general tenor of our correspondence, however, has been unfavorable to the Democrats. They indicate more than apathy. They show disaffection and dissatisfaction among farmers who have always voted the Republican ticket and who now complain of the effects of the McKinley law."

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