Henry A. Parsons, Jr.,

THURSDAY, SEPT. 20, 1877 REPUBLICAN STATE TICKET.

FOR SUPREME JUDGS JAMES P. STERRETT, of Allegheny County.

FOR TREASURER WILLIAM B. HART, of Montgomery County.

FOR AUDITOR GENERAL JOHN A. M. PASSMORE. of Luzerne County.

REPUBLICAN COUNTY TICKET.

FOR SHERIFF D. C. OYSTER, of Ridgway.

OUR NOMINEES.

JUDGE JAMES P. STERRETT. Hon. James P. Sterrett, the Rupublican nominee for Judge of the Supreme Court, is a gentleman whose eminent qualities both in private life and as a public character are well known and universally acknowledged. Most of his professional life has been spent in Allegheny county, where he bas built up an unassailable reputation for those high qualities as a gentleman and jurist which fit him in an eminent degree for the elevated position which he now occupies and to which he was renominated yesterday. He is about fifty years of age, having been born in a neighboring county of this State, but has been long engaged in practice at the bar of his county. He was associated with Hon. J. P. Penny for many years in legal practice. In 1862 he was first elected to the President Judgeship of the Court of Common Pleas of Allegheny may be passed to lessen the burdens of county, now the Common Pleas Court labor and increase its rewards; to enposition in 1872, and among the high his enviable reputation as a Judge is factures. the fact that the Democracy then declined to put a candidate into the field against him. When Judge Williams died, last spring, Judge Sterrett was appointed by the Governor to succeed to the vacancy thus created on the Supreme Bench, and he now receives the nomination without opposition. His high character and great legal abilities will insure his election by an overwheming majority.

CAPT. W. B. HART. Captain W. B. Hart was born in Montgomery county, Pennsylvania, on the 15th day of March, 1842, and was educated at common schools. At the age of fourteen he commenced to earn his own livellhood by his own seeking as a farm hand. Upon arriving at the age of seventeen Le was apprenticed to the bricklaying business for four years. Having served two 1798, and its restoration to the position and one-half years when the call for the three months' troops was made by eighty years of our national existence, the Government in 1851, he enlisted as a private in Co. "F," 51st Penn'a. thus preserving the equality of the commercial value of the silver dollar with the gold dollar, keeping both in Vols. for three years; served with circulation. great gallantry in the east and southwest, participating in all the battles in which his command was engaged. His good qualities and soldierly bearing attracted the attention of General Hartranft, who recommended him in a highly flattering manner to Hon. E. M. Stanton, Secretary of War, for appointment as an Assistant Adjutant General of Vols., with the rank of captain; upon this recommendation and after passing a credit ble examination, he was immediately appointed and served with General Hartranft's permanent command until the and against lawlessness and anaachy, close of the war, being mustered out with all their attendant horrors and of service as a volunteer officer under War Department orders, dated September 19, 1865. In February, 1867, Captain Hart received an appointment to a clerkship in the Treasury Department, was promoted to the responsible position of Cashier in 1871, succeeding the Hon. Thos. Nicholson, whose confidence and friendship Captain Hart enjoyed to the end of his tain Hart enjoyed to the end of his predecessor's life. The following extract from a private letter, written in the rights of either, and we assert it as October 1871, by Mr. Nicholson, (after Captain Hart had accepted the clerkship) will serve to illustrate the confidence enjoyed by representative men even at that time: "With his pleasing manner, great qualifications, strict integrity he ought to succeed, he must succeed." He is thoroughly acquainted with and qualified for the position, and in his official intercourse has merely confirmed a previously established reputation for courtesy and integrity not surpassed. HON, J. A. M. PASSMORE,

John Andrew Morrow Passmore, the nominee for Auditor General, was born in Chester, Pa., in 1836, and is therefore 42 years of age. He was educated at the State Normal School at Millerstown, being a member of the first class that graduated from that institution. He was admitted to practice at the bar in 1866, and commenced his legal career at Pottsville. In 1860 he was appointed General Agent for Pennsylvania of the Metropolitan Life Insurance Company of New York, to the duties of which position he has since given his principal attention, although still retaining his He is well known as a man eminently ticket. In the canvass for the nominations. He is a fluent talker and possesses a wonderful fund of energy and

Fred Colgrove of Breesport, N. Y. com-mitted suicide last week Monday, by hang-ing. He had been married about nine

Text of the Platform.

-DECLARATIONS ON VITAL TOPICS.

ENDORSEMENT OF THE NATIONAL AND THE STATE ADMINISTRATIONS

On the whole, the platform is considered the best adopted by the Republicans of Pennsylvania in years, and to Messrs. O'Donnell, Elliott, Leeds, McManus, Smythe, Knight, and Davis, of Philadelphia, together with Brown, of Alleghany, and John Cessna, is the credit due for its construction and final passage in the com-mittee Appended is the full text of the paper: The Representatives of the Republican

Party of Pennsylvania, in State Convention assembled, do resolve: Convention assembled, do resolve:

First White we recognize and respect the differences of opinion existing among us as to the course pursued by President Hayestowards the South, we are in hearty accord in honoring the patriotic motives which have guided him, and in hoping that the results of this policy will be peace, good will, and the complete recognition of the equal rights of all men in every section of the country, and to every section of the country, and to the efforts of his Administration to carry into effect the principles of the platform upon which he was elected

we pledge our hearty and cordial sup-Second. The Electoral Commission having been created at the urgent solicitation of the Democratic party, and after the oft-repeated declarations of its leaders in both houses of Congress that no faction could cavil at its decisions, we witness with profound astonishment the assaults of that party upon the august tribunal of its own creation because its decisions disappointed their expectations of official patronage; which assaults, so far as they seek to impair the confidence of the people in the just title of the President to his high office, are equally childish and foolish, but may become extremely mischievous in assisting to

diminish the popular respect for the decisions of lawful tribunals.

Third, We respectfully but earnestly entreat all members of the National and State Legislature to assist the return of prosperity to this great country by adopting such measures to that end as are in their power; to devote less attention to partisan strife, and more attention to the business interests of the country, in order that wise and proper laws No. 1. He was re-elected to the same | courage, and restore to activity legitimate industrial enterprises, and to enable the country to find a foreign martestimonials which have been given to ket for its surplus products and manu-

Fourth. That the Republican party in passing the homestead law inagu-rated and is firmly committed to the policy that the public lands be-long to the people, and should be sacredly reserved to actual settlers free of cost to whoever will occupy them in good faith, and that all laws permitting the acquisition of more than one hundred and sixty acres of such public land by any one person should be repealed.

Fifth. That we are opposed to the policy heretofore prevailing of renew-

lag patents by act of Congress, and we favor such a revision of the patent laws as will hereafter prevent the renewal of any patent.
Sixth. That the long and successful

existence, under the laws of Congress, of the double-coin standard warrants of the double-coin standard warrants us in demanding an early repeal of the legislation which demonstized silver and established an almost ex-clusive gold standard, and we there-

Seventh. That the administration of Governor Hartranft calls for our warmest approbation. He has established a State policy which has justly endeared him to the people of this Commonwealth, and has amply justifled the confidence placed in him. The steady reduction of the State debt during his administration and the successful refunding of a large portion of the debt at a lower rate of interest are the best possible evidences that the State has been well and ecnomically maintained, and that the people have everything to hope from a continuance of the Republican party in

power. Eighth, We are in favor of law, crimes. Equal rights in making laws impose equal duties in obeying them when made, and we tender our hearty thanks to Governor Hartranft and the officers and soldiers of his command for the prompt, and we hope the effec-tual, suppression of the lawless distur-bances which recently occurred in

this State.

Ninth. That we hold in equal respect the right of capital to control its investments, and of labor to determine the duty of all citizens to hold their respective rights within the just limitations of the law, and that any at-tempt to coerce either by unfawful means should be properly repressed by such lawful authority as the exigency demands. Tenth., That the Democratic party

of Pennsylvania is afraid to express a decided opinion on any question of present political importance, except its open declaration in favor of free trade, and that it still cherishes the delusion that expressions of political opinions ought either to mean anything or nothing, as may best tend to secure the restoration of that party to the control of the offices and the treasury of the Commonwealth. We are confident that the intelligent citizens of this great State will continue to entrust the conduct of its affairs to the party which has been zealous in the maintenance of its credit, vigilant in defence of its honor, prompt in the enforcement of its laws, and whose past administration of its government has been honest and competent, and fearlessly faithful to the best interests of all then of whatever class, race, or

condition within her border. Eleventh. That we renew our oftstanding at the bar of Luzerne county. repeated declarations in favor of adequate protection to American incalculated to add strength to the dustry, and now that manufacturers are languishing and workingmen are tion he has shown what he is able to out of employment, the common in- n17y1. accomplish by his own untiring exerterest demands a still closer adherence to the protective policy which the Republicans of Pennsylvania have alpluck as a worker. He will make an ways sustained. The country has able and active State officer. never yet prospered under free trade, as it never can or will, and, as all tariffs are levied primarily for

ment which is not just enough to its people to arrange its revenue imports so as to encourage and build up the White. growth of home manufacture.

Twelfth. That we favor such legis lation in State affairs as will first substitute adequate salaries for fees; second, secure our municipalities from the dangers that attend the existing facilities for contracting debt, and third, provide adequate guards against a recurrence of the frequent and large losses to which the people who do business with banks and banking institutions have heretofore been subject.

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