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#### REPUBLICAN COUNTY TICKET.

For Congress: JOSEPH A. SCRANTON. For Law Judge: ROBERT W. ARCHBALD. For Sheriff: PRANK H. CLEMONS. For County Treasurer: THOMAS D. DAVIES. For Clerk of the Courts: JOHN H. THOMAS. For Prothonolory: CLARENCE E, PRYOR. For District Attorney: JOHN R. JONES. For Recorder: CHARLES HEUSTER. For Register of Wills: WILLIAM S. HOPKINS. For Jury Commissioner; T. J. MATTHEWS. Election Time, Nov. 6.

IT IS NOT thought that the drouth will interfere with the voyage of the Democracy up Salt river this fall.

The Campaign Opened. It is pleasing to note the lofty tone which characterizes the opening address of the Republican candidate for governor of Pennsylvania. General Hastings' speech at Harrisburg on responsible official position, this vari-Wednesday evening was dignified and able accuser now, to all appearances, strong. It paid honest tribute to the personal worth of General Hastings' antagonist and was an effective guarantee that the partisan campaign which it formally initiated would be conducted along lines of principle and duty and not thrust down to the level honest man's reputation. We doubt if of factional slander or wanton personal Mr. Donnelly could carry his own abuse. The speaker was fortunate ward on such a measly issue.

dom with which these two worthy officials utilize Uncle Sam's property for the gratification of personal pleasure certainly cannot be classed as Jeffersonian simplicity.

Still, if Mr. Cleveland had done nothing worse than sail about as a dead-head in government ships, the country could look upon the Democratic administration with a degree of serenity.

SAYS THE Wilkes-Barre Record: What was considered the 'misfortune' of 1892 has been converted by the action of a Democratic congress and a Democratic president into a stroke of good luck of which Republicans all over the union will not fail to take advantage." Good luck, possibly, from the standpoint of party strategists; but rather too costly to be called "good" in any other sense. That particular piece of luck cost not less than \$4,000,-000,000 in actual cash. Is Democratic rule really worth such a price?

Baby Play.

Several days ago a member of the Pittston council, M. N. Donnelly, appeared before the Pittston school board and preferred verbal charges calculated, if proved, to impair the character and usefulness of the principal of the Pittston schools, Professor Robert Shiel. The committee of the school board to whom an investigation of these accusations was entrusted wisely decided that the accuser should put his charges in writing and, if possible, prove them by the sworn testimony of impartial witnesses. The writtencharges were filed, but repeated attempts to get the author of them to present trustworty and open evidence were frustrated by his own apparent unwillingness to stand up to the rack. We understand that the committee of investigation will tonight report to the school board of Pittston borough that inasmuch as the charges in question have not been substantiated by their author in a fair and liberal manner; inasmuch, in fact, as that author has even prevented the accused from having an open enemy to confront the charges will be dropped. It will scarcely need such a report to insure for Professor Shiel the sympathy of every fair-minded person familiar with these facts. But we must call the attention of our Pittston readers to the injustice of the whole episode, as thus brought to a grotesque anti-climax. From having with eagerness sought to arraign and humiliate the principal of the schools of the

municipality in which he occupies a runs away from the field of battle which he himself had chosen, and leaves behind no substitute.

We doubt that the respectable people of Pittston, are in sympathy with this kind of fast and loose playing with an

# POLITICAL NOTES.

For many weary weeks past the leaders of the Democratic party have been con-ferring together to decide on a slate that from their point of view would have a fighting chance of success in the coming struggle. Candidates of the right kind were not plentiful, and some difficulty was found in securing a slate that in the opin-ion of Leaders Robinson, Fahey, Fitzsim-mons and others would do to stake party success on. For a time these conferences were unproductive, as nothing definite could be decided upon with regard to the judgeship, shrievalty or the office of pro-thonotary. A meeting of the slate mak-ers was held yesterday, and at its con-clusion the following was announced as the up-to-date slate:

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he up-to-date slate: Congress-Professor George Howeli. Sheriff-James Balley. Treasurer-Charles Schadt. Clerk of the Courts-John Durkin. Prothonotary-John Leates. Register of Wills-Frank Deckert. District Attorney-John P. Kelly. Recorder of Decks-James J. Healey.

It will be noticed that in the above slate It will be noticed that in the above slate the judgship is not mentioned. P. P. Smith would naturally be the nominee of the party but as yet he has not definitely decided whether he will accept a position on the ticket, at least such is the state-ment made by some of the leaders. Just what phase of the situation is giving Mr. Smith such template mean more the lead Smith such trouble to pass upon the lead-ers profess not to know. It is their opinion however, that before the end of the week e will decide to accept the nominatio The office of jury commissioner is also left blank on the slate. There are a large num-ber of candidates and the party leaders have decided to let those who want the office fight it out without let or hindrance from them. . . .

It is among the probabilities that the slate mentioned abave may not pass through the convention unshattered, but at the present writing the leaders believe that it would be the part of wisdom to go before the people with such a ticket. It would mean the turning down of Henry T. Koehler, which is something to which that genial gentleman's many friends would most strenuously object. Mr. Would, most strenuously object. Mr. Koehler, they say, went into the fight three years ago when it was found well nigh impossible to get a candidate against Mr. Hopkins. He made a vigorous fight but the result was close, and to avoid a contest he agreed to divide the revenue of his office with Mr. Hopkins, These facts, they say, entitle him to a re-nomination without question or contest. Mr. Deckert is favored by many of the leaders because he is one of the most representative Po-landers in the county, and it is thought would benefit the ticket among voters of that nationality. ...

The slating of Professor George Howell for the office of congressman is another stragetic move on the part of the slate makers. Mr. Howell is a cultured and popular resident of the Weat Side and it is argued that his nomination would take many votes from the Republican caudidate in that part of the city. A well known Democrat yesterday claimed that Mr. Fellows' friends are 'incensed' and would 'gladiy turn to the support of such a man as George Howell." These are the reasons that dictated the placing of his name on the slate. Some difficulty was experienced in getting James Bailey to consent to be a candidate for sheriff, but he has at last

signified his willingness to oppose Mr. Clemons. Now that Hon. Martin Jordan has bolted from the People's party it will be interest-ing to know where he will turn up next. It is not probable that his late brethren in the ranks of the Democratic party will of-fer any great inducements to have him re-turn to his first love.

John Swilinsky, of Olyphant, who was named yesterday by the People's party for the office of register of wills, has the dis-tinction of being the first Polander named for a county office in Lackawanna. ...

According to the Philadelphia Inquirer, A. J. Colborn's speech in nomination of Major Warren Tuesday was "the gem of

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of its kind in the country, and a number of the other lodges are fine specimens of architecture which add greatly to the beauties of the campus. Besides its twenty-seren fratornities proper, Cornell has chapters of the honorary societies Sigma Xi, founded at Cornell in 1886, and Phi Beta Kappa, the oldest Greek letter society in the world. The University also has five class societies: Sphinx Head, and Quill and Dagger. Senior; Aleph Sa-mach, Junior; Theta Nu Epsilon, Sopho-more; Chancery, Senior Law.

### THE UBIQUITOUS MICROBE

Pittsburg Diepatch. It is beginning to appear to the judg-ment of the public at large that the task of discovering the bacteria of disease, in everything calculated to carry on human life so as to make it worth living, has reached the limits beyond which endur-ance ceases to be a virtue. Long ago money was declared to be the root of money was declared to be the root of all evil, but the ancient declaration is enlarged now by the discovery that it is the breeding place of all sorts of microbes. The street cars are are full of them, as well as the woods. At Rochester, N. Y. the bacteriologists have found that the common communion cup must be abolished, Kissing has been lately de-nounced by health anthorities as spread-ing bacteria. Medicated muzzles for man-kind are urged because when a tuterculous person sneezes he fills the air with the germs of consumption. One person who has carried the bacteria hunt nearly to its final conclusion has had all his teeth drawn because, despite careful brushing, he finds because, despite careful brushing, he finds that the teeth are breeding places for mi-crobes. The ultimate goal is found by a person who built a germ-proof house from which he never emerges, because he be-lieves that the rest of mankind, and even the circumambient atmosphere, are arse-nals loaded with venomous bacteria.

# WILL BE A LIVE FACTOR.

Philadelphia Press. Major Everett Warren, who has been elected president of the Republican Club league, has the ability and natural equip-ment to make a most efficient and useful head of the organization. His selection is a wise one, and the enthusiascic unanimity with which it was accomplished is a deserved tribute to one of the most ennest young Republicans in Pennsylvania. The league, which for two or three years has been but an indifferent affair, seems likely to take on a new life from yesterday's convention and to be a very decided factor in the active work of the campaign. The proceedings were characterized by this spirit in an admirable degree, and the new president will greatly disappoint all who know him if he does not so employ his of-ficial position and influence as to secure staut usefulness as an auxiliary party organization. There is plenty of work for all, and no doubt it will be done.

TRUE AMERICANISM.

General D. H. Hastings. The fathers guaranteed to us both civil and religious liberty, which, as the past so in the future, must ever run in parallel lines. The same power guaranteed to us a fee simple title in all American institu-tions. Therefore, the American market is our market; the American home is our home; the American free schools our schools; the American Sabbath is our Sab-bath; the American Sabbath is our Sabbath; the American fields and farms, mines and mills, factories and worshops are ours, to be defended and protected by the men and women of America.

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enough to recognize the not inconspicuous fact that the calling of names, while it may at times prove exciting, does not, among the majority of educated Americans, compensate for a lack of clean and reputable argument.

There was another incident of this opening day of Pennsylvania Republicanism not without wholesome exemplary value to the masses of the party. It occurred in the afternoon session of the league convention when Hon. Walter Lyon, the successful candidate for the recent nomination for lieutenant governor, proffered, as President Robinson was about to vacate the executive chair, a resolution cordially thanking the outgoing league chieftain and former antagonist, for his fidelity to and sacrifices in the league's cause. This spontaneous token of remembrance and esteem, coming from one who is magnanimous in the hour of victory, indicated the prevalence of a party spirit in which the Republicanism in our commonwealth will be simply invincible at the polls.

These signs and tokens, more than trade allies. any fixed facts of phrase and gesture, make notable and inspirational the opening rally of this gubernatorial campaign. They, more clearly than any other, evince the true temper of the people and reveal the thoroughness of the nation's recent tuition as to the worth of partisan fairness and common sense. The Republican party in Pennsylvania can win back every wanderer and recapture every fallen outpost if it shall continue in its present purpose of sinking personal jealousies, bitterness and disappointments in the large need of fearless principle; and shall subordinate its eagerness for office to the obvious dictates of decency and duty.

MINNEA POLIS Populists have nominated H. Seed as a candidate for the office of justice of the peace. It is safe to wager that Mr. H. Seed is a granger.

of a quid pro quo.

ITS OWN EXECUTIONER.

Wilkes-Barre Record.

A Dublous Compliment.

Harper's Basar.

#### Jeffersonian Simplicity.

The Williamsport Times finds fault with the propensity of President Cleveland to use government vessels as fishing junks whenever the fancy pleases him. The Times thinks the monization of the feuds and the tapaction of the president and Secretary ping of the hidden stores of local Dem-Herbert in appropriating government ships for pleasure boats is un-American and that it resembles the conduct ton will be older than it is and human of kings and emperors of the old world Bourbon touch. who rule by "divine right."

Come to think about it, the president would pose in a more favorable light paying his fare like an ordinary A party that is so lost to all sense of honor as to compel the President of the United States to publicly rebuke its senate for "perfidy and dishonor" has forfeited all its claims to the respect of the people. It has dug its own grave in one short year and is condemned to death by its own executive. person, instead of sponging boat rides from the government. It would be more in keeping with the Democratic howl in the interest of economy and retrenchment. As the situation is regarded from an inland point of view, it must take about as much fuel and steam to enable the president and secretary of the navy to enjoy a day's fishing on a government cutter as would be required to chase an enemy to cover in time of war, and the free-

Major Warren Tuesday was "the gem of the convention;" while the Press was impressed this wise: "A J. Colborn, jr., of Scranton, a son of the famous Represen-tative Colborn, of Somerset, himself an THUS FAR August has evinced a disposition to linger in the lap of September.

The Coming of Stranahan.

orator of no mean pretensions, arose, Mr. Colborn was in fine voice and thor-onghly saturated with original ideas. He flayed the Democracy in such an original way as to create the wildest cheering and One of the political rumors of the day has it that State Chairman Stranhe enlogized the Republican party and its leaders as has never been better done at a ahan contemplates speedily paying a visit to Lackawanna county in the hope of straightening out the Demo-between Thomas B, Reed and the Democratic majority in congress and said the outcome of it was not 'a Reed shaken by cratic factional tangles in this senatorial and congressional district. He is the wind, but a wind shaken by the Reed.' This clever sally created the wildest laughter and cheering. It was a decidedly credited with having strong hopes of making party gains in the anthracite happy effort and at once put Mr. Colborn in the front rank of the coming young region, but this is probably a libel men of this state." upon his well-known astuteness. Mr. Stranahan is not accustomed to ex-"Wanamaker for mayor," is one of the rumors in Philadelphia this week which served to enliven an otherwise dull period tract sunbeams out of cucumbers nor gather diamonds beneath rainbow without doing either of the avowed Re-publican condidates-such men as District arches. If he knows anything about Attorney Graham, Coroner Ashbridge, Senator Penrose and City Solicitor War-wick-material barm. Mr. Wanamaker the temper of the voters in this particular portion of the commonwealth has at some time or other been proposed for nearly every prominent vacancy that he undoubtedly realizes beyond danger of misapprehension that it is not in a mood to encourage Democratic gains world of which Philadelphia is the hub; but he generally manages to maintain his nor give the inspiration of its promise

anchorage to the business in which he made his fortune and which, by the bye, is to the destructive purposes of the free not injured by this steady free advertisement. What the amiable state chairman .... "The whole amount of it is," said a prominent Palladelphian at Harrisburg this week, "we don't know yet who will succeed Mayor Stewart. It is commonly supposed that Penrose is the lucky man, bet Sanator Quark is allowed to be available doubtless has in mind is the extraordinary backwardness of local Democrats to volunteer in the cause of perfidy and dishonor. This shyness, it but Senator Quay is alleged to be anxious to see the party choose an older and more methodical cand date, one who would apseems, has at last been somewhat overcome, judging from the "slate" formupeal strongly to the conservative old Qua-ker element in the city and strengthen the lated yesterday; but it nevertheless is lines of the next secatorial fight at the expiration of Don Cameron's term. Pen-rose, dashing, brilliant and generous to a sufficiently in evidence to cause perturbation among friends of the Democratic fault, is more particularly in touch with the younger classes. Until the tip is given, state machine. They want the sinews of war, and they want them badly. It the younger classes. Until the tip is given, though, we are all at sea on this matter, is distressing enough to fight for a and whatever the leaders may have agreed upon among themselves, they are keeping their own counsels for the present." principle and, metaphorically speaking, die, even when well paid for it: .... but it is woe unutterable to a practical The Wilkes Barre Record sees no reason why the Democrats of Lackawanna county

Democratic politician like our friend, why the behold at a share when a control at the should not be chased i to their gopher holes next November. Neither do we, And they'll get there if Republicans gopher 'em as they should. Stranahan, to have to fight for no principle whatever, with not even a vestige . .

The mother county, according to one of its journals, is a whole day behind time in congratulating Leckawanna for the honors it won at Harrisburg; but Wilkes-Barre, somehow, always was backward in questions of money and time. In any event, should Chairman Stranahan decide to come this way, he will be made welcome. There is an abundance of work for his pacificatory energies and a large scope for the plying of the seductive assessment; but

### THE PASSING OF BCB COOK.

when he shall have achieved the har-The "Bob Cook" stroke has received a set-back as "the scientific stroke." The sporting editor of Harper's Weekly states that the Yale crew this year considerably imadified the Cook stroke, making it very inclusion to the Courtney 'stroke, with The "Bob Cook" stroke has received a ocratic wealth in sufficient degree to make his labor remunerative, Scranmodified the Cook stroke, making it very similar to the Courtney "stroke, with which Cornell has beaten every crew that dared to meet it for the past ten years. Moreover, the Pennsylvania crew, which has for three or four years been rowing the Cook stroke under the tutelage of the Values Contain Woodman has desided to nature softer in its responses to the Yalo ex-Captain Woodruff, has decided to abandon the "Cook" stroke. Penusylvania had a magnificent crew this year, and its failure to win against Cornell is laid to the Cook stroke.

COLLEGE FRATERNITIES. Cornell has chapters in twenty-seven Greek letter societies. The fact that this is the largest number of fratervities in an American college is chiefly due to the absence of dormitories, which in rival in-stitutions furnish a basis for social life by bringing the students together. At Cor-nell most of the Greek letter societies have their lodge or chapter house, either owned or rented. One of the newest lodges, built at an expense of \$50,004, is believed to be the most elegant structure Landlady—"I believe in letting coffee boil for thirty minutes; that's the only way to get the good out of it." New boarder (tasting his and leaving it) —"You succeeded admirably, ma'am."

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