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REPUBLICAN STATE TICKET.

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Election Time, Nov. 6. REPUBLICAN COUNTY TICKET.

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

REPUBLICAN LEGISLATIVE TICKET.

For Senator, Twentisth District: JAMES C. VAUGHAN, of Scranton.

For Representatives: First district, JOHN R. FARR, of Scranton. Second district, ALEX. T. CONNELL, of Scranton. Third district, FRANK J. GROVER, of Moo-Fourth district, CHARLES P. O'MALLEY, of Olyphant. Election Time, Nov. 6.

"Our protectionists have been building defenses to keep you and other nations from competing with us in our home markets. The tariff reformers are breaking down these defenses."-William L. Wilson, author of the Wilson tariff bill, to the London chamber of commerce.

Abuse Is of No Avail.

It is a curious fact that in all the paid sketches of Mr. Merrifield's career which are appearing, from time to time, in the county press, no mention is made of his protection proclivities, The omission is the more noteworthy since it was these proclivities which Mr. Merrifield, when nominated, was at first most anxious to proclaim. He then said, with emphasis, that he was a protectionist of the Sam Randall type and would, if elected, remain one 'until the last dog was hung," or words to that effect.

The question which now naturally arises is whether Mr. Merrifield has undergone a change of convictions. Has he become frightened at Candidate Singerly's denunciation of the protection Democrat as a "fraud"; has he become acquainted with the platform of his party and realized the absurdity of trying to be a protectionist upon that platform, or has he been taken into tow by the Democratic slate makers and disciplined? One of these three things must have happened, else Mr. Merrifield would not go to so much trouble to cancel his opinions on the uppermost political question of the day.

The Democratic local organ, in delving back into ancient history for the purpose of abusing Candidate Scranton, can scarcely be so blind as to believe that that sort of thing will benefit Candidate Merrifield. The fact that Representative Scranton's candidacy represents a distinct and overshadowing principle-the principle of protection to our industries, work for our mines and mills and factories, and good wages for labormakes it of minor importance today what may have been said of Mr. Scranton as an individual in the past.

Personalities are dwarfed before the exigencies of Democratic hostility to American industry. The man who can be relied upon to vote and work for protection, day after day, is the man to be chosen at this juncture. The district will not be deceived into jeapording its own interests by the election of a candidate for congress whose convictions upon the tariff But if he did mean it in the sense of a question, if he really has any, can be at any moment bottled up to suit the already the greatest free trade nation convenience of his campaign mana- in the world, inside our shore lines. gers and party captains.

IF "PROTECTION is in its last ditch," as Candidate Singerly so enthusiastically declares, then there must be a surprising amount of vitality in that particular location-more, indeed, than the metaphor usually implies.

Want to Change the Subject.

There is something almost pathetic in the intense eargerness of the Democratic party to overlook the tariff question and drift off into other channels job will be done by a party which of discussion. "In the elections for knows what tariff reform really is, and congress," pleads Mr. Singerly, "every which, in applying that knowledge,

sibility for the mischief that its antindustry activities have wrought. It would dearly love to change the subect. Every little organette joins in the chorus to Brother Singerly's anxious appeal and wants to know what the tariff has to do with the campaign in Pennsylvania. But their own enthusiastic willingness to forget the recent past cratic tariff tinkering, will have a word to say first, before they consent to take up any other theme.

IF THE AMTABLE editor of the Scranon Times would take the trouble to inform himself as to the exact cost of each shut-down of an industry like that of the Lackawanna Iron and Steel company's mills on the South Side, he would not be so quick to charge that these interruptions are the result of partisan spite work or campaign artifice. The charge is ridiculous on its face; but not more ridiculous than are the majority of so-called arguments introduced by Democratic special plead ers this year.

Political Jack Cades. The Wilkes - Barre News - Dealer sticks lovally to the income tax fraud, now that it is a part of Democracy's creed, just as it would have fought it justice. It is unreasonable to suppose with virulent energy during war times, had it been published then. The in- awanna county could wish to dispense come tax, in those days of emergency when there was some excuse for it, was denounced by the Democratic newspapers, orators and platforms as if it were an unpardonable sin. Now, when there is no emergency and no excuse, the Democratic party comes crawling up out of the financial pit into which its own incompetence had betrayed it, its own incompetence had betrayed it, carrying this discarded and outgrown Republican expedient as one of its cardinal principles and bestowing upon it all the fond attention that an anxious parent bestows upon a reanxious parent bestows upon a returned child.

What is the income tax? During the civil war it was a desperate way out of a desperate condition. In that emergency, when the country was straining every nerve to keep up a large of the condition of Candidate Hart, of Pike, The situation in Manage is a condition of Candidate Hart, of Pike, The situation in Manage is a condition. straining every nerve to keep up a gigantic war against disunion—when every playing card, every sheet of writing paper and everything else, almost, bore a war tax, endured by a patriotic people out of sympathy with the purpose for which it was levied the purpose for which it was leviedthe income tax was borne without a locked for by the Republicans. Pike murmur by Republicans. The only complaint then was from Democrats.

They could not say mean enough things about that "revolutionary and autocratic method of raising revenue."

Determine the same property full that will be able to poil his own party vote. Indeed, Judge Kirkpatrick's election is almost as certain as anything can well be in a district in which the other fellow has the nominal advantage. But now these same Democrats fall over themselves in eagerness to indorse
this method. Why? Because in their
gheny, says: "The Republicans will carry
Pennsylvania by more than 200,000 this over themselves in eagerness to indorse thrift they have run the government into a hole financially, and must resort the financially, and must resort the crowds that greet General Hastings

The supposition of the Democrats is that if they impose a special toll upon the brains and the wealth of the nation, making it pay a double share of port Republicans just to rebuice the adthe expenses of Democratic misgovernment-one-half in industries destroved by Democratic tariff tinkering and the remainder levied in the form can get enough money in hand to pay the federal debts, provide fat offices for themselves and their relatives and friends, and "make themselves solid" politically with anarchists, socialists, highwaymen and tramps.

Meanwhile, what of the intelligent element of society?

WE LEARN from the Miner's Tribune that the constituents of Edward Merrifield are "going to send him to the walls of congress." In a sense this is true. They are going to shove him to the wall.

Grant at Birmingham. The Philadelphia Record is greatly gratified at finding, in a speech delivered by General Grant in Birmingham, England, seventeen years ago this month, the following paragraph: Now, there is one subject that has been Now, there is one subject that has been alluded to here that I do not know that I should speak upon at all. I have heard it occasionally whispered since I have been in England, and that is the great advantage. tages that would accrue to the United States if free trade should ever be established. I have a sort of recollection, through reading that England herself had a protective tariff until she had manufacories somewhat established. I think we tories somewhat established. I think we are rapidly progressing in the way of establishing manufactories ourselves, and I believe we shall become one of the greatest free trade nations on the face of the

contend with us at all in the markets of the world. General Grant, who never assumed to be a profound student of economic questions, probably meant this as a passing pleasantry and nothing else. serious prophecy, what of it? We are All Europe, rolled into one nation. couldn't match the commercial possibilities to be found, duty free, between Gotham and 'Frisco, and between Du-

earth; and when we both come to be free traders I think that probably the balance of the nations had better stand aside, and not

luth and New Orleans. The Democratic party has shown itecutes-were sound, the country couldn't trust it to carry them out. When the tariff is next revised, we have every reason to believe that the

of government in Pennsylvania and make a campaign for governor and other state officials upon questions of tariff which belong only to congress?"

The Democratic party would, no doubt, like to be relieved from respon-Democratic campaign capital. The Wilson bill has converted nearly all "rank free traders" who hold no office and are therefore at liberty to get acquainted with real facts.

" 'THOU SHALT not steal,' was the command from Mount Sinal, and echoing the solemn message, the Republican party, with Dutchess county in full willingness to forget the recent past gives their trick completely away, and David B. Hill," says the Syracuse the voters of this state, remembering Post. That is true. If Maynard was how they have been robbed of wages the tool, Hill was the master who diand profits under gratuitous Demo- rected the Dutchess steal. What the people of New York condemned by 100,000 majority one year ago they will not be likely to turn around and sanction next month.

THE BLUNT candor and solid integrity of Thomas D. Davies, Republican candidate for county treasurer, recommend him to voters who appreciate the value of plain and unassuming man-hood. Mr. Davies is above all deals and combinations; he will not betray his fellow candidates by listening to overtures from the Democrats, and he will be elected by a majority which will effectually set at rest the pre-election boasts of the enemy.

JUDGE ARCHBALD is admitedly one of the cleanest, ablest and most sagacious jurists in Pennsylvania. He is known to lawyers throughout the com monwealth as a progressive student of the law and a fearless administrator of that the intelligent citizenship of Lackwith his services merely because a Democratic friend of Governor Pattison would like to have that office.

POLITICAL NOTES.

Those who know the condition of affairs in the home of Congressman Mutchler, predict a majority for the Republican can-didate in that strong Democratic county. the Esser faction and the Klotz men, who now seem to be on top, is likely to prove fatal to the Democratic candidate. It is result, there will be a large falling off in

to extraordinary procedure to get it are simply enormous, the greatest I ever saw. He is received with the greatest en thusiasm everywhere, and everything he says is listened to with rapt attention. The people want to hear speeches this year. They sit hour after hour and drink in tariff talks. Democrats are going to sup petency displayed by them. It is a re-markable situation, and one that shows that the people are wide awake and tired of the Democracy and their tariff tinkering. As to the congressional situation, i of a "stand-and-deliver" impost—they is very favorable to us. The Democrats now have ten representatives, and they will do well to have five next time."

> Worthy Master Leonard Rhone of the state grange, says of Hastings: "All that Hastings has to fear is that the people who favor him will not go to the pells to vote. They may regard his election as such a certainty as to feel that a vote more or less will not matter. I think General Hastings will carry Centre county which is naturally Democratic by from 400 to 700, but the two members of the legislature will be Democratic. Looking over the state I find that the Populists are over the state I had that the repulses are making large claims, but I guess you can cut their claims in half and be about right." Mr. Rhone thinks that Sibley will win in the Eric district.

Congressman Hicks, of Altoona, who has been renominated in the Twentieth dis-trict—Bedford, Blair, Somerset and Cam-bria counties—has been making a canvass of those counties and thinks he will have a of those counties and thinks he will have a majority of about 10,000. Two years ago he was elected by 5,100 on a light vote. Two of the counties of the district are heavy manufacturing communities, and the workingmen, Mr. Hicks says, will vote the Republican ticket this year with practical transmitter. tical unanimity.

The endurance displayed by General Hastings during this campaign is something wonderful. Since Sept. 17 General Hastings has been in 100 towns and has spoken to probably 300,000 people. His speeches delivered from trains at small stations and at the evening meetings have conveying these a day. Despite the train averaged three a day. Despite the strain he has kept up wonderfully, and is ever ready to receive people.

"The SCRANTON TRIBUNE says the Demo cratic candidates for county offices in Lackawanna are cutting each other's throats. Is not THE TRIBUNE mistaken? We understood," says the Wilkes-Barre News-Dealer, "that it was the Republican candidates who were cutting each other's Then you understood incor

THE BALANCE OF TRADE.

New York Recorder. It is a great big fact that for ten years rom 1875 to 1885 the Republican never scored less than a \$72,000,000 favorable trade balance in one year, and the balance in our favor reached in 1881 the balance in our favor reached in 1881 the enormous sum of \$250,000,000. Per contra Grover Cleveland, at the close of his second year, 1887, found the balance of trade to be against us to the amount of \$28,000,000. President Harrison came in in 1889 and found the balance of trade self unfit to legislate. Even if the balance of trade back to us, and the principles it advocates—and never exports. This showing abundantly indi-cates the policy of protection, or else there is no truth in the accepted economic theory of the balance of trade

IT CANNOT DO IT.

Bradstreet's and Dunn's reports show a citizen has an ample opportunity to express his opinions on questions of tariff, revenue and currency. Does it not involve, then, a great confusion of political ideas to ignore all the matters will not forfeit popular confidence and less of \$2,000,000,000,000 to trade since the incomplete and currency. Does it not involve, then, a great confusion of political ideas to ignore all the matters.

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THE DEMOCRATS are circulating a story that Frederick C. Leonard, the political ideas to ignore all the matters. Republican candidate for congress in

ed yet.

NOT A WAGE REDUCED.

General Hastings at Towards.

Never since 1850 had the country, in time of peace, felt so felt so great a stress of unfortunate circumstances and con-ditions as in the last year. I know that many people try to trace the trouble back to the McKinley law, but I tell you that not a line or sentence in that law ever reduced an American Workingman's wages, put out a furnace fire, or sent any portion of Coxey's army up or down through the country, asking for bread to eat.

GONE DEMOCRATIC.

Green Ridge Hem. The last industry in Lackawanna county to "go Democratic" is the Scranton steel mills; they have shut down indefinitely on account "lack of orders." The mills are all going Democratic these days, but the voters will go the other way on Nov. 6.

The clarion voice of the Hon. William A. Wallace appears to be silent in this campaign. Has he, like Candidate Singerly, also abandoned the contest?

A Cruel Thrust.

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