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THE SCRANTON OF TODAY.

Come and inspect our city. Elevation above the tide, 740 feet. Estimated population, 1884, 103,000. Registered voters, 20,559.

In tariff legislation, as in all other matters, the Republican party moves forward, not backward. The McKinley bill is a milestone of the past.

Murder in the First Degree.

For the first time in the history of Lackawanna county a jury on Saturday returned a verdict of "murder in the first degree." The case was that of the commonwealth against Franz Bezek.

Senators and the People.

Senator Turple believes that the election of senators by a direct vote of the people would purify legislation. The logic which reaches this conclusion is not without fault.

One-Sided Risks.

Out of fifty-seven names signed to the petition of contest in behalf of Judge Sittler, in Wyoming county, it is said upon excellent authority that forty represent signers who do not own a foot of real estate.

interpretation. At the same time it is proper to note the kind of petition upon which a defeated candidate for office may involve taxpayers in heavy expense merely to gratify his own sense of disappointment—the risk obviously being, in this particular case, exceedingly one-sided.

While the \$75,000 voted to it by the State Board of Charities will not make the Lackawanna hospital all that its friends would like it to be, the improvement that can be wrought with that sum will be most welcome.

Don't Be in Too Great a Hurry.

We are not so sure that a short session of the next legislature is as desirable as Representative Lawrence and some of his western colleagues appear to believe.

AN UNWISE STATUTE.

No better illustration of the evil effects of class legislation can be found anywhere than in the operations of the law prohibiting the manufacture and sale of imitation butter.

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nature and training, the former would incline toward moderation and conservatism while the latter would just as unerringly be predisposed toward erratic and extreme policies.

The trouble with the senators today is not in the manner of their election, bad as that system may seem upon occasions. It is rather with the public sentiment which, by its prolonged indifference to lax immigration laws and suffrage abuses, makes possible a political condition which often prefers wealth without brains to brains without wealth.

POLITICAL POINTS.

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the people against unwholesome and fraudulent adulterations of food. The charge that oleomargarine was in any way deleterious to health was openly challenged by experts who knew what they were talking about, and no serious attempt was made to show that the product was inferior to the butter.

The law has been sustained by the highest judicial authority, not upon its merits, but because its passage was a proper exercise of the police power. The presumption was that the lawmakers knew what they were doing and that they acted from honest motives.

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