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SCRANTON, FEBRUARY 16, 1895.

THE SCRANTON OF TODAY.

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It looks as if this legislature wanted to keep it easy for the boodles-dispensing "help" to make his way into the booth with the "disabled" voter. Shame on such ballot reform!

The Municipal Problem.

The letter of Rev. D. M. Kinter, printed elsewhere, defining the duty of the pulpit in connection with affairs of municipal government is both forceful and opportune. There is no escape from his conclusion that unless the problem of local rule be solved to the satisfaction of honest principles, the whole experiment of popular government must eventually collapse through fundamental and irremediable rottenness.

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As a matter of personal fitness there is little difference between Candidate Warwick and Candidate Pattison. As a matter of politics, Warwick is known to be free handed and clean; and Pattison is known to be only a Harry figurehead.

Something About Newspapers.

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gives its attention grudgingly to the little that is honorable and admirable.

Without indorsing this criticism unreservedly—for it relates, as will be perceived, mainly to the large cities, where many of the newspapers, as a matter of fact, do have serious faults—it can be said that what are called "provincial" journals as a rule do not deserve such condemnation.

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of justice. It is held that justices of the peace when so acting are judicial officers discharging judicial functions, and the court cites with approval the opinion of Lord Campbell to the effect that, upon the question of privilege, the dignity of the court cannot be regarded, and there is no distinction between a court of pie poudre and the house of lords sitting as a court of justice.

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ever remain second to none in the revered affection of the American people. "Great Captains, with their guns and drums. Disturb our judgment for the hour. But at last silence comes: These are all gone, and standing like a tower. Our children shall behold his fame. The kindly-earned, brave, foreseeing man, Sagacious, patient, dreading praise, not blame. New birth of our new soil, the first American."

An Instructive Example.

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