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THE SCRANTON OF TODAY.

Come and inspect our city. Elevation above the tide, 740 feet. Extremely healthy. Estimated population, 1895, 103,000.

It strikes us that when the American Protective association opposes the enactment of so economical a measure as the state custodianship bill, upon the ground that one of the possible appointees to that as yet uncreated office—a man who wears a medal of honor voted to him by congress because of special bravery in the war for the preservation of the Union—is a member of the Catholic church, it gets down to about the lowest depths of ignorant malignancy yet recorded in its short period of evil existence.

For the People to Decide.

There is, and most fortunately there need be, in the minds of the people of Scranton and vicinity no suggestion of conflict between the two eminent Republicans who have recently been named, by popular rumor, as candidates for appointment to the bench of the expected superior court.

If northeastern Pennsylvania could place two candidates on this bench at one time, we do not know where there could be found a stronger team than E. N. Willard and R. W. Archbald.

The property-owners of Franklin avenue may have no rights that councils feel bound to respect; but they ought at least to be thrown down a trifling more softly.

county to the expense and trouble of an extra election. The bar of Lackawanna county has already evinced its appreciation of this factor in the situation by signing, with practical unanimity, a petition for Mr. Willard's appointment. This action on its part, far from implying a lack of appreciation for Judge Archbald's merit and services, was in truth a glowing compliment to the present president judge, whose transfer to another field of usefulness would, at this time, be doubly regrettable.

After a good-natured division at the primaries, the Republicans of the Sixteenth ward have nominated Adam Schroeder for select council, to succeed the late Captain William Kellow. Mr. Schroeder is a sturdy, energetic and thoroughly trustworthy man of affairs, whose election will place in office a man whom the public can unhesitatingly trust.

Democracy's New Deal.

The report that the president, having become dissatisfied with the manner in which Mr. Harrity has discharged his duties as federal pay-dispenser for Pennsylvania, is determined to throw him overboard, in favor of some such lieutenant as ex-Chairman Kerr, ex-Congressman Wolverton or Chauncey F. Black reflects unexpected credit upon Mr. Cleveland's discernment.

A new leadership could hardly be dangerous, but it might be troublesome. Its action in a given contingency could not be so readily and so cock-surely foretold as could Mr. Harrity's. The latter gentleman, when confronted by two or more emergencies requiring nice judgment could with entire security be depended upon to make the worst possible choice.

Nor is Scranton in this particular an exceptional locality by any means. There is scarcely a community in the state which does not reverberate with the clashing of minority factions, angered at unfortunate selections for postmasters, internal revenue collectors or deputies. The bulk of these selections have been made from the "high-toned" classes, which to the socialistic masses of the Democratic organization, self-called the "rank and file," is little less than party treason.

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Upon the other hand, Mr. Willard is not only fully qualified to become a judge of the Superior court, but he is so situated that he can freely accept this honor should it be proffered, and bring to the new tribunal ample special knowledge of the intricate litigation arising from the so-called anthracite counties, without in the least embarrassing his home constituency.

the entire world, with its hostile tenet of laissez faire, there should now be this sudden anxiety to ask the world at large to make a currency system for us. The Press may believe that "international action" is the only safe method of restoring American silver to a parity with gold, but there is a rapidly growing sentiment, even among eastern Republicans, that if we were to stop hanging to the coat-tails of England and Germany in this matter, and proceed to solve the question in our own name and by virtue of our own manifest superiority as a self-sustaining and self-contained people, we could soon have things our own way touching a currency just as we now have them our own way in the item of a protective tariff system.

The estimated Montrose Republican thinks "there is no evidence that in our state any considerable number of parents and guardians fail to give their children and wards all the benefits of education they possibly can. Here and there possibly there are a few who are indifferent to the welfare of the children for whom they are responsible, but the number is unquestionably very limited, and is confined almost entirely to a few classes of the more ignorant foreigners." The Republican must know that according to reports to the state superintendent of public instruction from 150,000 to 175,000 boys and girls in Pennsylvania, between the ages of 7 and 13 years, are not attending public school.

The Scranton correspondent of the Milton People—who is a preacher, we believe, resident in Forest City—differs in opinion from The Tribune, and emphasizes that difference by calling the editor of this paper vicious names. The gentleman's swagging vulgarity has so often been shown in his debates with fellow clergymen that we view it upon this occasion merely as something he cannot help.

Very naturally, President Hartman, of Philadelphia's common council, reports that the head and power plant visited by himself and associates while in Scranton recently "is the most complete and practical" of all the plants visited by them. Being a typical Scranton institution, it could not be less than the best.

LEGISLATIVE TOPICS.

Harrisburg, March 17.—The resolution making a special order for the state custodianship bill, in which Captain John C. Delaney is interested, will come up for action tomorrow night. If it is intended to make the bill apply to the contracts for the coming year it will have to become a law by April 1 at the latest, and that can be accomplished only by a special order. As the bill is said to have been prepared at the suggestion of Senator Quay in order to unite under one head and to systematize the work of furnishing supplies to the various departments, similar to the plan in operation at Washington, there appears to be no doubt of the ultimate success of the measure, in spite of the opposition of the representatives of the so-called patriotic orders to Captain Delaney, who is to be the custodian under the bill. The methods employed to fight Captain Delaney were well illustrated by the experience of one of the prominent leaders on the Republican side of the house. While at his home recently he was waited on by a delegation from an American Protective association who were asked to vote against the Delaney bill. The representative naturally asked the reason for the opposition, and was told that it was based on "patriotic grounds." Thereupon the Republican leader proceeded to remind his visitors of the services rendered by Captain Delaney during the rebellion, while he was still a mere boy, and the American Protective association, concerned on the patriotic racket, are said to have openly admitted that their opposition was based entirely on the fact that Captain Delaney will go through with the bill, under the heads of the biggest opposition.

Prospects of Trolley Legislation. There is every likelihood that some kind of a bill will pass this legislature permitting trolley roads to carry freight. The country members clamor for it; and the steam railroads are doing comparatively little business in the lobby. There are three or four measures before the house. That of Representative Hills, of Delaware, is likely to succeed. It levies the carriage of freight by trolley companies but makes the freight departments subject to the regulations of local councils.

Chairman Wormser's Retirement. From the Sunday Free Press. Upon the retirement of F. L. Wormser from the chairmanship of the teachers' committee, a place which he has held the greater part of the sixteen years during which he has been a member of the board of school control, it is but fair to say that his administration of the office has been distinguished by continuous and distinguished effort for the good of the public schools. He has shown himself to be a man of broad mind, discriminating against no teacher on account of race or creed, making no promises which he could not perform when it was in his power, and spending much valuable time in the educational interests of the city. The knowledge of the detail which he acquired during his long experience was of incalculable benefit in the administration of the affairs of the district, and if the new administration does not avail itself of that knowledge it will make a sad mistake.

TOLD BY THE STARS.

Daily Horoscope Drawn by Ajaxchus, The Tribune Astrologer.

Astrological cast: 1:59 a. m. for Monday, March 18, 1895.

Under the influence of sagittary, one of the double-bodied symbols of Zoellac, a child born on this day will possess facilities for weaving wild fiction surpassed only by Little Charlie Daniels, and will be obliged to wear elastic hat bands during the early days of cerebral development.

Ajaxchus' Advice. Rising young Lackawanna attorneys will do well to have letters of acceptance ready. The appointment of a superior judge from Scranton will hurl a local vacancy at the head of some one.

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GET IN THE SWIM. If you have been given up by your physician, confidence, sexual weakness in men and women, hair rising in throat, spots floating before the eyes, loss of memory, inability to concentrate the mind on one subject, easily startled when suddenly spoken to, and dull distressed mind, which unites them for performing the actual duties of life, making happiness impossible, distressing the action of the heart, causing flush of heat, depression of spirits, evil forebodings, cowardice, fear, dreams, melancholy, the easy of company, feeling as tired in the morning as when retiring, lack of energy, nervousness, trembling, confusion of thought, depression, constipation, weakness of the limbs, etc. Those so affected should consult us immediately and be restored to perfect health.

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