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The Scranton Tribune is a Republican paper and it will support the nominees of the next Republican city convention.

An Interesting Interview.

A highly important contribution to the literature of the canvass for the Republican majority nomination was made by the statement Tuesday when it secured from General Mine Superintendent Benjamin Hughes...

The frank and manly statement of Mr. Hughes will doubtless prove an embarrassment to the coterie of "Independent Republican" politicians who have for several weeks been circulating the story that the Delaware, Lackawanna and Western company would do its utmost to pull their chestnuts out of the fire...

Major McDowell will make an affable and amiable clerk, but Pennsylvania's cup of joy will not be filled until Pennsylvania also gets the presidency.

To Prevent Gerrymandering.

Congressman Burton, of Ohio, has gone to Washington with a bill in his vest pocket which strikes at a serious nuisance. It is a bill to prevent gerrymandering—that agreeable pastime of partisan legislative majorities in states where congressmen can be gained by dishonest reapportionments.

Meet the Issue Manfully.

The persistent clamor of the Philadelphia Times that Judge Smith or some friend representing him should impugn the honor of the voters who elected him by instituting a contest against himself must appear to men without bias as ridiculous to the point of monotony.

The principal fault with the foregoing proposition is that it is too idyllic. A body of practical politicians like congress will be likely to hesitate long before assenting to a measure which would probably mean the defeat of a considerable percentage of its membership.

A Philadelphia dispatch to the Chicago Times-Herald says: "Senator Hughes has been urged by his Pennsylvania constituents to be a candidate for president. It is conceded that he will control at the very least, a majority of Pennsylvania's delegates."

reason to believe that the above is untrue in every essential particular.

In reply to the question "who is to be our next president?" Governor Hastings writes to a New York paper: "McKinley and Reed are both very popular in Pennsylvania, but the Republicans of the grand old Keystone state may be counted upon to roll up a magnificent majority for any candidate that may be chosen as the standard bearer of the Republican party in the presidential race of 1896."

Speaker Reed's Speech.

The speech of Mr. Reed, when called before the Republican caucus on Saturday after his unanimous nomination for the speakership of the house, will place him higher than ever in the estimation of his fellow-citizens.

Mr. Reed has made an admirable selection for the chairmanship of the invalid pensions committee if he has, as reported, chosen Representative Pickler, of South Dakota.

POLITICAL POINTS.

The Republicans in the United States senate will have a caucus some day this week to consider the question of organizing the senate.

The New York Herald continues to plead for a third term for Grover Cleveland, and even compares him favorably with Abraham Lincoln.

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This is the number of daily papers we sold in November. During March (our first month in business) we sold less than 1,000. These figures are eloquent, and speak for themselves.

take its disappointment philosophically.

The Tribune has not recommended the abolition of the board of pardons, although if it had done so the position could be strongly fortified by sound arguments.

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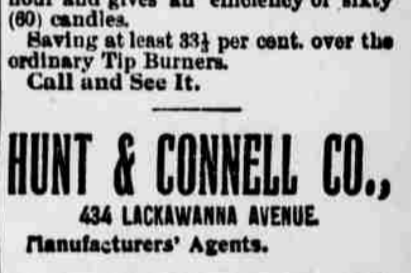
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