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REPUBLICAN STATE TICKET.

Congressmen-at-Large. GALUSHA A. GROVE, of Susquehanna. SAMUEL A. DAVENPORT, of Erie. Election Day, Nov. 3.

Now that the paving companies have begun to fight among themselves, it clearly is the city's opportunity to get better work at better terms.

Memorial Day.

Severe as have been its penalties, the civil war was nevertheless one of the greatest benefactions which our nation has yet experienced. It has proved beneficent not alone in the quietness which it gave to immediate contentions that had long wrecked the peace and threatened the life of the republic.

In honoring today the memories of the men who fell in the war against disunion, it is our privilege, therefore, to think of them not only as near of kin, but also, and paramount, as instruments of the providence of Almighty God, chosen for the working out of His will in a mighty conflict that carried within its decision perhaps the political destiny of unnumbered future ages.

If the spirit of democracy triumphed in war because of the heroism of the dead we now honor, it will today, in the midst of peace, move forward to a victory incomparably finer. For today we reach by new and solemn paths the demonstration that in our land all loyal citizens are equal heirs to glory; the obscure private with the applauded chief commander; the humble marine with the epauletted admiral.

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Safeguarding the Ballot Law.

Referring to the recent decision of Judge Gunster to the effect that a man cannot be compelled to testify as to how he voted in any election until it has been proved that he voted illegally, the Pittston Gazette remarks: "On the general principle that a man cannot be compelled to incriminate himself it would seem that the decision of Judge Gunster is eminently proper."

Without doubt the easiest way to get at the bottom of election irregularities is to prevent them. Had the last legislature exhibited any inclination to remedy conspicuous defects in the Baker ballot law, many of the now frequent irregularities such as were brought to light in the Sittler-Dunham contest would have been prevented altogether.

recognition of the plain spirit of the ballot law, which presents as its first claim to public favor the guarantee, hitherto frequently rendered ineffective by the courts, that the elector's ballot shall be secret.

If Street Commissioner Kinsley, in his forthcoming address before the board of trade, wishes to strike at the root of most of the trouble in his department, he will clearly have to denounce the measly, antiquated system of ward appropriations. Scranton will never have the right kind of streets until the money for their construction and repair shall be placed in a sum at the disposal of the street commissioner's department.

The Lansing Bicycle Ordinance.

With a number of changes the Lansing bicycle ordinance would deserve to be given the benefit of an experimental trial. The one feature in it to which there will naturally be most objection is the registration provision.

The reply which has been made in Rochester and other cities to this inquiry is that bicycles are different from other vehicles especially with respect to the fact that, when propelled at illegal speed, they cannot so readily be identified. By requiring the registration and numbering of wheels a means is secured for the identification of illegal riders, who at present scorch with impunity through crowded streets.

Perhaps, after all, a simpler way would be to pass an ordinance enacting a penalty for riding a wheel in the city at a speed-rate exceeding eight miles an hour, and providing for the mounting on bicycles of a limited number of patrolmen, with power to see that this ordinance is obeyed.

When it is remembered that McKinley was Platt's choice four years ago, the present opinion of Platt that McKinley is an unsafe man becomes legitimately subject to discount.

Quay on the Financial Problem.

It has remained for the Hon. Chris. Magee to discover that Senator Quay is an "unsound money" man. The gentleman from Allegheny recently instructed his lieutenants in Washington to peruse Quay's celebrated tariff speech delivered in the spring of 1894; and they have discovered what gives to the Honorable Christopher a twinge of exceeding joy.

"Should the pending measure (the Wilson bill) become a law, a grave monetary question will immediately confront the American people. We may, with accuracy, be harnessing to the chariot of the United States, the forces of the driven hither and thither by capricious juggling with imports and exports of our gold, provided we can at the same time maintain an American commercial policy."

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the gold which they constantly drain from us in the form of interest charges. Only our great natural wealth enables us to bear the strain, and we could not depend upon that to save us were free trade to add to the crippling of our productive industries.

The farical character of the present sporadic effort to get a popular expression on the question of the next senatorship is shown in the placing of the names of Penrose and Wanmaker before the Huntington county Republican primaries.

The election for president this year is likely," observes the Philadelphia Record, "to be one of the most interesting in our history. New elements have been evolved; old associations have been broken up; the political prophets are at fault; and amid the clash of new forces and new combinations Mr. McKinley, in case of his nomination, may be ground between the upper and nether millstones."

Several days ago a number of American papers printed a dispatch from London which said that Robert Barr, the novelist, had been committed to an inebriate asylum. The assertion was absolutely false and had not the slightest warrant.

General O. O. Howard is one of the most enthusiastic advocates of international arbitration, but there is a deal of philosophy in his remark at Washington the other night that modern inventions and arbitration talk will not crush the war spirit.

There is something admirable about the undiminished courage of the Prohibition party. It is a wonderful example of the vitality of hope.

FOOLISH CONDUCT.

The bicycle riders of Wilkes-Barre are just now making themselves supremely obnoxious and unpopular. The best way to bring themselves into disfavor is by silly attempts to compel the revocation of the ordinance lately imposed on them at breakneck speed.

THE BICYCLE QUESTION.

In view of the fact that the Lansing ordinance is in essential particulars a copy of the ordinance recently passed in Rochester, the following remarks of the Democrat and Chronicle of that city will be read with interest.

IN UNCLE SAM'S DOMAIN.

From the Philadelphia Record. There are 2,000,000 telegrams, 75,000,000 telephone conversations take place in a year, there are 2,700 central lighting stations and 7,000,000 incandescent lamps and 1,000,000 lamps in use.

CONCERNING OUR ARTIST.

The Carbonate Leader. The Scranton Tribune's Knight Templar illustrated first appeared on Tuesday in the work of Artist Ralph A. Lyons, formerly of Lansboro, but now of Scranton.

OUT, UNGRACIOUS SIR!

From the Wilkes-Barre News-Dealer. Some stranger to Scranton paid a compliment to the fine horses he saw in that city, which the Tribune's horse and city square, 437 Spruce street.

must not be blamed for the complaint, but forgot that the circus was there, and made the mistake of confounding the circus horses with the knock-kneed and spayed stock owned by the natives.



Weather and Other Predictions for the Coming Week.

Sunday, May 31.-Trinity Sunday. Weather unsettled. A child born on this day will be unfortunate and should keep in the employ of others, as he will be apt to fall in with his own fate.

Tuesday, June 3.-Sun parallel to Mercury. Weather fine and mild. A child born on this day will not be successful in life. Be careful in thy dealings.

Wednesday, June 4.-Sun 139 degrees from Saturn. Weather cloudy. A child born on this day will not be successful in life. Be careful in thy dealings.

Thursday, June 5.-Venus parallel to Jupiter. Weather fine and warm. A child born on this day will be clever and fortunate, especially when in the employ of others. Seek employment, travel and deal.

Friday, June 6.-Mercury parallel to Venus. Weather changeable. A child born on this day will be clever and fortunate, especially when in the employ of others. Seek employment, travel and deal.

Saturday, June 7.-Mercury parallel to Saturn. Weather cloudy. A child born on this day will not be successful in life. Be careful in thy dealings.

Sunday, June 8.-Trinity Sunday. Weather unsettled. A child born on this day will be unfortunate and should keep in the employ of others, as he will be apt to fall in with his own fate.

Monday, June 9.-Venus parallel to Jupiter. Weather fine and warm. A child born on this day will be clever and fortunate, especially when in the employ of others. Seek employment, travel and deal.

Tuesday, June 10.-Sun parallel to Mercury. Weather fine and mild. A child born on this day will not be successful in life. Be careful in thy dealings.

Wednesday, June 11.-Sun 139 degrees from Saturn. Weather cloudy. A child born on this day will not be successful in life. Be careful in thy dealings.

Thursday, June 12.-Venus parallel to Jupiter. Weather fine and warm. A child born on this day will be clever and fortunate, especially when in the employ of others. Seek employment, travel and deal.

Friday, June 13.-Mercury parallel to Venus. Weather changeable. A child born on this day will be clever and fortunate, especially when in the employ of others. Seek employment, travel and deal.

Saturday, June 14.-Mercury parallel to Saturn. Weather cloudy. A child born on this day will not be successful in life. Be careful in thy dealings.

Sunday, June 15.-Trinity Sunday. Weather unsettled. A child born on this day will be unfortunate and should keep in the employ of others, as he will be apt to fall in with his own fate.

Monday, June 16.-Venus parallel to Jupiter. Weather fine and warm. A child born on this day will be clever and fortunate, especially when in the employ of others. Seek employment, travel and deal.

Tuesday, June 17.-Sun parallel to Mercury. Weather fine and mild. A child born on this day will not be successful in life. Be careful in thy dealings.

Wednesday, June 18.-Sun 139 degrees from Saturn. Weather cloudy. A child born on this day will not be successful in life. Be careful in thy dealings.

Thursday, June 19.-Venus parallel to Jupiter. Weather fine and warm. A child born on this day will be clever and fortunate, especially when in the employ of others. Seek employment, travel and deal.

Friday, June 20.-Mercury parallel to Venus. Weather changeable. A child born on this day will be clever and fortunate, especially when in the employ of others. Seek employment, travel and deal.

Saturday, June 21.-Mercury parallel to Saturn. Weather cloudy. A child born on this day will not be successful in life. Be careful in thy dealings.

Sunday, June 22.-Trinity Sunday. Weather unsettled. A child born on this day will be unfortunate and should keep in the employ of others, as he will be apt to fall in with his own fate.

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Special Notice To the Public.

As Decoration Day falls this year upon Saturday, when our store will be closed, we have decided to keep open on Friday evening, May 29, until 9.30, in order to accommodate our many friends and patrons who wish to do any shopping.

Pillow Sham Holders.

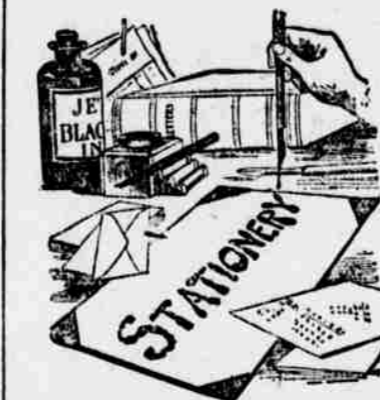
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