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The Tribune is the only Republican daily in Lackawanna County.

REPUBLICAN STATE TICKET.

Congressmen-at-Large. GALESHA A. GROW, of Susquehanna. SAMUEL A. GAVENPORT, of Erie.

By the way, what has become of the report of the Venezuelan boundary commission?

No Bolt.

The news which comes from St. Louis with reference to the state of western Republican opinion regarding the money plank is reassuring.

The question is wholly one of expediency. While Republicans may differ in opinion as to whether bimetalism is practicable without an international agreement, there is no such division of opinion as to the folly of free trade.

The gentleman in question suggests as the only way by which this can be done that the county permit the removal of the flagging on all sides of the square to within the present line of trees and then concede to the city the right to set the curb back to the present lawn line outside the tree line.

The real hope of bimetalists is coincident with the success of Republicanism in the approaching campaign. Whatever in the past has been done for silver has been done for it by the Republican party.

According to Spanish advices from Havana, the Spanish merchants of Mexico, Uruguay and Argentine propose to boycott American goods in retaliation for America's sympathy for Cuba.

Hastings for Vice-President. The authoritative announcement by Joseph H. Manley that Hon. Thomas B. Reed will under no circumstances accept the nomination of his party for the vice-presidency must be believed.

It is a fact that nearly all our presidents have been "mortgaged" men. We do not recall at this time a single one of them in recent years, unless it be Lincoln, who did not enter the white house under any uneasy sense of obligation to what are colloquially called the party bosses, or some of them.

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Better Shows Demanded. It is the unanimous opinion of theatrical managers that the season just ended has been one of the worst in recent years. From a managerial standpoint a bad season is a season in which there is little if any profit.

It begins to look as though Thomas Platt's arrival in St. Louis will be a very ordinary event after all. Uncle Levi Morton has evidently adopted the ice machine in his business—he certainly cuts no ice.

It is not necessary to wait for a fire alarm. People ought to look out at all times on the streets of Scranton.

Of it has the lyre been tuned to tell About the wondrous grace Of one, saluted as the belle Of every earthly place.

But while we wish that youthful charms Forever might endure, There comes a host of strange alarms With riders immature.

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THE PENNSYLVANIA GOVERNOR is likely to help his own cause when he takes the uniform to place Senator Quay in nomination. A giant in frame, he has a soldierly bearing and a voice that is as magnetic as the lightning.

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THE FACT that our only authority for such a report is the New York World justifies us in prefixing to any comment which the quotation might suggest the acknowledgment that we do not believe the president ever said such a thing. Of course, if he did say either that or its substantial equivalent, he disclosed the instincts of a booby.

"Mr. Quay is splendid as a fighter, when he has to fight, but he is as perfect a diplomatist as the science of politics ever produced when there is any chance to save trouble by making peace."

For vice president Mr. Quay loses nothing. He may even win General Hastings to his side in the battles that are to come.

FOR CONGRESS. The name of William Connell is again brought to the front as a possible candidate for congress. If Mr. Connell is willing to stand, he has only to accommodate his many friends by saying so, and there is nothing surer than his getting to Washington.

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