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The re-election of Joseph P. Phillips as city engineer insures in that important position the services of a man who has been tested and found trustworthy.

It will please every earnest Republican to know that the prospects are at last excellent for a restoration of harmony in the party in Pennsylvania.

The great mass of Republicans have grown somewhat weary of the continual charges and recriminations that have characterized the politics of Pennsylvania for a considerable period and would hail as a relief a condition of affairs which would eliminate to some extent the spotter, the informer, the mercenary and the paid spy from the vicinity of legislative chambers and convention halls.

It is fitting that the restoration of harmony should be upon the basis of a general recognition by active politicians of the leadership of Senator Quay in state affairs, and of home rule in the politics of Philadelphia.

Mr. Wanmaker's declaration is that of a sadder and a wiser man. Next!

Invariably the Way.

A story with a moral to it is printed by the Paterson, N. J., Press. It concerns the effort and the failure of a group of socialists to plant a co-operative colony in a farm near Paterson.

According to the Paterson paper all these alluring ideas got tangled up when it came to trying to put them into operation. "All hands," were told, "wanted to be the head and front of the concern, and the industrious members found fault with others inclined to shirk their work."

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from this natural collapse of a theory based on fanciful instead of facts. The hopefulness of communism on any permanent scale in thorough establishment, is also the apparent impossibility of getting the eyes of socialistic dreamers opened to this fact.

The idea of the Supreme court in the lawer case is that the Baker ballot law means just what it says, and neither more nor less.

Another View of the Senate.

Not long ago we summarized on this page the opinions of the senior senator from Massachusetts, Mr. Hoar, concerning the United States senate. It will be remembered that he defended it with spirit from most of the accusations commonly leveled against it, and was himself critical only to the extent of suggesting a slight abridgement of its opportunities for debate.

Mr. Mills begins with frank recognition of the fact that for some years the senate has been losing its hold on the confidence and esteem of the American people, and intimates that many reasons might be given for this unhappy condition; but he considers one only—the complaint that in the senate public business is not dispatched as it should be.

By refusing to make a rule to close debate and force a vote the majority abdicates its rightful power and strikes its constitutional duty. It makes it difficult and often impossible for the will of the people to become the law of the land.

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strates they will send a minimum rather than a maximum number to the court above.

The Philadelphia Evening Bulletin is a good representative of the decent "new journalism" which avails itself of legitimate and wholesome improvements, but does not feature decadence.

The value of the American slate output last year was nearly \$2,000,000, of which Pennsylvania produced one-half.

Let us hope that the world's postal congress which is to meet in Washington next month will mass its influence in favor of stamps that will stick.

Gossip at the Capital

Special to the Scranton Tribune. Washington, April 12.—The southern sentiment in favor of a protective tariff is likely to be quite as apparent at the senate end of the capitol as it was in the house during the passage of the tariff bill.

There can be no doubt of the marked growth of the protective sentiment in the south," said Chairman Dingley, of the ways and means committee, commenting upon this fact today.

Yesterday's Carbonate Leader: "The Scranton Tribune appeared today in enlarged and improved form. It was printed on the first true on its new Hoe press."

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press which has preceded them for many years. The free trade experiment of four years ago which proved so unsatisfactory in other parts of the country seems to have been the result of the south since the number of Republican congressmen elected from that section has more than doubled in the past two congressional elections.

Table with 2 columns: Congress number and percentage of Republican members. Rows include 45th, 46th, 47th, 48th, 49th, 50th, 51st, 52nd, 53rd, 54th, and 55th congresses.

Adding to the twenty-five southern members in the Fifty-fifth congress the six members cast by Democrats and Populists for the protective tariff bill, it will be seen that the southern protective element of the Fifty-fourth congress was practically as strong as the whole of the Fifty-fifth congress.

THE TRIBUNE'S NEW PRESS.

Yesterday's Scranton Times: "The Tribune this morning publishes the first page paper ever printed and followed by one improved of a press in Scranton. The work was done on the new Hoe perfecting press just placed in the Tribune press room and which is made to print a 4, 6, 8, 10, 12, 14, 16, 18, 20, 22, 24, 26, 28, 30, 32, 34, 36, 38, 40, 42, 44, 46, 48, 50, 52, 54, 56, 58, 60, 62, 64, 66, 68, 70, 72, 74, 76, 78, 80, 82, 84, 86, 88, 90, 92, 94, 96, 98, 100 lines per inch."

Wilkes-Barre Times: "We are pleased to hear that our enterprising and successful neighbor, the Scranton Tribune, has ordered a new Hoe perfecting press of the Times-Barre Press."

TOLD BY THE STARS.

Scranton Truth: "This esteemed contemporary, the Scranton Tribune, has increased its facilities by the purchase of one of R. Hoe & Co.'s splendid presses with a capacity for printing from four to sixteen lines at once, at a high rate of speed."

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GOLDSMITH'S BAZAAR.

The Easter News

Store News. Good news to hundreds of prospective buyers. News relating to many lots of Easter needfuls that it will pay you to take note of.

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Profiting by former experience, we have put the glove stock in the best possible shape to satisfactorily meet the great demand for Easter Gloves.

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Such beautiful creations never displayed before. Prices always comfortable, from 25 cents to \$9.98

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This offering is in every way worthy of the occasion. Styles, materials and prices are here to please the most exacting tastes.

We have secured additional help in our Carpet Department to wait on the rush of customers during our GREAT CLOSING OUT SALE

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SPECIAL SALE OF FINE ...

It will be apparent to a child born on this day that the men who shoot the load for war usually do not know how to load a gun.

The throat of the base ball crank is already becoming distended.

It looks as though Anna Dickinson would have trouble in making change when collecting her damages.

Local speculators who invested in wheat are liable to be driven to seek consolation in 17c.

Do not argue with a man of one idea. Take a club.

In blessed harmony: Luxurious chairs are scattered round, And books one loves to see.

And so I ponder hour by hour The problem, which is right? How can I push this sunbaked flower And take it from the light?

This sacrifice she shall not make. Although she may prefer In innocency this step to take, I'd rather live with her.

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- Frank R. Stockton.....A Story Teller's Pack
John Kendrick Bangs.....Pursuit of the Houseboat
Richard Harding Davis.....Cuba in War Time
William Dean Howells.....Landlord at the Lion's Head
Capt. Alfred T. Mahan.....Life of Lord Nelson
Dr. Nansen.....Farthest North
Marie Corelli.....Ziska
Beatrice Harraden.....Hilda Strafford
Paul Leicester Ford.....The Great K. & A. Train Robbery
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China, Glassware, Bric-a-Brac, Lamps, Silverware and Household Goods, Cheap.

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THE CLEMONS, FERBER O'MALLEY CO., 422 Lackawanna Avenue.

EASTER

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Easter is the only generally recognized holiday, the celebration of which is purely spiritual and admits of no worldly festivity.

Easter Cards and Easter Booklets at Reynolds Bros STATIONERS, Hotel Jermya Building.