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REPUBLICAN NOMINATIONS.

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COUNTY.

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House. First District-JOHN R. FARR Second District-John SCHEUER, JR. Third District-N, C. MACKEY. Fourth District-JOHN F. REYNOLDS.

COLONEL STONE'S PLATFORM.

It will be my perpose when elected to so conduct myself as to win the respect and good will of those who have opposed me as well as those who have given me their support. I shall be the governor of the whole people of the state. Abuses have undoubtedly grown up in the legislature which are neither the fault of one party nor the other, but rather the growth of custom. Unnecessary investi-gations have been authorized by committers, resulting in unnecessary expense to the state. It will be my care and pur-pose to correct these and other exils in so pose to correct these and other exis in 19 far as I have the power. It will be my purpose while governor of Peansylvania, as it has been my purpose in the public positions that I have held, with God's help, to discharge my whole duty. The people are greater than the parties to which they belong. I am only lealous of their favor, I shall only attempt to win their approved and my experience has taught me that that can best be done by taught me that that can best be done by honest, modest, dally discharge of public duty.

If Mr. Wanamaker does not know what his agents did with that money in the senstorial fight of two years ago he can find out by reading the Schuylkill court records,

A Magnificent Reception.

In this alleged hot bed of party revolution which street gossip claims for Dr. Swallow by all kinds and sizes of son lived for a time and has many relatives and friends in addition to the frantic help of certain disappointed Republican office seekers now looking for revenge, the welcome last night given to Colonel Stone takes on an aspect of significance. The Republican nominee had no fierce reputation as a fire-eater to help him draw a crowd: the people who went to hear him knew in advance that they were not going to hear anybody personally assalled. ridiculed or flayed alive; on the contrary the advance notices of this political engagement eschewed entirely adjectives in the superlative degree, appealing simply to party loyalty and plain common sense; yet the assem blage that greeted him was one of the most representative, intelligent and cordial that we have seen in Scranton. and it was not disappointed.

The favorable impression created by Colonel Stone upon the occasion of his former brief visit was deepened and strengthened. His frank, manly way his avoidance of any attempt to juggle with his audience or to affect qualities and accomplishments which he does not possess; in short, his perfect candor gained recognition almost immediately and commanded admiration even from opponents. His abstention from personalities; his desire to trent fairly all men, even those who speak ill of him and raise malicious questions as to his independence and sincerity; his direct pledge to be an executive who would strive to grow increasingly popular and respected from the moment of his inauguration-all these features were perceived and appreciated by the immense audience, and the pith of a long story is that Colonel Stone this morning departs from Lackawanna county in far better standing among its citizens than he had twenty-four hours ago, because they have seen the kind of man that he is and taken an honest measure.

As for the other speakers of the evening-who will soon forget the uplifting eloquence and direct, convincing logic of Dr. Reed: the stirring pratory of Mr. Schaeffer; the brilliant wordpainting of silver-tongued Tom Stewart, and the mellow wit of Major Me-Dowell? These have to be heard to be appreciated: the words themselves, in the coldness of type, lack fire and emphasis and outpouring persenality. Altogether it was a revival meeting of staiwart Republicanism which stirred to the depths the spirit of party loyalty and should bear good fruit at the polls next Tuesday.

Secretary of the Commonwealth David Martin predicts that Colonel Stone will have 150,000 plurality. Mr. Martin is not given to inflated prophecies.

Afraid of Its Past.

Says the Pittsburg Times: The very fact that the Democrats of Pennsylvania desire to ignore National issues in this campaign ought to count against them. It shows that they are ashamed and afraid of their doctrines and want to keep them in the background, while appealing to the intelligent people of Pennsylvania, who have so emphatically repudiated their heresies. "Oh! they say, "no National issues: keep them in the background." That will be the cry up to the day of the election; but should the people of the state be foolish enough to listen to such arguments and by reason thereof intrust them with power, the result the morning after election, would become the biggest kind of a National issue. It would be shouted from Maine to Cali-

fornia that the great Republican the Scranton tribune stronghold of Pennsylvania had faltered in her allegiance and had joined the Democratic column. Every jackrabbit statesman in the wild and woolly West would throw up his hat and pitch in with renewed zest to whoop up the free silver campaign of 1900.

> The cute Democratic Greeks who are trying to sneak into the Republican Troy, concealed in the wooden horse of state issues, would drop that at once and shout themselves hoarse over the great victory for cheap money, It would have such an effect that we would in all probability have to fight that fight over again, to the great detriment of business and destruction of confidence. The moment it was announced that Pennsylvania had faltered in her allegiance on every market in the world there would be a depreciation of American securities,

made known to him,

There is absolutely no occasion for

tending to buy islands already ours by

as in the past he will do his duty.

Roosevelt Makes Progres ...

Encouraging news comes from New

tion of it is this year to be made un-

an ardor hitherto undeveloped,

We do not minimize the difficulties

in front of Colonel Roosevelt when we

brighter for him to win another char-

ence of an uncompromisingly honest

twice before wagering on Van Wyck.

s no time for sulking over disappoint-

s worthy of emulation in Pennsyl-

The English government has evident-

buying all the ammunition in sight.

peace jubilee season is over.

It has been intimated that it is use-

TOLD BY THE STARS.

The Tribune Astrologer.

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ular with positive men.

National issues are also state issues and local issues. Is not the question whether our mills and factories shall run or remain idle a local issue, and a big and vital one? Isn't it a local issue whether our mechanics shall starve by the thousands or have full employment and good wages? Was it state legislation that produced the former state of affairs in 1893, and was it state legislation that reversed that and gave us our present prosperity? Are our memories so short that we cannot recall these local issues, which were produced at Washington and not at Harrisburg? In ignoring what they call National issues, the Democrats pass by and attempt to cover up the state issues which are of the supremest importance to the people of this commonwealth This is a nation: its life is a national life, and the vital questions which concern us are not stopped by the imaginary lines which enclose the states.

There are none to whom political corruption appears so glaring as to the man who has failed to get an office.

The Challenge Accepted.

The effort of Mr. Wanamaker to onvey the impression that he was an invited guest of the city of Scranton and that the proprieties of hospitality were outraged when this paper in courteous terms expressed its opinions of his political policy, deceived no one Mr. Wanamaker invited himself to Scranton. The first intimation of his visit was embodied in a dispatch from him to a local lieutenant instructing the latter to make arrangements for a meeting. As early as last Friday !! was known to Wanamaker's local intimates that the Philadelphian was coming here to attack the Republican nomince for congress; The Tribone edimajorities; here where the fighting par- | torial in Monday's issue was used by him merely as a pretext.

> Now that the leader of the revolutionary forces in Pennsylvania has thrown aside the mask and declared war as well upon the congressional as upon the state ticket, it behooves Republicans who are Republicans in spirit and in principle: who believe in sustaining the Republican president in his war and reconstruction policies by means of a Republican congress and who are not ready to sacrifice everything to an individual grievance, to stand up and assert themselves. Such men can care nothing about Mr. Wan amaker's personalities. He is at liberty to hold what opinions he pleases of Senator Quay, Mr. Connell, Colonel Stone or any other Republican in public life. But it is now squarely before the voters of this congressional district whether they are willing to let one man's bile cause the loss of a Re-

> publican vote in congress, The issue thus raised is plain, specitic and unavoidable. Mr. Wanamaker by his course has forced : show of hands. He has put himself against the Republican ticket from op to bottom; against the president through the congressman: against the state ticket, the legislative ticket and the local ticket. He has challenged friends and foes of the fleguidican party alike to line up and fight to p decision. We believe we can say for the loyal Republicans of this county and for all citizens in sempathy with the present national administration, that the challenge thas offered will be

> enthusiastically a cepted. Mr. Jenks says that if elected goverfor he will "try to prevent" the use of that Democratic victory as a stimulus a Democratic exertion in the presidential contest two years hence. We cannot imagine him trying hard enough to sprain many tendons.

The Philippines.

It is worthy of note that the proposition to pay Spain a sum of money for the Philippine islands has received as yet no official indorsement. It has not been adopted as the policy of the Mc-Kinley administration; it is merely

newspaper guess-work. In demanding the Philippines we have agreed to assume such part of the debt as has been contracted and expended for honest internal improvement. This is in accordance both with precedent and with common fairness. The man who deeds a farm to a neighbor because he cannot manage it is entitled to receive credit for the improvements actually made by him. We but also what she has accomplished public in the direction of civilization. It is ment to Spain of an additional sum.

as a kind of peace offering, to partly

restore her good humor and poultice the rough edges of her war wounds, is Pennsylvania Now another matter, as yet held in abeyance. Such a payment would be wholly a matter of expediency. Spain has no right to demand it or expect it. It

N 1882 and again in 1850 the Republicans would be merely a gratuity on the part of Uncle Sam, to show that while he of Pennsylvania through apathy and fought with severity when goaded to experiments with Democratic prom war in the interest of humanity, he ises permitted the state to go Demohad no ill feelings afterward. This

eratic and by so doing, in each in-stance, they encouraged the forces op-posed to Republicanism throughout the matter, being largely sentimental, will doubtless be decided by the president country to rally for the presidential cam-paign two years later. They did rally, in accordance with the sentiment of the country as it shall hereafter be and they won in both instances. Penn-sylvania did not line up with them when the presidential contests came, but by going Democratic in the preceding state campaigns it had placed every doubtful the sensational cry of protest which is being raised against "McKinley's instate in the Democratic column, and its own return to its senses was too late to counteract the effect it had produced by right of conquest." McKinley has not seeming to have turned its back upon Reannounced any such purpose. His compublican principles, missioners at Parls have not announced

such a purpose. It has been announced It counted for nothing that it had not done so, but had made the mistake of accepting the explanation that those only by the enemies of his administration who seek to embarrass him by state campaigns had no relation to na electing a Democratic congress, Mctional affairs, and of indulging in off-year apathy and experiments. What was the Kinley will do what the sober and result to the nation of the political chang-es for which Pennsylvania was thus so thoughtful judgment of a majority of his countrymen finally prompts him responsible? Certainly the last period to do. In other words, in the future comercial and industrial depression closed manufacturing plants and general cries of distress are not so far back tha the memory of it needs any refreshing Not until the election of a Republican ad It would be to Mr. Wanamaker's credit if he would come out like a ministration and the beginning of the res man and say whom he is for for govertoration of Republican policies were as-sured did the country begin to emerge nor. The negative position is not popfrom that period of depression. Are there any voters in Pennsylvania whose memo ries are so short that they do not confirm these statements?

Are any of them so shortsighted they do not appreciate that the policies which York state. Everywhere within its borders Republicans are lining up. have been promoting the better condition Each day adds to Roosevelt's strength should not be handicapped, but should be strengthened and expanded? We do no While 200 Republican orators are believe there are. Those who need to have their memories refreshed are the ones who are disposed to accept the arguarousing the people daily and nightly the organization, too, is doing its part ment that these policies are not involved in the present campaign. They are, it is the same free trade, cheap money De-Warrants have been issued for the arrest of 20,000 men fraudulently registered by Tammany and these will be mocracy that is offering this argument now that offered it with unfortunate served if the men show their faces at effectiveness in 1882 and in 1869, and the the polls. Preparations of an effective majority for the Republican ticket should be large enough to demonstrate to the nature are being made to keep a watch on Tammany election officers and country that the voters of Pennsylvani especially upon the taily sheet. There have the right appreciation of that fact. doubtless will be much fraud at best but if reports can be trusted, perpetra-

CONTALL AND WANAMAKER.

From the Scranton Truth. As the case stands, the best and The much-heralded John Wanamake worst elements in our civil life are unpacked his heart of bitterness at the Scranton armory last evening, making now arrayed against each other in the Empire state in practically unbroken our esteemed townsman, Hon, William Conneil, the principal subject of his at-tack. When it comes to a question becolumns. Tammany is fighting not so much to save what she now possesses tween William Connell and John Wann-maker the people of Lackawanna county as to gain the chance to rule and loot a state. On the other hand, the supnive no difficulty in deciding where they drould stand. Under the pretext that he had been abus d by Mr. Connell's news porters of Roosevelt are fighting not only in behalf of clean ideals and inpaper, Mr. Wanamaker went through the motion of striking back. In this way he telligent government but also for selfpreservation. They recognize that the thought he could best seems sympath and hide his real purpose from the pe-de. But his unctuous air of "Injured in election of Van Wyck would anchor Tammany invulnerably in power for nocence" deceived nobody. He came here eccked and primed for the occasion, and even if the Scranton Tribune had not criticised him he would have cloaked his assault under some equally plausing iredext. It was ingenious to prefer that the attack of the Council or the property of the council years to come and they know that this would mean favoritism in contracts, franchise huckstering and the purchase and sale of legislation and immunity from prosecution to an unparalleled the attack on Mr. Connell was in the imdegree. Knowing this, they are throwpublic duty, but it was nothing of ing themselves into the struggle with

When Mr. Wanamaker's agent her gained for and bought the vote of a cast ildate for legislator at the Botel Jer say that the chances are becoming myn in this city in the last campaign for United States senator, it was Mr. Con-nell that halted the transaction, and Mr. acteristic victory. He has to fear not Wonamaker felt that he was getting ever last night by attaching him in he home town. For a man who pleaded the "right only Tammany but every other political and commercial influence which of sanctuary" on the score of hospita would be inconvenienced by the presessed of a sharp, bitter and bigotand courageous man in the executive tongue. The studied and well-rehearse-subterfuge by which he brought out in fact that he is Pennsylvania larm while chair at Albany: yet the pluck, daring and steadiness of his leadership are Mr. Connell is not, showed an exceeding inspiring among the people the kind of narrow and properlytic spirit. Some enthusiasm that wins; and if we rethe best men in the Lackawaram val were born beyond its limits, and some the noblest and most partiotic men sided in New York we should think Governor Black, of New York, has put Kinley called for troops there was aside personal feeling and come out assession raised as to whose the notes who offered his like for the dag was too a in a manly fashion for his late competitor. Colonel Roosevelt. Black no some of the proscriptive cowards with doubt has personal scores to settle with take the cry of "foreigner" another some of the leaders of the Republican and it deserves to be recorded that who were lying low at home, foreign-born in and the sons of foreign-born men we party in New York state; but he recognizes that with the control of the next cushing to the front and aghites the tac tles of the United States on land and easile by side with such glorious America: ongress trembling in the balance it as Dewey, Roosevelt and Holean

ments. The spirit displayed by Black John Wanamaker made a bloft above raising a regiment, but his parriotist miscarried and he is now "raising" some thing clse. William Connell at the same time was doing his duty as a patriod congressman at Washington standing by ly taken a hint from the example of President McKinley a few months ago. the administration and the flag of his country in one of the most crucial times of the nation's history. So far as Wann-While talking peace our English cousins are cleaning their big guns and maker's fight with Quay is concerned by them have it out. Wanamaker goco for, however, when he plays the bull a the china shop, and undertakes to di-cedit Mr. Concell in this county; an less to look for fair weather until the when he seeks further to draw the the between native and foreign-born citizens he broves binnelf an arrogant, marrow gauge hallyblood who does no credit t Daily Horoscope Drawn by Ajacchus,

STONE OR JENKS.

From the Philidelphia Inquirec Stone or Jenks will be elected govern A child born on this day will notice that next week. Stone believes in McKink the McKinley (atiff and honest mone the different wings of the local Democracy seem disposed to flap on the go-us-Jenks believes in Bryan, in free trade an in free silver, and in 1895 went upon th stump for Bryan and a bogus dollar. E-If it were not for an occasional at

From the Wilkes-Barre Record.

ven as a free gift.

As a matter of fact it has been made

tolerably clear that public sentiment is

the United States has been averse to the acquisition of the entire Philippine group

ery free silver Democrat in the land i looking forward to 1996. Where is the Republican, realizing the dangers in Bry ged political revolt, the 22-calibre local tatesmen would never have an opporunity to expand. anism, who will vote for Bryan's repr The poor ye always have with you-and entative in Pennsylvania? ie wealthy also, until you strike 'em Nations as well as individuals that ar ARE YOU SURE? pe for war are generally harvested i

ne time. Many a man who imagines himself nartyr is simply an ass Ajacchus' Advice.

Do not bet on Democracy. Buy Bonta Klondike stock.

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Editor of The Tribune-Sir: Why is it that with millions of tons of the finest coal in the world lying around loose in this Wyoming valley, the electric cars should be run with fireless stoves in them? Are these lines of city and suburban cars in league with the doctors to suffuse the risk of pneumonia? Having occasion to go to some of the suburban towns last Friday and Saturday and today I was obliged to ride in cars a Scranton which went north and so that were as chilly as refrigerators. Re-turning from these trips it was a positive luxury and relief to take the steam rail would incur the charge of highway robbery if we should take from Spain without compensation not only what she has forfeited by misgovernment are a delusion and a snare. The public cannot be blamed for pre-ferring the steam cars so long as the her evil work, not her good work, which we must punish and rectify, whether there should also be payelectric cars are so wretchedly uncon ley, but one is somety.
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-S. R. Bonnell.

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