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REPUBLICAN CITY TICKET.

SCHOOL DIRECTORS-C. C. Ferber, E. D. Fellows.

It is doubtful if any one can be found who will pay \$1,000 to cable Senator Pettigrew's remarks to the Filipinos.

A Plain Business Proposition.

THE STATE commissioners of railroads of New York have notified all persons interested in the application for a charter for the Delaware Valley and Kingston railroad...

The merits of this application are not difficult of comprehension. The men who ask permission to build this road are men interested in the mining and selling of anthracite coal...

Mr. Bryan states that no farmer can now afford to be a Republican. There are still many, however, who believe that he can better afford it than in the good old days of Democracy...

This is a simple business proposition, against which the old railway interests offer no better argument than that the projectors of the new transportation route do not know what they are talking about...

For a man who, according to despatches, is constantly advancing General Butler does not seem to get very far from the starting point.

"Unwritten History."

BY A VOTE of 11 to 29, the senate on Tuesday refused to adopt a resolution offered by Senator Pettigrew calling upon the president to send to the senate his instructions to the Paris peace commission...

"When Secretary of State Day resigned from the cabinet to accept the presidency of the peace commission, he was opposed to the acquisition of the Philippines..."

The important step of acquiring the archipelago to him seemed a great innovation upon our traditional policy. He wanted peace above all things...

"But when the American members of the committee met the representatives of Spain it soon developed that Spain would give away the Philippines to some other power rather than let them go to the United States..."

fective. About that time there was no longer any division of sentiment in the cabinet. There was no longer any division of sentiment among the peace commissioners...

"This explains why the president is not anxious to have the correspondence made public. If all the letters and telegrams which passed between him and the commissioners were made public...

We reproduce this version for what it is worth. If true, it is certainly interesting; and there probably is more truth than fiction in it.

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Some one who has taken the figures says that in the last year Andrew Carnegie's gifts to public benevolence amounted very nearly to \$3,000,000...

Among the latest instances of the generous employment of private wealth for worthy public purposes is that of Mr. John J. Albright of Buffalo, a gentleman well known to Scrantontians...

The city which owes so much to the Albright Memorial library sends to the recipients of this latest Albright benefaction its most cordial felicitations.

A man in Philadelphia has been made insane by reading sensational stories in yellow papers regarding the St. Mary's bay shipwreck...

AN INTERESTING field of inquiry has been occupied by the Chicago Record. That paper is examining the pay rolls of the Chicago city government...

In 1880 the cost of governing Chicago was \$8 per capita of population; in 1889 the cost had arisen to \$19 although in the meantime a large number of public improvements, such as sewers and street intersections, were provided for by special assessments...

In this emergency Great Britain caused it to be known that if the island would be acquired by any other power than the United States, whom she would have been rightfully entitled to fight as the prize of war...

And Bour-lion would wipe up the earth with him! Satana smiled and said: "Good-bye, old fellow! I leave you here this wormy fount of joy..."

Two women. She went into the vacant church through empty aisles and bare; A faint perfume hung over the gloom...

Medical Examination of Schools. IN THE CITIES of Boston, Philadelphia and Chicago there is now in operation a regular system of medical inspection of pupils in the public schools...

BY WAY OF JEST. Not So Strange. "Yes, he brought out his history of the regiment for private circulation."

Into Space. "Your friend Brassay has gone to smash with a dull, sickening thud!"

The Average. "Pa, what's an average man?" "One who thinks his employer's business would run a good deal better if he could have more say about it himself."

A Different Article. Sights on the senate gallery? So these are our national solons, are they? He-Yes. All that remains now is to get back to the ones we were engaged to before.

The True Condition. Brigs-Do you believe that the world is divided into two classes, those who borrow and those who lend?

Revelation. She vows that her heart is a wide-open book. I fancy therein I should much like to look;

Not Guilty. Mother-Willie didn't I say I'd whip you if you put another rubber button on the stove?

Ambitious. "Don't you want to leave footprints on the sands of time?" asked the mentor.

The Real Test for Swearing. Wrangler-You say that Job's patience never was really tried?

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In Woman's Realm

"THE LADY of the house" in the Hill district is redistributing her influence with regard to the front door. It should be locked these days with scrupulous care for the umbrella thief is abroad in the land...

THE PUBLIC in general never associates the name of a young ladies' society with dish-towels, dusting cloths, bath-room holders, blue-checked aprons and wash robes...

This was what happened yesterday notwithstanding the disagreeable weather. The beautiful rooms of the parsonage on Olive street were the scene of a bazaar unique in character...

THAT Young Ladies' society does much every year for the encouragement of literary taste and culture.

THE LADIES of Elm Park church served an elaborate turkey supper last night, when the parlors were filled with guests...

MISS BERTHA GALLAND will be at the Lyceum next Friday night in "The Bride of Jeunice," with James K. Hackett...

HENRY BELIN, JR., General Agent for the Wyoming District.

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K. M., who suffered from constipation, had gastric catarrh for three years, was annoyed by pimples on his face and had so many "black heads" that no girl would let him kiss her; was cured by less than fifty cents' worth of Ripans Tablets.