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REPUBLICAN NOMINATIONS.

National.

President-WILLIAM McKINLEY. Vice-President-THEODORE ROOSEVELT. State.

Congressmen at Large GALUSHA A. GROW, ROBERT H. FOERDERER. Auditor General-E. B. HARDENBERGH. County.

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It is a singular coincidence that Aguinaldo, Oom Paul and the Empress dowager of China, all on the run, continue to announce that they will fight to the last.

To First Voters.

T HAS BEEN estimated that 3,-000,000 young men will be ellgible this year to cast their first vote for president of the United States. They will cast it for McKinley or Bryan. Very few will care to throw it away on a third party nominee. Four years ago President McKinley had a plurality of 601,854, which was next to the largest ever polled; yet it was not one-fifth of the firstvoters' vote. This vote, if largely massed for either McKinley or Bryan, will decide the election. Why should it be given to McKinley and withheld from Bryan?

We need not in answering this question traverse the general field of argument for that will be done on many occasions ere the polls close, having in view voters of all ages. The young man and the old man are equally interested in a sound currency and a protective tariff, those twin pillars of business prosperity which make possible the encouragement of the one and make secure the savings of the other. They are equally interested in the enlargement of commerce, in the multiplication of industries, in short in the maintenance of the fortunate economic and social conditions now prevalent, thanks very largely to the beneficent and conservative principles of Republican administration.

But it is the young man who is more especially interested in the standing of his country among the nations of the earth; who is eager to see her prestige nighty on foreign soil, who wishes to be able to point with pride, when a sofourner in foreign lands, to the flag of the land of his nativity and to feel that his children may have a civic birthright of which they need never feel ashamed. To the old man, tottering to the grave, this is not necessarily a matter of indifference, but he thinks less of such things; his thoughts are fixed elsewhere. The old man, with vitality obbing, is inclined to be cautious, timid, often pessimistic. He looks back to the days of his youth, when the pulses were active and the heart was hopeful, and those times seem better to him than the times and conditions around him now. He idealizes the past and undervalues the present. He does not think it possible for the young men who were recently only children ridden upon his knee to take hold of the complex problems of today as he in his young manhood generation; and so his tone becomes apprehensive, over critical and fearful.

On physical grounds we can underor opposed to the new steps toward from it: larger and broader national life taken under the expansive policy of Prestdent McKinley. It is in the nature of things that some of them should object to innovations; that their preference should be registered for peace, quiet and isolation, even though at a sacrifice of prestige, dignity or duty, But on no such grounds could we expect the stalwart youth of our land to espouse a course of crawfishing out as the Spanish fleet at Santiage, they were under world before them. They have careers of the rocks and trying to make them to make; opportunities to pursue, the orfile and strength of vigorous manhood to exercise and vindicate. Are flag-hauling and scuttle? Do they want to close the door of American opporlike Aguinaldo?

The young men of the country should feel a peculiar interest in the results of this campaign. If the seeds of folly are to be sown, it is they who must reap the fruits. If this nation is selves to stumble and fall over as glaring a heresy to listen to evil coursels. that it has kept for over a hundred years, if it is to adopt a policy of reaction, if it is to stoop to dishonor, if warfare, the baneful results will fall with greatest weight, not upon the present, but upon the generations that are to come. The vast army of young men who are to cast their first presidential votes this fall should therefore take an active part in the struggle now in progress. To secure this result the First Voters' Republican National meetings, appoint a committee on membership whose duty it shall be to

roters, that the league may have upon its rolls the name of every Republican first voter in the community; elect a captain, who shall lead the members as they march in parades, and attend meetings, and on election day see to it that every man casts his vote. In addition to its own work the league should be ready to give active assistance to the regular party organization. It is of the greatest importance that the first voters throughout the land should take up this work. Such action on their part will not only help to win a victory in the present campaign, but it will do much to prevent a renewal in the future of the attack that is now being made upon the very foundations of republican government on this continent.

The platform of the New National party organized at Carnegie Hall the other night is a peculiar mixture of good and bad resolutions.

B. B. Odell.

THE REPUBLICAN nomined for governor of New York, Benjamin B. Odell, began his political career as ar opponent of "the machine" but being a man of uncommon common sense he speedily saw the necessity of organization in politics, turned his talents to the devising of a better system of or ganizing the voters of his party and was so successful that the Republican plurality in Newburgh, his native city, increased nine times; Orange county, his native county, was converted from a doubtful county into a Republican stronghold, and the Seventeenth congressional district, of which it formed a part, was swung from the Democratic Into the Republican column-all of this mainly ewing to the impetus of Odell's executive ability and energy.

Mr. Odell was a candidate for governor in 1896 but Frank Black beat him out. Odell then took the chairmanship of the state committee, of tated. which he had been a member since 1894, and so honorable, efficient and or a vote cast against his nomination to succeed Covernor Roosevelt, Since boyhood he has been what the professional reformers call a "machine" politician; next to Senator Platt he has for several years past been the leading director of the Empire state Republican organization. Yet the factional opponents of Platt are made happy by Odell's nomination. Not one of them has objected to it. Not one of them will sulk now that it has been made. The Republican party in New York state, however it may be divided in municipal and legislative districts, is for governor, president and

congressman practically a unit. To what do we ascribe this remarkable unanimity on governor, especially following the widespread belief that Colonel Roosevelt was put on the nating him away from Albany and of T HE MEANEST specimen of a white man I substituting a more plastic man? We can see no other explanation than that Mr. Odell must be a man of very exceptional merit, so strong, straightlight is to be turned upon his past, we shall doubtless soon know more than has yet appeared to casual observers. But no man can talk long with those who have had personal dealings with Mr. Odell without discovering that their admiration of the man is very earnest and tenacious; and when this is true the conclusion is obvious. He must be a big man.

As Rev. Mr. Dixon, of Stroudsburg, is now a full-fledged candidate for congress, political opponents in that vicinity will do well to have lightning rods placed upon their houses at once.

A Model Nominating Speech.

HERE ARE few men in the United States better gifted than ex-Governor Frank S. Black, of New York in the tackled the difficulties of an earlier knack of effective speech-writing. He crowds columns into sentences. His speech at Saratoga nominating B. B. Odell for governor was composed bestand why perhaps a majority of our tween dawn and daylight on a railelders are conscientiously doubtful of road train, yet it is a gem. We quote

The ghost of anti-imperialism which stalks to and fro between Lincoln, Neb., and Bloomington, IR., with occasional manifestations in Boston. not and cannot be made an issue. This comis and always has been committed to the pol of growth, and it cannot be swerved from that policy by mere scare-crows scattered along the way. In that policy are involved the causes of ivilization and American progress, and the Re-

publican party stands for both. The lastes now are as they were in 1896. They ere then met and understood, and, as complete of responsibilities. They live with the time has been engaged in prying some or them That will never be done. Those hears will never be seaworthy again, and if they are the American people will not embark on them while they have hood to exercise and vindicate. Are fluttering at their mosthead flars with the Demo-they to follow Bryan in a policy of exitic inscriptions of disorder, disappointment and despair.

That party seems never to understand the temtunity in the Orient and hand the key deavored in every campaign for forty years to over to... cinnarnon-faced adventurer make the discarded herestes of the preceding campaign presentable by joining a live heresy to the old dead ones. It seems to believe that the voter would be glad to embrace the rankest kind of heresies, if he can only get them in quantities to listen to evil counsels, and depart as ever befogged a child. They committed one from the path of duty and progress of the most inexcusable blunders in the politics that it has kept for over a hundred of this country; and, as in nearly every case, the mixtake was largely paid for by those who did their best to prevent it. At the first chance that blunder was corrected and I prophesy that the

it is to pass into the throes of class day of its repetition is remote.

wasfare, the baneful results will full. There are but few things new under the sun and the discovery of a safe principle by the Democratic party is not among them. But it is not by principles alone that the success of the Republican party has been achieved. The best of causes may fail if they have not also the best of representatives. The successful advocate of a use is so trithful that he would die for it, bu io strong that he does not have to, and the rare and almost unbroken fortune of the Republican party has been that whenever the emergency has arisen, no matter how tempestuous the course, League has been formed, and is en- there was always a pilot who could steer it and gaged in organizing the first voters in all the states. The plan of the work is as follows: Each local league, when organized, shall arrange for regular and skill that even in the turb lence that has surrounded him he has gained the confidence of his dellow citizens and increased his own renown

sever smooth, and often dangerous, and I regard it as a sign full of encouragement and hope that the man to whom, with general accord, the Rosublican party is about to turn is one who comnes in his character the elements of stability of courage which make the successful leader. I believe that politics should be as honest as the church. I believe that the level of political

tion should be so high that corrupt influences can neither break it down nor defile. But I ber, too, that honesty does not consist in proas dead as faith without works. That man make. having done a thing is the same as having one it. What the Republican party always de-ands is one who believes that performance is the substance and profession the shadow; that to do and to be are the great essentia's of human life, and that to say is but a speck upon the moving tide, and that is why I have consented to present This is a model speech of its kind

and true in every word. Bryan's silver promises of 1896 continue to be as vexatious to the pres-

the "damned spot" on the hand of Lady Macbeth. Mr. Bryan will have some consolation in defeat. He can consistently

claim to have broken all records as a

continuous campaign talker.

Outline Studies of Human Nature may be.

A FEW MINUTES before the afternoon train A from New York got into the Pennsylvania station the other day, a beauteous young creature in a new spring suit wafted herself over to the an stationed at the exit gate, and proceeded o hypnotize him. "Will you please let me through?" she said

"Can't do it, miss; it's against the rules," said the man at the gate.
"But I do so want to meet him when he gets

off," said the beauteous young thing, looking into the man's face searchingly with her inploring violet eyes. "And he will be so dis-appointed if I am not right at the car to meet him when the train gets in. The man at the gate looked around and hesi-

"Please," said the lovely roung creature, rus-

hang on the gateman's nod. sagacious has he shown himself in that "Well, maybe I can take a chance," said the position that not a voice was lifted gateman, and he pulled it open and admitted her, "S'pose she's only been married a little while," reflected the gateman, "and her hus-band's coming back after being away the first ime since they were spliced, and she wants to and him out the hig hug before he's more's landed from the car steps. Well, I guess we all have it that bad, once in our lives, anyhow," and he looked thoughtfully down the siding where the radiant young creature stood, Impa-tiently tapping her foot.

The train pulled in a couple of minutes later.
The young woman ran alongside the baggage car, and the baggagemaster handed her out a iserable little specimen of a stuck-up, hideous results, uzzled pug dog, which she took in her arms as a b and londed down with excesses.

As she passed out the exit gate with the mult n her arms, she bestowed a bewitching smile brough, and to weave pipe trances about the ateman disgustedly to the station." said the rateman disgustedly to the station cop. I don't belong here. I ought to be doin' spring plowin' somewhere!"—Washington Post.

The Meanest Hotel Man.

ever met," said Leo Doob at the Hotel Aims last evening, "was an old fellow who ran a hotel in an interior town in Vermont. His son, who acted as clerk in the hotel, had inherited his father's miserly character and had been discharged by the local base buil club, for whom that not even the enemies of Plattism, so-called, find it in their hearts to asperse him or to call into question his personal honor. Now that the searchight is to be turned upon his past. I found that the morning and was signed to a room. I expected to meet two friends at the place in the morning, and was insigned to a room. I expected to meet two friends at the place in the morning, and was insigned to a room. I expected to meet two friends at the place in the morning, and was insigned to a room. I expected to meet two friends at the place in the morning and was insigned to a room. I expected to meet two friends at the place in the morning and was insigned to a room. I expected to meet two friends at the place in the morning and was nesigned to a room. I expected to meet two friends at the place in the morning and was nesigned to a room. I expected to meet two friends at the place in the morning and was nesigned to a room. I expected to meet two friends at the place in the morning and was nesigned to a room. I expected to meet two friends at the place in the morning and was nesigned to a room. I expected to meet two friends at the place in the morning and was nesigned to a room. I expected to meet two friends at the place in the morning and was nesigned to a room. I expected to meet two friends at the place in the morning and was nesigned to a room. I expected to meet two friends at the place in the morning and was nesigned to a room. I expected to meet two friends at the place in the morning and was nesigned to a room. I expected to meet two friends at the place in the morning and was nesigned to a room. I expected to meet two friends at the place in the morning and was nesigned to a room. I expected to meet two friends at the place in the morning and was nesigned to a room. I expected to meet two friends at the place in the morning and was nesigned to a room. I expected to meet two friends at the place in the morning and was nesigned to a room. I expected to meet two friends at the place in the morning at t he had officiated as official umpire, because he vas kept behind the hotel counter and doled out o the guests on request; the washroom was ocked tightly, the key in possession of the clork, and the hotel pens and ink were kept locked up ntil asked for, for fear of waste. My friends arrived about 10 o'clock that morning, and we were to leave on the 11 o'clock train. We sat n the office to while the hour away, and a disriends whose watches varied a few moments. Pulling forth their timepleces they compared them with the hotel office clock. I noticed hat the father and son, preprietor and clerk of he hotel, were holding an animated whispered conversation, and in a moment the father ap-proached my friends and said:

" 'Excuse me, but are you gen'l'men stopping at this house!" "No," said my friend, 'jost waiting for a

train." 'Put her up, Jahe,' commanded the old man "And the son solemnly mounted a chair and ung the following sign, which he had hastily prepared with a marking brush, on the wall un erneath the clock;

> THIS CLOCK
> IS FOR
> THE USE OF GUESTS
> OF THE HOTEL OSLY.

Watt Saw Wrinkles.

TWO BOYS were arrested some time ago on the charge of stealing a watch from a wooseted with the two culprits in the detectives' com at the central police station and tried to extract some information from them. The boys were brothers. One was a little fellow about 10 years old, while the other was several years Watt turned to the little fellow and

"I stele it and gave it to my brother," said

he lad as he commenced crying. Watt turned to the other boy and asked him what he had to say. The older boy commenced rotesting that his brother was lying and that e had nothing to do with the watch. Detective Watt turned to the little fellow and aid: "Stick out your tongue." The boy did so.

"Do you see any wrinkles on your brother's ongue?" Watt questioned of the larger boy. The oy shook his head. "Stick out your tongue," said Watt to the lider one. He did so.

"My, look at all the wrinkles!" said Watt. That was the detective's modest method of telling the boy that he was given to wild flights of the imagination.-Cleveland Leader.

Too Frank a Statement.

A CLOTHING merchant in lower Broadway, New A York, had a big lot of suits of clothes that he had bought at a bargain, and by putting a he had bought at a bargain, and by patting a price of \$15 on each he thought they would a li-rapidly, for they were of exceptionally good value for that money. He put one of the units on a form and set it in front of his store with a sign about its neck which one of his smart clerks had painted on a piece of cardboard. This mounted the price. Then he are repared to do a rushing business. Then he and his clerks The hours passed and no one came in to buy as suits. This caused the merchant to wonder and at length he determined to go out and take and at length he discount and the sign. This is what he found on the sign: "These suits, \$15. They won't last long." Pedestrians passing by

the clerk who designed it started out to look

w the sign and smiled at its frankness.

The merchant tore the sign from the suit, and

Wrong Word but Right Sense. A YOUNG French woman here in town is teaching the radiments of her native language to a class of women far past the school age. They have advanced so far that now they are reading the New Testament in French. They haven tread much of it, and at the last lesson it was Mrs. Illank's turn to read that beautiful verse. The radius of lank's turn to read that beautiful verse. The Frince of Paterna, the capital of Sicily, owes his wealth chiefly to the snow, of which he has a monopoly. The snow is brought in at night in baskets from the mountains, of Italy and is ahipped to the towns and the last lesson it was Mrs. Illank's turn to read that beautiful verse. membership whose duty it shall be to to a degree almost without example.

The duty of this assembly is to select a pilot. Mrs. Blank's turn to read that beautiful verse.

which in the English version begins: "In my The number is branded upon the animal's hind Father's house are many massions." Mrs. Blank feet—the thousands on the near hind foot, and read it over in her best accent. It ends, in the French, I believe, with the word "demeuren."

the teacher, "Oh, certainly," answered Mrs. Blank. "I-I don't quite remember how it goes in the English more warships tonnage under construction than Testament, but I'll just put it into the best English I can." And then the astonished class gasped, while

Mrs. Blank read off, glibly as you please:
"In my Father's mansion are many flats."-Omaha World-Hereld.

The Publisher's Desk.

"He that tooteth not his own horn His own horn shall not be tooted."

THERE IS NO BUSINESS, no matter what its nature, that cannot be benefited by ju-dicious advertising. To consult the advertleing expert costs money. The methods will recommend may be beyond your re-arces. You are thus in the position of the man who knows he is neglecting a means to suc-cess, but is powerless without capital. We believe that every business man, no matter ent champion of anti-imperialism as

how small his place, can test the value of advertising. It need not be in any large space, but it should be specific wherever it is put and what-ever the size. Experts here cost you nothing. They are in the employ of your home daily and cme at your request.

Publicity is what you want, whether your are

druggist, a grocer, a hatter, a laundryman, a plumber, a confectioner, a milliner, a dress-maker, a shoemsker, a tailor, a painter, a decorator, a real estate man, a commission merchant, a banker, a fruit dealer, a tobacconist, a milkman, a baker, a brewer, or whatever clae it

Let us take a calling that you hardly ever, it ever, see in the advertising columns of a daily, the milkman, and let us teach him how to ad-vertise in a small way. Here is the ad:

I keep ten Alderney Cows of the finest breed.

I sell the milk pure and sweet as it comes from the udder.

I guarantee the quality for the sick and the well.

Persens who wish to be served write

JOHN BEACH,

Happy Valley Co. Send for my references.

He pays ten dollars to have this small ad, rur

We will say that he gets only two, be cause he hasn't the nerve to run the ad. six months, which would be a proper trial. But he sells only enough to these two customers to not him three cents profit a day on each. Perhaps with cream it will average a little more. this up for a year and his profit on that ad. is about \$12. Figure it up at the end of five years, and the little ad, has netted him nearly \$150. But the milkman tried the ad, five weeks and said it didn't pay. Yet these two custosaid it didn't pay. Yet these two custo-mers recommended him to two others, and they sent him to four others, and in the end the \$10 investment had brought him nearly \$1,000. Yet he never credited the ad, with much of any-

thing.
When you begin to advertise, do so in a small way if your means are limited, but keep it up. As one advertising agent puts it "keep everlastingly at it" and you are bound to achieve A little ad. can be changed as a big one, and something new and can be advertised in a small spot of the paper, can be advertised in a small spill begin to look as a big one, and something new and taking where pretty soon people will begin to for it.

A letter from Dr. Emil G. Hirsch, of Chicago, to I. Blumenthad on the pending political situa-tion has been made public. In it Dr. Hirsch onsiders the present political situation at length, ile writes:
"I cannot make up my mind, because some

details of my party's policy fail of my approval, to confide the direction of the nation's affairs b) a party whose fundamental principles on almost every question are diametrically opposed to what I deem essential for the contiffued prosperourselves with reference to the Philippine islands, But calm study of the matter has confirmed my first impression that there was no helping of the difficulties unless we had resolved from the very start to leave the Philippines to their own fate To do this would have been dishonorable, would have amounted to shirking a responsibility for a situation which we helped to create. It would have exposed every white resident of the island to such treatment as is now accorded the oreigners in China by the party of Chinese inde pendence the Boxers. Nor would our aban forment of the islands have led to their inde ndence or to the greater happiness of the peo-e. Some foreign power or other would speed y have sailed up the bay if under no other pr ext than that civilization demanded the cossa-ion of bloodshed which undoubtedly would have nsued immediately upon the departure of ou

"The Democratic platform does not declare that we have no duties in the islands. It as-sumes that we are responsible to the world for the establishment there and also for the con-tinuance of the independence of that government without further care for their government or fu-ture fate. But the scheme of our opponents amounts to saddling upon us a responsibilty with amounts to sadding upon us a responsibility with-out corresponding authority and without the pos-sibility of protecting ourselves against the fol-lies or wickedness of the Philippine people. With-out the consent of the powers we cannot establish a protectorate. If we do establish one without the consent of the other powers we must be pre-pared to have our claim disputed and our desires gnored. This will lead to interminable difficul-It will force us to be prepared to go to war at any moment with any power. This will open the door to the very militarism which our opponents so lustily now decry. We should have be ready to draw the sword in behalf of the Philippine people without the slightest right to direct their affairs in a was which will avoid

trouble with other nations.
"I see only one of two alternatives. Now tell the truth. Where did you get the have no business in the Philippines then it is not our affair to see to it that a stable government be established there and it is not out business to protect them or to have any of their responsibilities. If we have any business there, then for our own sake it is essential that our as thority shall not be less than our responsibilition these reasons I agree with Senator Hoar. prefer to trust McKinley and influence the policy of my party later in a way to give the distant islands the best and freest government possible I cannot trust a party that has been instrumental in forcing the adoption of the treaty in the senate and now holds the president responsible for doing his duty. That treaty made the islands the property of the United States. The president had under that treaty no choice but to enforce obedience to the laws of the United States. I cannot trust a party which is so anxious for the rights of the Philippines and tramples these sacred rights under foot in our own land in the South. The consent of the gov-erned is apparently not required when the gov-erned are negroes. I cannot confide in the prom-less of a party that would dishonor the faith of our land and build upon a foundation of fina

NUBS OF KNOWLEDGE.

A pet rubin's startled cry awoke Walter Sigler, a farmer at Silver Mountain, N. Y., in time to prevent burglars from securing his wallet and money. They had ransacked the house and taken all the valuables they could find, but alarmed the bird when they entered Sigler's be-

An enterprising pisciculturist has invented lymph with which he proposes to vaccinate young lobsters to protect them against a growth which is fatal to little crustaceans. The vaccinated lobster will have a peculiar scar at the base of its tail to distinguish him from his unvaccinated brethren. Not even the snow can claim immunity from the tax collector. The Prince of Palermo, the

rench, I believe, with the word "demeurea." Thus the horse whose number is, say, 8,364, will "Will you kindly translate it, please?" said have an 8 on his left hind foot and 354 on the

At the present time the United States has ever before in the history of the country in time of peace. The new vessels building or authorized include seventy of all classes, 12 of which are battleships, 6 armored cruisers, 9 protected tor-pedo boat destroyers, 15 torpedo boats, 7 submarine gunboats and one lake gunboat.

A farmer in Clay county, Ia., has a bin containing about 800 bushels of wheat. About a month ago he proposed to market the grain, but on going to the bin he discovered that a hen had established her nest on the wheat, was setting there and that to remove the grain would "break her up." He decided not to disturb her, but wait until she came off with the chicks. In meantime the price of wheat advanced until by allowing the hen to sit it out,

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tions they may succeed in winning for it. All letters of inquiry should be addressed to "Editor of the Educational Contest, Scranton Tribune, Scranton, Pa." The Tribune will be pleased to answer any inquiries for additional information and urges those interested to write if in doubt on any

The Tribune is going to give scholarships and other special re-

wards to the ten persons who will be most successful and attain

the highest number of points in its Educational Contest. By schol-

arships is meant a full course of study, paying the tuition charges

in each, and in the cases of the two leading scholarships, The

Tribune will not only pay all tuition charges but will also pay the

board of the fortunate winners during the life of the scholarship,

pensate those who may enter upon this work and not be success-

ful in obtaining one of these, The Tribune will give to

every one who succeeds in obtaining subscribers under the terms

of this contest ten (10) per cent, of all the money from subscrip-

In addition to the ten special rewards, and in order to com-

Tribune's

Contest

Educational

covering four and three years respectively.

1. Scholarship in Wyoming Semi-nary (4 years) including tui-tion and board\$1,000 2. Scholarship in Keystone Academy (3 years) including tui-tion and board

SPECIAL REWARDS.

point.

4. Course in Piano Instruction at Scranton Conservatory of Mu-

5. Columbia Bicycle, Chainless, 1900 model (on exhibition at Conrad Brothers', 243 Wyo-ming avenue) 6. Scholarship in Scranton Business College, commercial course...

7. Scholarship in Scranton Business College, shorthand course ...

9. Tele-Photo Cycle Poco B. Camera, 4x5 (on exhibition at the Griffin Art company, 209 Wyoming avenue)

10. Lady's Solid Gold Watch, or Gentleman's Solid Silver Watch (on exhibition at Eli-gene Schimpfi's, 317 Lacka-

Each contestant failing to secure one of these special rewards will be given ten (10) per cent, of all the money he or ahe turns in.

RULES OF THE CONTEST

The special rewards will be given to be persons securing the largest number

Points will be credited to contestants

securing new subscribers to the Tribune as follows: One Months' Subscription ... \$.50 Three Months' Subscription., 1.25 Six Months' Subscription ... 2.50 One Year's Subscription 5.00 12

The contestant with the highest num-ber of points will be given a choice from the list of special rewards; the contestant with the second highest number of points will be given a choice of the re-maining rewards, and so on through the list.

All subscriptions must be paid in ad Only new subscribers will be counted

No transfers can be made after credit has once been given. All subscriptions, and the cash to pay for same, must be handed in at The Tribune office within the week in which they are secured, so that papers may be sent to the subscribers at once.

Subscriptions must be written on blanks, which can be secured at The Tribune office ,or will be sent by mail. The contest will close promptly at 8 o'clock Saturday evening, September 29, 1900.

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