

high personal characteristics and indomitable fighting qualities stood him in good stead and he won out in his district in good style.

During his term in the legislature he was appointed to and served with distinction on a number of important committees of that body.

Mr. Beck was nominated three years ago for this same office of register of wills, but was defeated because of the sympathetic feeling that was dominant among the voters for his opponent. But with loyalty unshaken he accepted this reverse with good-humored philosophy and buckled on the armor of party activity with undiminished energy. This year amid a considerable number of candidates from various sections throughout the county Mr. Beck aspired successfully for the same place on the county ticket, and it is due him as a recognition of former services no less than as an obligation of party regularity that he should receive the unanimous vote of his fellow partisans.

by the last speaker of the house, Mr. Farr. Mr. Reynolds, having made the preliminary campaign in his district, is naturally well acquainted with the vast majority of the voters, and is known favorably by all. He is independent in many of his political beliefs, though he always was a very consistent Republican, and his memorable contest to retain the popular ballot at the Republican party's primaries here evidences his skill in debate. He believes in allowing the individual voter to decide the issue. If the voters are not able to settle any question that may come up Mr. Reynolds believes popular government to be a failure.

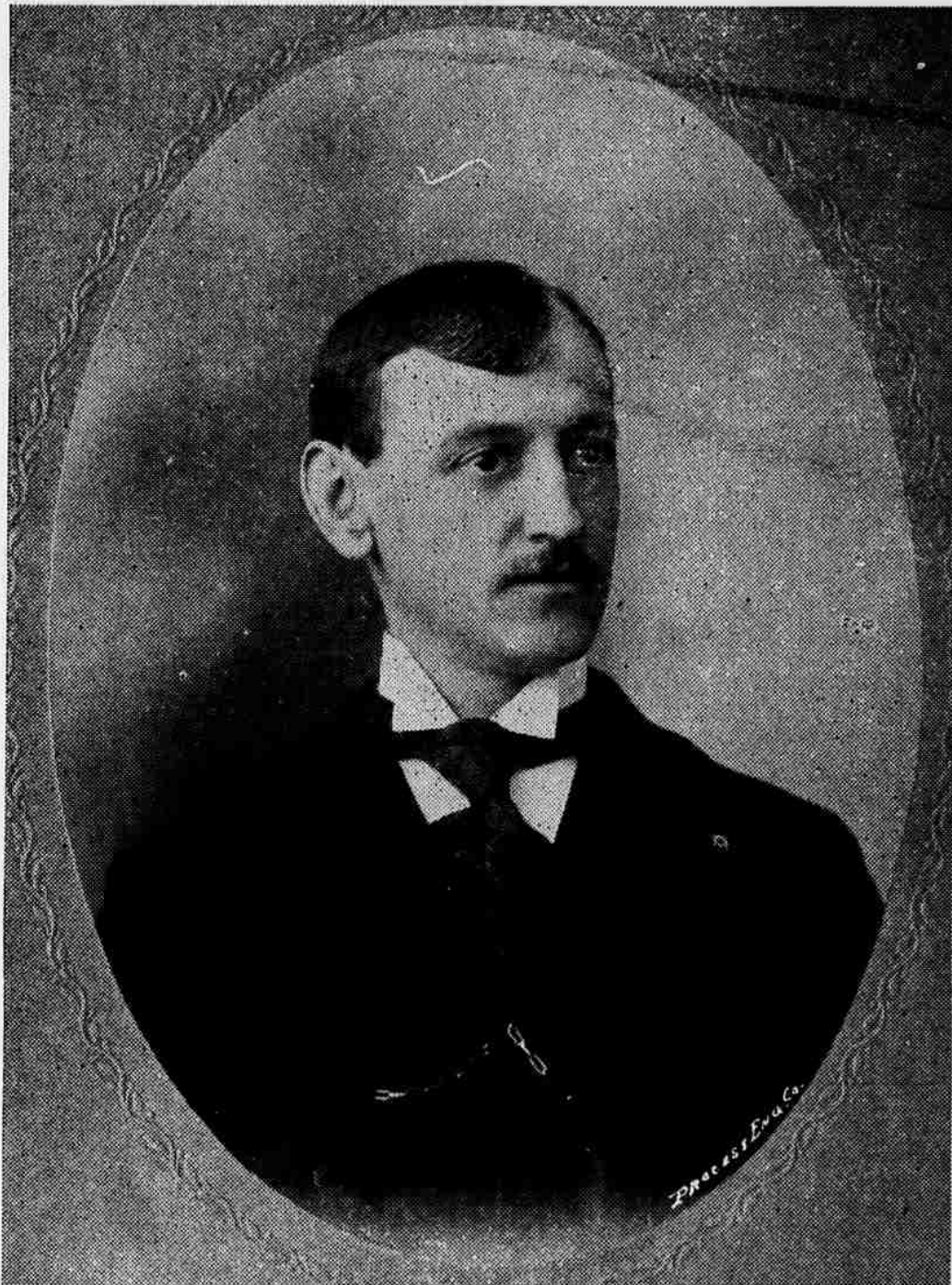
To send him to Harrisburg in January next means the placing of a man there who will do all that lies in his power for this city and county. Both will then need special attention. The new city charter and the possible contention over the fee system, both of which may require legislation, will tax the capabilities of the best men at the



W. K. BECK.

idle jingo, but ally yourselves to the interests that serve you best. There are many additional circumstances which go to make Mr. Reynolds the man to be favored at the polls, but for the present enough has been said to clearly indicate that. A careful canvass of the voters of the district makes it clear that he will be elected in No-

vember by a substantial majority. However, do not be over sanguine, as strange things happen around election time. See that your ballot goes into the ballot box for Thos. J. Reynolds, and remember you have not done your duty until you vote for him next month.



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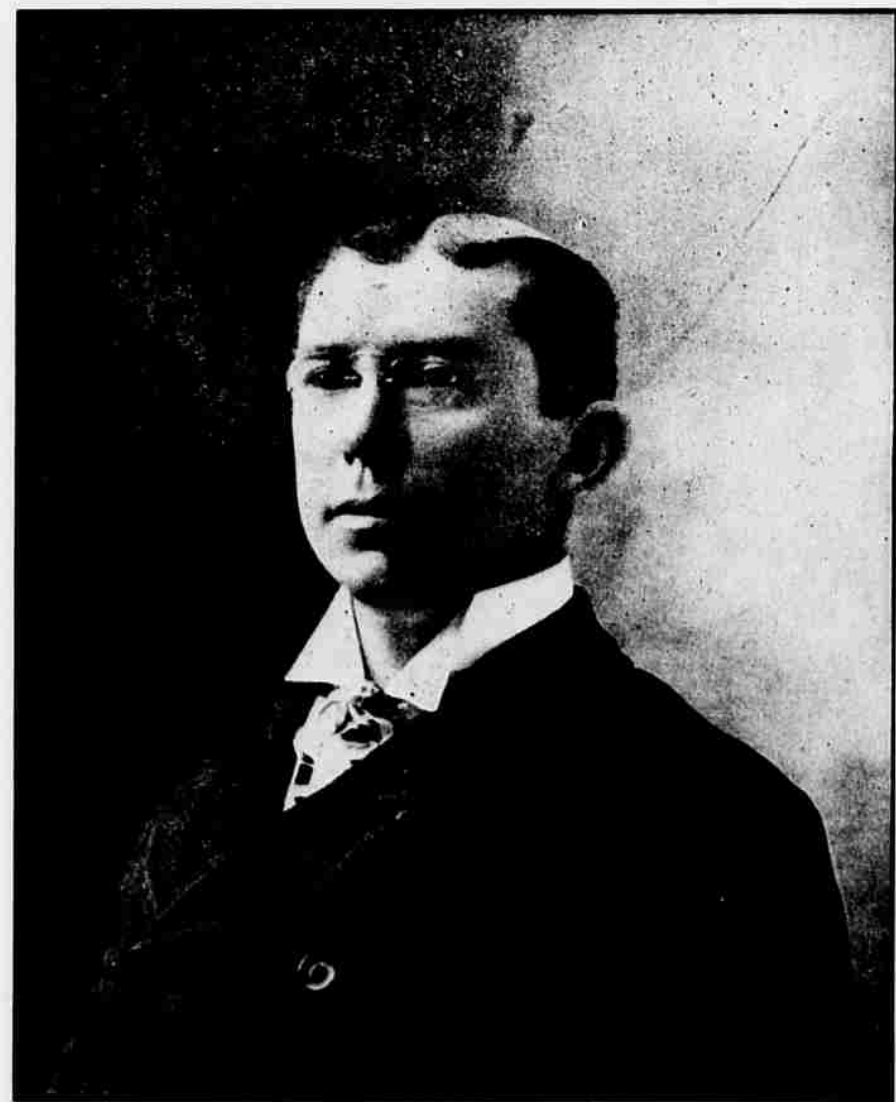
to which will undoubtedly be added many votes cast by others in compliment to his sturdy qualities as a citizen and as a man.

He is a man of firmness, sagacity and forethought, liberal in his views and tenacious in his opinion, and possesses the attributes that make a good citizen and a successful official. Having kept his standing in the party at all times, whether successful as a candidate or defeated, the Republicans of Lackawanna county are now determined that Mr. Beck shall receive the honors and emoluments due him at this election.

THOMAS J. REYNOLDS.

One of the most conspicuous now in the legislative field here is Thomas J. Reynolds, of the First Legislative district. He has the distinction of being the candidate of his party in the section made famous in being represented

state's law making seat. Mr. Reynolds is a very careful observer of events and will be able to judge correctly just what will be needed by the city and county in both issues. As much legislation goes by place on committees, and these come as party favors, the prudence of selecting a man who will line-up with the dominant party now suggests itself to the voter. Mr. Reynolds is a Republican and the next organization in the house will undoubtedly be of that kind, hence the wisdom of selecting him. Then there are many measures relating to this section which Mr. Farr could not complete at the last session, and a man must be sent from his district who will be able to hold up his end in bringing these matters to a successful and early issue. The West Side hospital needs attention, and with Mr. Reynolds in the favor of those who will control the organization nothing can go amiss in that connection. Do not allow yourselves to be fooled by



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