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REPUBLICAN TICKET.

State. Governor—S. W. PENNYPACKER. Lieutenant Governor—W. M. BROWN. Secretary of Internal Affairs—ISAAC B. BROWN.

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"The control of the Fifty-seventh congress will be determined," says Congressman Olmstead, "by the vote of Pennsylvania, and he is right. This is not a year to take chances.

A Modern Instance.

AN INTERESTING object lesson in modern finance has recently excited comment in the circle of speculation.

The Chicago, Rock Island and Pacific Railroad company has a capital of \$75,000,000 and owns 4,000 miles of track.

The directors in the Rock Island also control a number of smaller railway properties, mostly feeders. The aggregate mileage of these subsidiary properties is 3,000.

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Lightning.

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A Panacea for Populism.

A St. Paul dispatch in the New York Times conveys the gratifying information that the harvest yields in Minnesota and the Dakotas, in spite of the cold spring and wet summer, are exceeding all expectations.

These conditions explain why the harvest is not a record breaker. But it appears to be ample, nevertheless. A conservative estimate of the wheat yield of the three states places it at 178,000,000 bushels, at least 57,000,000 bushels below maximum.

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year, 1898. Flax is the big crop, and will make up for the shortage of wheat. While this grain will not all mature, it is estimated that the yield will be 100 per cent. greater than a year ago.

Taking current prices as the standard of appraisal, this harvest promises to put into the farmers' pockets the following sums:

Table with columns: Crop, Price per bushel, Total Value. Rows for wheat, flax, oats, corn, barley.

Says the dispatch in the Times: "It is quite likely that this entire product will bring to the farmer 10 per cent. more money than the prices at which these estimates are made."

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One Man's Views of Labor Problem

Editor of The Tribune. Sir: Much has been said, wise and otherwise, as to unionism in our leading newspapers; the greater part in support of it, and the smaller part in opposition.

There are a great number of old and reliable organizations in perfect working order to which any respectable laborer will be heartily welcomed.

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contempt proceeding could not be taken from the jurisdiction of the court in which it originated; that it was not a matter for review. Whether congress has power to say otherwise, or to provide for the federal judiciary a different basis for enforcing its authority, remains to be established.

Experience seems to prove that it is almost impossible for even a supposed law-abiding citizen of good judgment to refrain from becoming a reckless lunatic when occupying a seat in an automobile.

It looks as though the residents of the Philippine Islands and the Catholic Federation societies would never be able to agree upon the friar question.

The proposed Cuban bond issue is simply a recognition of necessity. Bricks cannot be made without straw.

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class of labor has by perseverance an "unfair" condition been able to put aside any small sum for the general good through organization, had they wise, faithful, sympathetic leaders, would they not invest that sum so it would tend toward the ownership of such industry, thus bringing their followers into increased interest in their labor?

Take the average laborer that is "out on strike" today. Should all employers concede all points at once, would their conditions be so improved that during the remainder of their lives they could reimburse themselves for the wages lost during their willful idleness?

When "union" people stop branding as "blacklegs" duly appointed officers of the peace and come forward and offer their evidence in convicting those who have shown themselves to be more barbarous than humane in their treatment of innocent, harmless people; then, and not till then, can society trust them to assist in maintaining the peace in their respective neighborhoods.

Very truly yours, Isaac M. Miller.

Dunmore, Aug. 5.

MISTAKEN IDENTITY. When Rosie came to town—The sun shone bright and men got tight.

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An Unparalleled Opportunity to Secure Advanced Educations Free

Read the Conditions of The Tribune's Great Educational Contest

Table with columns: List of Scholarships, Universities, Preparatory Schools, Music, Business and Art. Rows include Syracuse University, Bucknell University, etc.

Those wishing to enter the contest should send in their names at once. All questions concerning the plan will be cheerfully answered.

Three Special Honor Prizes for August

To be given to the three contestants scoring the largest number of points during the month of August.

FIRST PRIZE—Folding Pocket Kodak, No. 1. A. SECOND PRIZE—No. 2 Brownie Camera. THIRD PRIZE—No. 1 Brownie Camera.

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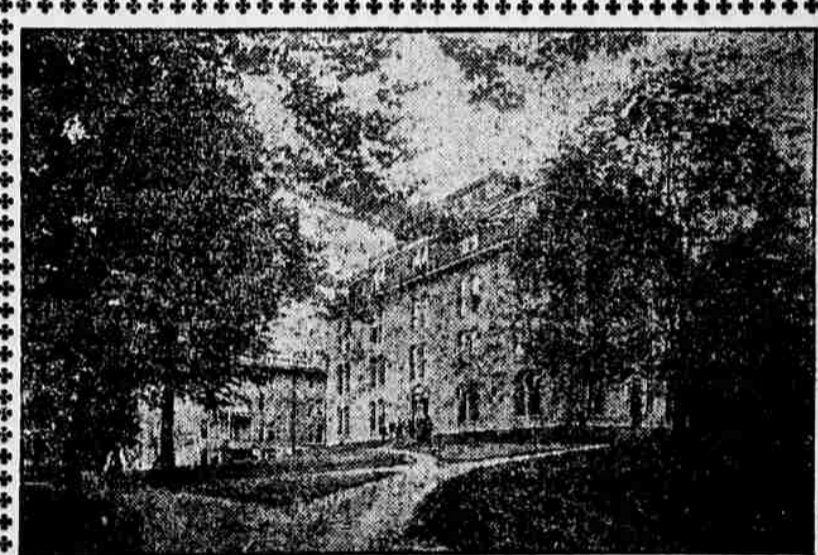
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