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REPUBLICAN TICKET.

State.

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

BROWN. Congress-WHLLIAM CONNELL. Judge-A. A. VOSBI'RG. Commissioners-JOHN COURIER MOR-RIS. JOHN PENMAN. Mine Inspectors-LLEWELYN M. EV-ANE, DAVID T. WILLIAMS.

Legislative. Senator-JOHN B. JORDAN.

Representatives-First District-JOSEPHI OLIVER, Second District-JOHN SCHEUER, JR. Third District-EDWARD JAMES. Fourth District-P. A. PHILBIN, Election day, Nov. 4.

All our regular correspondents are instructed, and our friends in all parts of the county are requested to send in tonight's returns promptly, by 'phone where possible, otherwise by wire,

Howell's Last Card.

HE "last card" of the Howell campaign appeared yesterday in the form of a circular

with an article in three languages grossly maligning William Connell and a cartoon accusing him of robbing miners' children of their daily bread

We surnose that this chaste and Mr. Howell's endorsement; at all his recent speeches have been along the same line. He poses as a cultured gentleman and begs for sympathy because ejected by votes of his own party the Scranton schools. It looks as ging the Republican literature used though he were bent on giving a demonstration of the wisdom of that ejection.

Nothing further need be said of the circular, except that those who be- been a regular stream of billings-Heve that William Connell is a rob- gate and libel directed at one or more ber of little children certainly ought not to vote for him for any public office, while, on the other hand, those who doubt the contents and propriety the part of the candidates on the soof the Howell "last card" should give called "Anti-Machine" ticket but to a

for a Republican United States senator to a vote of confidence in Theodor and to represent his district ably and Roosevelt, extending from ocean to each certain, in the event of his elecocean and covering substantially every tion, to have the influence and friendly locality in our country where elections aid of the Pennypacker administration, are fairly representative of public opluwithout which a representative would ion and preference. A conservative be little more than a figurehead. Vote forecast of the probabilities would confor any of these four and thus help to cede a Republican majority in the secure Type representation. Flfty-eighth congress of at least twenty Fifty-eighth congress of at least twenty

Get to the polls early this morning. and it would not be surprising if the After you have voted, volunteer some majority should be twice that. While work for the Republican ticket. Help in the light of political precedent any majority at all would be a victory, the to pull out the stay-at-homes. Make excellence of Republican administration your power felt.

and the extraordinary well-being of the Don't forget that the legislators and country under its care excite wonder enators elected today will have a vote that intelligent citizens should feel any ach for a United States senator this impulse to take chances. winter. Let no Republican vote to the

President Roosevelt's hands in the With so many evidences of prosperity on all sides and so much to be thank-A Contrast in Methods.

ful for, it is a wonder the Democrats do not take advantage of the situation GREAT deal of campaign bunto help their own cause a bit. Instead, combe and clap-trap has un-A combe and clap-trap has un-doubtedly been perpetrated they are still advocating calamity. An unknown poet has expressed his views upon a defenseless public dur-

n a bit of jingle, which is fitting: ing the campaign now closing, though As the horny hand of labor And the velvet hand of wealth, Are clasping each the other In a toast of luck and health; We can sing of "sweet prosperity" not nearly so much as in a campaign of ordinary length. The intelligence of most voters will, however, he sufficient to discount and discard it. Af-And other gladsome lays While the Democrats are pointing To those good old "souphouse days." ter today there will be an interval of

ago present campaign methods indicate Ever since the beginning of the presmarked progress. More and more event campaign, the Democratic orators ery year argument is demanded by have been demanding that the flag be voters in doubt, and literature and hauled down in the Philippines, "Old speaking are called for. The stump Giory" still waves, however, and will speech of a few years ago was ordincontinue to do so until civilization has arily a very commonplace intellectual nade it unnecessary. performance, to say nothing of its lack

of candor and sometimes of truthful-And now it is announced that Senator ness. The stump speech of today, how-Hoar has declared for expansion. It ever, has to have information in it is only the occasional wail of some and if the voters find that the inorator of the William Jennings Bryan formation it purports to contain is false stamp at the fate of dead issues that or misleading, the party responsible for would create doubt that the world the deception suffers. In much the moves. same way is it with the newspapers.

While we seriously doubt that the so-Good, clean, economical government, called independent newspaper, especialagainst which not a charge has been ly when neutral, has in recent years raised. This is what the county has greatly strengthened its hold upon pubhad under Commissioners Morris and lie confidence, except when impartial Penman. Re-elect them. and fair in its presentation of news

yet in almost all newspapers, includ-A Democratic victory on November ing the so-called party organs, the tone would make it much harder for Repubof discussion is higher and there is a lean success in 1904, when a Republigrowing tendency to appeal to reason can president will be needed to continue present prosperity. The Republican campaign in this

county this year has been singularly Judge Vosburg has carned an elecclean and high-toned. We have had tion. He has made a faithful and efgrade of speakers far above the orficient judge. The Democrats already have two of the judgeships. Don't let them act hoggish.

It begins to look as though the Panama war would never be settled until the United States makes a coaling station out of the neck. John Scheuer is a leader at Harris-

burg and can do a lot of work for his district. He is the man to keep there. The men who promised good majori-

ties for Pattison will all take to the woods tomorrow. Secure efficiency and economy in

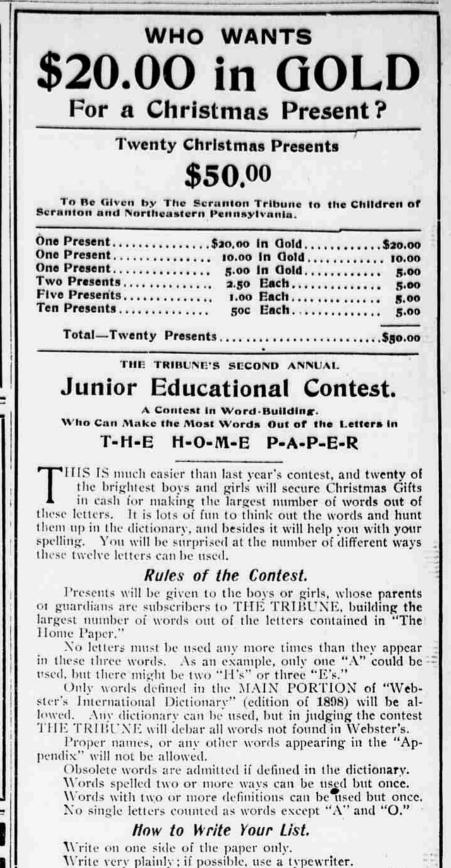
Vosburg has made a good judge and





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dinary, including a cabinet minister, dignified form of political argument has an ex-cabinet official, the floor leader of the house of representatives at Washevents, he has not disavowed it and ington and a number of other leading men, and quite uniformly their addresses have been educational and entertaining as well as partisan. We believe that in point of decency and free associates from the superintendency of dom from demagogism or pettifog-

rather than to prejudices.

Yet as compared with a few years

in this district this campaign has been of a comparatively high grade. Although from at least two of the organs of the opposition there has

cion is a failure.

The General Situation.

way between presidential years are

usually characterized by indifference and apathy on the part of voters of the

majority party and by gains by the op-

There is a reason for this founded

in human nature. Presidential cam-

paigns usually involve personal expec-

tations beyond the ability of any ad-

ministration wholly to realize. This is

peculiarly true of party workers. The

man in an office has less incentive to

work than the man who is out of office

but anxious to get in. For every man

appointed to an office a dozen men on

an average are disappointed and

chagrined if not actually embittered.

They usually show their feelings at the

'off-year" election. More than that,

the policies of an administration, how-

ever admirable, rarely become so clear-

ly defined in the first or second year

as to attract from the mass of people

not personally interested in office-seek-

ing the measure of appreciative sup-

port necessary to offset the loss of en-

thusiasm among , the disappointed.

Then, if the general conditions of busi-

ness are satisfactory there is a tendency

among business men to forget to appear

at the polls and give the party in

power the benefit of the appreciation

Thus it has come about that, with

one exception, every congress elected in

the past two decades immediately fol-

lowing a change in the presidency has

been controlled by the opposition, at

gress, chosen during the elation of vic-

tory in war. For these reasons it would

to which it is entitled.

that the elections mid-

for Connell.

position

of the Republican candidates, there has been little retaliation in kind. This county business by re-electing Penman was not due to lack of vulnerability on and Morris.

the Democrats have enough judges sense of the impropriety of abusive

Mr. Connell the benefit of the doubt, polities.

Vote early and work hard for the entire Republican ticket. Make your work tell.

The Ticket to Vote.

T ITS HEAD stands Samuel W. Pennypacker, with a stainless record as a judge, an able

scholar and historian, full of pride in his native state, her people and their achievements-a clean Republican whose election means the disappearance of factional rancor and a return of government without scandal. Vote for Pennypacker for governor. Next in line is William M. Brown, one

of the makers of the progressive city of Newcastle, this state: a former state senator whose record bears inspection and whose equipment for the place is first-class. Vote for Brown for lieutenant governor.

Bringlag up the rear of the state ticket, but in the trying times of the civil war always among the first on the battle line of duty, and in civil life an efficient, courteous and obliging gentleman, now the faithful deputy in the office over which he seeks to preside is Isaac B. Brown. Vote for him for secretary of internal affairs.

The candidate who heads the county ticket has written his own blography and eulogy in achievements which are the mainstay of Scranton's prosperity, But more than that: in this election he represents the policies and interests of the president of the United States; therefore vote for William Connell for congress.

Next below him on the ballot is A. A. Vosburg, an accomplished jurist, formerly an attorney who won leadership at the bar by merit, served acceptably and efficiently as city solicitor and was honored by appointment by the governor to the bench of the newly created Orphans' court, whose work and rules of procedure he organized with exceptional ability. Vote for Vosburg for judge

In John Courier Morris and John Penman we have two industrious and economical administrators of the county's business affairs who, after one term of signally effective service, ask a re-election. Vote for Morrris and Penman for county commissioners.

By recent legislation making elective those whose duty it is in the name of the state to see that our mines are made safe for the men and boys who earn in them their livelihood, Llewellyn M. Evans and David T. Williams appear on the ticket as the first candidates to go before the people for mine inspec- least in the house of representatives. tors. They are efficient and trust. The exception was the Fifty-sixth conworthy. Vote for them.

At the head of the legislative ticket, in John B. Jordan, the Republican party not be strange if the congress to be presents a capable and properly am- elected today should be Democratic bitious young man, a rising figure at And yet, from a higher standpoint it our bar and endorsed by all who know a good senator. You can rest assured of that. Vote for Jordan.

Finally, in the several legislative dispolicies of the administration are not tricts are/Oliver, Scheuer, James and only clearly defined but extraordinarily Philbin, a strong delegation, each popular and successful.

Elect him. While we must await tonight's re-This is a good time for the Demo urns to discover which style of camratic election better to quietly hedge. paigning is the more effectual in Lackawanna county, we should like to be

Tried and true in councils; safe at lieve that our people are not behind Harrisburg-Joseph Oliver; elect him, the people of other communities in growing away from the old-fashioned Pattison can't get away from the fact bluster and buncombe method of politthat he never reforms after election. cal campaigning and toward the educational and personally courteous

The silent voter will now demonstrat method now coming into vogue. Cerhis superiority over the noisy talker. tainly if Lynett and Little are correct judges of what constitutes effective

ness in political discussion the libel How many judges do the Democrat laws had better be repealed and sothink they are entitled to, anyhow? iety frankly confess that so far as ----the Tenth district is concerned civiliza-Invite properly to stay by voting the straight Republican ticket.

If you would sustain Roosevelt, vote In the Fourth district, Philbin and fficiency. He owns himself.

A vote for Connell is a vote fo THILE such a thing as an Roosevelt. Both deserve it. off year in polities should Common sense upholds Republicanbe unknown it is a fact

ism. Let well enough alone. Vote for Evans and Williams and

first-class mine inspection.

A vote for John Scheuer is a vote for results at Harrisburg. Don't overlook Jordan for senator. He's a sure winner.

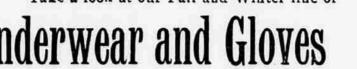
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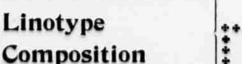
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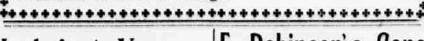
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