

Republican Ticket.

County Judge - R. BRUCE CRAWFORD. Prothonotary - JOHN H. ROBERTSON. Sheriff - JOHN W. JAMESON.

HYPOCRITE OR IGNORAMUS.

He Who Preaches Free-Trade as a Remedy Against Trusts.

The theory of the Democracy is that trusts are the creatures of Protection, and that they cannot exist under Free-Trade.

Now all this is the veriest pretence. There is no evidence that trusts owe their establishment and maintenance to the Protective Tariff.

Trusts are not the outgrowth of any special tariff system. They flourish or fail independently of tariffs, and are no more prevalent under protection than under free trade.

But the American people are not to be hoodwinked. They have had some instructive object lessons in free trade and protection.

DEMOCRATS are glad they are not required to write a Philippines plank this year. It would be a nice job to make it read both for and against annexation.

HAVANA, Santiago, Matanzas and other Cuban towns are cleaner than ever before in their history, and the sensible part of the inhabitants will be glad to make the change permanent.

SEVEN thousand five hundred workmen in the glass industry in Pennsylvania had their wages advanced 10 per cent. last week.

ONE iron plant has been closed and its big force of workmen released indefinitely.

A lot of icebergs that drifted into Nantucket harbor last winter have increased the depth of the bar channel from 8 feet to 12.

THE total production of tin plate by American mechanics since the passage of the McKinley Tariff has been 2,235,599,829 pounds, and the price to consumers has declined one-fourth.

A STATUTE of Gen. John H. Reynolds will be unveiled at the Gettysburg National Park, July 1, the thirty-sixth anniversary of his death.

THE Republicans of Jefferson county nominated a popular ticket at their primaries last Saturday, as follows: Prothonotary, Cyrus H. Blood; Register and Recorder, John D. Evans; Sheriff, J. M. Chestnut; Treasurer, Gil C. Heltz; Commissioners, W. C. Murry and Newton Webster.

THE Democrats have finished their two days' jangle over the nomination of a candidate for Supreme Judge at Harrisburg, at a late hour on Thursday evening last, the lucky man being Judge S. L. Mestrezat of Fayette county, whose nomination was made after 28 ballots had been taken.

Annual Convention at Cleveland, O., June 29th to 31st. Tickets on sale at all points on the Nickel Plate Road June 25th and 26th, good until 29th. One fare for round trip. Take any one of our Peerless Trio of Fast Trains.

The Democratic newspapers continue to make much of the testimony of the boss of the sugar trust, Mr. Havemeyer, who declared, before the Industrial Commission, that "the tariff is the mother of trusts."

Of course they don't take into consideration the fact that the greatest of all trusts, the standard oil, is absolutely without protection, nor do they include in their arguments that other fact, admitted by Mr. Havemeyer, that sugar is not protected.

What nonsense it all is! What, on the face of the earth, has a tariff to do with the building up of trusts? Havemeyer, who couldn't get for his syndicate all that he demanded from Congress, tries to pull down the tariff.

Now long as there are capitalists there will be combinations. Call them what you may, trusts, syndicates, corporations, the combinations will be made, and irrespective of free trade or tariff laws.

Free Trade Trusts, Too.

The theory that trusts are essentially a product of the protective tariff has been a favorite one in Democratic arguments on the subject. The fallacy of this claim is shown by an article from the pen of H. W. Macrosty, an English economist, in the March Contemporary Review.

As a matter of fact, it is unnecessary to look outside of the trust itself for a reason for its existence. The increased economy of production and decreased expense of distribution possible under a combination of small industries into one large one is ample explanation of the trust system of doing business.

In placing a friend in nomination for Supreme Judge before the late Democratic convention at Harrisburg a delegate told what a whole lot his candidate had done for the party, and as if to emphasize his eulogy of the man added: "If you want justice, nominate Dewit; he'll send you all to states prison."

A HARRISBURG dispatch says: The most interesting case of the week in the Dauphin county court, in that it had a most important bearing on State and federal relations, was the prosecution for selling liquor without license against James B. Moore and Patrick Joyce.

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Rudolph Butler, only child of Carlos and Kate Heath of Starr, died on Friday last, and was buried in Zwindell churchyard on Sunday. The little sufferer was sick but four days of cholera and infantum with which he was taken after midnight of the Sunday previous to his death.

Dear Ralph is gone, he left so soon. Just as his life burst into bloom, For like a rose had folded neat His life was opening up so sweet.

It is just a year since the Chicago, Milwaukee & St. Paul road inaugurated its celebrated Pioneer Limited passenger train service between Chicago, Milwaukee, St. Paul and Minneapolis.

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