

# THE CITIZEN.

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REPUBLICAN TICKET.

For President, GEN. BENJAMIN HARRISON, of Indiana.

For Vice President, HON. LEVI F. MORTON, of New York.

For Governor, JAMES T. MITCHELL, of Philadelphia.

For United States Senator, THOMAS B. MCCAMANT, of Dauphin Co.

For United States Senator, CHARLES C. TOWNSEND, of Beaver County.

For United States Senator, DR. J. B. SHOPLER, of Mifflin Co.

For United States Senator, R. B. HERRICK, of York Co.

For United States Senator, W. P. LEITCH, of York Co.

## What the British Want.

The electioneering campaign in America ought to be most interesting to the English people for historical, political, philosophical and economic reasons. \* \* \* The main question at issue is ENGLISH FREE TRADE AGAINST THE CONTINENTAL SYSTEM OF PROTECTION.

The Republic is on trial. Good, conservative government, under Cleveland, is opposed by the rule and ruin party of Blaine, whose friends nominated Harrison, and who would certainly be Secretary of State under a Harrison administration.

Thus the American people are directly involved in the contest through their pockets, which will be affected by the tariff, and their future, which will be seriously influenced by the restoration to power of such a fire-brand as Blaine, with his home rule sympathies and his anti-Canadian policy.

THE AMERICAN ELECTION IS INFINITELY MORE IMPORTANT TO ENGLISHMEN THAN THEIR OWN INTERNAL POLITICS JUST AT THIS JUNCTURE, and they should observe every phase of the campaign closely and understandingly.

It is from this point of view that the copious dispatches to the Sunday Times are called. THE RESULT OF THE AMERICAN ELECTIONS WILL HELP TO DECIDE MANY IMPORTANT ISSUES IN GREAT BRITAIN.

LONDON Sunday Times, July 15, 1888.

EVERY Republican should register at once.  
Hospitals for Miners.  
The Legislature, at last session, passed an act providing for the erection of three hospitals in counties embracing the bituminous coal regions of this State, and the Governor has appointed a commission to select the sites for the hospitals. Butler would be an advantageous location for one of these institutions, being in the heart of the bituminous coal section, and our people should look after the matter. Our county has no member on the commission, and as Mercer we suppose her chances for a site will be better than ours, or any of the adjoining counties.

## Blaine's Welcome Home—His First Speech.

NEW YORK, Aug. 10.—Mr. Bartlett delivered the following speech of welcome on the arrival of William Henry Blaine in New York.

MR. BLAINE—The Republican Club of the city of New York and its invited guests tender you, sir, through me as President of the club, their warmest greetings and sincerest congratulations upon your arrival, and on the health and strength on these shores. When the club first proposed this reception it was not intended as an act having political significance, but rather as a private expression of love and regard for one whom we look upon as our most illustrious citizen.

We are not assembled, sir, on this occasion in a spirit of adulation to do homage to one occupying high official position, or in the seeking to find the right man for a candidate upon whom the mantle of power is soon to rest; but we come to greet a private citizen whose name is so intimately associated in our history for the past generation with no other name than that of his name or increase the esteem and admiration in which he is held by his fellow-countrymen.

Mr. Blaine said in reply: MR. PRESIDENT AND GENTLEMEN OF THE REPUBLICAN CLUB AND GUESTS.—I feel it a privilege and honor to appreciate this welcome, and every one of you should be absent from home and country for the long period of fourteen months. I am sure you can have little conception of the great gratification I feel in being so warmly welcomed to the shores of the Great Republic. I cannot tell you how deeply grateful I am to be remembered in this manner by you and these assembled gentlemen. It is a scene I shall never forget. It is an occasion which I assure you I appreciate from the depths of my heart.

The war broke out. Harrison won; and Cleveland was elected. It is an occasion which I assure you I appreciate from the depths of my heart.

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## COMMUNICATIONS.

MCCANDLASS, BUTLER CO., PA.  
MR. NOBLEY—Sir: Seeing in your paper that you desired the names of the men who voted for William Henry Harrison in 1840. I was one and if I am spared and am able to go to the election I am going to vote for Harrison this fall. But my health is very poor. I am past getting around for a year with respect.  
Yours truly,  
JACOB BROWN, Sr.

HOOKER, PA., AUG. 12, '88  
MR. JOHN H. NEELY: Dear Sir— I send you the names of the old veterans of Concord that voted for Wm. H. Harrison in 1840, and the inquiry that I am making is, whether you would like to have their names put in your paper for the purpose of giving them a testimonial. I will send them again.  
Yours truly,  
JOHN G. CRIBRY.

ADDICTION TO THE PRODUCING WELL on the Gold farm, the following new ones are being drilled in Middlesex Twp., this county:  
1. On David Lefevre farm,  
1. On Eli Anderson farm,  
1. On Jacob B. Flick farm,  
1. On Robert K. Frye farm,  
1. On George Hays farm,  
1. On Mrs. Robert Trimble farm,  
1. On Wm. B. Marshall farm,  
1. On J. Nelson Fulton farm,  
1. On John Harrison farm, making in 12 drilling in this county.

YOUNG Republicans, who voted on age last fall, must be assessed in order to vote this fall.

A CONDENSED DOUBLE BIOGRAPHY.  
Benjamin Harrison and Grover Cleveland are about the same age. Both are of honorable parentage. Both are lawyers. Both sought honor in the military service. Both are the sons of a free people. I cannot tell you how deeply grateful I am to be remembered in this manner by you and these assembled gentlemen.

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