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The program for the Pennsylvania campaign.

ARE TIES THAT BIND.

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Jeremiah Kelly,

#### REEDER AT WORK.

Republican State Chairman Getting the Party Organization in Line.

PENROSE AND BARNETT POPULAR

They Will Each Make a Few Speeches to Help Along the Campaign in Ohio Upon Special Invitation.

(Special Correspondence.)

Philadelphia, Sept. 19.—General Frank Reeder, chairman of the Republican state committee, is busy get-ting the details of the state campaign publican state committee, is busy getting the details of the state campaign in shape for an aggressive canvass in the interest of all the candidates on the Republican state ticket. Chairman Reeder has had experience in this line and the work comes quite natural to him. He is familiar with the men actively identified with the party organization throughout the commonwealth and recognizes that in a campaign such as he has before him he has but to get the party workers interested and they will see that a good vote is gotten to the polls. The Democratic organization in the state is not potential enough to give any Republican concern as to the outcome of the Republican state chairman is to arouse the members of his own party to the true condition of affairs and see that they go to the polls. Chairman Reeder has been in correspondence with Chairman Dick, of the Republican state committee of Ohio, and, as both the campaigns in both the Keystone and the Buckeye states will be conducted upon the same lines, the Republican organizations in these states will work together for the same ends. lican organizations in these states will work together for the same ends.

A BOND OF SYMPATHY.

"Republicans of Pennsylvania and Ohio are going to co-operate in their campaign this fall," said United States Senator Penrose the other day, "and they are going to endeavor to make the results of the elections in both states overwhelming victories for the states overwhelming victories for the Republican organization and emphatic indorsements of the Republican national administration. The elections throughout the country this fall will by their records of Republican triumphs foreshadow the outcome of the national campaign of next year. Pennational campaign of next year. mational campaign of next year. Penn-sylvania and Ohio are looked upon as certain to go Republican in November by decisive majorities, but the aim of the national leaders of the party is to the national leaders of the party is to have these states give expression to the popular approval of President Mc-Kinley's magnificent administration in an unusually emphatic manner. Nothing will be left undone to impress the Republicans of the Keystone state and the Buckeye state with the fact that they owe a duty to their party and their country at the coming election—to give a glorious indorsement of the national administration.

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Senator Penrose has agreed to make a few speeches in Ohio during the canvass, and was yesterday in receipt of a letter from Chairman Dick, of the Ohio Republican state committee, thanking him for his acceptance of the invitation and notifying him that he will be advised of the dates upon which they will be pleased to have him visit their state. Lieutenant Colonel James E. Barnett, of the Fighting" Tenth regiment, Pennsylvania's Republican nominee for state treasurer, made a very favorable impression upon the president and others from Ohio who were in attendance at the reception in Pittsburg to his regiment on their return home from Manila. Colonel Barnett was then and there asked if he would not make two or three speeches in Ohio this fall for the Republican state ticket, and he agreed to do so. State Chairman Reeder has since cordially concurred in this arrangement, and he will see that the itinerary for Colonel Barnett's tour of this state will be prepared so that he can slip away for these speechtour of this state will be prepared so that he can slip away for these speech-

ARE TIES THAT BIND.

"There are many ties that bind the people of Pennsylvania and Ohio together," remarked Senator Penrose, in commenting further upon these proposed visits to the president's state, "Many Ohioans formerly lived in Pennsylvania, while the parents of others were originally Pennsylvanians, President McKinley's father and mother once lived in York county, of this state. Both commonwealths have much in common in their industrial, mineral and business interests. Our campaigns will be fought this year upon the same lines, and Republicans of Pennsylvania will vie with their neighbors across the Ohio border in making the majorities as great as possible."

Several prominent Republicans from

HAVE BEEN SPECIALLY INVITED.

Governor Stone Says Pennsylvania's Representatives in the Army in the Philippines Should Properly Receive the Naval Hero of Manila.

(Special Correspondence.) Harrisburg, Sept. 19.—Lieutenant Colonel James E. Barnett has received a special invitation from General Roe, of the New York reception committee, to have the Tenth Pennsylvania regi-

ment, which fought with bewey's men in the Philippines, take a place of honor in the great parade of soldiers and sailors who will greet the hero of Manila on the 29th inst. This is the only volunteer command east of the Alleghenies that took part in the campaign in Luzon, and a glorious reception awaits the brave boys from the Keystone State on their visit to New York. Lieutenant Colonel Barnett, upon receipt of General Rocks nett, upon receipt of General Roe's invitation, immediately made a canvass of the regiment, and the reports of the captains of the several companies were unanimous in the desire to contribute to the celebration in honor of Dewey. Governor Stone promptly informed Lieutenant Colonel Barnett that he would see that a supply of arms were loaned the men by the state in order that they might be properly equipped for the parade.

CHAT WITH GOVERNOR STONE.

"Pennsylvanians are justly proud of the Tenth regiment," said the governor, "and we are delighted to have them go to New York to represent the Keystone State in this demonstration. While Admiral Dewey was steaming across the seas in the Olympia our boys of the Tenth were also speeding homeward, coming by the San Francisco route, and nothing could be more-fitting than that these galiant representatives of the army in the Philippines should be on hand to greet the naval heroes when they first set foot upon their native land once more."

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Great preparations, it is understood, are under way in Philadelphia to give Barnett and his boys a royal welcome on their way to New York. Colonel Ralston's Third regiment have invited them to be their guests while in the Quaker City, and the officers of the National Export Exposition propose to entertain them and extend them the courtesies of the big show. It is not unlikely that the presentation of the bronze Spanish cannon brought by the Tenth from Luzon to the city of Philadelphia will be made by Lieutenant Colonel Barnett during this visit of the regiment. Mayor Ashbridge will present the freedom of the city to the boys of the Tenth in a characteristic and patriotic address. A PHILADELPHIA WELCOME.

#### FOR A NATIONAL ISSUE.

The Anti-Trust Advocates Will Organize For Action.

Chicago, Sept. 19.—Anti-trust dele gates to the National Trust Confer ence took action to make the anti-trust movement a national one. A meeting of prominent delegates, in-cluding M. M. Lockwood, president of the American Anti-Trust League; Congressman Sutherland of Nebraska John I. Yellett of Maryland and others was held after the adjournment of the conference and decided to hold a meetconference and decided to hold a meeting of anti-trust delegates, pass strong resolutions and plan for making the movement national in scope and to make it the paramount issue in the forthcoming campaign.

Prominent anti-trust delegates declared the movement was in no sense a political one, but its importance overshadowed all else. The idea of attempting to force anti-trust resolu-

overshadowed all else. The idea of attempting to force anti-trust resolutions through the trust conference was abandoned. It was the general opinion that such action would only result in a row, and Coionel Bryan's action in refusing to present his resolutions for that reason was upheld by his friends.

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Chicago, Sept. 18.—The topic of conversation among all classes of people here since the close of the conference on the "Uses and Abuses of Trusts," has centered on the closing speeches of the conference delivered by W. J. Bryan and W. Bourke Corkran, both of which are declared to have been the most masterly efforts in the line of oratory that have been heard in this city in a long time. Mr. Bryan's speech made it clear that he is now, as he always has been, unalterably opposed to trusts and combinations in all their forms and said that no good ever had nor ever could result from them; that they were the cause of much of the suffering among the poorer classes—a continual obstacle in the

them; that they were the cause of much of the suffering among the poorer classes—a continual obstacle in the path of prosperity among those who labor for their daily bread, and a memace to the general business intertorests of the country.

Mr. Bryan's speech brought forth some remarks from W. Bourke Cockran in which he tried to make it clear that no monopolies could exist without governmental favor. The moment a monopoly abused its opportunities, competition sprang up in its own field. "Octopuses" and "crushing monopolies" were but imcomprehensible noises, at which people took fright, he declared, and added that if an incomprehensible noise were to occur right then he and all the others would jump out of the windows.

The volume of wages is regulated by fixed laws, he declared, and he said it was no Utopian dream that ere another trust conference rolled around employers and employes would be living in peace and harmony, with the former insisting on the latter joining unions.

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Rochester's Loss By Fire.

Rochester, Sept. 18.—A fire, which started in the boiler room of the Ira 8. Desbro box factory. No. 7 Aqueduct strest, totally destroyed that six-story structure, togeher with the J. H. Chase flouring mills, four stories high, and damaged surrounding property. Two fireness. William Scanlon of Hose No. 6 and William Oakman of Hose No. 11, were injured, the former serious. The total loss will reach about \$150,000.

Believed in London That Only War Can Settle the Transvaal Complications.

WAR SPIRIT INCREASED.

Departure of British Troops for South Africa Causes Much Speculation Throughout England.

Serious Danger of an Unauthorized Clash on the Frontier-Attitude of the Boers Not Thought Justiflable to England in Commencing Hostilities.

London, Sept. 19.-While the hope of avoiding shostilities between Great Britain and the Boers has undoubted-ly diminished, there is still adequate justification for the widespread belief in London that war is now inevitable. All accounts agree that the Boer reply to the British demands is tantamount to a refusal. Nevertheless they reck-on without the restraining influence of British conscience, who believe that England's answer will be a declara-

on without the restraining influence of Bertish conscience, who believe that England's answer will be a declaration of war or the firing of a British gun without further preliminaries. The Boers may expect this; in fact, the real danger is that they assume a British intention to immediately attack them and will seek to forestall the British at some frontier point.

The war spirit is strong in England, and especially in London, but its strength is exaggerated, both in the press and other public utterances. It is beginning to be realized by conservative opinion that the remaining issue-with the Boer republe will not justify England before the world, or before her own conscience, in striking down a free white people. It may be the intention of the Saisbury Government, sooner or later, by one means or another, to add the Transwaal Republic to the British dominions, but it will not be attempted without a better excuse than the Boer refusal to grant the outstanding demands. Such an excuse, unfortunately, may be fortheoming at any noment. There are plenty of agents of Cecil Rhodes, with other fire eaters, on the Transwaal frontier ready to provide it even if the Boers themselves do not.

The artificial nature of much of the war excitement both here and at the Cape is becoming more palpable daily. The peace party has no fair representation in the London press, The Manchester Guardian is its only powerful exponent. The influence of the Chartered Company on the English press was never so strongly demonstrated as now.

Many Englishmen are puzzled by Sir Alfred Milner's openly bellicose attitude. His last despatch is nothing less than an appeal to the Government to proceed to extreme measures immediately. This is an open espousal of the war party's cause, and deeply

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The public excitement in London is fed by the enthusiastic farewell to departing troops, and the long series of war office announcements of fresh preparations for war. The patriotic thrills aroused by reading these stern orders were turned to pathos by this accompanying circular, signed by the Secretary of War: "It has been noticeed that a predominant fashion exists for young officers to shave the upper lip. This is much to be regretted." The order proceeds to request the superior officers to take such steps as may be necessary to ensure that the Queen's regulations are observed. The latest news from South Africa confirms the statements made by the Cape Town correspondent of the Pall Mall Gazette in regard to the willingness of the Transvaal Government to grant the seven years' franchise, pro-

man Gazette in regard to the willing-ness of the Transvaal Government to grant the seven years' franchise, pro-vided it is not regarded as a pre-cedent, and the appointment of a joint commission of inquiry.

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London. Sept. 18.—The reply of the
Transvaal Government to Mr. Chamberlain's latest note covers nine pages.
It is eminently of the "negative and
inconclusive" character which Mr.
Chamberlain declared would compet
the Imperial Government to consider
the situation afresh. It practically repudiates suzerainty, reverts to the
seven years' franchise, and declines to'
give equality to the Dutch and English lanquages in the Volksraad.
In short, it is negative and defiant
politely. The full text may not be
available for a day or two, but it will
not change the aspect of affairs. The
Cabinet probably will meet on Wednesday or Thursday to consider the
next-step.

Has a Capital of Seventeen Millions Has a Capital of Seventeen Milions
Pittsburg, Sept. 18.—James A Chambers, president of the American Glass
Company, is authority for the statement that a window glass combine
has been effected. The new company
will take in fifty of the largest concerns in the country, their aggregate
capacity being about 2,000 pots. This
is said to leave only about 600 pots
outside of the combine. The new
company will bear the old name of
"American Glass Company," and will
be capitalized at \$17,000,000.