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FOR PRESIDENT, William McKinley. VICE PRESIDENT, Garret A. Hobart.

Republican Ticket.

STATE. For Congressmen—Largo, C. H. A. Giddys, S. A. DAVENPORT. COUNTY. For Congress, THAD. M. MAHON, (subject to District Conference.) For State Senator, EDWIN M. HUMMEL, (subject to District Conference.) For Assembly, CHARLES W. BERGMAN. For Sheriff, IS. SCOTT BITTEL. For Treasurer, WILLIAM H. BIEBLE. For Commissioners, WILLIAM DRESE, ISAAC SPOTTS. For County Auditors, J. C. BOWERSOX, C. P. MOYER. For Coroner, Dr. J. E. HOGAR.

Thursday, Aug. 6, 1896.

Created Favorable Comment.

Judge Archibald of Scranton, who last week sat as the President Judge of our court to try the case of A. W. Potter vs. P. R. R. company for damages in the Kreamer collision, conducted the suit in such a manner as to cause favorable comment on all sides. His quick, ready decisions, the prompt disposition of objections and points of law were for him a favor.

Snyder County Always Right.

The Middleburgh Post has had a visitor from West Perry township who "thinks that McKinley will have more of a majority than the total of all the votes that Bryan will get." Later on if he investigates a little he will find the free silver sentiment growing so rapidly that even Snyder county may be considered doubtful.

Our Millin county brother must not class the intelligent citizens of Snyder county with the rampant populists and anarchists at the Chicago and St. Louis conventions.

The people of Snyder county want good dollars. They have not forgotten the trade dollar experience nor the depreciated currency of war time. Snyder county is always right on the national question.

Bryan Admits a Panic.

Mr. Bryan declared a short time ago that the free and unlimited coinage of silver at this time would produce a panic. He made this statement in Ackley, Iowa, but a short time since, in answer to a question put to him by a prominent merchant of that place during a lecture Mr. Bryan delivered there on the subject of free coinage of the white metal. Mr. Pleasant, the merchant referred to asked the lecturer this question: "Mr. Bryan, will the adoption of free coinage of silver at the ratio of 16 to 1 cause a business depression and panic, as Secretary Carlisle and other great financiers predict?" Mr. Bryan answered promptly as follows: "Yes, in my opinion, it would have that tendency. But if a man is sick there is no use putting off giving him his medicine and letting him get worse. I think it will cause a panic. But the country is in a deplorable condition, and it will take extreme measures to restore it to a condition of prosperity."

Those voting for Bryan and free silver are given to understand by their presidential candidate that their action will produce a panic if they win. Now, is a panic what the country stands in need of?—Fast St. Louis, Ill., Journal.

"Working Man and a Republican."

A correspondent who differs with us on the money question writes: "I have no ill feelings at all against you, but understand, I am a workingman, so was your father. I am also a republican."

Surely this is no argument in favor of free silver. Three-fourths of the readers of the Middleburgh Post are working men. We dare not shut our eyes against the truth and allow a free silver heresy to drive us to national doom.

It is our purpose to save our working men and our oppressed farmers from falling in with a movement that can only assist the silver mine owners. If the farmers of this country could get a movement started to sell 53 cents worth of wheat and get a dollar for it, our farmers would prosper, but they can rest assured the silver owners would not endorse the movement.

The laboring class of people are depressed and the Post stands for anything that will enhance the interests of the laboring man, but we are sure our readers can see that a law that will give the mine owners 100 cents for 53 cents worth of product will be a burden on the government that we must all help to bear and who gets the profit? The mine owner. When labor is depressed as it is now, it is easier to make it appear that the money question is at fault. Why cry more money? Millions of dollars are lying idle and begging for borrowers at 3 and 4 per cent. Why can't we get it? you ask. That is the question. Do you suppose that man who takes his silver to the mint and gets his profit is going to divide with you and me? The idea that a working man should be for the free and unlimited coinage of silver is simply preposterous. The laboring men are the hope of this country and if we did not defend them and guard them against the snares and delusions of those who would lure them to ruin, we would feel ourselves guilty of negligence and they would learn when it is too late that they had been entrapped. There are now a smaller number of believers in the free silver movement than there were 60 days ago and at the time of the election the number will be still more diminished.

SOME RAMBLING THOUGHTS.

BY NEMO. (Copyrighted.)

(Panned by a lawyer for the snare of prostration, out home, them, some, the hottest day of the year was registered, life and its varied opportunities.)

The surest way to be miserable is to yearn for what we cannot have; the surest way to some degree of satisfaction in life, is to do the duty nearest at hand and do it well. Many of us are too much like the naughty child who cried for the moon's reflection in the bath-tub; we set our affections on things above our reach and then drop back peevishly to be a burden to ourselves and a nuisance to those who deserve our smiles rather than our grumbings. We beat our heads against the adamant walls of the unattainables we look at some distant pinnacle of ambition and we shriek out in anxious agony "Mountain, be thou brought nigh!" and it moves not; we neglect the glorious opportunities of the present and dream of some golden future that is to come to us somehow (we do not stop to think how) and we awake to find the present gone and the future good as much in the clouds as ever. Then turn the milk of human kindness to a curd within us and we amount to nothing, the salt has lost its savor, the fire of purpose dies out; we are therefore fit for naught but to associate with bats and blind men; for we are blind, and worse yet, we know it not.

You with discontented heart, for there needs must be such among the thousands who read these lines, bear with the words of one who has suffered and has learned. Look to the traveler and be wise. After long journeyings, the peak of his search is outlined against the sky and he rejoices, but he does not sit down and say to his heart "I am there! I am there!" He knows better; it is yet fifty miles away and between these two, the man and the mountain, there stretch woods and valleys and toilsome paths. His way must be your way. Moment by moment he takes the next step and the next and the next. Sometimes in depressions he even loses sight of that sky-piercing summit but he knows that it is still towering above and he plods till he gets there.

By all means hold on to a noble ambition; set them so high, if you will, that the base of them is at your feet and the apex is in the zenith, but do not unnecessarily

discourage yourself by attempting a sudden assault upon name, and fame and success. To reach Lake Erie from Lake Ontario only a fool would attempt to row up the Falls of Niagara; the wise man with similar intent would go through the Welland Canal and reap the reward of his wisdom. There are certain sequences of Nature which you cannot abbreviate. The egg antedates the hen (in our day at least), the acorn grows into the oak by unnoticed transitions, a good foundation is an absolute necessity to a stately building, patient effort goes before success. You cannot be a great lawyer unless you are willing to be a thorough student, nor a great musician unless you will be a patient practiser, nor a good minister without going through deep and humiliating soul-experiences; nor, in fact a great anything, unless great is your faith, and unless your works overtop in volume even your faith.

In short there is no laudable ambition of any noteworthy height that can be reached at one leap; to wish it so, is to be lazy and out of sorts with this work-a-day world. Furthermore, heights that are unattainable by sudden assaults are attainable by the strategy of patient and well-directed effort, which in itself is a solace as you go your way. Station D. New York.

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THE MOST CRITICAL PERIOD IN THE LIFE OF A WOMAN.

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It is well for those approaching this time, to write Mrs. Pinkham, at Lynn, Mass. She has the experience of years to aid her in advising. She will charge you nothing. She helped this woman, who says:—"I have used Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound in my family ten years, with the best results. Some time ago my daughter had catarrh of the womb, and it entirely cured her. I was approaching the "change of life," and was in a deplorable condition. My womb had fallen, and the bearing-down pains and backache were terrible, and kidneys affected. "I began taking the Compound, and my pains ceased. I consider it the strongest bridge between sickness and health, and recommend it to every body I meet who needs it."—Mrs. L. HENNA, Patchogue, L. I.

Auditor's Notice.

The undersigned, who was appointed auditor by the Orphans' Court of Snyder County, at May adjourned Term last, to make distribution of the balance appearing upon the first and final account of H. L. Peters, administrator of the estate of Joseph Peters, late of West Beaver Township, Snyder Co., Pa., deceased, to and among those legally entitled thereto, will meet all parties in interest for that purpose, at his office in the Borough of Middleburgh, Pa., on Monday, Aug. 11, next, between the hours of nine o'clock A. M. and three o'clock P. M. of said day, when and where all parties shall attend and present their claims or be forever debarred from receiving any portion of said fund.

J. G. CROUSE, Auditor.

Auditor's Notice.

Notice is hereby given that the undersigned has been appointed auditor by the Orphans' Court of Snyder County, to distribute the funds in the hands of D. Banks Wetzel, of the estate of the late of Samuel Wetzel, late of Beaver (now Spring Twp.), deceased, to and among those entitled to the same; and that the auditor will meet the parties interested at his office in the Borough of Middleburgh, Snyder Co., Pa., on Friday, the 28th day of August, A. D. 1896, at 9 A. M. of said day, at which time and place all persons who have any claims upon said fund or are interested in the same must present them duly authenticated before the auditor, or be forever debarred from coming in for a share of said fund.

JACOB GILBERT Auditor.

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EDITORIAL.

TOM REED has fired a shot for gold that is being heard round the world.

THE scheme for the unlimited coinage of 50 cent silver is wholly opposed to mathematics, logic and morality.

TOM WATSON is going into dreams and allegory for campaign ammunition. This is easier and cheaper than arguments.

WITH patriots like Speaker Reed on the stump in Maine the old greenbackers of 1880 will make no headway with cheap money this year.

SQUEEZE the oratory out of Bryanism and Watsonism and what is there left? Not even the wind that is now keeping them in evidence.

THAT American citizens should ever have been forced to organize for the retention of honest money will seem incredible to the next generation. But the demon of dishonesty is getting in his work, and the only thing to do is to fight him to a finish.

So long as the domain of America extends from the shores of the Atlantic to the shores of the Pacific, from the icy waters of the lakes to the tepid waters of the gulf, our tariff policy, to be truly American, must be truly protective.

THE platform of Chicago is a direct departure from the beaten path of the Democratic party, and while it will go before the country and appeal for votes in that honored name, the great American people will recognize the difference between the motley and the genuine, and the free silver heresy will receive a joyful November burial.—Washington Times.

THE fact that the value of foreign goods remaining in warehouses was \$11,000,000 more last March than in March, 1895, is evidence of the impoverished condition of our people, who are unable to purchase freely, even of the "cheap" foreign goods that are awaiting them. Perhaps free trade theorists will begin to understand that less work in our mills means a lighter purchasing power on the part of our people.

WE are a continent, not an island; our resources are plural, not singular. In a speech, made in 1841, Webster said that he defied any one conversant with our early history, from 1787 to 1789, to deny that protection was the leading motive in the formation of the new government. One of the first acts of congress was a tariff act, passed July 4, 1789, and, being moderately protective, it was a declaration of independence from the industrial domination of Great Britain.

Mr. William Jennings Bryan, of Nebraska, at his home early in August. It has just occurred to us that possibly the present eruption of Mr. Thomas Euphony Watson's mouth and pen may be explained upon the assumption that so far he has received no cards to this function. We may, perhaps, be pardoned for suggesting to Mr. Sewall that a letter addressed simply to "Tom Watson, Georgia," would be sure to reach its destination safely.

AMERICAN interests may be safely entrusted to President McKinley's hands, whether occasion calling for the exercise of his careful judgment may arise during the declining days of the nineteenth century or in the dawn of the new century, that will, we trust, find him the true, honorable and upright president of the United States as he has been one of its true, honorable and upright public and private citizens. While we congratulate Major McKinley upon his nomination, we still more congratulate the American people upon their representative, who will lead the party of protection to victory.—American Economist.

Mr. Reed to Democrats.

Mr. Reed's speech was in excellent temper, and in no part more so than where he discriminated between Democratic organizations and individual Democrats. On the subject of Democrats who were severing party ties in behalf of national honor he said:

Why, it is within the memory of a third, and perhaps, half of this very audience which listens to me that when the terrible war of the rebellion burst forth tens of thousands of Democrats, politicians, strong party men, sprang to their feet, representing hundreds of thousands, aye, millions, and thenceforth and always were part and parcel of the bone and sinew of the victorious republic. What matter if the party had gone wrong? They were right. One man among them, one man alone, by a single sentence gave aid and succor to this government which outweighed a whole army-corp of veterans, musket on shoulder. When Stephen A. Douglas declared, after Sumter was fired on, that "thenceforth there could be but two parties, patriots and traitors," he won the respect even of foes and an imperishable place in history. We shall certainly welcome all such men today, not that they are to be Republicans, for they will not be, but because they are patriots, for that they must be.

This was a gracious thing for Mr. Reed to say. Every word of it is true. As Major McKinley had said in effect the same thing on Saturday evening last, it would seem to be the Republican policy for the campaign orators, and it certainly is a good one. It is a time for patriots to stand together and partisans to drop to the rear.

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