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FREELAND, SEPTEMBER 24, 1891

"BURN THIS LETTER."

nal will be hoisted. Yours tru nal will be hoisted. Yours truly,

T. MCCAMANT.

MY DEAR BARDSLEY:—I have seen Livsey
who tells me that Boyer will take the schoo
warrant to you in person. Yours,

P. S.—Burn this letter.

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The Massachusetts Republican platform declares that "the removal of duties on sugar has proved a great boon to the country." True, and it has proved a great object lesson as well. The people have learned that the tariff is a tax paid by the consumer, and they will help themselves to other "boons" by untaxing other of their necessaries.—New York World.

Republicans who were gleefully anticipating a wholesale desertion of Democrats from Lynch have been badly disappointed. Instead of the usual factional contests they find the County Democracy as solid as a rock. Those who failed to be placed on the ticket are working with all their strength for its success. There are no skulkers among the disappointed Democratic candidates for places on the ticket. Success is becoming more assured every day.

Nor for a great many years has the Democratic party been so confident as at present. This characteristic, con-spicuous as it is throughout the State spicuous as it is throughout the State and county, may be accepted as fore-showing a popular sentiment which will not fail to seek full expression at the polls upon election day. The voters of the State have learned much during the sessions of the investigating committees, and they want a thorough cleansing of the offices held by men who write "Burn this letter."

The people of Maryland are about to be treated to a unique feature in campaigning. Col. Vannort, the Republican candidate for Governor, has challenged Frank Brown, his Democratic opponent, to a contest at plowing, which has been accepted. Both mg, which has been accepted. Both men are practical farmers and prime favorites with the agricultural classes. So novel a feature has not been heard of since the famous fiddling campaign of the Taylor brothers in Tennessee, a few years ago. Whatever be the result of the plowing match, Brown seems to be confident of victory at the polls, and expects nothing less than polls, and expects nothing less than 50,000 majority.

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Last week the sales agents of the anthracite roads met at New York, and taking advantage of the increasing demand for coal, advanced the prices of those sizes which are used for family purposes from 10 to 25 cents per ton. The cost of production has not been increased lately, nor is it likely to be. Miners and mine employes will receive no benefit from the advance, and there was no reasonable excuse for this further extortion from the poor who must buy fuel. No other plea but the curse of avarice can be given for their action. It is time the insatiable greed of monopoly should be curbed, and that can be done only by abolishing those laws which foster and give life to such combinations.

The Traitors Foiled.

Honesty or Corruption?

In the political struggle of Pennsylvania this fall there are but two sides. The Republicans, while protesting against being held responsible for corruption and the crimes of Republican officials, promise no reforms and make no effort to bring the rascals of their party to punishment. All that they care for, is to retain control of two very important offices, both of which they have shamefully abused.

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The Democratic party promises the seople that with the possession of the offices of State Treasurer and Auditor ieneral, corruption and the use of the seople's money for personal gain shall be accepted to the second of the seople's money for personal gain shall her recently disclosed frauds be thoroughly ventilated, but that light shall be brown upon the crooked transactions sating back for many years. The Democracy promises new and honest nethods and the sweeping away of the oulness and corruption which has lundered the people and disgraced the tate.

There are but two sides now in Pennsylvania politics—the path of honesty and the support of corruption.

The Republican leaders will be wise if they do not under-estimate John Lynch's strength. They may talk as hopefully as they please, but it will take the hardest kind of fighting to knock the Democratic candidates out. Being independent, we care only to present the true condition of things. Naturally, party organs are either blind, or purposely mistake things. You can't put any faith in their utterances.—Kingston Times,

Turn on the Light.

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letters he had before him?

The people of the state are entitled to know all that can be known on the question of the integrity of the state officials. If it be true that the corruption that has overwhelmed the public service in Fhiladelphia extends to State officials, the people have a right to know that fact, and to know it now. Let there be neither concealment or delay in this matter. Speak out, gentlemen.

The Trailors Follot.

The Propose of the trailors of a set of so-called leaders of the Knights of Labor who were attempting to sell out the votes of that organization in this state of the trailors and a member of the K. of L. depislative Convention.

Saturday. The call for the meeting had been issued by M. H. Butler, one of the trailors and a member of the K. of L. depislative Committee. Butler had not that jurisdiction being vested only in Chairman Wright and Secretary Caffrey. High McGarvey, of Beaver Meadow, and the call was declared of and the call was declared of a set delegates were present it would not be declared the second of the state of the constitutional convention. The idea was to arose unbounded enthusiasm for the constitutional convention. The idea was to arose unbounded enthusiasm for the constitutional convention. The idea was to arose unbounded enthusiasm for the constitutional convention. The idea was to arose unbounded enthusiasm for the constitutional convention. The idea was to arose unbounded enthusiasm for the constitutional convention. The idea was to arose unbounded enthusiasm for the constitutional convention advoards and the constitut

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It is said that if all the land on this globe were equally divided every inhabitant would have twenty-three acres. Some of the allotments, however, would be mighty hard to work.—Suspuchenna Transcript.

The exchange editor of the Philadelphia Times spied the above item, seissored it out, wrote across the top "Ah Objection to Henry George's Scheme," and then published it. Just as if Henry George or any other person with common sense could advocate such a "scheme." For pure, unadulterated ignorance the staff writers of city dailies can furnish it in unlimited quantities. Their supply of misinformation is inexhaustible.

Republican Rule Brings Disgrace.

There is no reputable citizen of Penn sylvania or Philadelphia who will reat the correspondence of the late Cit Treasurer Bardsley, Anditor Generate McCamant and the former State Trasurer, and more recently Cashier Livsey without a sense of humiliation and in dignation.—Yesterday's Ledger.

Who Is Running This State?

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For several weeks past the Knights of Labor have been heading a movement to have the coal corporations of the Lackawanna region observe the semi-monthly pay bill. Meetings in the interest of this movement have been held in several places throughout the county. The men at last took action, calling upon Superintendent Vandling, of the coal department of the Delaware & Hudson Canal Company. Mr. Vandling told them that the company would establish no semi-monthly pay day. However, if their employees, as individuals, desired their money twice a month, they

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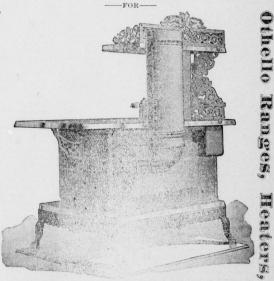
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