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AN INSPIRING SPECTACLE.

Partisanship has a deep and lasting hold upon men who live under Republican government. Close association in political work is necessary to successful effort. Parties there must be and always will be. American citizens who believe in Democratic principles have always been distinguished for their fidelity and earnestness. The party of their choice has rounded a century and those who adhere to it never were firmer in their convictions than today. But true Democrats have always been patriots. They love their country and are ever ready to serve it. They have abiding faith in its institutions. Their zeal for its welfare reflects the highest honor upon the national character. Therefore, Democrats are capable of meeting every requirement of good citizenship. They can lay aside partisan preference when the public exigency demands it.

This is the situation in Pennsylvania today. Animated by a supreme desire to promote the best interests of the people, regardless of partisan advantage, the representatives of the party have opened the way for a union of all the elements opposed to the vicious forces which have so long and so corruptly ruled the state. There is but a single patriotic aim; therefore, the protest against misgovernment can only be made effective through united action at the polls. Every good citizen can help to strike down public enemies by working and voting for the candidates who represent the very best sentiment of both the great parties in Pennsylvania. The way is clear and the duty imperative.

A vote for Yerkes means the upholding of the highest standard of judicial ability and integrity; the protection of the court of last resort from the contamination of evil influences. Every citizen is vitally interested in the maintenance of the purity of the tribunals of justice. A vote for Coray means a direct and effective protest against the prostitution of public office to base selfish purposes. The state treasury has been the citadel of power within which a conscienceless and corrupt ring have been entrenched for nearly 40 years. To drive them out, open the books and enforce honest administration, is the bounden duty of voters this year. The chance to do this has never been so favorable.

Let the reform ticket be supported at the polls by every man who believes in honest government and the greatest victory for political righteousness ever known will be won on November 5. It is an inspiring spectacle to see hundreds of thousands of patriotic men earnestly joining hands in a good cause, forgetting for the time being all partisanship. Pennsylvania has thus attracted the attention of the whole country and the success of this long needed movement here will encourage like efforts elsewhere. The campaign will be very brief, but every day should add to the enthusiasm and vigor of the grand rally for the redemption of our great state from degrading and blighting misrule.

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THE BATTLE FOR REFORM

Democratic State Chairman's Final Appeal to the Voters.

DUTY OF NON-PARTISAN UNION

An Opportunity That All Patriotic Citizens Should Improve—What the Election of Yerkes and Coray Will Mean.

Harrisburg, Oct. 24.—The following address has been issued by Chairman Creasy, of the Democratic state committee:

To the voters of Pennsylvania:

An extraordinary chapter in the history of Pennsylvania politics has just been recorded, one which should arrest the thoughtful attention of every citizen and arouse him to a sense of his bounden duty toward the commonwealth. Is the conflict which has been waged with the persistent foes of honest government all efforts to protect the ballot box from pollution have been either openly and bitterly opposed, or sinister attempts made to nullify the fruits of intelligent and earnest work for ballot reform. At every step, obstacles have been put in the way of the free and independent exercise of the right suffrage. Needless and vexatious requirements have been insisted upon, with the sole object of preventing the success at the polls of those non-partisan movements absolutely necessary at times to overcome the combined power of evils in public life.

THE TREASURY RING TERRIFIED.

Face to face at last with the swelling tide of patriotic revolt against intolerable conditions, it was determined to break down, if possible, this inspiring union of honest citizenship through an eleventh hour appeal to the courts. This action was not based upon even a fragment of justice—for any alleged trespass upon personal rights could have been fully considered at any other time—but the barest technicality of procedure. The purpose was so plain that none could be deceived and as unjustifiable as it was significant. It was hoped to prevent a half million Democratic voters from having the opportunity to strike a direct and effective blow at the blighting and doomed cause of Quayism.

Such a transparent scheme of unprincipled and desperate political leaders clearly shows the fear which possesses them. The possibility and growing certainty that a trustworthy representative of the people will be commissioned to take charge of the state treasury fills the ring with alarm. This one fact should serve as an unerring finger-board showing the honest voters of Pennsylvania their duty in this crisis. Never before has such a plan to defeat the manifest public will been resorted to. Never before have baffled political conspirators dared to snatch the ballot of his choice from the citizen's hands. Never before have political highwaymen thus attempted to hold up the patriotic freemen of our great state. EARNEST WORK ALL ALONG THE LINE.

Happily, this despicable device to save an imperiled machine has utterly failed. The utmost demands of party regularity have been swiftly and completely complied with. The reform banner is still aloft, bearing the honored name that every honest Democrat in Pennsylvania, and every honest Republican as well, should be proud to endorse at the polls. We, therefore, in the name of a Democracy that means the very highest form of political purity and personal and official integrity, appeal to you to gird on the armor for an immediate and triumphant assault upon the citadel of Quayism. Let the remaining days of the campaign be zealously devoted to bringing every voter into line for Yerkes and Coray. The signs of victory are most encouraging on every hand. An earnest union of good citizenship in every county, in every city and town and in every election district, will surely mean the utter rout of the enemies of the people.

WHAT A UNION REFORM VICTORY WILL MEAN.

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Pan-American Exposition.
Low fares via the Lehigh Valley Railroad to the Pan-American Exposition. Five-day tickets, good only in day coaches, will be sold on Tuesdays and Saturdays, May 1 to October 31, from Freeland at the rate of \$7 for the round trip.

Ten-day tickets will be sold from Freeland every day, May 1 to October 31, good on any train, except the Black Diamond express, at the rate of \$10 for the round trip.

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June 2, 1901.

ARRANGEMENT OF PASSENGER TRAINS. LEAVE FREELAND.

6 12 a m for Bethlehem, Mauch Chunk, Allentown, Bath, Williamsport, Easton, Philadelphia and New York.

7 34 a m for Sandy Run, White Haven, Wilkes-Barre, Scranton, and Scranton.

8 15 a m for Hazleton, Weatherly, Mauch Chunk, Allentown, Bethlehem, Easton, Philadelphia, New York, Hazleton, Delano and Pottsville.

9 30 a m for Hazleton, Delano, Mahanoy City, Shenandoah and Mt. Carmel.

11 5 p m for Weatherly, Mauch Chunk, Allentown, Bethlehem, Easton, Philadelphia, New York, Hazleton, Delano, Mahanoy City, Shenandoah and Mt. Carmel.

4 44 p m for Hazleton, Wilkes-Barre and Scranton.

6 35 p m for Scranton, Wilkes-Barre and Pottsville.

6 32 p m for Sandy Run, White Haven, Wilkes-Barre, Scranton and all points West.

7 29 p m for Hazleton.

ARRIVE AT FREELAND.

7 34 a m from Pottsville, Delano and Hazleton.

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For further information inquire of Ticket Agent ROLLIN H. WILBUR, General Superintendent, 26 Cortlandt Street, New York City.

CHAS. S. LEE, General Passenger Agent, 26 Cortlandt Street, New York City.

G. J. GILDROY, Division Superintendent, Hazleton, Pa.

THE DELAWARE, SUSQUEHANNA AND SCHUYLER RAILROAD.

Time table in effect March 10, 1901.

Trains leave Driftton for Jeddore, Eckley, Hazle Brook, Stockton, Beaver Meadow Road, Roan and Hazleton, daily except Sunday; 7 a m, 8 a m, 2:30 p m, Sunday.

Trains leave Driftton for Hazelton Junction, Hazleton, Cranberry, Tomhickon and Deringer at 6:30, 11:10 a m, 4:45 p m, daily except Sunday; and 7:37 a m, 9:11 p m, Sunday.

Trains leave Deringer for Tomhickon, Cranberry, Hazlewood, Hazle Brook, Eckley, Jeddore, Stockton, Beaver Meadow Road, Hazle Brook, Eckley, Jeddore and Deringer at 5:49 p m, daily except Sunday; and 8:45 a m, 4:22 p m, Sunday.

Trains leave Hazleton Junction for Hazelton, Cranberry, Tomhickon, Deringer and Hazleton at 6:35 a m, daily except Sunday; and 8:43 a m, 4:22 p m, Sunday.

Trains leave Hazleton Junction for Oneida, Humboldt Road, Harwood Road, Oneida Junction, Hazleton Junction and Roan at 7:11 a m, 12:45 p m, daily except Sunday; and 7:11 a m, 3:11 p m, Sunday.

Trains leave Hazleton Junction for Oneida, Humboldt Road, Harwood Road, Oneida Junction, Hazleton Junction and Roan at 6:30 p m, daily except Sunday; and 8:45 a m, 4:22 p m, Sunday.

Trains leave Driftton for Beaver Meadow Road, Stockton, Hazle Brook, Eckley, Jeddore and Deringer at 6:30 p m, daily, except Sunday; and 11:10 a m, 4:45 p m, Sunday.

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