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DEMOCRATIC TICKET.

- For Senator.....FRANKLIN MACVEAGH
For Sup't of Schools.....HENRY REAR
For Treasurer.....BENJAMIN J. CLAGGETT

FRIDAY, AUGUST 31, 1894.

The difference of sentiment with which the railroad managers view the force and application of the interstate commerce law before and after the strike is remarkable.

MASSACHUSETTS has an "arbitration and conciliation commission," consisting of three members.

GEN. T. J. HENDERSON has been again beaten for the republican nomination for congress in the new Eleventh district.

At Central Music hall, Chicago, tomorrow evening, Franklin MacVeagh will formally open his campaign for the United States senatorship.

No better reply to the gibes and taunts of the protectionist agents in congress could be made than this utterance of Congressman William L. Wilson in accepting renomination Thursday.

But all this does not imply dissatisfaction with our own party as a whole, or distrust as to its meanings and intentions. If the closeness of the vote in one house of congress gave opportunity for a few to combine against the people and against all the rest of their party and obstruct its faithful efforts to redeem its pledges, the overwhelming mass of the democrats in the country are subject to no just criticism.

This is something to which the Reeds and McKinleys, etc., cannot blind the eyes of the people. If corporate monopoly has been found so strong as to resist a party armed with the mandate of the people it is because it has been built up and entrenched by the very men who now presume to sneer at the victims of its insolent might.

FIGURES ON HOMES.

Interesting Statistics Given by the Census Office.

FARM AND HOME PROPRIETORSHIP.

Nearly Half the Families in the Country Own Their Homes, and 73 Per Cent. of These Have No Incumbrances—The Situation in the Country Contrasted with That in the City and Town—Aggregate and Average Values.

WASHINGTON, Aug. 31.—The census office has given to the public the principal results of the investigation of farm and home proprietorship in all of the states and territories. This is the first investigation of the kind ever conducted in any country.

In the cities that contain over 100,000 population there are 1,948,834 home families, of which almost 23 per cent. own and 77 per cent. hire, while of the owning families 38 per cent. own subject to incumbrance.

Bringing the urban population into contrast with the non-urban population, almost 44 per cent. of 4,234,500 families living outside of cities and towns of 8,000 people own their homes, and 56 per cent. hire.

The average value of each owned and incumbered farm in the United States is \$3,444, of each incumbered home, \$3,253 and the average incumbrance on each of the farms is \$1,234, on each incumbered home \$1,368.

VALUATION OF THE HOMES.

The cities of 5,000 to 100,000 population have 214,613 incumbered homes occupied by owners worth \$739,846,087, with an incumbrance amounting to \$29,611,974, which is 39.55 per cent. of the value.

Over 74 per cent. of the incumbrance on owned farms was incurred in buying real estate and making improvements, and over 83 per cent. of the total incumbrance was for the purpose of buying and improving real estate, investing in business, etc.

Stand Against Secret Societies. COLUMBUS, O., Aug. 31.—The Evangelical Lutheran joint synod of Ohio has adjourned.

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When the history of the late panic comes to be written and the troubles incident to it, one of its remarkable features will be the effect upon railway traffic, upon all business of 65,000,000 people, of those who had to and those who had no need to economize, but did so in every possible way.

Precisely that process has been going on for two-thirds of a year among 90 per cent of our population. It has made clear the fact that the American people, who are charged, and probably justly, with being the most extravagant people in the world, can live as closely as anybody when it becomes necessary.

Not So Easy to Entertain Royalty.

Apparently the entertaining of royalty has its little disadvantages. When the Princess of Wales accepted Lady Dudley's invitation to her dance last week, she stipulated that only 150 people were to be asked.

A Little Girl's Experience in a Lighthouse.

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Co-Operation Not a Success.

HEBRARD, O., Aug. 31.—The Co Operative Rolling Mill company, which was organized several months ago to operate the idle mill in this place, has declared its first dividend. The amount is 1 per cent.

Know Thyself.

How important this injunction to every young man! How many ruin their health and future happiness through pernicious practices contracted in ignorance and repented of when too late.

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