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POLITICAL PROMISES

It would be interesting to review the history of political campaigns and take note of all the golden promises that are made to the voters by enthusiastic campaigners and candidates. To hear these fellows talk,

TRANSIENT RESIDENTS

One difficulty which is encountered in these times in promoting public causes, is that so many of the people are transient residents, and do not feel deeply interested in the fortunes of the community where they are located.

Suppose you go to such a person with a subscription paper in which he should be interested. You argue that it is for some absolutely esential cause, and that his public spirit, his own personal interest and his humanitarian sympathy should induce him to contribute.

"But," he may say, "I have only been in this town for a year or two, and I do not know what I shall do in future. I may not stay here more than a year or two longer, and I can

100 YEARS OF RAILROADS

One of the most remarkable anniversaries of history is being celebrated this year, in the completion of the first century of railroad operation. A tablet has just been set up at Stockton, England, having the following inscription:

"Here in 1825, the Stockton and Darlington railway company booked the first railway passenger, thus marking an epoch in the history of mankind."

In America a few tramways were built with wooden rails, in the early part of the century, and were operated with horses. The first use of a locomotive occurred in 1829 on the railway from Carbondale to Honesdale, Pennsylvania.

American energy soon made wide

It Was Time to Act

By FRANCES E. GALE

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"DON'T you see what I mean, Hugh?"

"You mean that you don't care enough for me to take a chance on my succeeding—to help me succeed."

"That's not fair. We were not considering the question of my 'caring.' That was settled long ago."

They had left the towering office building where both were employed and turned into quiet streets.

"I know how it looks to you, Hugh—calculating and unwomanly, and all that—but I've been independent for

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Fresh Cow or Springer

Come look over this bunch of cows.