

Link Stings.

Now the work of census taking Has started women quaking About that delicate little matter—their age, And the careful census takers Will find most women fakers Of skill, unequalled, in any clime or age

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Will Know When Prosperity Strikes Them.

In less than two weeks from this writing President McKinley will be re-nominated. From that time on, until the November election decides who is to be his successor, the people will continue to hear wonderful tales of the prosperity the country is enjoying, and will be made to believe, if they are foolish enough to allow themselves to be deceived, that the land never enjoyed such an era of prosperity or such a time of general contentment and happiness.

The County Ticket.

The convention of the Democrats of Centre county on Tuesday has left the party with a ticket about which all can rally in the fall; a ticket for which no one need apologize; a ticket that was made in accordance with the plainly expressed will of the people and without even an intimation of manipulation hanging to it.

The Convention of the County Democrats.

There was very little of interest to attract a large crowd to the Democratic County Convention here last Tuesday, for with only two important nominations to make and the contest for them settled by the primary instructions of the previous Saturday there was little chance for what Republican spectators would have called 'fun' and a certainty that everything would be satisfactory.

Spawls from the Keystone.

The extensive lumber mills of James Curry & Sons, near Arrow, Somerset county, were destroyed by fire. Loss from \$30,000 to \$40,000, with \$20,000 insurance.

There'll Be No Injunction In This Case.

Three thousand more workmen have been added to the great army of unemployed, and striking laboring men, by the sudden and unexpected closing down of the Illinois steel plant.

More Troubles for Imperial William.

There seems to be no end to the troubles that are arising in the pathway of Mr. McKinley's aspirations or of Mr. HANNA's hopes.

A Big Army or Colossal Lying.

What a wonderfully large army the Filipinos must have had when this war began! There has not been a battle or a skirmish in the two years we have been fighting them that the enemy did not out number our troops—

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Resolved that this convention hereby heartily endorses the candidacy of Hon. J. K. P. Hall for Congress and that R. M. Foster, S. A. McQuiston and A. J. Graham are hereby named as Congressional Conferees with instructions to support and use all honorable means to secure the nomination of Hon. J. K. P. Hall as the candidate for Congress from this the 28th District.