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The Basic Weakness of His Latest Protection "Argument."
The World recently called attention to the fact that Senator Aldrich treated as of equal value the food, clothes, building materials, patent medicines and other articles, the prices of which were examined by the senate committee—in other words, that his calculation assumed that a family consumes as much medicine as food.

In the same way, in treating the food list, mustard and pepper were treated as of as much importance as bread and meat, while in examining the cost of clothes it was assumed that a family expended as much for linings as for coats, hats, blankets and dress goods.

The full tables are now issued, and from them can be gathered the truth concerning expenditures for the food that was consumed and the clothes that were bought during the period of twenty-eight months investigated by the senate.

Taking bread, flour, eggs, butter, cod, beef, milk, mutton, pork, potatoes, onions and cabbage as the basis of the ordinary American table, we may compare their prices at the beginning of the period, June, 1889, with the highest prices attained during the period and also with those of the last month of the period, September, 1891. The following table, 100 being considered the normal, and reductions and increases in price being represented by percentages of 100, will show these prices:

	June, 1889.	Highest price, 1891.	Sept., 1891.
Beef, roasting.....	100.00	104.65	101.12
Bread.....	100.00	100.41	100.41
Butter.....	100.00	106.19	111.51
Cod.....	100.00	102.32	102.32
Cabbage.....	100.00	147.49	102.37
Eggs.....	100.00	156.28	122.52
Flour, wheat.....	100.00	108.21	101.94
Mutton.....	100.00	104.72	101.52
Onions.....	100.00	121.25	101.52
Pork, salt.....	100.00	104.52	104.52
Milk.....	100.00	108.11	106.82
Potatoes.....	100.00	107.75	106.12
Average.....	100.00	121.27	101.42

In this list of necessities of life there is not an article which did not advance in price during the agitation and after the passage of the McKinley act. There is not one, with the exception of cabbage, whose highest price was not reached after the enactment of the law. The average price of these commodities in June, 1889, was 100.83. The average of the highest prices was 121.27. The average price in September, 1891, was 101.82. At one time during the twenty-eight months therefore, and after the passage of the McKinley law, the prices of these necessary articles of food went up \$20.94 on every \$100 worth, and at the close of the period these were still bringing \$1.49 on every \$100 above the prices charged before the Fifty-first congress assembled.

Tea and coffee are not included in the above table because they are free of duty, while sugar is omitted because the Democratic policy of free raw material has been adopted, the result being a declination of 37 per cent. in the price of the granulated article.

Under the McKinley act food has been dearer by very much more than the paltry .47 of 1 per cent. admitted by Mr. Aldrich. Some of this increased price is due to the law, while some is due to short crops in Europe.

When the prices of clothes shall be examined the result of the tariff tax will appear even more clearly.—New York World.

War to the Knife.
The Democratic party purposes no defensive campaign. It is war and war to the knife, the knife to the hilt, against the organized hordes of the tariff lobby, the pension lobby, the sectional lobby which has taken the government out of the hands of the people to place it in the hands of a mere committee or junta of party managers. We war against Reidism, Baumism and robbery. We war against fraud, force and fustian. We war against protection, plutocracy and agrarian pensionmongery. And we propose to carry the war into Africa, to shake the rotten citadels of unholy greed to their foundations and to make the robbers howl. The black flag is up against corruption in high places. No dalliance with zealots; no quarter to thieves.—Louisville Courier-Journal.

Marching to a Sure Victory.
With a leadership like that of Grover Cleveland, the most popular man in the United States, and a most gallant, firm and devoted upholder of Democratic doctrines, to cheer and strengthen the party, and with the menace of negro domination always in sight, we fully believe that the national Democracy is now marching to a sure victory. But above all things, let the southern people do their full duty to secure so grand a triumph.—New Orleans Picayune.

Getting Ready for Cash Payments.
The Republican national committee is preparing to do a large cash business in this campaign, as indicated not only by its headquarters in New York being supplied with two safes of ample dimensions, but also by the placing of gentlemen on the advisory committee who have the ability to keep those safes well stocked with the pecuniary appliance commonly called a bond which is so essential to Republican success.—Philadelphia Herald.

A Horrible Thing to Contemplate.
The force bill issue cannot be belittled. It is a great issue of the campaign, particularly in the south, and the thinking men of the south know that it is. There is nothing that would give the south such a setback as force bill legislation. It would bring about such a condition of affairs that both capital and immigrants would shun the south.—Savannah News.

Looking Forward with Confidence.
Ex-President Cleveland returns to the quiet of Gray Gables after scenes of unparalleled enthusiasm for the chosen leader of Democracy in New York. He may well look forward to November with full confidence in the triumph of the ideas he so conspicuously represents.—Boston Globe.

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