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The weights of classes of students before and after examination have been made the subject of recent investigation.

Some persons may be confused by reading cabled accounts of the fighting in the Philippines dated several hours ahead of time.

The Minnesota supreme court has affirmed a decision of a lower court which held that a telegraph company was liable for damages for the transmission of libelous matter over its wires.

Mrs. Amelia New, serving a life sentence in the Kansas penitentiary for the murder of her husband, and George H. Dobbs, serving a life sentence as her accomplice, are innocent—a convict, Alvin Ballard, having confessed that he is guilty of the crime.

The settlement of Ponce de Leon at Caparra, near the site of Pueblo Viejo, across San Juan bay, in Porto Rico, is now, by more than 55 years, the first town established within the present borders of the United States.

A CAUSE WITHOUT CHANCE.

The Return of Good Times Deals a Death Blow to the Free Silver Crowd.

The conclusions formulated by Secretary E. V. Smalley, of the National Sound Money league, in his report to the conference of that body held at New York, conform in the main to the convictions of all intelligent and sober-minded observers of the political situation.

Activity and good times have returned, wages are rising, labor is finding abundant employment and prices show a legitimate upward tendency.

Still, we cannot entirely agree with the secretary's opinion that free coinage will either be wholly ignored in the next democratic platform or else dismissed without a word as to the ratio and made unmistakably secondary to the new issues.

SACRILEGE OF BRYAN.

Specimens of the Vulgar Irreverence of the Free Silver Megaphone.

Mr. Bryan first attracted the notice of the American people by a sacrilegious outburst which shocked Christians of reverent feelings.

His latest exhibition of vulgarity and irreverence goes beyond anything he has before uttered even in his most frenzied appeals to voters.

What the Lord's supper is to the Christian, so a Jefferson banquet is to a democrat. Just as a good Christian would revolt at having the sacrament administered by an infidel, so a good democrat objects to having a Jefferson banquet presided over by Perry Belmont.

And this is the man who poses as a new Lincoln, who dares to compare himself to that deep, solemn soul who walked reverently before God, whose epigrams and humor are proverbial, but who amid them all never forgot the respect due to sacred things.

BLAMED EXTRAVAGANTLY.

Silly Assumption of Anti-Imperialists Flouted by a Democratic Organ.

Some of the anti-imperialists, as they insist on calling themselves, declare that the most "extraordinary" feature of the present situation is that the policy of the country is being determined without any expression of opinion by the people.

Setting aside for the moment the question of the good or bad quality of the policy of the administration, it shows a curious forgetfulness of American history to say that the people's lack of expression, or of opportunity for expression, is extraordinary.

The Louisiana purchase is a case in point. Jefferson not only completed it without giving the people any chance to express or to form any opinion regarding it, but without consulting congress.

We are not blind admirers of Mr. McKinley. We think that in this crisis he has made some serious errors.

FARMERS HAVE PROSPERED.

Predictions of Free Silver Howlers Have Been Brought to Naught.

In the campaign of 1896 the farmers were given especial attention by the managers of the silver party.

DRIFT OF OPINION.

By reading the correspondence between Bryan and Belmont anyone may easily see the democratic party's finish.—Kansas City Journal.

Hon. Perry Belmont takes a horrible revenge on Hon. Bill Bryan. He has sent him his book on finance, with an injunction to read it.—N. Y. Sun.

There is no doubt that if the object of Mr. Bryan is to widen the breach in the ranks of the national democracy, he is putting in some of his best ticks.—Peoria (Ill.) Herald (Dem.).

Bryan should drop silver and take up with iron. Because of the great demand for pig the production is to be increased in the Birmingham district alone 50 per cent. within the next 30 days.—St. Louis Star.

Fifteen hundred working men in the Mahoning valley mills have just received an advance of wages. The onward march of prosperity continues, in spite of the gold standard. Carry the news to Bryan.—Cleveland Leader.

It should cause no surprise to learn that the Jones-Bryan-Altgeld combination has been extolling the military assembly in Cuba which is now hindering the efforts of the government to establish peace and promote prosperity in the island.—Indianapolis Journal.

Bryan voted for the Weaver platform in 1892 and for the Chicago platform in 1896. Now he assumes that he is a Jeffersonian democrat and that no man is a democrat who differs with him. Modern democracy is a queer combination.—St. Louis Globe-Democrat.

A MAGNIFICENT GIFT.

Will of the Late W. C. Andrews Provides for Founding a Great School for Girls.

New York, April 13.—The will of the late Wallace C. Andrews, who with his wife perished in a fire at his home on Friday last, was filed for probate yesterday.

The institution shall be located in Willoughby, Lake county, O., on what is known as the Williams farm. The idea of the school is to furnish an elementary education to girls between 10 and 16 years and make them self-supporting.

There are to be five directors of the institution according to Mr. Andrews' intentions. They are to include the governor of Ohio, the congressman from the district in which the institution is located, the mayor of Willoughby, the treasurer of the county and Gamaliel St. John.

WERE DEADLOCKED.

G. A. R. National Council Falls to Elect Gen. Sexton's Successor.

Philadelphia, April 13.—The executive committee of the national council of administration of the Grand Army of the Republic held two sessions at the local G. A. R. headquarters in Independence hall yesterday for the purpose of electing a commander-in-chief to fill the vacancy caused by the death of James A. Sexton.

Both sessions were executive and the members of the committee stated that there was a deadlock on the names of W. C. Johnson, of Cincinnati, senior vice commander-in-chief, and John C. Black, of Chicago, commander of the Department of Illinois.

Resolved, that as a mark of respect to the memory of James A. Sexton, the late commander-in-chief, the senior vice commander-in-chief shall continue to perform the duties of commander-in-chief and the office of commander-in-chief shall remain without an incumbent until the meeting of the national encampment.

"RED BOOK" BARRED.

The Defense Gains a Point in the Trial of Senator Quay and His Son.

Philadelphia, April 13.—M. S. Quay gained a partial advantage in court yesterday by the apparent refusal of Judge Biddle, for the present at least, to admit as evidence against him the famous "red book" which has figured so prominently in the trial and which is alleged to contain the key to the case of the commonwealth.

Twelve pages are devoted to what the prosecution charges is Hopkins' record of his transactions in money deposited by the state treasurer for the advantage of Mr. Quay. It contains entries extending over several years and figures are written in it which apparently show the calculation of interest on sums of money approximating the state deposit, less certain deductions for the benefit of Quay.

Factions at War.

Little Rock, Ark., April 13.—In a free fight at DeVew, Ark., B. C. Ashburn was instantly killed. A. J. Black and his son Lee were fatally wounded; Alex. Miller had his arm broken and Henry Miller was badly shot in the arm.

After court adjourned the factions met. Ashburn, armed with a shotgun, approached Black, accused him of swearing to lies and leveled his gun, which snapped. Black fired with a pistol, hitting the older Ashburn.

Unlucky Gold Seekers.

Seattle, Wash., April 13.—Prospectors who arrived yesterday from Alaska say that there are at least 400 prospectors on the Edmonton trail between Dese Lake and the Hudson's Bay post on the Lizard river, most of whom are in destitute circumstances.

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