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POINTED COMMENT.

To date, the situation in Kentucky seems to be "hands off your guns, gen-

We may expect Mr. Bryan to make another analysis of the election results after the capture of Aguinaldo.

If we are not mistaken in the man, Mr. Goebel may yet fall back on the Senatorship as a consolation prize.

In about three weeks President Mc-Kinley, as Mr. Cleveland cynically expressed it, will have "Congress on his

So long as the Kentucky situation is as bad as it is, it would be highly inconsistent for us to poke fun at the South American revolutionists.

It has been noticed that the Maryland Democrats have refrained from mentioning the Chicago platform or "our peerless leader" in their jollification meetings.

From the fact that the Democratic editors and orators have suddenly shown admiration for the Hon. John Sherman, we infer that the "crime of 1873" has been condoned.

Colonel Watterson and the Courier-Journal are having a hard time these days. Between Goebel and Bryan it is likely that the Colonel would prefer to take to the woods.

It was quite natural that the success of the Republican cause in Ohio should result in renewed demand for the retirement of Mr. Hanna by the Democratic newspapers.

Attorney General Griggs, when approached with the offer of a Vice Presidential nomination, said: "No thank you, a robe and a seat on the Supreme Bench would just about suit me."

Aguinaldo has shown himself to be a sprinter of no mean abilities, and after the war is over, our Post Office Depart ment should provide "Aggie" with an oppointment in the rural free delivery

New York State is to have a state constabulary in charge of the police in its cities, the head of which is to be appointed by Governor Roosevelt. How the Tammany Tiger must be lashing his tail.

After Mr. Bryan has recovered sufficiently from his efforts in the Nebraska campaign, he may find it desirable to visit New York state again. His party in the many-times-pivotal state is sadly in need of vitalizing energy.

Almost ten days have elapsed since election, but Hon. C. Schurz or Hon. Blush Mason have failed to enlighten the expectant Nation as to whether it was a storm or just a shower that overtook the Aunties.

Secretary Gage seems to be the right man in the right place. In his annual report the Secretary will recommend the distinct enactment of the gold standard, and will advocate as inseparable thereto the need of providing an adequate method of maintaining it.

It is reported, but not as yet confirmed, that among the improvements at the north end of the Capitol at Washington will be a blushery for the exclusive use of the Honorable Mr. Mason, of Illinois, and the Honorable R. P. Pettigrew, of South Dakota.

The resignation of the New York Evening Post and the New York World to the fate which the people have thrust upon themselves, has about as much consolation as the perfunctory blessing of the condemning judge when he says: "And may the Lord have mercy upon your soul."

It is said that Richard Croker will spend the winter in England, where he can once more hob-nob with his Royal Highness, Albert Edward, and incidentally recuperate his bank account by judicious investments in racing pools. These Tiger victories in Gotham come high, but Croker needs them in his business.

"Like father, like son," is certainly exemplified in the heroic military career of Major John A. Logan. death, while gallantly leading his battallian in the Philippines, brings sorrow to a wide circle, and heartfelt sympathy will be extended the widow of the gallant Union General, who, by the death of her son, is left without a

American capital is being rapidly invested in the islands which have of late come under the control of the United States Government. The business men of the country realize that we have to send abroad \$250,000,000 a year for tropical products, and think they might as well get their share of the profits from the production of these articles, every dollar's worth of which can be grown in Cuba, Porto Rico, Hawaii and the Philippines, and thus keep this vast sum of money within our own borders instead of distributing it to the outside world every year.

Low-tariff advocates who are fond of reiterating the threadbare assertion that protection destroys our markets abroad should take a look at the figures of our foreign commerce for the month of October and compare them with the good old low-tariff days under the Wilson law. The October exports in 1899 were \$126,764,786, while in 1894, the first October after the enactment of the Wilson law they were \$83,653,121, and in 1895 \$87,090,972. For the twelve months ending with October 1899, they were \$1,296,890,845, against \$809,849,289 in the twelve months ending with October, 1895, under Wilson law.

The old soldiers of the war of 1861-5 have no patience with the fault-finders in the so-called Democratic party to-day. General Dan Sickles, who was in Washington the other day, said:

"I have always been a Democrat and always expect to be one, but Bryanism is not the faith of the old-time leaders of the party. I would scorn myself were I to pretend to endorse such principles as were embodied in the Chicago platform, which has already nearly made shipwreck of the Democratic party; and if put forward again, will be more overwhelmingly crushing than in 1896."

Secretary Gage's proposition to redeem \$25,000,000 worth of the outstanding bonds of the United States not yet due the purpose being to put into circulation a part of the surplus now in the Treasury, will probably bring the total money in circulation in the United States to the two billion dollar line. The total money in circulation on Nov. 1st was \$1,963,716,148, and the great excess of exports over imports is constantly bringing money into the country from abroad, so that it seems almost certain that the two billion dollar line in our circulation will be reached very soon, thus increasing the total circulation 33 per cent. since the nomination of Bryan—and all this without the free and unlimited coinage of silver.

About the last of the industries to recover from the depression caused by low tariff and Democratic rule is that of woolen manufactures. The enormous importations of woolen goods under the Wilson low tariff paralyzed the manufactures of woolen goods within the United States, and it is only during the last few months that they have fully recovered from the depression due to the enormous stock in the country when the Dingley law was passed. Now, however, the woolen mills of the country are running on full time, and in many cases overtime. Demand for American wool is increasing, and the last American industries to feel the effect of Republican protection is gratefully acknowledging its benefits.

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Give the Schley Business a Rest.

Rear Admiral Schley hoisted his flag on the cruiser Chicago yesterday and assumed command of the South Atlantic squadron. When he has sailed away to his new post of duty it is most sincerely to be hoped that the end will come to the Sampson-Schley controversy. Schley has said that there was glory enough in the naval battle off Santiago for everybody, and so there was. Let it rest there with the sailing of the squadron. History will determine and fix the credit, says the Philadelphia Inquirer. When that history is written it

Of Sampson, that he was in command; that he planned the fight; that it was conducted according to his plans, that while he was abs when the Spanish fleet came out, he rapidly approached, ran the fire of the forts and was present at the finish. While he did not actually participate, it was his genius that produced the results.

Of Schley, that his movements preliminary to the blockade of Santiago were such as to bring upon him the condemnation of the Navy Department and naval officers. He was in the fight, how-ever, and because he did participate the official records have not been laid up against him. He deserves the same credit that is due captains of the various warships.

He has his full reward. History will further record that Captain Clark, of the Oregon, should have been awarded the stars of a rear admiral. He was the forcible man who stood out in bold relief. He made the famous cruise around Cape Horn, with his vessel stripped for action all along the Brazillian coast and with his men sleeping by their guns, ready for a moment's notice to engage the entire Spanish fleet. With the heroism of Clark that of Schley is not to be mentioned. The Oregon after that voyage, that required both nerve and bravery; was in the fight from beginning to end. We cannot compare Clark and Schley, for Clark's record is as bright as the unclouded sun in the heavens.

History, too, will award Wainwho fought the torpedo boats with nothing more formidable than a steam yacht, a special niche in the gallery of heroes.

Yes, there was honor enough for all, and it will be well if matters are allowed to rest.

TERSE TOPICS FROM NATION'S CAPITOL,

McKinley and Next Speaker of the House in Hearty Accord on the Leading Questions--Contracts Let for Six New Cruisers.

President McKinley and Speaker-tobe Henderson are the closest of friends, personally as well as politically, and the first thing Col. Henderson did after his arrival in Washinnton, for the session of Congress, was to call at the White House and hold a long conference with the President on the work that is expected to be accomplished at this session. This personal harmony between the President and the man who will preside over the House, augurs well for the country and for the Republican party; it means that the executive and legislative branches of the government are to work together much smoother than they did in the last Congress. The President and Mr. Reed were never the slightest bit unfriendly in their personal relations, but there were several important questions of party policy on which they were not only in accord, but were actually antagonistic in their opinions. This naturally led to embarassment, and in some cases to the failure altogether of legislation which the President would not attempt to push because of Mr. Reed's opposition would give the Democrats an opportunity to say that the party in the House was divided into factions, led by himself and Mr. Reed. In the coming Congress, the President and the Speaker of the House will work together in all things, and the result is bound to be beneficial both to the country and to the party.

Col. Henderson can hardly be said to have opened headquarters, since his unanimous nomination to be Speaker by the Republican caucus, was assured many months ago, but he is in his office daily and is glad to have members of the House call and talk to him about their committee assignments. There will be nothing even remotely resembling a shake-up among the old chairmen of the House-except in cases where they express a wish for a change, they are likely to get their old places
—but there are several important chairmanships vacant. For instance, that of the Committee on the Juniciaay which was filled by Col. Henderson in the last House, and that of the Committee on Banking and Currency, held Mr. Joseph Walker, of Massachusetts, who was not a candidate for re-election to the present house. Whether the ranking Republicans on those Committees will be made chairmen or new men put at their heads, is a question that Col. Henderson will decide, and he declines to say publicly one word

about either the Committees or the work of Congress, saying that he prefers acts to do his talking. There is some talk about a change in the House rules, but the confidence of members of the House in Col. Henderson is so great that it is perfectly safe to say that his wishes will be allowed to govern the matter entirely, and that any changes made will be upon his sugges-

The Board which has been considering the bids recently submitted to the Navy Department for the construction of six armored cruisers provided for by the last Congress, has recommended that each of the following firms shall be awarded a contract to build one cruiser: Union Iron Works San Fran cisco; Lewis Nixon (Crescent Ship-Building Works), Elizabethport, New Jersey; Bath Iron Works, Bath, Me. Trigg Ship-Building Company, Richmond, Va.; Fore River Engine Company, Braintree, Mass., and Neafie & Neuy, Philadelphia, Pa. The recommendations must be acted upon by Secretary Long, before it becomes effective, but there is no doubt of its approval. The price tor each cruiser, ex clusive of armor, slightly exceeds one million dollars.

Owing to the large Republican majority in the Senate of the Congress about to assemble, the Senate Committees will be changed so as to give the Republicans nine of those having thirteen members and seven of those having eleven. This will make the Finance Committee anti-silver for the first time in years, and will insure the prompt reporting of any financial bill that the Republican leaders may wish to pass. This will be a fair apportionment of the committee memberships, as the Republicans will have fifty-one Senators, without taking account of the four vacancies—one each from California, Delaware, Pennsylvania and Utah-if Senator Hayward, of Neb., lives, and fifty if he dies and is succeeded by a dem-pop, while there are only thirty-five Senators—twenty-eight Democrats and seven Populists or Silver Republicans—on the opposition side. It will not cause any silver Senator to be removed from the Finance Committee, as there are two vacancies left by the retirement of White and Turpie; these will simply be filled by Republicans which will make the committee stand seven gold to six silver

Boss Gorman is again in the saddle in Maryland. This was fully shown at a secret conference, held at Gorman's Washington residence, at which Gov.elect Smith was instructed by Gorman just how to dispose of the state patron age of the Gorman machine.

Representative Curtis, of Kansas, said emphatically: "Kansas will give McKinley not less than 35,000 majority over Bryan in 1900. I know how strong the President is in our State and over the west generally, and how thoroughly in accord with his views our people

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Dr. Smith was in town on Sunday. Nye Chapman, of Sterling Run, was in town on Sunday.

L. K. Huntington, of Emporium was in town Wednesday.

John Wallace, Supt. of the lath mill, at Dents Run, was in town Sunday.

The K. G. E. members will give a dance and oyster supper in their hall

Miss Maggie Sullivan is the guest of her parents, Dan'l Sullivan and family this week.

Mrs. Geo. Wykoff, of Emporium, was the guest of Isaac Wykoff and family on Saturday.

E. C. Council, one of Dents Run's prominent store keepers was circula-ting among friends in town Sunday. M. L. McConnell moved his household goods to Ridgway, where he is now employed by the P. & E. R. R.

now emple Company. Co. X, Blowville volunteers, were seen on our streets Friday. They formed a company front at the arrival of Erie mail.

Sinnemahoning Liars Club.

The Liars Club failed to hold a session last week. The members seem to have lost interest in the club since the election, and we were unable to get a quorum. Pap Blodget, Pap Berfield and C. W. Beldin held a short session in the post-office. Tonny Snyder got on his ear and put the three out. He has been edgewise since election and lays his defeat to the Emporium Club, for not supporting the ticket. Joe Logue has been at work for six days; this being the first time such a thing has happened in years. John Logue sprung a good one to-day, but the club was not in session, so nothing was recorded. Your scribe has just finished a hearty supper, composed of bear steak, which accounts for such crooked writing. George Hoover, one of our ion last week. The members seem to writing. George Hoover, one of our members, has killed four bears this season, one being a monster, weighing about 400 pounds. I presume Dalrymple and Wm. McDonald have the market at Emporium stocked by this

market at Emporium stocked by this time.

Something has happened one of our members. I think his best girl has gone back on him, as he has his head shaved. Grundy Logue is piling wood, so he cannot attend the club. John Johnson is a citizen now and says he won't tell any more whoppers. The big mill is running now, and the club will hold no more sessions until snow comes. Every member has lied club will hold no more sessions until snow comes. Every member has lied out and will have to wait for new members. Hanscom has reformed since election. Harve Smith and Norman Johnson claim superiority over the other, and Ike Bowen will knock them off their pins, should they happen to meet him. Martin Bowen expects to ride the goat the first time he comes to town. M. J. Logue will accompany him in his perilous ride. FIDE.

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