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EDITORIAL MENTION.

Mr. Bryan's experience in farming bids fair to rival his career as a soldier.

Chairman Jones firmly believes he has Croker and Hill under bonds to keep the peace during the campaign.

Peru and Costa Rica have adopted the gold standard. The Coin Harveys to the south of us are experiencing hard

Tammany is raising a campaign fund of \$2,000,000. This will naturally make a little inroad upon the profits of the ice trust.

Notwithstanding the unpleasant experiences of the missionaries Chairman Jones continues to work upon Mr

It is not believed that Mr. Bryan will attempt to explain any of his miscarried predictions. He will simply go right ahead making new ones.

the Democrats steal their campaign thunder. The Kansas City platform is conclusive evidence on this point.

The Texas Populists complain that

In contemplating the evidence adduced in the Kentucky murder cases the fact that \$100,000 was appropriated to secure it should not be overlooked.

The Hon. Webster Davis denies that he plagiarized one of the speeches of the late President Garfield. He explains that he merely neglected to utilize the quotation marks.

The growth of the Southern cotton industry during the past three years is an emphatic answer to the calamity predictions of the politicians of that

All the paid agents and attorneys of the foreign shipping interests are supporting Mr. Bryan. Fortunately the election is to be decided by voters who have the American interests at heart.

Owing to the failure of the conventions to provide notification committees the nominees of the minor political organizations will be compelled to learn of their honors in a roundabout man-

If the Hon, Richard P. Bland were alive he would be outspoken in his denunciation of the efforts of the Democratic campaign managers to scuttle the financial plank of their own plat-

Is it not rather late for the Hon. Adlai E. Stevenson to become concerned over the safety of the republic? It will be recalled that, when a genuine effort was made to destroy it, he managed to exhibit a remarkable amount of tran-

One of Mr. Pettigrew's Filipino friends has involved himself in a ques tion of veracity with Admiral Dewey It will not require a vast amount of time for the American people to make to their minds concerning this contro-

of Republican good times. Her value used according to directions, or money has gone up about \$10 since 1895, from back. \$21.95 a head to about \$31.60 a head. small doses during the day will cure the most severe cold, and stop the most disbecause of the demand attendant on the filling of the workingman's dinner pail. tressing cough. For sale by L. Taggart, and R. C. Dodson. 34-24.

VERY SENSIBLY PUT.

A Conscientious Republican Deserts Mr. Emery. (From Warren Mail.

EDITOR MAIL:-Some time ago I was induced to sign a petition asking Hon. Lewis Emery, of Bradford, to be a candidate for Congress in this district. I was informed that Sibley was not a Republican. I was further informed that Emery was a consistent Republican, always ready and willing to work for the best interests of the party and that he was not an office seeker. I have since learned that Emery has been a persistent seeker after office and that he is now willing to accept the Democratic nomination for Congress in hopes that he may defeat the regular Republican nominee and thus gratify his own political aspirations. I had supposed that Emery was seeking the office because he honestly believed that Sibley was not fit to represent this district in Congress. But this is all a mistake. Emery believes in Sibley. He is for Sibley as against every other person except Emery. If that is not so I would like to know how he reconciles his posi-

tion of the past two years. Emery owns and controlls a Republican paper published at Bradford known as the Bradford Daily Record. Two years ago this Emery paper supported the Hon. J. C. Sibley for Congress, as against the Hon. C. W. Stone, of Warren, the regular nominee of the Republican party, and later in the primaries this spring this same Emery organ supported Sibley for the nomination to Congress as against R. B. Stone, his own townsman, who was a candidate for Congress. Is this consistent? How does he reconcile his position now in accepting a Democratic nomination for Congress against this same Sibley? If Sibley was good enough for a Republican like Emery to support when he was a Democrat and running for Congress on the Democratic ticket he ought to be good enough for the rest of us Republicans to support after he has come over into the Republican camp and received the Republican nomination.

The trouble is Emery wants to go to Congress and he is willing to distribute a big campaign fund, in this district, that his ambition may be satisfied. He claims to be a Republican and yet he is not willing to be governed by the rules of the Republican party. He would defeat a Republican nominee and demoralize the party for his own selfish

I have carefully read Emery's speech of acceptance delivered at Bradford and that of itself is sufficient to change my views in regard to the man. He is positive about nothing except such matters as every person is agreed upon. He straddles every question on which the two great parties divide. He makes a bid for the Populist voter. He has no word of encouragement or approval for the Republican Administration. The Republican platform is not good enough for him to stand upon so he makes a platform of his own, and he has straddled so many issues on that platform that I am afraid he will not be

able to keep his balance there.

By his action he declares "Vote for Sibley as against every other man but Emery, when I am a candidate vote for me; I am better than my partv."

I cannot vote for Emery after learning these facts and I have arrived at this conclusion without fear or favor and without solicitation from any one. Other Republicans who have signed the Emery petition express themselves in the same manner.

When I signed the Emery petition I had no reason for being dissatisfied with Sibley, but it was hard to forgive him for defeating the Republican candidate for Cngress two years ago. However I remember at that time he told the voters of this district that he was in accord with the Republican administration in the crisis with Spain and if elected he would give his hearty support to the administration. He has done so with all his energy and ability. When politicians attacked the adminis tration in its policy of reconstruction at the close of the war with Spain he has always been found earnestly giving it his support and when his party refused to follow the leadership of our President in his efforts to bring honorable peace to our country, Sibley stood by the President and in so doing he has been called a traitor by his party. If putting country before party is traitorous then it were well if we were all

traitors. When I further consider that Sibley has been a true friend to the men who saved this country in 1861, that he has always been a liberal supporter of charitable institutions, that his honesty and integrity is above reproach, that he has always been a liberal rewarder of labor and his true friend, I am satis-fied that we shall make no mistake in electing him to Congress. I shall vote for Sibler. for Sibley.

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"Tippecanoe and Tyler too" won more votes than logical arguments. 'Fifty-four forty or fight' aroused the whole country and not a few would have preferred the fight to the fifty-four forty. And "16 to 1" drives sound money Democrats into the Republican party, and silver Republicans into the Democratic ranks.

However, back of all these campaign cries, deeper than the money question, more important than the subject of imperialism, more vital to the future welfare of the nation than militarism, is the radical difference between the two great historical parties on the tariff question. It is not a question of protection and free trade. No party advocates and no government practices absolute free trade. The Democratic party has, however, for years advocated in its platforms the well defined policy of "a tariff for revenue only," refusing to recognize as democratic the wisdom, justice or propriety of affording either protection to American labor or American capital invested in American industries.

The avowed Republican policy, often reiterated in national platforms and enacted into law, as is evidenced by the McKinley and Dingley tariff bills, openly affirms that the Republicans favor a protective tariff that will encourage the investment of American capital fn manufacturing enterprises and insure to American labor, both native and naturalized, the advantage of "a fair day's wages for a fair day's work."

Both of these plans have been those who will cast their votes next November.

The Wilson-Gorman tariff bill and the effects thereof were Democratic. The Dingley bill and its results are Republican. The effects produced by these two measures should be carefully weighed by every voter who desires his ballot to influence national prosperity and personal advantage.

Under the operation of the Wilon-Gorman revenue tariff, the in come of the government was not sufficient to pay current expenses. The tariff for revenue only did not produce the revenue. Government bonds were sold in time of peace to pay the daily obligations of the Democratic administration. From being a debt-paying nation we became a debt-creating nation. Industries languished. Mills shut down. Factories closed. Building ceased. The army of the unimployed increased. Panic came. Banks failed. Fortunes crumbled. Labor begged in vain for work. But just as soon as the people could express their verdict at the polls, Cleveland was repudiated, the Wilson-Gorman tariff bill was declared wanting and a change was demanded.

With the election of a Republican President and a Republican congress, a protective tariff measure was enacted. The Dingley bill became a law. What have been the results? The national treasury overflows. The Nation has fought to a successful issue two wars and has been paying debts at the same time. Bond issues have given place to bond redemption and refunding the outstanding obligations of the Nation at a lower rate of interest than was ever before secured by any Nation in history. Mills have been started. Factories have been running day and night. Wages have been increased. Labor has been profitably employed. The exports during the four years of the Dingley Republican tariff have exceeded the combined amount of all the exports of the Nation during all the previous years of our history from the beginning of Washington's first administration to the close of Cleveland's last adminis-

There is the record. None deny

it. The books have been audited, and the balance is known to all. What do the voters want? A return to the Wilson-Gorman tariff bill and panic times, or a continuation of the Dingley bill and Mc-Kinley times? Your votes next November will decide the question.

Gen. Palmer For McKinley.

A dispatch from Springfield, Ill., a few days ago says: Gen. John M. Palmer, the leader af the Gold Democrat force, has at last broken his silence. As between Bryan and McKinley, he will vote for the

"Yes," he said, "I shall vote for McKinley-that is, of course, if the Gold Democrats refuse to put out a ticket, and that is probable.

"Mr. Bryan's views are inconsistent with Democratic harmony. Populism is unsafe, and Mr. Bryan is the high priest of that faction -a faction that is already strong enough to menace the best interests of a safe government.

"If Mr. Bryan were President and controlled the legislative branches this country would be thrown in a panic which would require months to check and years to heal. Perhaps it is well he was renominated. His party cannot win, and his defeat will forever settle him.

"Should he be successful he would convert Democracy into Populism, and Populist principles of political economy are unsuited for the times and unsuited and unsafe for a successful government. The cry of imperialism will win Bryan no votes to amount to anything. It's a false alarm. This country is not, nor is McKinley and his followers believers in imperialism. Cuba will be under self-government in a little while and the Filipinos will be governed as best the administration can.

"Pray what would Mr. Bryan have had this country do with the islands? We have got them, and we will hold them as they stand until some better scheme presents tried within the memory of most of itself for controlling them. I think myself that the American Government would be better off without the islands, but the administration has met all the demands that have arisen there man-

fully and honestly. "Mr. McKinley is a safe leader. As between him and Bryan, there is but one course.

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