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Amitz, N. Y., have got into a snarl be-Unutterably Un- cause bees belonging to one had fraternal. ruined peaches be-

longing to the other while searching for honey. The beekeeper, reports a local exchange, claimed that it could not be proved that his bees were the offenders, but his brother has ingeniously overcome this difficulty. The bees were first caught extracting juice from the peaches and were caught in a wire gauze trap. Then he let them through a trap door into a place supplied with a dish of honey. When the insects had eaten as much as they wanted they began to look for an exit, and in doing so crawled over a liberal sprinkling of flour, which stuck to them. When thoroughly coated they were released and all flew straight for Brother Utter's hives, thus establishing a complete chain of evidence. The beekeeper, however, declines to give in and will fight the damage suit.

Seldom has anyone shown such presence of mind as was exhibited by William T. McCracken, who was fatally injured while repairing a broken telephone wire in Kansas City. In some way the line became crossed and McCracken fell writhing to the sidewalk. "Don't touch me," he cried to a bystander who hurried up, "you'll be killed if you do. Get a dry board and stand on it and wrap your hands in a felt hat, then you can get the wire off without hurting yourself." The man dashed off in search of the board, but before he came back McCracken was dead, the wire still grasped in his charred

Karl Lindstrom, a farmer near Williamsfield, Mich., has doubts as to the economy of hiring cheap city boys to work on a farm. Karl engaged an inexperienced youth to herp about the place and one morning told the lad to "salt the calf down in the pasture." The boy took a quart of salt and rubbed it into the calf's hair. Some colts scented the salt and before long had nearly licked off the creature's hide. Then the farmer tried to catch and wash the calf, but it apparently thought he wanted to lick too and there was quite a time

lick too and there was quite a time before it was captured and put in a cafe place.

A crowd of American soldiers in the Philippines attended church service in their honor and were perhaps more amused than scandalized to see on a flaring banner an American eagle bearing in his beak a streamer on which was this legend: "Use only Soand-so's condensed milk." An irreverent artist had enlarged a picture which he saw on a milk can and the good padre was easily convinced that the whole design was American in the extreme. Therefore he had the banner hung over the altar, hoping thereby to greatly gratify the soldiers

Volume of Our Currency.

Instead of diminishing, as was predict four years ago, the volume of our currency is greatly in 1, 1896, was \$1,506,434,966; on July 1, 1896, was

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There was rather an odd wedding in Lansing, Mich., a few days ago, when J. A. Greenough was married for the scond time to the same wom an. Twenty-five years ago, immediately for the scond time to the same wom an. Twenty-five years ago, immediately for the gold. After a time, says a local report, he ceased to write home and his wife, after securing a divorce, married E. A. Timmerman, who died three years ago. Last spring the widow learned that frist husband was still alive, correspondence ensued and now they have been joined in wedlock once more.

A fish story comes from Kansas, perhaps by way of preliminary to the annual crop of tail cornstalk yarne. The irrigation ditches at Garden City are said to have become so filled with earths hat the hired men are completed to spear them with pitchfords before the water can flow.

A new song now gaining peppalarity in the east is entitled, "A Kiss Was the Cause of It All." Ustil a copy of the peans of the cannot of the present situations of the proposition of

of disease by lip microbes.

M'KINLEY'S VIEWS.

Abstract of Letter Accepting Nomination for President.

IN FULL ACCORD WITH PLATFORM.

Says Opposing Parties Compel Republicans to a Second Battle on the Money Issue—Regarding Philippine Islands.

The following in an abstract of the letter of Hon. William McKinley accepting the nomination of the repub-lican convention of 1900 for president of the United States:

cepting the nomination of the republican convention of June 10, 1909, for the office of the president of the United States:

The nomination of the republican national convention of June 10, 1909, for the office of the president of the United States, which as the official representative of the convention you have conveyed to me, is accepted. I have carefully examined the platform adopted and give to it my hearty approval. Upon the great issue of the last national election it is clear. It upholds the gold standard and indores the legislation of the present congress by which that standard has been effectively strengthened. The stability of our national currency is therefore secure so long as those who adhere to this platform are kept control of the government. In the first battle, that of 1896, the friends who adhere to this platform are kept control of the government. In the gold standard and of sound currency were triumphant and the corry. Our antagonists, his to a second battle upon the same lines on which the first was fought and won. While regretting the reopening of this question, which can only disturb the present satisfactory financial condition of the government and visit uncertainty upon our great business enterprises, we accept the issue and again invite the sound money forces to join in winning another and we hope a permanent triumph for an honest financial system, which will continue inviolable the public faith.

As in 1896 the three silver parties are united, under the same leader who, immediately after the election of that year, in an address to the bimetallists, said:

"The friends of bimetallism have not been vanquished; they have simply been overcome. They believe that the gold standard is a conspiracy for the human case grainst the election of that year. In all three platforms these parties. In all three platforms these parties. In all three platforms these parties an nounce that their efforts shall be unceasing until the gold act shall be blotted from the statute books and the free and unlimite

All the Issues Important.

The relative importance of the issue I do not stop to discuss. All of them are important. Whichever party is successful will be beund in conscience to carrently administration and conscience to carrently administration and conscience to carrently administration and conscience of the several decidence of the several decidence of the several conscience of the several particles of 16 to 1, the immediate realization of which is demanded by their several platforms, as void and inoperative in the event that they should be clothed with power. Otherwise their profession of faith is insincere. It is therefore the imperative business of those opposed to this financial heresy to prevent the triumph of the parties whose union is only assured by adherence to the silver issue. Will the American people, through indifference or fancied security, hazard the overthrow of the wise financial legislation of the past year and revive the danger of the silver standard with all of the inevitable evils of shattered confidence and general disaster which justly alrends and aroused them in 1896?

Stands by Protection.

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The republican party remains faithful to principle of a protective tariff which pulse sufficient revenues for the government and adequate protection to our terprises and producers; and of reclicity which opens foreign markets to fruits of American labor, and furthers new channels through which to treat the surplus of American farms, e time-honored principles of protection d reciprocity were the first pledges of sublican victory to be written into public v.

republican victory to be written into public law.

During the past year more than \$19,000.000 of United States bonds have been paid from the surplus revenues of the treasury, and in addition \$25,000,000 of two per cents. matured, called by the government, are in process of payment. Pacific railroad bonds issued by the government in aid of the roads in the sum of nearly \$44,000,000 have been paid since December 31, 187. The treasury balance is in satisfactory condition, showing on September 1 \$135,419,000, in addition to the \$150,000,000 gold reserve held in the treasury. The government's relations with the part of the same part of the same part of the same part in cash and the remainder with ample securities for payments deferred.

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to the penerial Filipinos, and would place to the penerial Filipinos, and would place the mercy of dangerous adventurers the work of the matives and foreigners.

In short, the proposition of those opposed to us is to continue all the obligations in the Philippines which now rest upon the government, only changing the relation from principal, which now exists, to that of surety. Our responsibility is to remain, but our power is to be diminished. Our obligation is to be no less, but our title is to be surrendered to another power, which is without experience or training, or the ability to maintain a stable government at home and absolutely helpless to perform its international obligations with the rest of the world of the control of the world of the world of the world of the control of the world of the penelty of the government of the world of the majority of the people went to war and for which a million lives were offered and billions of dollars expended to make it the lawful legacy of all without the consent of materials with the world of the majority of the people went to war and for which a million lives were offered and billions of dollars expended to make it the lawful legacy of all without the consent o

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The republican party does not have to asset 1ts devotion to the declaration of the pendence. That immortal instrument of the fathers remained unexecuted until the people under the lead of the republican party in the awful flash of battle turned its promises into fulfillment. It wrote into the constitution the amendments guaranteeing political equality to American citizenship and it has never broken them or counseled others in breaking them. It will not be guided in its conduct by one set of principles at home and another set in the new territory belonging to the United States.

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Empire has been expelled from Porto Rico and the Philippines by American freemen. The flag of the republic now floats over these islands as an emblem of rightful sovereignty. Will the republic stay and dispense to their inhabitants the blessings of liberty, education and free institutions, or steal away, leaving them to anarchy or to Imperialism?

The American question is between duty and desertion—the American verdet will be for duty and against desertion, for the republic against both anarchy and imperialism.

and desertion—the American verdict will be for duty and against desertion, for the republic against both anarchy and imperation. The Country has been fully advised of the purposes of the United States in China, and they will be faithfully adhered to as already defined.

We are grateful to our own soldlers and saliors and marines, and to all the brave men who, though assembled under many standards representing peoples and races strangers in country and speech, were yet united in the sacred mission of carrying succor to the besieged, with a success that is now the cause of a world's rejoicing.

Not only have we reason for thanksgiving for our material blessings, but we should rejoice in the complete unification of the people of all sections of our country, that has so happily developed in the last few years and made for us a more perfect union. The obliteration of old differences, the common devotion to the flag, and the common sacrifices for its honor, so conspicuous by the men of the north and south in the Spanish war, have so strengthened the ties of friendship and mutual respect that nothing can ever again divide us. The nation faces the new century gratefully anounty, with firm faith in its free institutions, and with high resolve that they "shall not perish from the earth." Very respectfully yours,

WAS NOT ASKED AGAIN.

One Occasion When the Piety of a Michigan Politician Was Not

M. E. Chittenden, the Michigan politician who died recently, dearly loved a Joke. His sown initials, "M. E. C.," he always insisted, stood for Methodist Fpiscopal church, which organization, could it have secured him, would have acquired a very lively member. "Mart," as Mr. Chittenden was familiarly called, relates the Chicago Chronicle, partially lost his hearing some years ago and communication with him thereafter was one of the fine arts. Being the agent of the Standard Oil company for a large territory, he traveled comsiderably, and on a certain occasion fell in with a couple of friends at Hillsdale, who invited him to go with them to dinner at the house of a resident acquaintance. One of them quiet'y said to the host: "Mr. Chittenden is an exceedingly pious man and likes to have the food blessed before partaking. You must invite him to ask the blessing."

Accordingly, when all were seated, silence fell upon the company, while the host turned to Mr. Chittenden with "Will you ask the blessing."

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to Mr. Chittenden with "Will you ask the blessing."
Up went Chittenden's hand to his ear, with his usual, quick, nervous gesture, as in a listening attitude he responded in a tone more decided than unctuous:
"I've grown so all-fired deaf lately that if you've got anything to say to me you'll have to say it devilish loud."
A roar from the two friends disclosed to Chittenden and the astonished host that they had been the victims of a practical joke. But "Chit" enjoyed it amazingly when he understood what had happened.

Intelligent Stage Drivers.

A New York visitor returned recently from Newport full of admiration for the intelligence of the stage drivers who undertake to show strangers the sights of the town. He was driving about in one of the vehicles devoted to the entertainment of those who undertake to see the sights of the town inexpensively. The driver stopped before one of the show places of Newport. "This is Mr. Smith-Jones' villa," said the driver, as he turned to the passengers, "and the lady in the red hat by the corner of the piazza is the younger Miss Smith-Jones, whose engagement to Mr. Brown was announced yesterday." The New York visitor had never before met stage drivers so anxious to have their patrons enjoy themselves.—N. Y. Sun.

A Map of the United States for 15

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Our map, which is 48x34 inches, mounted to hang on the wall, is particularly interesting and valuable, as it shows in colors the different divisions of territory in America acquired since the Revolution. The original thirteen states, Louisiana Purchase, the Texas Annexation, the Gadsden purchase, the cession by Mexico and the Northwest acquisitions by discovery and settlement. It will be sent postage prepaid on receipt of price, 15 cents. P. S. Eustis, General Passenger agent C., B. & Q. R. R., Chicago, Ill.

Often the only difference between the laborer and his employer is that the former is a mere bread-winner while the latter is a mere dough-winner.—Puck.

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The desire for fame has betrayed many an ambitious man into committing indis-cretions that forever ruined his reputation. —Chicago Daily News.

Piso's Cure for Consumption is an infallible medicine for coughs and colds.—N. W. Samuel, Ocean Grove, N. J., Feb. 17, 1900.

The trouble with the air castles girls build is that they are all parlor and music room, with no kitchens attached.—Atchison Globe.

There is an unfortunate time in a man's life when he feels too old to become gay, and too young to go to bed early.—Atchison Globe.

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His Idea.—Nephew—"This hotel is run on the European plan." Uncle Josh— "How's that? Do they charge Americans twice as much as anybody else?"—Puck.

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