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The Charm of Effervescence.

What is there so fascinating about a "fizzing" beverage? Why are the soda fountains thronged by crowds who would not touch their product after the dissolved gas had passed off?

A Useful Bureau.

One of the agencies helping to draw more closely together the countries of this hemisphere is the bureau of American republics, maintained at Washington and which has done much to acquaint the different peoples with one another.

The navy department has completed arrangements for the adoption of the finger print system of identification. This is a system which has been adopted for the army and which will go into effect on September 1.

Watchmaking has progressed wonderfully in the United States in the last 50 years. In 1902 two and three-quarter million watches were manufactured in this country.

SENSE IS NEEDED.

ALONG WITH A GREAT DEAL COMMON TACT.

Having Acquired These, and Standing Shoulder to Shoulder, John Sharp Williams Thinks the Democrats Might Carry the Next House of Representatives.

John Sharp Williams has lately expressed this conviction regarding the outlook for a rehabilitation of the shattered fortunes of the Democratic party:

"We are upon the eve of carrying the house of representatives, if we only act together, shoulder to shoulder, and show common tact and common sense."

To expect the Democratic party, which Ingersoll used to characterize as "an organized appetite," to show common tact and common sense under any imaginable conditions, is as unreasonable as to expect the leopard to change his spots.

It would seem that common sense might have discovered the effects of the blunder and that common tact might have prevented its recurrence. Nothing of the kind. The Bourbon fight against the accepted policy of the American people goes on forever.

"As only a small percentage of our people are employed in so-called protected industries which receive the benefits of the system, the great burden falls upon the balance who are employed in unprotected industries, but receive none of the benefit of the system."

"When we meet Tammany in the next national convention Texas will be there holding up the banner of the greatest Democrat who has lived since Jefferson—William J. Bryan."

What an appeal is here made for the confidence of the business interests, the industrial producers and the wage-earners of the country! One demagogue shouting the shallow lie, disproved by the facts of the greatest prosperity ever witnessed or imagined, that the benefits of protection are for the favored few, while its injuries are visited upon the general mass; and another demagogue giving assurance that Texas and Tammany will be found shoulder to shoulder in the upbearing of the standard of Free Trader Bryan.

May Not Be Advantageous.

An increase in foreign trade may or may not be advantageous to a nation or a commonwealth. It depends upon conditions and circumstances. It is not necessarily advantageous and it may be positively disadvantageous.

For example, Connecticut produces cutlery and New Jersey produces pottery. Connecticut supplies New Jersey with cutlery and New Jersey supplies Connecticut with pottery.

We will suppose that the annual exchange is of \$1,000,000 worth of cutlery for \$1,000,000 worth of pottery; total exchange, \$2,000,000.

Suppose, further, that under a condition of free trade or reciprocity Connecticut, instead of exchanging products with New Jersey, exchanges her cutlery for French pottery.

The exports will show a gain of \$1,000,000, but this gain is at the expense of New Jersey's labor and production. The imports also show a gain of \$1,000,000; total increase of foreign trade, \$2,000,000.

FREE HIDES WOULD DO HARM.

Senator Warren Drops Some Broad Hints to Eastern Manufacturers.

In a speech a few years ago before the National Association of Wool Manufacturers, Senator Warren of Wyoming earnestly advised against any attempt to secure a removal of the tariff on wool.

Again the senatorial ranchman from Wyoming is on hand with a "Don't!" This time his advice is addressed to the manufacturers of boots, shoes and leather products.

It will astonish some people to learn that as long ago as 1899 there was, according to the twelfth census, a total of 11,240,131 persons in the United States whose livelihood was dependent directly and indirectly on the livestock industry.

There are facts and figures in Senator Warren's speech which may well arrest the attention of those who clamor for free hides and threaten the downfall of the party of protection unless their demand shall be granted.

"The permanency of protection as a national policy rests largely with the American farmer. When he arrives at the conviction that protection is being withheld from him in order that the profits of manufacturers may be swelled, then the end of protection will swiftly come."

"Mr. President, our tariff laws when framed by protectionists have never been made to favor one state, one section of the country, or one industry. They never will be. We are all so interdependent that an injury to one industry or to one part of the country is an injury to all, and a benefit to one is a benefit to all."

"The American tramp must look out for his laurels in the matter of stealing rides. A Roumanian recently succeeded in lodging himself on the pipes underneath a dining-car of the Orient express at Costanza, on the Black sea, these pipes affording a sort of shelf about 20 inches wide. He left his bed in Paris 53 hours later. It is remarked that at the end of the journey he was very dusty, hungry and thirsty, and possessed a capital amounting to five cents."

Higher Prices.

The Buffalo Times covers only a part of the subject when it asks: "Are you studying the tariff question? Do you know that your money will buy only about two-thirds as much now as it would before the present tariff bill was passed?"

Do you also know that a condition of high prices obtains throughout the civilized world, and that nobody's money will buy more than about two-thirds of what it would buy ten years ago? Financial scientists are attributing this increase in current values and this lower purchasing power of money all over the world to an enormous increase in the supply of gold.

An Asset?

"Tariff revision is a Democratic asset," sagely remarks the Washington Post. True now, true always. Tariff revision was the chief Democratic asset in 1892, and the party realized it in great shape. Three months after the realization in the Wilson-Gorman act the Democratic majority in the house of representatives had been changed back to a Republican majority, and two years later McKinley, the apostle of protectionism, was elected president, along with a congress Republican in both branches.

DAZED WITH PAIN.

The Sufferings of a Citizen of Olympia, Wash.

L. S. Gorham, of 516 East 4th St., Olympia, Wash., says: "Six years ago I got wet and took cold, and was soon flat in bed, suffering tortures with my back. Every movement caused an agonizing pain, and the persistency of it exhausted me, so that for a time I was dazed and stupid."



On the advice of a friend I began using Doan's Kidney Pills, and soon noticed a change for the better. The kidney secretions had been disordered and irregular, and contained a heavy sediment, but in a week's time the urine was clear and natural again and the passages regular.

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Shows Value of Liquid Fuel.

The steamship Goldmouth, belonging to the Shell line, has just arrived at Rotterdam, after steaming from Singapore by the route round the Cape of Good Hope, a distance of 11,791 miles, in 52 days, without once stopping the engines or checking the generation of steam in the main boilers. This performance is believed to be the largest nonstop run ever made by marine machinery.

Close Second to American Tramp.

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China to Own Postoffices.

After the return of the Chinese mission which is now making a tour of Europe and America for the purposes of study, the Chinese government intends to assume control of the entire postal system and at the same time to abolish all the postoffices in China now maintained by foreign powers.

PHYSICIAN SAYS

Children Thrive on Grape Nuts and Cream.

A Mass. physician has found a cure for constipation in children—citing fifteen cases—by feeding them Grape-Nuts.

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Children's teeth are benefited by chewing Grape-Nuts, also. Your dentist will tell you that a certain amount of exercise in chewing firm food, is necessary to grow strong, beautiful teeth.

Say Sun Is Losing Heat.

Together with French and German scientists no less eminent an authority than Prof. Charles L. Doolittle, director of the Flower Observatory of the University of Pennsylvania, asserts that the sun is gradually losing its heat. For years the diameter of the sun has been contracting at the rate of 56 yards a year.

And That's the Limit.

Some wise guy said there was nothing equal to the hatred of a scorned woman. This fellow probably never rubbed up against some of the sore-headed politicians and heard them express their opinion of the men whom they blamed for kicking them out of the public trough.—Fargo Forum.

Ginger Beer.

Pour a gallon of boiling water on one pound of loaf sugar, half an ounce of ginger, and one ounce of cream of tartar. When nearly cold add a tablespoonful of yeast. Strain, bottle, and in six hours it will be ready for use. If root ginger is used, boil it in the water for 20 minutes.

Trouble for Nothing.

To smuggle a human skeleton into Canada from Detroit a medical student dressed it in female attire and, seating it by his side in a buggy, crossed over the boundary line. After he got safely into his house he learned that there is no custom duty on skeletons.

Plain Entertaining.

Folk in "society" are now entertaining on a plainer scale. They ask fewer friends at a time, but have more parties. There is not the ostentatious competition that there has been, and "crashes" are no longer necessary to the popularity of a hostess.

A Bodkin Substitute.

A small safety pin makes a very good substitute for a bodkin when that useful but elusive article makes its absence felt, as it usually chooses to do at the very moment you're settling to run ribbons and tapes in the piles of laundered underclothes.

Queensland's Valuable Asset.

As a national asset Queensland's 40,000,000 acres of forests have been set down by experts at £100,000,000. Nevertheless, up till a few years since nearly all the soft woods used in the state were imported—mostly from America.

German Humor.

An ash tray from Germany contains this warning: "Defilement of the room by ash of cigars is forbidden to the severest. Anyone who, notwithstanding, makes guilty of such a one will be punished irrevocably by house arrest."

To Clean Eye-Glasses.

Let eye-glasses lie in alcohol for a few moments, then polish with chamois. If the glasses are set into gold frames, a fine camel's-hair brush will lift the dust from the edges and make them look like new.

Salt Water More Buoyant.

Ocean-going ships carry much heavier cargoes, on the same draft, than they could if they were used in the fresh water of the great lakes. The difference amounts to several hundred tons, for the largest vessels.

Not Well to Live Alone.

Professional Carpet Beater (during one of his many rests from his labor)—It's funny how a man gets out of practice. Since my divorce a month ago I haven't been able to raise the dust with a single lick!

Sign of the Cherry Tree.

The enterprising landlord who advertised his house as being located "in a grove of gigantic cherry trees with a ladder for each guest," writes to say that advertising pays and none others need apply.

Chemist's Misfortune.

A chemist made a mistake in weighing some poison, and thus killed the purchaser. When the news was announced to him, he exclaimed: "O, how unfortunate I am; he was my best customer."

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