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THE REPUBLICAN TICKET.

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THE REPUBLICAN PLATFORM.

1. Tariff, not only to furnish adequate revenue for the necessary expenses of the government, but to protect American labor from degradation to the wage level of other lands.

continued intervention of the miracle, could their prosperity continue? "Some of us don't seem to realize the complete interdependency of the units in modern society."

"It does not take any close figuring to show anybody that the acquisition of a national habit of parsimony is but the first step to a condition of low wages and chronic depression."

"Providence seems to have decreed that some shall save and others shall spend, the latter largely in the majority with us, happily we must say, because it is the latter who keep things moving briskly."

"I do not know what you think about it, but I believe that it is a good deal better to open the mills of the United States to the labor of America than to open up the mints of the United States to the silver of the world."

Not a Real Remedy.

The Globe-Democrat puts the subject understandingly when it says: "It is an undeniable and lamentable fact that the farmers of the United States have been having a hard time in recent years."

Worse Than His Platform.

Probably no greater mistake is made than that of Democrats who are trying to persuade themselves that candidate Bryan is better than the platform upon which he stands.

Danger of Parsimony.

The Detroit Tribune offers a new explanation of the hard times which, though it perhaps may be dangerous in certain quarters, certainly contains points. The Tribune says:

"A most curious perversion of the blessed quality of seeing the bright side, is shown in the joyous claim that is made to the effect that hard times are good for Americans, in that they will teach the people to save."

"Ask any merchant what is the matter with trade today, that is to say, depression, and he will tell you the people are not buying anything."

consumption of food products. The fact that business men almost without exception oppose free coinage shows that they fear it; that they will not make new investments if it passes; in other words, that it cannot expect to inspire confidence among the classes where confidence is most needed.

"Free silver would not mean that silver dollars were to be freely had without cost or labor. It would mean the free use of the mints of the United States for the few who are owners of silver bullion, but would make silver coin no freer to the many who are engaged in other enterprises."

LAMP LIGHT MUSINGS

In issuing fire badges to newspaper reporters of the city, Chief Hickey inaugurated a reform for which he is entitled to credit. It would not be a bad idea for the newspaper of Scranton to follow up this excellent suggestion and arrange credentials whereby every legitimate newspaper worker might be known at all times.

A traveler who has evidently traveled in Northeast Pennsylvania, contributes the following directions for "working the road": "Get a machine—one with an upper deck and cushion seat preferred."

TOLD BY THE STARS.

Daily Horoscope Drawn by Ainechus The Tribune Astrologer. Astrological cast: 3:13 a. m., for Monday, Aug. 31, 1896.

It will be evident to a child born on this day that Attorney Horn has no desire to go into the martyr business this season.

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payments has been harmful or the reverse. In a material sense, to the United States, we must go back to the time when apprehensions regarding the stability of our currency had not yet begun to seriously retard business and check enterprise."

Table with 3 columns: Year, Total wealth, Per capita. Data for 1870, 1875, 1880, 1885, 1890.

The last decade indicated, during which the country was on a gold basis, shows an amazing addition to the wealth of the country, being 20 per cent. in excess of that for any previous decade.

As the Chronicle says: "During the paper money era our progress in such leading industries as those noted above and a great many others was very slow. But when the currency was again placed on a sound monetary basis advanced by the enormous increase in production and wealth which the figures indicate, the American policy of protection had much to do with it; but it is also safe to claim that the development was coincident with the maintenance of the value of the gold standard, and that depression and decline have been coincident with the increasing menace of a depreciated currency."

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