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HARMED ALREADY.

American Farmers Who Raise Sugar Beets Receive the First Blow.

Whatever the beet sugar manufacturers got was not, in their opinion, sufficient to make them good, but their plan included recouping themselves from the farmers by a reduction of 50 cents per ton on the price to be paid for beets for their contracts for next year. Such a reduction was made simultaneously and evidently by concerted action by all sugar beet manufacturers in the United States. Then these ingenious financiers, with their smug conspirators in the United States senate, complacently smite their breasts and raise their eyes to heaven while they declare that "no American industry will be harmed by the Cuban treaty." But if the same, the American farmers who raise sugar beets are "harmed" by exactly 50 cents per ton of beets, which is substantially equivalent to 25 off cent a pound on the sugar produced from them. If the average duty on imported sugar is 1.75 cents per pound, 20 per cent thereof would be .35 cent. The deal, then, was that in some form the refining trust should pay to manufacturers one-tenth of a cent in the sugar produced and that they should collect a quarter of a cent from the farmers.

The Pajaro valley beet growers refuse to stand for this. On the contrary, they demand the same price which they have been getting and will raise no beets for less. And the war is on. A mass convention, attended by almost every grower of sugar beet in the Pajaro valley and many from other sections, served formal notice on the manufacturers that if they chose to "consent" to the Cuban treaty they must themselves bear the loss. The beet growers were never consulted and positively refuse to have the loss dumped on to them.—San Francisco Chronicle.

A Poor Democratic Leader.

That glorious old Democratic wheel horse, Henry M. Teller of Colorado, who never supported a straight out Democrat in his life, says there is no use of talking about nominating anybody for president who did not support the Populist platforms of 1896 and 1900. Mr. Teller named the so called Democratic candidates in the years mentioned, and perhaps expects to do the same thing in 1904.—Chicago Chronicle.

Gorman as a Leader.

Some of the free trade journals, like the Philadelphia Ledger and Record, assert that Republican leads are worried over the placing of Gorman again in the saddle as a Democratic leader. It is doubtful if they are sleeping over the matter. Gorman is a shrewd politician, but he has been unhorsed time and again, as we will be in 1904.—Camden (N. J.) Post-Intelligencer.

Tillman's Remedy.

Senator Tillman says the newspapers ruin him by omitting all that is sane and decent from his speeches. The remedy would seem to be intelligible speeches that contained nothing else, but you can hardly expect senator to see it.—Seattle Post-Intelligencer.

A Moses Needed in New Jersey.

The Democratic newspapers are going to a whole lot of unnecessary trouble in their endeavor to locate a leader for the Republican party in New Jersey.

The Republicans are competent to take care of themselves, a truth which election figures of the past eight years attest.

Our Democratic friends should give all their time to the search for a Moses for their own party, which just now appears to be without head or tail.—Trenton (N. J.) Gazette.

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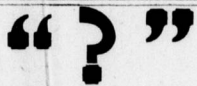
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