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Evening Herald.

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OUR COUNTRY: First, Last and Forever.

There are three silver parties in Nebraska and two Democratic parties in Kentucky. If division and multiplication were the same, the Democratic outlook would be better.

A MEDICAL authority says that "by eating less meat, and having it better cooked, we shall tide over the rise in price, and maintain our health and happiness despite fashion and extravagance." The remedy is easy and available to all.

OUR Democratic friends should be a little more cautious in their campaign literature. The trick to prosecute bondsmen of delinquent tax collectors might meet, when one scans the list of Democratic candidates. But bear in mind, if the Republicans open their guns along this line, that it was a Democratic official who drew the first fire. Let the battle begin!

"If there ever was a time in the history of the United States," says the Democratic Nashville American, "when the true-blue American citizen should show his love of country it is at this juncture. On the blood-stained fields of Luzon thousands of our countrymen are heroically battling under the stars and stripes." Many other Southern Democratic papers are taking an equally patriotic position. The Louisville Courier-Journal, the New Orleans Picayune, the Chattanooga Times, and other prominent papers in their section are demanding a vigorous prosecution of the war until American sovereignty is recognized in all parts of the domain which Spain ceded to the United States in the treaty of peace.

Quite a Contrast.

The contrast between the course pursued in the present campaign by the Democrats of Ohio and the Democrats of Pennsylvania is most striking. In the former state the followers of Bryan and free silver are boldly making the fight on national issues. Almost their entire platform is taken up with planks relating to the questions of finance, trusts, expansion, and those subjects upon which the two national parties are arrayed one against the other. They make no secret of their adhesion to the doctrines of the Chicago platform and its candidate, and propose to make the fight on the issues named on their platform.

In Pennsylvania, while the Democratic platform contains an allusion to our "matchless leader, William Jennings Bryan," yet the leaders of the party are seeking to blind the people of the state and attempting to cling into power by a pretense of ignoring national issues and shouting for state reform.

It is to be presumed that there are important state issues in Ohio as well as in Pennsylvania, but the Ohio Democrats realize that it is impossible to separate national from state issues at this time, and they boldly proclaim their position. It is not to be understood that their brethren in Pennsylvania are any less ignorant on this subject. On the contrary, they are just as well aware, as are the Ohio Democrats, that national issues are of the most vital importance, but they also know full well that for them to announce themselves as making the fight in Pennsylvania on the direct issue of Bryanism, and all that the word implies, would mean political suicide.

Hence, we have the Democracy of one state entering a campaign on the platform of national issues, as though there were no state issues, and in another state conducting a campaign on state reform as though national matters were such a state as to need no attention.

It is only another illustration of the policy of the Democracy of being all things to all men.

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CUBAN CENSUS PROCLAMATION.

Only the Cuban Officeholders Give It Full Approval. Havana, Sept. 1.—The census of opinion in Havana regarding the census proclamation can now be ascertained with a reasonable degree of accuracy. When the proclamation was first made known all elements were apparently satisfied. Now the only ones who appear to give it full approval are Cuban officeholders. These say that the proclamation is the work of a master hand and ought to satisfy everybody. Their outspoken approbation, if there were no other reason, would cause all other elements to suspect the existence of something wrong somewhere.

The independents, as the members of the party advocating independence are called, say that President McKinley should have made some declaration regarding absolute independence for Cuba. Those who favor an American protectorate consider that the proclamation does not offer adequate guarantees to property and the investor. The annexationists assert that the proclamation tells literally nothing respecting President McKinley's purpose, and that it is in any wise regarding the future of the island than before. They, however, believe that the administration is inclined to adopt the theory that it would be impossible immediately to turn over the reins of government to the Cubans without precipitating civil war.

The malcontents—those who abuse everything, no matter what, that is done by the present administration—object to the proclamation on general principles. As to foreign capitalists, their opinion is fairly represented by the president of an important railway, who said: "We do not care what happens. The United States has assumed Spain's responsibility in the island, and even if a republic is established its officials would of necessity obey Washington implicitly."

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Watson Not in Health.

Washington, Sept. 4.—The statement that Rear Admiral Watson, commanding the United States naval forces at Manila, has asked to be relieved of his command because of ill health is denied in official circles here. He has not, it is stated, made any such request, and although a number of telegrams have been received from him recently no reference to the condition of his health has been made by him.

Proble Favored in Cleveland.

Cleveland, Sept. 4.—There is grave apprehension of trouble during the progress of the Labor day parade. The police have taken steps to meet any emergency which may arise. The line of march has been laid out along the tracks of the Big Consolidated, and it is believed to be almost impossible to prevent clashes between some of the marchers and the non-union men on the cars.

Justice Chambers in Washington.

Washington, Sept. 4.—Hon. W. L. Chambers, the chief justice of the Samoan islands, arrived in Washington yesterday from his home in the south. While here he will make a report to the president and the secretary of state of recent happenings in the islands and of the part he took in affairs there.

Brutal Bull Fight in Houston.

Houston, Sept. 4.—A most brutal bull fight took place here yesterday afternoon, at least a third of the spectators being English. Six bulls were butchered and the spectacle is described as "extremely degrading." Mateador Llanverito was tossed and badly lacerated in the thigh, but he continued the fight and killed the bull.

NUGGETS OF NEWS.

S. H. Ellis, of Waynesville, O., has accepted the Union Reform nomination for governor. The University of California, at Berkeley, will erect a monument to the collegians who died in the late war. The steamer Darie sailed from San Francisco with nearly a million Mexican dollars for Chinese business houses.

The next session of the international law conference will probably be held at Rouen, France, during the Paris exposition.

Gilbert Henning, 20 years old, and Abraham Hill, aged 13, were drowned from a rowboat in the harbor of Buffalo yesterday.

A new order forces the New York Elevated railroad guards to remove their whisks, and officially names them captains.

S. C. King, of Clarion, Ind., was instantly killed at Mannington, W. Va., while boarding a train for the Philadelphia G. A. R. encampment. The steamer Angeltine, one of the largest steel freighters of the lakes, belonging to the Presque Isle Transportation company, was launched at Detroit, Mich.

SPANIARDS ESCAPING

From Imprisonment Within the Filipino Lines.

REBELS ARE SHORT OF RATIONS.

United States Prisoners of War Are Treated Better by the Rebels Than Are Spanish Prisoners—The Kansas Regiment Homebound Bound.

Manila, Sept. 4.—Many Spanish prisoners are escaping from the Filipino lines and bringing into the American lines stories of hard treatment. They agree that the Filipinos are short of rations and that a large section of their troops is reduced to the use of home made black powder.

The natives are trying every scheme to get food and munitions from Manila. Daily arrests are made for attempts to smuggle contraband of war through the American lines. In one case a cargo with a cargo of bamboo poles was overhauled and the poles were found full of rice.

The insurgents have a wholesome respect for the British on account of several threats of British warships to bombard their towns unless the rights of British subjects are respected. Two British vessels, the Lascion and the Nerco, were driven by stress of weather into the harbor of Dagupan, the northern terminus of the Dagupan railway. The crews were imprisoned, but on their protesting that they were British subjects the insurgent authorities permitted one man, Edwards, to come to Manila, promising to release the crew of the Lascion if Edwards secured from the British consul at Manila a statement establishing the nationality of the crew. A similar concession was made to the crew of the Nerco.

Edwards says he saw several American prisoners, who were better fed than the Spaniards by the Filipino soldiers. Moreover they were not compelled to work, as the Spanish prisoners are. A force of native police has begun to patrol the city of Manila, cooperating with the provost guard, whose lack of knowledge of the language and the resorts of native criminals had given any opportunities for burglary, an industry which has been flourishing of late. The new force includes many members of the old force and some insurgents who had grown tired of fighting. It has already done good work in running down native criminals.

The American secret service recently found a Filipino spy in Columbia. He is supposed to have been the man who stole four guns belonging to the Washington regiment. He offered desperate resistance to the soldier who was sent to capture him and tried to run away with two revolver shots in his head. Finally he was brought down by a rifle bullet in the hip. He died after jumping from the stretcher and trying to run.

Late yesterday afternoon the Kansas regiment started on its march in the river and were towed to the United States transport Tartar, the regimental flag flying and the men cheering and singing. The Tartar sailed for home last evening.

Red Hot From the Gun.

Was the hell that hit G. R. (Stedman) of Newark, Mich., in the civil war. It caused horrible ulcers, that no treatment helped for 20 years. Then Bucklen's Arnica Salve cured him. Cures Cuts, Bruises, Burns, Boils, Felons, Corns, Skin Eruptions. Best pile cure on earth. 25 cts. a box. Guaranteed. Sold by A. Wasley, druggist.

Robbers Lined a Gambling Den. Spokane, Wash., Sept. 4.—Two men at 4 o'clock yesterday morning walked into Harry Greer's gambling room on the second floor of a block in the very heart of the business district, and held up 15 men, looted the tills and safe and escaped with \$1,900 in cash and bills. In the chase and subsequent capture of one of the men, Policeman Gemmrig was shot in the groin and perhaps fatally wounded.

Canadian Soldiers in Albany. Albany, Sept. 4.—The seven general foot guards, of Ottawa, Canada, numbering 350, in command of Colonel Hodgins, arrived here yesterday as the guests of the Tenth battalion, N. G. N. Y. The reception accorded them was most enthusiastic as they marched up the hill to the state armory, where they will be quartered during their stay here. They will parade today.

Silk Ribbon Trust Perfected. Paterson, N. J., Sept. 4.—The silk ribbon trust has perfected its organization and will be ready to begin business on or before Oct. 1. The leading manufacturers acknowledge that their signatures have been attached to the consolidated agreement. The capital stock of the new company will be \$20,000,000. The stock will be placed on the market at once.

Terrible Fate of the Sea. Charleston, Sept. 4.—A terrible tale of the sea, the story of survivors drawing lots to die and be backed up for food, was told Saturday by two of the men of the wrecked Norwegian bar-Drot. They had sucked the blood from their companion's body to keep alive. One of the seven men is a raving maniac. His name is Maurice Anderson, aged 23. The other one's name is Godmund Thomson, aged 17. He is sane, but wasted away. They were picked up on Thursday by the British steamer Woodruff, Captain Milburn, 250 miles south of Charleston. But one other man of the crew was saved. He was landed at Philadelphia on Aug. 23 by the German steamer Titania.

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VOTE FOR THOMAS J. HIGGINS, OF SHENANDOAH. FOR CLERK OF THE COURTS.

VOTE FOR M. A. CAREY, FOR PROTHONOTARY.

VOTE FOR FRANK C. REESE, OF SHENANDOAH. FOR COUNTY REGISTER.

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For Lehigh Valley, Towanda, Sayre, Waverly Elmira, Rochester, Buffalo, Niagara Falls, Auburn, Syracuse, Ithaca, Geneva and the West, 10:12 a. m., 12:52 and 5:17 p. m.

For Selvidge, Delaware Water Gap and Scrubbing, 9:26 a. m., 5:17 p. m.

For Lumberville and Trenton, 7:30 a. m., 11:50 and 4:20 p. m., and arrive at Shenandoah at 7:50, 10:12 a. m., and 5:17 p. m.

Leave Shenandoah for Potsville, St. Clair, New Castle, Morea and New Boston, 7:50 and 10:12 a. m., 12:52 and 5:17 p. m.

Leave Potsville for Shenandoah, 9:45 a. m., 12:52, 5:17 p. m.

Leave Hazleton for Shenandoah, 9:56 a. m., 12:45, 5:09, 5:36, 8:11 p. m.

SUNDAY TRAINS. Trains leave for Raven Run, Centralia, Mt. Carmel and Shamokin, 9:45 a. m., 7:21 p. m.

Trains leave Shamokin for Shenandoah at 8:50 a. m., and 5:35 p. m.

Trains leave Shenandoah for Yatesville, Mahanoy City, Park Place, Delano, McAlvo, Anderson, Hazleton, Stockton, Lumber Yard, Weatherly and Match Chunk, 9:45 a. m., and 8:25 p. m.

For Lehighton, Slatton, Catawissa, White Hall, Coplay, Allentown, Easton and Phillipsburg, 9:45 a. m., and 8:25 p. m.

For New York and Philadelphia, 9:45 a. m., and 8:25 p. m.

Leave Hazleton for Shenandoah, 9:50 a. m., and 6:27 p. m.

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