

NO FALTERING UNDER THE NATION'S DUTY.

Silver and Expansion Are the Paramount Issues.

M. E. Ingalls, a Life-Long Sound Money Democrat, Writes of the Necessity for Assuming a Larger National Life.

One of the most successful, distinguished and popular railway presidents in the United States is the Hon. Melville E. Ingalls of Cincinnati. From the very ground of railroad construction he has worked his way up to the presidency of the Chesapeake and Ohio and Big Four railway systems...

THE PATENT LAWS BREED MONOPOLIES.

A Drummer Continues His Chats on Trade Changes.

Reorganization of Employing Companies Affords Larger Opportunities to the Men—Expansion Gives Drummers New Fields.

Monopolies in this country are due more to the patent system than any other cause; the average trust could not monopolize its product, and it will not try. If it does, there is the same old remedy which we free American citizens, who are supposed to have something to say in the election of our State legislatures, can apply...

present day unparalleled prosperity, in which every citizen has a right to share. If any citizen is prevented from sharing in that prosperity, he is the victim of conditions which cannot be righted by the election of Bryan, strongly as he may be tempted to trust that remedy...

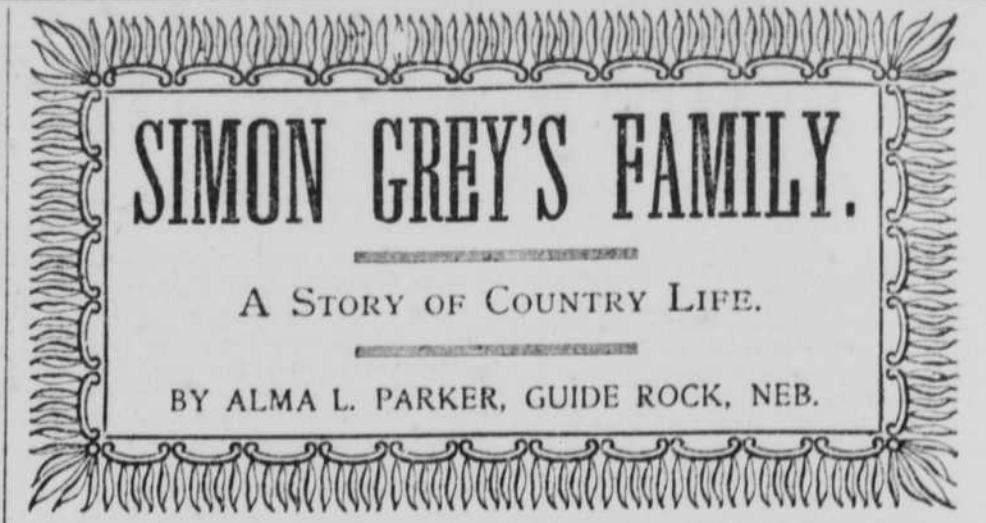
stock-watering evil along with the trust "magnate" and the promoter. He is getting down on the earth again. Some of the trusts in which he invested have even gone to pieces. They were badly conceived and badly managed. They couldn't hold together. They didn't "do business" on a business basis.

the American farmer and laborer, must address himself. And in the solution of that problem he will find the present goal of patriotism. The business man who does not inquire into the politics of his bookkeeper is asked by the supporters of Mr. Bryan to allow partisan politics to be injected into the circulating medium through which he carries on his business...

would cause drummers to lose their places. Then consider that millions and millions of dollars are spent in this country for advertising purposes, not merely in the newspapers and the magazines, but on the fences and the bill boards, in signs, in distributions of printed matter, and what not.

go forward, under Bryan we turn back. The coming test of the silver question at the polls must, in all human probability, be the final one. The will of the voters twice registered will not be the third time disputed. Each year we give to our present money standard a new and additional security...

wait and the Philippines, and have some interest in Cuba; and I venture to say that the increased and increasing business in those distant islands has already more than absorbed the work of all the drummers in the country who have lost their positions through industrial combinations...



CHAPTER III. Simon's Fight for His Honor. Election day arrived. Boonsville was early filled with voters, passing up and down the streets, lecturing for their favorite candidates, the center of attraction being the place where they were to vote.