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MR. CLEVELAND has his foot in it now, later on he will get it in the neck

The spell-binders are not in it with the wheat binders at this season of the year.

CYCLONES have been playing havoc with more useful things all around him, but Gov. Altgeld still lives.

To democratic congressman—Drop the right sort of a vote in the slot and get pie for your constituents.

HOKE SMITH is still attending to the pension department and discharging all the competent men on the pay roll.

OHIO populists in convention voted to ask congress to impeach Grover Cleveland. Wonder if they will help elect him again?

It may worry the lynchers a little to find out that they make a mistake, but it will not make the slightest difference to the lynchers.

THE democratic bosses have decided that the next house shall have a cloture rule, and they are now studying up a new name for it.

Nobody has suggested taking up a popular collection for Eulalia, the Spanish Infanta; but perhaps it has merely been temporarily overlooked.

THE decadence of the popularity of the bull fight in Spain is largely responsible for the Duke of Veragua's threatened bankruptcy. He raises fighting bulls.

It doesn't seem altogether right to strike a fellow when he's down. Still, the country would like to see the increased prosperity promised last fall by the democrats.

It is difficult to understand why congress should wait until August 7 to begin work, when Jerry Simpson is already in Washington with his mouth in good condition.

THE world's fair will be closed hereafter on Sunday. The patronage did not justify the expense, and hereafter the public will have to seek some other place to spend the Sabbath.

REPRESENTATIVE BURROWS thinks the Jerry Simpson party, which up to date has a membership of one, a promising candidate for a straight jacket. Score another bulls-eye for Burrows.

OUR independent friends wanted a change; the democrats wanted a change. Now they want change and can't get it. Neither can they get bills. Man is a curious being, and hard to please.

GROVER does not appear to be in a hurry to satisfy hungry democrats of this state who are after offices. Unless a few of them are given positions shortly they will be apt to leave the party.

BUTTING one's head against a brick wall is pleasant compared with the eleventh hour efforts now being made to form a combination to prevent Crisp being re-elected speaker of the house.

ARE the democrats going to redeem their campaign pledges and reduce the tariff? We will make the prediction now that they will not touch it. Campaign promises amount to naught with the democrats.

IF the Hawaiian government really intends to hang the men who have been plotting for the restoration of the queen, it should ask for the extradition of Charles Nordhoff, whose encouragement was the real cause of the plotting.

SECRETARY MORTON might have been engaged in a more useful occupation than when he suggested the profit that might be made by coining counterfeit dollars of real silver. There is enough crookedness already without such suggestions.

NO ONE can deny that the crime of rape should be punished by death, and if lynching is ever excusable it is then. But in view of the apparent rapid increase both of that crime and of lynching it would appear that lynching does not lessen the crime. Indeed, it appears to increase it.

AN exchange wisely remarks: "The women are coming right to the front. In this country there are 2,500 female doctors, 275 women are preaching, 5,000 are managing postoffices and over 3,000 are independent of men, while 27,000 women support their husbands. Should man be proud of women? We would say, yes, except the last statement."

SECRETARY CARLISE is wrong; there has not been too much talk about the financial affairs of the country. If he had changed the phraseology a little and said there had been too much wavering he would have been right. What he did say amounts to what Vanderbilt once said about the people. Who is John G. Carlise that he should arrogate to himself this mighty power? This country is governed by the people, and until there is a change the aforesaid people will continue to discuss financial matters whenever they are so minded.

WHEN the supervisors get into court with the shortages they may find that the experts opinion is not good law.

THE Holt county board of supervisors (populists) censured the supreme court for not handing down a decision in a case now before them. The populists of Ohio in convention assembled demanded the impeachment of President Cleveland, saying that he is a traitor. The populists seem to be right at home in the censuring or impeaching business. If they could only secure the offices how happy they would be.

"MR. DARR ON REFORM" in THE FRONTIER of a couple of weeks ago called forth something less than a dozen communications, in last week's Independent, purporting to reply to his argument. None of them attempted to deny a single statement made by him but contented themselves by calling him a "real mean man" and "defaulter" and wound up by signing their verbiage "Obnoxious," "Supervisor," "Clapp" etc. Even if Mr. Darr were a real mean man, a defaulter, a horse thief or an independent supervisor, we would have ten fold more respect for him than any man who is cowardly enough to attack a person over a *nom de plume*. There is nothing more contemptible and the rot is worthy alike of the writer and the paper that stoops to publish it.

LOOK OUT FOR DYNAMITE BOMBS

Gentle reader, we desire to call your attention to a few remarks of the anarchist who fathers utterances made by the Holt County Independent. We desire more particularly the attention of our local readers; those who are personally acquainted with that estimable gentleman, Mr. David Adams, president of the Holt County Bank. When those who are thusly qualified lend us their ears we will have a mighty aggregation of men and women whose hearts will swell with gratitude at the mere mention of his name. Memory's tide will carry them back to a time when they or some other person has asked for assistance that was not granted grudgingly. They will remember when and where he has succored the widow and orphan, and by advancement of cash guided the merchant and needy farmer safely past the rocks of Scylla and the whirlpool Charybdis. Nor will they say he always did this with pecuniary profit to himself, for such is not the case. But this is only to call to mind the many manly, honorables and kindly qualities of the man that we may contrast them with assertions of the self made wanderer upon the face of the earth who says:

Now we look upon this failure as being a pre-meditated, pre-arranged scheme and conspiracy of the Mosher plan to aid Scott, who impudently, impertinently and defiantly refuses to report to the board the true conditions, and the ring, in completely looting Holt county, and if the taxpayers sit down and quietly and tamely submit to being thus publicly robbed, they are a set of bigger cowards than we take them to be.

In the above when he says we look upon this failure as a premeditated, pre-arranged scheme and conspiracy to aid Scott in looting the treasury he can allude to no one but Mr. Adams. When he says the only panacea for the bank thief is the Chinese law rigidly enforced he means that Mr. Adams should be beheaded, for that is the Chinese penalty.

When this bank opens its doors next Monday, as it is confidently expected it will, the first official act of its president should be the filing of proceedings in a criminal libel suit, and this man who has in one breath written himself down an ass and a knave should be defendant.

HOW TO RESTORE CONFIDENCE.

The following letter appeared in the last issue of the American Economist and is from the pen of an Iowa congressman who has been a close observer of the financial situation:

OLKALOOSA, IOWA, June 5, 1893.
A. M. DOLPH, President Board of Trade, Cincinnati, Ohio.

DEAR SIR—Replying to your letter of the 3d inst., it seems to me that the remedy is very simple, but I fear it is, unfortunately, impracticable. If the democratic majority could at once resolve and satisfy the country that they would let the tariff alone and stand by the former system under which the country has enjoyed great prosperity, we would have no difficulty. Everybody expects legislation hostile to American production. The democratic party is pledged to such a course. There can be no revival of confidence until that party satisfies the country that it will not carry out its pledges. A systematic and widespread attempt is being made to blame everything on the silver law. But the silver law made no trouble until the senate and presidency went to the democrats. It was not until that party became assured of the power to destroy protection that confidence became impaired. It is not legislation that the country needs, in my opinion. The situation is a "forced and unnatural one," as you say, and grows out of the fear of legislation. What the country needs is assurance that there will be no legislation. The present lack of confidence is the sober second thought of the country. Last fall the nation resolved on the reversal of the policy under which it had prospered. It is now showing that its sober business sense is more to be relied upon than its hasty political judgment. It is impossible to consider the question without reference to politics, because it is the change of policy resolved on in a political contest that has brought about the present uncertainty and lack of confidence. Very respectfully,
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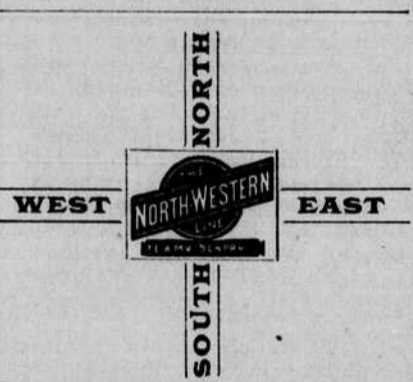
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