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hemispheres, that 300,000 men in the phrase and soph stry that appears in the prime of life have been withdrawn current literature and the daily press and Porto Rico, where they consume nothing. If students had been taught mand and helps prices.

banks, which with the old ones will issue | moments. bundreds of millions of money, that for a time at least, will go into circulation and add to the volume of money and will help some more to raise prices.

"We thank thee that thou hast ordered congress to expend pearly -a - hundred million on a new navy, for that will make work for thousands of men and tend to keep up the price of steel and iron and the money to pay for it all will come out of the abundant crops which thou hast provided that we shall raise, ----

"And now we humbly pray thee that thou wilt continue the wars in South for senators! Two of the best represen- was necessary, only they increase by the Africa, the Philippines and create new tatives of eastern republicanism that ones elsewhere, along with drouths, pes- can be found west of the Missouri. Cortileness and famines in more countries, porations and corruption funds first, and bankers want to raise the rate of interso that we may have good prices and a did pair! ready market for all our grain, horses, tattle and manufactured goods. We A total eclipse of the sun will put in know Oh! McKinley, that when the re- an appearance May 18th in the forenoon. publican party is in power that no It does not amount to much however, drouths or hot winds will ever afflict us, us and the sun, but that they will come upon other eduntries, make a world shortage, which we can supply at good prices, for thou so much about nominating good men for wilt keep the drouths and hot winds office. They had better talk more about away from us and at all times provide us adopting a good doctrine.

with gentle and refreshing rains. dost at all times provide, furnish, con- of liberating four million slaves. Mc- for anything. tribute, fill, administer, procure, effect, Kinley will go down in all history as the bring about, confer and bestow all bless great American enslaver, for he tried to ings and create all prosperity that the succeeded only that the people cut him sons of men in these United States en off at the end of his first term. for, be thanks ever more. Amen."

what the Independent has been so long The people will not suffer. advocating, What good does any sort of an education do a man, if when he

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cause thou hast created a war on two If he is carried sway with every catch from productive pursuits and sent to his years of study, as far as usefulness South Africa and the Philippines, Cuba to mankind is concerned amount to immense amounts of goods and destroy to reason, orators would not have gone millions more, which adds to the de over the country during the last campaign filling up their time with such "We thank thee, oh! thou great and phrases as "sound money," "money of the omnipotent one, that thou didst inspire world," "every dollar as good as every the minds of the chemists to invent a other dollar" etc. No such phrases are new process of extracting gold from low found in any standard work on political grade ores from the old waste heaps and economy. If the gold bugs have one dumps in Colorado, called the cynanide man in the United States who ever made process, by which the production of gold a logical argument, this writer has failed has been more than doubled the whole to find it in the tens of thousands of world over, which greatly increases the pages of their speeches and writings amount of money in circulation and that he has persued in the last twenty helps to raise prices of what we produce. years. He has never heard one of them "We thank thee that thou hast had a make a speech wherein he did not con- but never one of them was ever rejected. law passed creating hundreds of new tradict his own statements every few

### HARDY'S COLUMN

A Holy Pair-An Eclipse-Good Candidates Slavery or Freedom-The Best Decline-New York Thieves-It Is Made Of-Change of Church Doctrine and Rules-Prosperity Not

for it is only the moon passing between

We never heard the republicans talk

"Now to thee, Oh! McKinley, who tory as the great emancipator, because elect Bryan and stop borrowing money enslave nine millions and would have News of the Week

What is the reason so many of the In a recent interview Dr. Andrews best republicans in Nebraska refuse to said: "English should be given proper was not so when a nomination was prominence and algebra and geometry equivalent to an election. It is because should be given place in order that the they know Bryan will carry the state by student may form an exact and logical thirty thousand majority. But it is fun habit of thought." Now that is exactly to see the two fights go on, in Douglas and in Lancaster. It is dog eat dog.

The republican thieves of the state of leaves the university he cannot reason. New York are not likely to get the han-

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dling of that sixty millions of canal Mrs. Stotsenberg. She has two little money asked for. Most of the people daughters to care for and educate. The

laziness make failures everywhere. A happy home is heaven on earth.

The republican party is made up millionaires, bankers, corporations and trusts. The east is solid republican, the west is solid on the other side, while the lake states are uncertain. Modern republicanism does not fit the west generally any better than it does the state of Nebraska. Abe Lincola republicanism ruled the state solid for thirty years, but Bill McKinley republicanism has been knocked clean out of the box. The west will never consent to let this government be run by the east. The lake states will where they can get the most money and yet the common people are beginning to get their eyes open so it will take more money to buy them this year than it did in ninety-six.

It is stated that quite a change is to be made in some of the orthodox doctrines and rules of living. The Calvinists, some of them, are talking of drop-ping the doctrine of foreordination. If double dealing. they would apply that doctrine as an old presbyterian preacher did to us sixty years ago, there would be no objection to t. He said that God foreordained that every human being who behaved himself should be saved and made happy and comfortable in this life as well as in the future. On the other hand those who chose to serve the devil here would be permitted to go to the devil in the future world as well as this. Then some of the methodists are demanding that their general conference, now in session, shall repeal the rules against dancing, theatre going and ornamental dress. They find it is about as hard to keep young people from stepping to music as it would be to stop healthy lambs and kids from skipping and playing. Then in regard to dress, we used to see women rejected from love feast for wearing ribbons and frills. The men dressed the same as other men, shiny hats and shiny boots, silk neckties, tobacco-scented breath, the men dress odd, as well.

As was expected, the high price of building materials and the labor troubles have cut short the building one half. The trusts and the high tariff of labor are sure to follow. It is now too late for a good year's trade; they may Is Marriage a Failure-The Timber shut down half the factories in the country and this year will not equal last in volume of business. Farmers are not wheat for half of one price. The republicans are increasing the volume of money just as Bryan said four years ago management deserves congratulations. issuance of bank bills instead of legal gold and silver. Now, whenever the few million of their own bills, just as the manufacturers are now locking up their They are not going to retire the green-backs until after election for if they do they know that the banks will have to reduce their circulation, for to redeem their present volume of bills in gold could not be done. One year from today if Bryan is not elected we will see the same kind of a money twister we saw in ninety-three. The last currency force. bill passed is only a machine for the bankers to work the common people Lincoln will go down through all his- with. The only way to head them off is to

Republican nominees for state offices, made Wednesday are as follows: Governor-C. H. Dietrich, Adams. Lieutenant Governor-E. P. Savage,

Secretary of State-G. W. Marsh,

Richardson. Treasurer-William Stueffer, Cuming. Auditor-Charles Weston, Sheridan. Attorney General F. N. Prout, Gage. Land Commissioner-George D. Foll-

ner, Nuckolls. Superintendent-W. K. Fowler, Wash-Delegates-at-large:

E. Rosewater, Douglas. John M. Thurston, Douglas. John H. McClay, Lancaster. John A. Ehrhardt, Stanton.

hour. Please the old and the young. Cures diseases and bad habits. Every known secret thoroughly taught by mail. Large illustrated lesson and full particulars for 6c to pay postage. Address all orders to Prof. C. E. Wilson, Box 213, Lincoln, Neb. recovered. The cause is unknown but Porto Rico. blowing up of a number of kegs of blast-

A terrific mine explosion occurred in

SUPPLIES Captain Stockham, Captain Moore, at the disposal of the President are nu-

Canadians are considerably wrought up over the action of the school children in sending greetings to the Boers. The board of education at Windser, Ontario, will send two delegates to Manila with a resolution of sympathy from twenty-four hundred school children for Aguinaldo, the Filipino leader. This is to offset the

money asked for. Most of the people begin to see that transportation by rail costs less than by canal. Up to this time and while not large will be of great asther they have been trained. 

The Bohemians of Nebraska are press ing the candidacy of Mr. C. V. Svoboda, Once I was young, now I am old, and never have I seen two loving hearts, with four willing hands, joined in marriage that was ever made a failure. Lust and fied for the place. He is popular in his of state. He is a well-known and suc-cessful business man, thoroughly quali-fied for the place. He is popular in his community, has been school director re-peatedly, was president of the local Farmer's Alliance, and served three terms as county clerk of Howard county. His nomination, it is generally conceded would be wise and add strength to the ticket. There are about 25,000 Bohemians in the state and the recognition of one of their fellow countrymen would certainly please them and arouse their interest in the success of the ticket.

The tremendous advances predicted by Lord Roberts in South Africa, recalls the little ballad: "The noble duke of York with his ten thousand men probably continue to sell themselves marched up the hill and then marched down again."

> Thurston and Rosewater-Yes, they are both great and good men, delegates at large to the republican national convention. Doubtless every republican in Nebraska would be proud to have his

President Kruger has issued an order directing all British subjects to leave the Transvaal republic forthwith.

received in Chicago, although there is a marked falling-off in the praise given cure this franchise. him by republican papers, before he declared himself sufficiently opposed to the policy of the president to be a canthe policy of the president to the president to the president to the policy of the president to the policy of the president didate against him.

At the dictation of the representatives of the Standard Oil Company, the plan for the purchase of the Danish West Indies for \$2,000,000 has been abandoned. It is rumored that the Danish government will attempt a sale to Germany. Such a sale would be in violation of the Monroe doctrine. The German government will insist that the present administration by extending into Asiatic countries has abandoned the Monroe doc-If women must dress odd, why not make trine and that it is therefore null and void. Over this, serious trouble may

In Columbus, Ohio, yasterday, Mr. unate Porto Ricans. Bryan addressed the largest audience one half. The trusts and the high tariff fellows begin to see it now and prices are falling rapidly, and wages for all kinds and five thousand could not get in.

Souri: There is not in the history of the people were packed in the auditorium and five thousand could not get in.

The May day celebration and parade in this city was a success in every particnlar. Thousands of people took adgoing to pay two prices for lumber, fence vantage of the low rail road rates to wire and farm machinery and sell their come to Lincoln and enjoy themselves.

D. A. Campbell, for ten years clerk of the supreme court, stepped down and out May first and was succeeded by Lee Herdman, the new appointee. E. W. Nelson, deputy clerk, also took his post, E. J. Streight making way for him. W. factories to raise the price of goods. F. Bryant, deputy reporter, was also installed. Misses Stevens and Wooster assumed the duties of clerks in the office. Miss Stevens has been in the land commissioner's office, while Miss Wooster came from Central City. All are experienced clerks and qualified for the particular positions to which they have been assigned. It is a well chosen Cooper club at Omaha, May 7th., will be

> Mr. George L. Raymer, the only mem-ber of the First Nebraska Regiment who re-enlisted in the Philippines has made application for his discharge and Governor Poynter has been asked to assist in headquarters. Is is expected that a procuring it for him.
>
> New Zeland has passed that stage, how-large delegation will take advantage of ever. The government, which aside

In the Sixth Congressional district the republicans have nominated Hon. M. P. Kinkaid for congress and in the fourth district J. D. Pope has been selected for a similar duty.

The democrats of Michigan at their state convention declared for Bryan with Towne for vice-president.

The Filipinos surrounded a detachment of 30 American soldiers and in two days siege succeeded in killing 20 of labor organizations intend to take a de- railroads, express, telegraph and tele- ventions. them and wounding most of the others.

## THOSE FRANCHISES

There Never Was Such A Grand Scheme of Carpet Bag Looting Planned on Earth Before.

At its meeting Friday the cabinet considered the details for the government and thirty-seven bodies have already been of President McKinley's dependency,

of the republican machine through the the plums are so juicy, the frnchises are

were among the officers of the First Ne- na-McKinley men will be appointed. Bee-Hives. were among the officers of the Flist Ne-braska regiment in attendance at the re-publican state convention. Their loyalty must be such that when McKinley pushes the button they will do the rest.

Aside from the imperialistic feature of the recently enacted law is the fact that McKinley's appointees composing the council, a minority of which is to be composed of Porto Ricans, are to dispense the public franchises of the island.

It is estimated that there is \$500,000, the Filipino leader. This is to offset the action of the Philadelphia school children sending a message to Kruger

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west and two running north and south, that their position will be in support of government, beside interest on the inwith their numerous connections. There are water works plants, electric son follow the example set by these two lighting plants, trolley lines, sewerage which appeared at the head of the edi- nating the element of taxation. contracts, paving contracts, dredging torial columns of "Fair Play" a weekly contracts for San Juan and other ports, paper published in Lincoln in the interand a vast scheme for irrigating the southern half of the island by the boring of a mountain for the purpose of permit-ting a river to flow through, the benefi-

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Representative Richardson: A more of the president.

Representative Sulzer of New York:

completely ignored. Representative De Graffenreid: The

bill makes the Porto Ricans little more

than serfs. The island is certainly a rich field for the friends of the president un. ernor Poynter. der the law. Representative Wilson of New York:

patronage to his faithful followers.

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National Convention. The railroads have granted a one fare for the round trip to Sioux Falls to those who desire to attend the Populist National Convention. A special train with Pullman and Pullman tourist sleepers will leave Lincoln 1:45 p. m. for Sioux Falls, allowing those who desire purpose. The special will leave Omaha at 11 p. m., and arrive at Sioux Falls on the morning of the 8th, the day of the convention. The train will be sidetracked and those desiring will be perdation will be provided by the company. Lincoln parties intending to go should

Labor Paper Speaks Plainly That the laboring men through their

insular roilroads, two ruuning east and cided stand in the coming campaign and phones pay all expenses of the federal Mr. Bryan is shown by the following vestment and a sinking fund to met construction bonds, thus largely elimiest of organized laboring men:

HOW WE STAND

ciaries to be taxed under the Spanish of which it has a large supply and which Yet the ticket fare from Budapest to Admiral Dewey was enthusiastically lected by the government and paid to eceived in Chicago, although there is a carked falling-off in the praise given law for the privilege, the tax to be collected by the government and paid to the American people before the national campaign is over and deposited in the class rate is only one-fourth cent a ballot boxes throughout the land by the mile. Yet the government profits annucan reward its henchman by giving them courts when affecting the rights of work- effectively express his will; also the ining people, and most emphatically itiative and referendum, and while we against the single gold standard in the are only beginning to debate the quesleges by which they can add millions of United States and territories now and tion of equality as regards sex, woman they accumulate later on. Fair Play is the women vote but it is said take a the United States so as to permit the men, frequently casting more votes. imperialistic measure was never made a law. The whole future of the island and the lives of the people are placed without the right of appeal in the hands of the president.

States So as to permit the measure was never made a election of president, senators and justices of the United States by direct vote is also in operation, which prevents a monopoly of land, and which is so permit the measure was never made a election of president, senators and justices of the United States by direct vote is also in operation, which prevents a monopoly of land, and which is so permit the measure was never made a lection of president, senators and justices of the United States by direct vote is also in operation, which prevents a monopoly of land, and which is so permit the control of the president was never made a lection of president, senators and justices of the United States by direct vote is also in operation, which prevents a subject to the property of the property of the prevents and the lives of the people are placed without the right of appeal in the hands of the property of the property of the property of the people are placed without the right of appeal in the hands of the property of the people are placed without the right of appeal in the hands of the property American independence; a strict adher- tion the effect has been to largely reence at all times to the Monroe doctrine, duce the percentage of population in The law is passed to give the trusts and other republican institutions the right to squeeze more millions out of the unfortpublic utilities, and the complete en- of wealth, and such has been the pros-Representative DeArmond of Mis- franchisement of woman on equal terms perity that the island has doubled in of the United States of North America." In another editorial in the same paper

is the following endorsement of Gov-

a large majority.

Wild-Eyed Pops

Away down in the South Pacific, tucked away in a corner in the nether part of the world, is a group of three islands which but few can locate withthe standpoint of political economy the most progressive people in the world. The many great questions which we the world. In this country the monopownership of public utilities as "socialmitted to make the cars their rooming ing portion of the public echo the cry. large delegation will take advantage of ever. The government, which aside this excellent arrangement effected by from the figurehead appointed by Great Mr. Jackson, city ticket agent of the F. Britain, is one of the most democratic E. & M. V., and J. H. Edmisten, in the world, owns and operates the Fusion Forces to Gather Here on Wedneschairman of the populist state commit-tee. The train will be splendidly phones, etc., throughout the island. As equipped and every possible accommo a consequence when a New Zealander republican state central committees iswants to go on a journey it costs him sued their calls for state nominating instead of three cents a mile ten cents conventions to be held at Lincoln at 2 p. telephone to Mr. Jackson at number 544 for thirty miles. It is said also that m. on Wednesday, July 11. for further particulars or write him at even at this low price the government | The democrats will meet in the Oliver is making too much money and will theatre, populists in the auditorium and soon reduce the rate. The public is alsilver republicans in the conservatory of so served in the use of other public music hall.

New Zealand is far from being alone in furnishing an object lesson in show-ing a saving to the people in public ownership.

HOW WE STAND

Austro-Hungary reports \$50,000,000

Fair Play will deal in antis this year profit on her public railroads in 1898.

forever. It will deal with other antis as suffrage is established, and not only do in favor of amending the constitution of more active interest in politics than the

population in 18 years.

The object lesson of militarism is which the rights of the people are so nings Bryan as an American president unique. In a historical sketch of the country, issued by the New Zealand Shipping Company, we find the following paragraph:

"The maintenance of order in the native districts is entrusted to a spe-"Gentlemen, the governor!" W. A. cial field force numbering 634 men, Poynter, occupation, farmer, is one of who may be looked upon as forming I now understand just why the president the best men that the people of Nebraska New Zealand's standing army. The changed his mind. By this change of have honored with their suffrages and men are distributed over the native mind he is enabled to dispense more placed in the executive chamber of the districts in squads of 40 to 200 men capitol. We predict that the people will The present tranquil state of these disdemand his nomination for a second tricts enables the men to be usefully term and see to it that he is elected by employed in the construction of roads and bridges, in carrying mails, and in

other ways." Instead of the men composing a standing army, fooling away their time in idleness and gambling or employed in killing-and being killed in foreign conquest in the antipodes under the excuse of expanding trade, they out an atlas, yet which contain from might better be "usefully employed in the construction of roads and bridges' throughout me country, and constructing reservoirs and irrigation systems granted stop over privileges for that are debating they have solved, and in the great West. Such employment the solution set an object lesson for the world. In this country the mononolists brand those who advocate public embarked, and from the standpoint of an increase in trade, would produce ists," "cranks," etc., and the unthink- hundreds of millions in value, whereas the present employment is a dead waste of money.-National Rural.

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