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THE NEBRASKA INDEPENDENT

British Tax Collectors

The way the British tax collector gets after the American millionaire who thinks that this country is good enough to gobble a fortune in, under the benign influence of legislation secured by the trusts and corporations, but not good enough to live in, and so buys a town and country residence in England, makes a populist wink his left eye and smile a happy contented smile. Recently one of these gentlemen swooped down on Richard Croker for \$5,000 of income tax. Another American millionaire was foolish enough to lay down and die over there. The British tax collector grabbed over \$1,000,000 of his estate. The Courier-Journal gives the following account of the transaction:

"American millionaires who find England an agreeable place in which to live had better be careful about dying there. Mr. William Louis Winans of New Jersey went abroad in 1858 and leased two houses in England, herides a very large estate in Scotland, though he did not become a British citizen. He died worth about \$15,000,000, and on the ground that he had acquired a domicile the Queen's bench division has decided that the crown is entitled to 8 per cent legacy duties on his entire estate, or \$1,200.-will ahandon the gloricus privilege of dweiling under the star-spangled banuer deserves all the taxation his esinte has to hear when he dies, and Mr. Winan's heirs made a vain attempt to prevent the collection.

Twenty Years of War

"It whill be fifteen or twenty years before the Philippines are on the same looting as the United States," said Capt. C. E. Polk of company I, 43d infuntry, who arrived at Tacoma last week on the United States transport Kentucky. He came over as quarterpiaster of the transport, but is practically invalided home on account of ill health. Speaking of the war in the telandsi het sald

"I wish the people of the United states could understand the conditions that exist in the Philippine Islands. It will take 75,000 men to establish peace us it should be, and as long as the United States besitutes about sending vnis number there will be the same kind of warfare that is now being conducted

"The report sent to this country by General MacAithur that 2,000 bolomen had surrendered is not of moment, for he reason that just as soon as they have had their stomachs filled they

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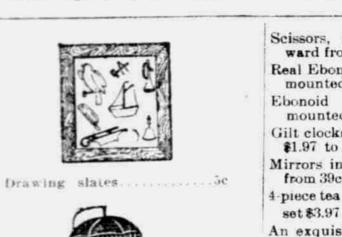


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from	5c
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from	
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will be turned loose, just as have thou ands of others during the war, and then they will act as spies and furnish food to the bands in other parts of the island. The truth of the matter is the Filipinos realize that they can fight as long as they want to and when they are tired they can come in surrender and will be given their liberty. And the worst of it is, they are right

"The volunteer regiments want to come home. They have been there a long time, and unless they are allowed this privilege none of them will rs-enlist. So far as Senator Hale's bill in concerned, extending the time of the enlistment of the volunteer regiments to three years. I can say that there is not an officer in the volunteer army in the Philippines that will be coverned by it. They will all resign.

"There is no doubt that Aguinaldo is still alive and that he is directing the fight in the islands. The Mohammedans of the island of Sulu are of the opinion that the Americans are not a Christian people, and therefore they will have nothing to do with them.

The election will have an effect, but not so much as the people of the Unitnd States think

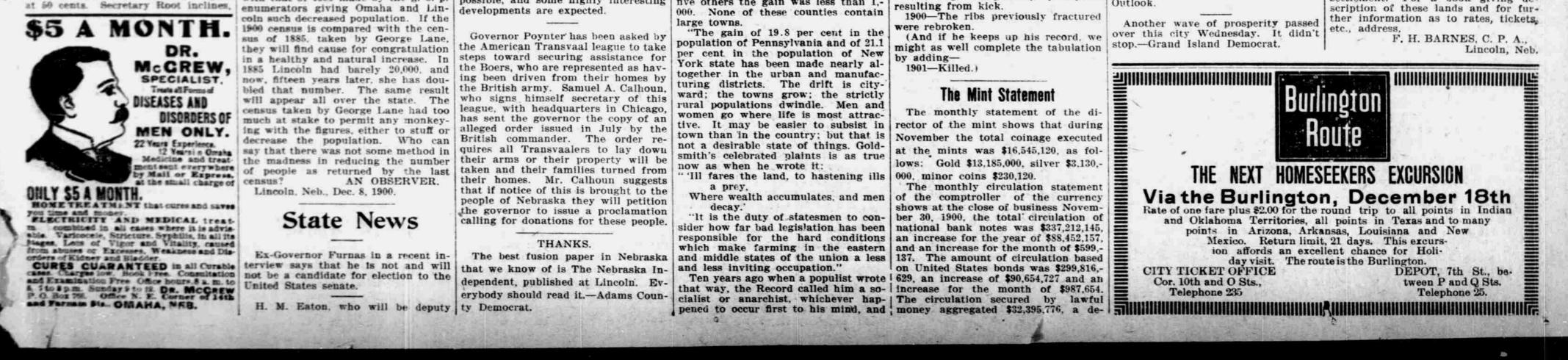
A New Dollar

Making no allowance whatever for silver bullion on hand to "pay deposits in fine bars." It appears from Secretary Gage's report that the total

stock of silver ballion owned by the United States July 1, 1900, equalled toward the second course. \$3,740,600 onness less by some 17,000,shipped to the Orient by London, San increase in coinage will hasten the tance possible. Prancisco and Australia. If the mints of this country continue using silver at the average rate since July 1-2,750,-000 ounces per month-the treasury supply will be exhausted by Decem- the troubles in China have caused a Only a glance at the registration books ber 31, 1901. Hence the congress scarcity of Mexican silver dollars in is necessary to reveal that something which meets March 4 must make some arrangement under which the director of the mints can once more enter the inarket as an extensive purchaser

has raised the price of the pieces to requires that at the close of each reg-The regular demand for silver coin-52 cents. To meet the demands and istration day the registrars shall draw see-small change and standard dolalso to provide a currency that will a red line beneath the last registered lars-has for several months exceedhe accepted by the Filipinos and be name and then affix their signatures ed the minimum coinage of the Blandentirely practicable, the secretaries of below that. The purpose of this red Allison law of 1878, which was \$2,000, 000 per month. For the final half of the present year it bids fair to average age to be conducted upon one of the of unauthorized names being added. \$3,500,000 per month, and this, too, with a steady decrease in the amount of uncovered silver coin in the vaults of the treasury at Washington.

Upon this condition of the market omes the official recommendation of Secretary Root, indorsed by Secretary Gage, that the United States coin a special dollar for use in the Philipnine islands of the same weight and fineness of the Mexican dollar, which shall take its chance with the fluctuation of the market. Another suggestion is that we coin an insular dollar which we undertake to redeem in gold at 50 cents. Secretary Root inclines,



Doll Go-Carts and Carriages.



iron wagons, upward from. 63:

Jewelry Department

Sterling Silver Novelties, such as nail files, curlers, seals, erasers, tooth and nail brushes, dinner bells, baby combs and brushes, etc. Prices range 19c, 23c, 39c,

day when the federal government must

competitive bidder.

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once more appear in the market as a



LINCOLN

as does the secretary of the treasury, land commissioner, is now at work in

Either recommendation makes for the position. The office force of Uncle

Manila and throughout the Philip- is wrong, and the most charitable con-

pines, it being estimated that only struction that can possibly be placed

about 40,000,000 remain. The demand upon it is gross carelessness. The law



the office learning the intricacies of

Notions, Perfumes

Art Department

Fur jackets, upward from 827 50 Astrakhan and electric seal capes, up-

cases, hdkf. cases, vases, puff boxes, fern jars, smoking sets and trays. prices range, each, 47c to 812 CO plaques, vases and delicate ornaments. Pincushions in all shapes, handsomely

trimmed, upward from 25c to \$3 00 Burnt leather goods-Pen wipers, pocket books, needle books, clipping cases, magazine covers, etc. Prices range

from 39c to \$3 00 Sofa cushions, tapestry and silk covered. Hand embroidered and burnt leather cushions \$4.50 to \$8 00 Battenburg lace tidies, doilies, dresser scarfs, lunch cloths, etc., etc.

never saw before.

HEADWEAR-Children's wool caps Camel's hair Tam O'Shanters..... 49c Children's broadcloth caps 49c Handkerchiefs. Women's Furnishings The Fairy handkerchief for children. illustrating a full series of fairy tales, each 5c These are also used for fancy pil-Children's initial handkerchiefs, 3

stone marten, etc., etc.

in a fancy box, for 25c HOODS-Children's hoods in black. Children's handkerchiefs, with colored borders, each, 1c, 3c, and 5c

hemstitched, 2 for 25c, each 15c linen handkerchiefs, for \$1 50 zilk handkerchiefs in all the late Children's fur sets, upward from 81 50 colors, patterns and styles. Prices There are such popular skins as beaver, Women's stock collars made of satin, range 25c to \$1 00 velvet and chiffon, 10c, 27c and ... 47c mink, marten, stone marten, imitation Men's Oxford mufflers, silk and satin, quilted silk lining, Fancy gold and applique stocks at at 50c, 75c, \$1.00 and \$1 25 Men's house jackets in rich two ton-Late things in net, chiffon and ed, double faced fabrics, taffetta ties, many with the new at \$4.50 and \$6 75 gold applique. NECKWEAR-We never had a Real lace ties in Duchess, Flemish bigger line, a richer or a prettier showlace and Point Rennaissance, beauing and the qualities are very much .sutiful effects. perior to the ordinary. In fact our 25c goods are equal to many of the 50c lines All kinds of Jabots and cravats. shown in exclusive houses. APRONS-All kinds from the plain-We have all the late patterns and est domestic to the daintiest novstyles, such as bat wings, bows, elties. Prices 25c to ... 81 50 and up tecks, four-in-hands, imperials and clubs. Prices 25c, 50c and \$1 00 FANS-White bone sticks, fine gauze silk, decorated, 69c to \$10 00

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Remaining Silent

France, surrounded by monarchies, tion, the greatest republic of history, also wore whiskers.

Some gross irregularities at the re- with an ocean rolling on either side, cent election are coming to light in remains silent. Could anything better It is explained in Washington that the Douglas county contest cases. illustrate the paralyzing influence of imperialism?-W. J. Bryan.

Talking Populism

Once in a great while some plutocratic journal down east gets away) from its partisan insanity for a few minutes, and always the editor under such conditions writes populism. war and the treasury have decided line is to show where the registration | Here is a specimen from the Philarecord delphia Record.

upon an "insular dollar," the coin- closes and to prevent the possibility "There are sixteen counties in Penntwo plans suggested. In this the This important provision of the law sylvania which the census returns United States follows the example of was not heeded. There are no red show have less population in 1900 Great Britain and France, which for lines and no signatures to indicate than they had in 1890. There are sixseveral years have been coining silver where the legitimate registration teen other counties in each of which dollars for their Oriental trade .- Den- ceased. In this way 100, 200, 500 or the increase of population has been even 1,000 names might be added. The less than 1,000. None of these thirtywork was so bunglingly executed that two counties contains large towns. in many instances the registration fig- The main industry of the inhabitants

"The same conditions are shown by cincts. This feature of the contest the census returns for New York state. trying through the papers to explain has not yet been entered into thor- Twenty-two of the farming counties in that commonwealth show a loss of testants are coming to it as rapidly as population since 1890, and in each of possible, and some highly interesting five others the gain was less than 1,-000. None of these counties contain

then proceeded to denounce him as | crease for the year of \$2,202,570, and a wild and woolly and further to de- decrease for the month of \$388,427. clare, which was the climax of de- The amount of United States bonds on ounces than the amount this year the higher price of silver, because any Jake Wolfe is giving him all the assis- can raise her voice in behalf of those nunciation with that class of writers, deposit to secure circulating notes struggling for liberty, but our na- that the said anarchist and socialist was \$303,280,730 and to secure public deposits \$101.339.070.

The Foot Ball Hero

1895-Left collarbone broken.

1896-Back severely wrenched

1900-Head severely injured.

1895-Right ankle sprained.

1896-Nose broken twice.

1897-Ankle broken.

1898-Wrist sprained.

1900-Two ribs broken.

1898-Rib broken.

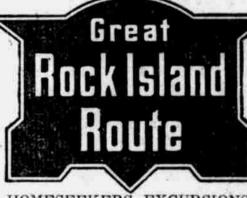
Our Exchanges

Hon, R. E. Moore of Lincoln is the The football hero of the season and of the last five as well seems to be one latest aspirant for senatorial honors Vernon White of Attleboro, Mass. It to shy his castor into the ring, and it is believed that the announcement of s the killed and the wounded, the his candidacy will attract the earnest bloody noses and broken ribs and legs attention of other candidates and their that give zest to football and the one friends. that can show the most wounds and broken limbs is the hero. Mr. White

Moore is not a man to be lightly reckoned with. If for no other reason can without doubt make good his than that he is the only millionaire claim to the title. The following is his of whom the Capital City can boast his claims in this connection would 1895-Left leg broken above knee deserve to be mentioned with respect. But he has other strong points that count.-Ex.

The first great work needed in American politics is to dissolve the old 1897-Three fingers on left hand parties completely and clean the field from the last vestige of their machinery. When this is done there will be a chance for reform and moral progress, but not until then. This can 1899-Left leg fractured and splint only be done by a general and united movement against the old parties and the present party system as the paramount evils of the age.-Cedar Rapids 1900-Legs temporarily paralyzed. Outlook.

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Nebraska's Growth Editor Independent-Lincoln peo-

ple, like all others in Nebraska, are the apparent decrease in population as shown by the last census as compared with that of 1890 made by the g. o. p. enumerators giving Omaha and Lin-

oughly, but the attorneys for the condevelopments are expected.

ures are out of all proportion to the is farming. voting strength of the respective pre-