



TUB TRUTHS.

A DROP of ink will color a whole glass of water. It is an inch of yeast which makes a pan of bread rise, and a single cake of soap containing unabsorbed alkali can ruin a hundred times its cost in laces and fine embroidery. After all, is it wise to take such risks with common soap? Of course you can get along without Ivory Soap. So can a wagon without axle grease—but it goes hard.

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Mr. Bryan's experience in farming bids fair to rival his career as a "sojourner".

Some recent events have tended to take the barbed wire edges off of the word "militarism."

It will be an unfortunate thing for this republic if the job of saving it ever develops upon the democratic party.

The paramount issue in the coming campaign can be told plainly in just six words, "Do you want to change back?"

Tammany is raising a campaign fund of \$2,000,000. This will naturally make a little inroad upon the profits of the ice trust.

It is not believed that Mr. Bryan will attempt to explain any of his misadventured predictions. He will simply go right ahead making new ones.

The growth of the southern cotton industry during the past three years is an emphatic answer to the calamity predictions of the politicians of that section.

The fusion state officials have a way of their own of making big savings for the state, but you have to be on the inside to find out just how much is saved—to the officials.

The latest news received from Aginaldo was a short personal note to

Mr. Bryan which says: "Am running well and am glad to hear some of you. Who the dickens is this Stevenson fellow?"

Governor Roosevelt is to make several speeches in Kentucky. He will give the democratic leaders of that state an exhibition of straightforward and manly political fighting.

The battleship Oregon will come home with a patch on her bottom. This was the normal condition of the American working man's trousers during the late democratic administration.

After reading a few demo-pop exchanges we have come to the conclusion that Bryan was onto his job when he resigned from the army before he made any war record to be criticised.

The democratic orators are being instructed to use the soft pedal on the 16 to 1 plank of the Kansas City platform. Thus do they apply the scuttle policy to their own declaration of principles.

An intelligent and careful newspaper writer declares that there is more windmills in Nebraska than in any other state in the union. This may account to some extent for the great demand for populist oratory.

Every democratic editor is hard at work trying to convince his readers that the 16 to 1 plank of the Kansas City platform doesn't mean anything. But they don't attempt to account for Mr. Bryan's persistency in forcing its adoption.

"Elect me to the presidency. The senate is safely republican and it would be impossible for me to do any harm to the country for the next four years." Does the country want a chief executive who is compelled to make such a plea in his own behalf?

The American cow has felt the effect of republican good times. Her value has gone up about \$10 since 1895, from about \$21.95 per head to \$31.60 per head. She has also had to supply more



Like a flash of lightning, sudden and startling, disease strikes down many a man. Yet there have been warnings upon warnings, unheeded. Food has lain like a heavy weight in the stomach after eating. There have been belchings, bitter risings in the mouth, nervousness, sleeplessness and growing irritability. Instead of listening to these warnings, recourse has been had to some of the nerve numbing palliatives that cover but never cure disease. Many serious diseases begin in a diseased condition of the stomach and organs of digestion and nutrition. For such diseases there is one medicine which rarely fails to effect a complete cure. Dr. Pierce's Golden Medical Discovery cures ninety-eight per cent. of all who give it a fair and faithful trial. It is a temperance medicine and contains no alcohol.

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Dr. Pierce's Pleasant Pellets are a positive cure for constipation.

milk, because of the demand attendant the filling of the workingman's dinner pail.

The democratic plea that the 16 to 1 plank was inserted in the Kansas City platform to fool the populists is not calculated to inspire confidence on the part of the other voters. A party that practices deception on one set of voters will not hesitate to enlarge its field in that particular line.

In 1899 ten staple crops were worth upwards of \$325,000,000 more to the American farmer than in 1895. Add to this increase an advance of \$683,000,000 in the value of live stock, and there is a round billion of dollars that has been paid in prosperity dividends by the republican party to the farmers for the single year of 1899.

The Des Moines Leader, an "anti-imperialism" organ says: "Let it be granted that imperialism will slay 18 hundreds; 16 to 1 would slay its thousands. Let the November news be that Bryan is elected, and although it may bring gladness to the far off Filipinos as to their struggle for their liberties, it will bring despair and a short larder to the American business and working man."

When Senator Clark, the wealthiest mine owner in the United States if not in the world, contributes \$100,000 to the democratic campaign fund and agrees to bear all the expenses of the campaign in his own state of Montana, it is pretty hard to persuade the people that the mine owners are not backing Bryan in his efforts to give an impetus to 16 to 1. Had some trust magnate or manufacturer given to the republican committee \$100,000 what a democratic howl there would have been.

STATE CREEK.

Since the last good rain crops look very promising and even the poorest corn that suffered more than other fields during the dry weather will make a half crop and many other pieces will make two-thirds or three-fourths of a crop.

Wheat was good. Just southeast of us Geo. Beardsley raised thirty-one and one-half bushels to the acre and Mr. Ingstrum raised thirty-three and one-half and then pieces ran as low as sixteen bushels, sown later and a different wheat. If all will plow their ground early and drill in the Turkey red wheat by September 15th and on new land if they have it and if not sow on your newest, sloping east or southeast you will raise wheat.

The Mt. Hope ice cream supper was a success last Wednesday evening and although it was somewhat cool after the rain there was a large attendance and \$15 worth was sold. Everyone and his next door neighbor was present and they surely had a jolly good social.

The Pleasant Dale Sunday school under the superintendency of H. Haskins had a picnic last Friday in the Sherwood grove near Mr. A. Carpenter's and Throckmorton's. It was well attended and all went away rejoicing over their good time and wishing they could have one like it every week.

Several are rushing their summer plowing and preparing to sow large fields of wheat and rye.

J. O. Butler is still making more improvements on his farm near old Mt. Hope. He now has the residence repainted and looking new as well as his new buildings he got up and had some time ago.

Andersonville is still on a boom and the Anderson addition is now added and more lots will be laid out soon so that other good buildings may go up in the near future. Mr. A. Carpenter will erect a brick hotel on the corner of 9th and Main street.

A Mt. Hope man met with a gentleman in Red Cloud. He went after ice for an ice cream supper and got 330 or 340 pounds at 35c per hundred and when Mr. Holmes of the creamery found it was for church purposes he donated the amount of money back to the M. E. church while he is a Baptist.

L. N. Fitzgerald was home last Saturday and Sunday. He belongs to a B & M. bridge gang that is now building a large iron bridge at Bloomington.

The Goble ranch of 1360 acres is reported sold to a man up in central Nebraska. The same man Mr. Young, owns a section adjoining that will make him even 2,000 acres. He is a large cattle raiser, banker and postmaster over where he now lives.

Joe Fruit our popular road superintendent has done two days grading on the Mt. Hope and state line road that is a credit to him and excels any work ever done on the road before.

Clark Stevens' new house is under headway and will soon go up under the supervision of O. A. Provant and others.

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