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KAISER WILHELM carries with him a small but serviceable revolver, either in his pocket or in his belt when in uniform.

GERMAN law holds a man to his bargain when he has agreed to give up his name. A young count, Fink von Finkenstein, in order to marry a girl of whom his family disapproved, consented to change his name and petitioned the emperor to be allowed to call himself Stein instead.

The statement of the exports and imports of the United States, issued by the bureau of statistics, shows that during the month of March last the exports of domestic merchandise amounted to \$110,944,664, an increase of nearly \$25,000,000 as compared with March, 1897.

HUGO GENTHE, the English traveler, who recently visited the grave of Dr. Livingstone, under the old Mpunda tree, in Africa, found that an ornamental fence had been erected around the tree.

IN the year ending December, 1897, there were 19,304 immigrants who declared their intention of residing in Canada out of a total of 27,209 entering its ports.

A LAW has just been enacted by the legislature of Massachusetts, authorizing fire insurance companies to write policies covering "bombardment risks."

AN examination into the character of the goods imported into Spain shows that products of agriculture occupy a position of considerable importance.

SPAIN'S commercial transactions with the rest of the world amount annually to more than \$300,000,000. In 1895, the latest year for which official statistics are available, the merchandise imported into Spain was valued at \$161,829,516, and that exported at \$155,355,759.

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JUST LIKE BRYAN.

An Underhand Way of Helping Himself and Working Against Republicans.

The shameful attempt of W. J. Bryan, late populist and free-silver candidate for the presidency, to use the present grave crisis in our national affairs for his personal advantage and to benefit the cause of the financial policy of which he is the high prophet is characteristic of the man.

Mr. Bryan arrived in Washington the other day, and, after a conference with some of his adherents, he deliberately set about injecting politics into the present crisis, hoping thereby to wean the democrats in congress from the patriotic attitude they have hitherto assumed.

Unfortunately, Mr. Bryan has to some extent been successful. Through his malign influence numerous democratic senators have been persuaded to disregard the wise advice of the executive, and vote, unless they perceive in time the unpatriotic course upon which they have entered, for recognizing, not the independence of the whole Cuban people as recommended by the president, but for the independence of the provisional insurgent government.

Should the Bryan scheme be successful, the United States would present to the world at this juncture the lamentable spectacle of a country whose chief executive and lawmaking body were at odds, instead of a nation united and unanimous in every part.

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CURRENT COMMENT.

Nature has kicked to death the theory that prices of commodities fall with the price of silver.

William J. Bryan goes right on lecturing for free silver in spite of the war. He is going to make hay even while the clouds overcast the sky.

Full of years and honors, yet still not honored so much as such a man deserved to be, John Sherman has come to the end of his career as a public man.

With a good gold bottom to our finances we can now issue \$500,000,000 of bonds at a low rate of interest and need not even utilize Europe's kind offer to take them.

One of the oddest pieces of news from Madrid is that the financiers of Spain have come out in favor of the free coinage of silver.

President McKinley enters on this task enjoying the confidence of the entire country, and all its conservative forces, independent of party, will rally to his aid and support.

AN UNSAVORY LOT.

Free Silver Senators Bar Legitimate Means of Raising Money.

Now that war is on—egged on to no little extent by the silverite party in congress—we would like to know if that party is still going "to play politics" with the question?

It looks like it. Here we are on the verge of a war, the immediate future of which no man can forecast, when the whole nation should be animated by a single thought, but when the administration asks for the means to carry on the war it is at once met by caviling and by obstruction from the free silver senators.

And yet the silverite senators stand up in the senate and threaten to block all bond issues and all other legitimate means of raising money until the surplus in the treasury is used up, and the silver bullion owned by the government, foolishly called the seigniorage, is coined into silver dollars!

At this very moment, when the nation is on the eve of a war, the extent of which no man can foresee, and which will cost an enormous outlay of blood and treasure, the Tellers, Morgans, Pettigrews, Chandlers and Joneses are all gleeful because they see in this a possible way for bringing the country down to the degraded monetary standard they have so long advocated.

These obstructionists should not be suffered to have their way for a moment, but be stamped out by the iron heel of public opinion. This is no time for playing politics. The nation is at war and every energy of the people must be devoted to making that war as short and as decisive as possible with the least injury to the people of the United States.

BILL FOR WAR REVENUE.

A Republican Measure Which Will Tax the Rich and Spare the Poor.

The proposed bill for revenue to defray expenses of the war will be sure to meet with opposition from the democrats. Yet it must excite general derision when the gentlemen who have posed so long as "friends of the poor man" and "foes of the corrupt money power" are heard as advocates of revenue from taxes on tea and coffee, and from increased duties on sugar, all of which are necessities of civilized life.

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THE WORD OF GOMEZ IS LAW.

An American Tells of a Visit to the Camp of the Insurgent Leader.

Haverhill, Mass., May 3.—William C. Frost has returned to his home in this city after a six months' visit to Cuba. During that time he was engaged in filibustering, was twice arrested and confined in Morro castle, and also spent two weeks in the camp of Gen. Gomez, of the insurgent army.

Mr. Frost says: "Gomez is king. His word is law, and it is enforced with an iron hand. The old general who fought through one war, a natural leader of men, able though not educated, is all the law that these men have. With him are several Americans."

Mr. Frost was in Havana the day of Gen. Lee's departure, and went out of the harbor on the same boat, although he returned a few days later to visit Gen. Gomez. Since the departure of Gen. Lee the "lives of Americans in Havana, he says, have been in constant danger."

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A GREAT OBJECT LESSON.

European Powers Must Revise Their Opinion of the Fighting Strength and Ability of the United States.

Washington, May 3.—There is no talk yet of European intervention, but one of the most beneficial results of Commodore Dewey's victory is that a deep impression has been made upon the European powers, who can no longer afford to blind themselves to the fact that, man to man, the American navy is equal to any in the world.

It is safe to say that after the battle at Manila the European powers will conclude that the American flag always floats over an American crew, regardless of the nativity or racial descent of the men who fight the guns.

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THE ACT OF AN ENEMY.

Illinois Militiamen Narrowly Escape Being Blown to Pieces by a Package of Dynamite.

Springfield, Ill., May 4.—Experts who have examined the contents of a package found in one of the company's boxes of the Third infantry, Illinois national guard, pronounce it undoubtedly dynamite.

Investigation has so far disclosed no clue as to the identity of the "person who placed the infernal thing. Besides the Third infantry, the Sixth regiment is also quartered in the building, 2,000 men in all.

Gen. Barkley, commanding the camp, held a conference with his officers regarding the matter. As a result of the conference guards have been placed at every door and other entrance to the buildings, and only persons having passes are allowed to enter.

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The Yale Goes on a Cruise.

New York, May 3.—The steamship Yale, formerly the Paris, left her dock last night under sealed orders.

GLASS SKATES.

They Are the Latest Feature in Ice Rinks This Winter.

The newest feature of interest in the New York ice rinks is the use of glass skates. It is found that skates with glass runners are far better, both for speed and ease in gliding for pleasure, than are the skates with metal runners, and several pairs are now being used in one of the metropolitan rinks.

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