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DEMOCHATIC REORGANIZATION.

According to the Associated Press dispatches, many of the leading Democrats of the United States favor the reorganization of the Democratic party. There is always much room for reorganizing a party that has always been wrong on all political questions. Talk about a party being conceived in sin and brought forth in iniquity, but the Democratic party is the very quintessence of such a condition! Jefferson and Jackson may have been true and loyal citizens to the best interests of this country, but followers of the political principles laid down by them have certainly digressed very widely from their principles. Since the days of Jackson the Democratic party has apparently taken the wrong side, as said above, of every public question. They have opposed every public measure and every public character in this country who has made his country's interests a public study and succeeded. The Democratic party reached its climax of opposition to its country's best interests when it brought on the great civil war and drenched the United States in blood at an expenditure of millions of dollars of the public funds. Since the civil war the Democratic party has opposed the protection of American industries, it has opposed the rights of man, it has opposed an honest currency, it has opposed the expansion of our country and it has opposed every measure that has been advocated by the Republicans, all of which measures, when they were carried out, have proven to be most excellent ones for the whole United States.

So long as the Democratic party is made up of such men as come from Louisiana, Mississippi, North Carolina and Ben Tillman of South Carolina, so long will it be a party of dead issues and fossilized politicians, who live in the past, who advocate dead and forgotten issues and will continue to be made up of fogies and fools, who like the famous Don Quixote, will expend its force in charging windmills for armies and fighting fancies for facts.

If the Democratic party wishes to continue a factor in the politics of the United States, it must reorganize and take up the live issues of the day, concede to all men, regardless of their color, creed or their nationality, the absolute right to be men, and to participate in the affairs of this government the same as themselves; concede to all men the right of being their own free moral agents, pry itself out of the ruts of "agin the guverment," whether right or wrong. When it shall have done this, then it will be in a condition to cope with the advanced ideas of civilization, and to do this it is absolutely compelled to reorganize, and reorganize less the greatest nuisance of all, his niblets Bombast Bryan.

The Northwest has recently lost a firm friend in the death of Henry Villard, the great New York financier. Mr. Villard died last Monday evening at his country home near the city of New York. He will be remembered as one of the promoters of the Northern Pacific and other gigantic transportation companies, which centered in Tacoma a few years ago, the collapse of which caused untold distress to financiers in this section. As president of the Northern Pacific, Mr. Villard attempted to make Tacoma the greatest city on the Pacific coast, but in this he most signally failed. However, he was not unkind to the city of Seattle, and did many things after he had retired from the road to push Seattle ahead.

Montana has lost one of its most conspicuous characters and political manipulators in the death of Marcus Daly, the multi-millionaire, which occurred last Monday evening. For years there has been a political feud existing between Marcus Daly and W. A. Clark, each of whom desired to control the Democratic party of that state. Owing to the fact that Mr. Daly has been confined to his bed for a number of months, Mr. Clark succeded in carrying the legislature of that state at the late election and he will be elected United States senator next winter. Both Mr. Daly and Mr. Clark are reputed to be the wealthiest men in the West.

According to the Daily Liar John L. Wilson has retired from the political arena of this state. Of course Wilson has retired from politics, because there are no politics to be in and will not be for the next two years or more, but when there are any politics in the state, you can rest assured that John L. will be in the thickest of the fight.

Instead of the police suppressing the infamous publication known as the Court News, they are to be seen at police headquarters vieing with each other to see who will get the first glance at the "News" when it is delivered at that place on Saturdays. It was but a few days ago that a couple of policemen were seen sitting on the front porch of the police headquarters enjoying the Court News to a greater extent than they would have been the P.-I. or the New York World. Suppress it! They prefer to push it along.

The South Bend Journal is the first of the weekly papers in this state to put in its appearance with a holiday number. B'rer Hazleton has issued a most excellent number of his paper, and The Republican trusts that he has been as successful financially in the venture as he has in its beautiful appearance. The citizens of that neck of the country should send thousands of copies East.

It is common street talk all over Seattle that The Seattle Republican is the very neatest weekly publication that is issued in the Northwest. That it may continue thus, you and each of you, who is benefitted by The Republican, should lend your assistance in the way of advertising patronage to help to push it along.

Improvements for Seattle's outlying streets to the tune of $225,000 sounds business like, and shows to what extent the improvements of this city are being carried. No city on the Pacific coast is doing as much public improvement as is Seattle. No wonder it is known as the Queen City of the Northwest.

Pope Leo, being something of an imperialist himself, prays that President McKinley will steer aloof of imperialism during the four years that he will again occupy the presidential chair. The Pope knows what a dangerous dose real imperialism is and he therefore warns Americans against it.

Ben Grosscup, United States senator in fact of this state, boasts of having defeated the Republican party in this state at the last election simply because he was not consulted as to the nominees it made at the last state convention.

Strange to say, Chief Reed seems to have found some place that pays better than the chief of police of this city. What an immortal graft game this man Reed must have stumbled on to have the chief of policeship of Seattle for it.

It is rather remarkable that Colorado, the Centennial state would associate itself in politics with the old rebel states. Much more is expected of Colorado by the loyal citizens of this country than to become an ally of the Southern bulldozers.

Aguinaldo and his misguided followers are all now perfectly willing to stop the war in the Philippines and for no other reason than because that their great chieftain, William Jennings Bryan, has suddenly come to nought.

The Democratic party is doing much cabinet making these days for President McKinley. There may be changes in the president's cabinet, but so far as the Democratic party is concerned they know nothing about whom they will be.

It was a dirty Irish trick on the part of that footpad to hold up and rob Chief Melter Towne but a few feet from the assay office. Why in the deuce did he not hold up the assay office?

Before another four years have passed, the Republicans of this state will sorely regret that they have drunk from a cup so bitter as Grosscup.

We feel quite sure that the Democratic party is old enough, ugly enough, as well as mean enough, to organize a new party.

Candidate Bryan must now realize that the paramount issue so far as he is personally concerned is, "I am a dead duck.".

Tacoma's Grosscup is a rather bitter cup, and even Senator Blundering Foster will find it out before many more moons.

A Berlin machinist has invented a pot that cannot boil over. It has a perforated rim, through which the overflowing fluid is returned to the pot.

McKinley is elected president by the electoral vote of twenty-eight states.

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UTAH.
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OREGON.
INDIANA.
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WISCONSIN.
MARYLAND.
MINNESOTA.
CALIFORNIA.
NEW JERSEY.
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CONNECTICUT.
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PENNSYLVANIA.
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THIS IS THE LARGEST ELECTORAL VOTE EVER CAST FOR A PRESIDENTIAL CANDIDATE.

The 7th day of each month, and from 12 m. to half past 12 p. m., is the time fixed and inspirationally communicated throughout the world for Soul Communion of all who love their fellow men, regardless of race and creed—the object being to invoke, through co-operation in thought and unity in spiritual aspiration, the blessing of universal peace and higher spiritual light. We give below a table of corresponding times for entering the Communion in various localities.

When it is 12 m. at Salem, Or., it is at—

Austin, Texas	1:43 p. m
Boston, Mass.	3:28 p. m.
Burlington, Vt.	3:18 p. m.
Buenos Ayres, S. A.	4:18 p. m.
Buffalo, N. Y.	2:05 p. m.
Columbia, S. C.	2:48 p. m.
Cape of Good Hope, Af.	9:26 p. m.
Chicago	2:20 p. m.
Detroit, Mich.	2:38 p. m.
Frankfort, Germany	8:43 p. m.
Frankfort, Ky.	2:33 p. m.
Frederickton, N. B.	3:43 p. m.
Halifax, N. S.	3:18 p. m.
Harrisburg, Pa.	3:03 p. m.
Iowa City, Ia.	2:03 p. m.
London, Eng.	8:11 p. m.
Lecompton, Kas.	1:48 p. m.
Little Rock, Ark.	2:03 p. m.
Mobile, Ala.	2:18 p. m.
Memphis, Tenn.	2:11 p. m
Nashville, Tenn.	2:28 p. m.
New York City	3:15 p. m.
Norfolk, Va.	3:00 p. m
Omaha, Neb.	1:38 p. m
Philadelphia, Pa.	3:15 p. m
Pittsburg, Pa.	2:51 p. m.
Rome, Italy	9:02 p. m.
Savannah, Ga.	2:48 p. m
Santa Fe, N. M.	1:07 p. m.
St. Domingo	3:33 p. m.
St. Paul, Minn.	1:58 p. m.
Santiago, Chihi.	3:28 p. m.
Sioux Falls, S. D.	1:48 p. m.
San Francisco, Cal.	12:01 p. m.
Vienna, Austria	9:21 p. m.
Vera Cruz, Mexico	1:48 p. m.
Walla Walla, Wash	12:18 p. m.
Augusta, Me.	3:03 p. m.
Baltimore, Md.	3:08 p. m.
Berne, Switzeralnd	8:41 p. m
Berlin, Prussia	9:09 p. m
Constantinople, Turkey	10:11 p. m.
Columbus, Ohio	2:38 p. m.
Caracas, Venezuela	2:46 p. m.
Chalottown, Pr. Ed. Id.	3:58 p. m.
Dublin, Ireland	7:46 p. m.
Edinburg, Scotland	8:01 p. m
Dover, Del.	3:09 p. m.
Ft. Kearney, Neb.	1:33 p. m
Georgeton, Br. Guiana	4:18 p. m.
Havana, Cuba	2:51 p. m
Honolulu, S. I.	9:51 a. m.
Jerusalem	10:31 p. m.
Lisbon, Portugal	7:49 p. m.
Lima, Peru	3:04 p. m.
Milwaukee	2:18 p. m
Indianapolis	2:28 p. m.
Monertal, Canada	p. m
New Haven, Conn.	3:18 p. m
NewPort, R. I.	3:28 p. m.
New Orleans, La.	2:11 p. m
Ottawa, Canada	3:08 p. m.
Panama, New Granada	2:53 p. m.
Paris, France	8:19 p. m
St. Petersburg, Russia	10:11 p. m
St. Louis, Mo.	2:11 p. m.
St, Johns, N. F.	8:38 p. m.
St. Paul, Minn.	1:58 p. m.
Smithtown, Jamaica	3:36 p. m.
Springfield, Mass.	3:21 p. m.
Salt Lake City, Utah	12:43 p. m.
Tallahasse, Fla.	2:33 p. m
Vicksburg, Miss.	2:08 p. m.
Wilmington, N. C.	2:59 p. m.
Washington, D. C.	3:01 p. m.

Short Cut to Denver.

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