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Those who will encamp their army in the swamp of slander and defamation will abandon the victory to the army that is on the heights.

It is a strange thing that Mr. Malott never in his meetings says one word regarding lower interest laws, though the Gazette says he favors such action. If he does why not say so?

One hundred and fifty Republican clubs in New York State outside of the city show a Democratic membership of 2,000. The Democrat who is betting on New York begins to think that he must hedge.

Vote the Republican ticket.

The Hope Herald after its lengthy "blow" of last week tames down and whines that it will continue its quarrel after election. If the Herald wants its record shown up, we shall be only too glad to accommodate it.

Will the honest but deluded members of the rank and file of the Union Labor party, now that they find it not a political organization but a tool of the murderous "Videttes," have sense enough to get out of it and stay out?

The Chicago anarchists who are to celebrate on Nov. 11th the execution of the infamous Haymarket murderers will doubtless receive the hearty sympathy and assistance of their brethren, the Union Labor Videttes, of Kansas.

At Beloit the other night some wag drank the liquid in John Martin's whisky bottle and when he held the flask up it was empty. Such a howl of disappointment was given by the thirsty Bourbons as has seldom been equalled.

One thing is quite certain; when the "Southern problem" is solved, it will be by the "division of the white voters of the South upon economic questions" and the question of Prohibition has struck the ice in about the place where it is going to break.—[J. C. Union.

If you will elect me I will use all my influence to secure resubmission," was Judge Martin's pitiful whine at the Leavenworth convention which nominated him. Can Kansans support a man of that character? Can they trust the "free whisky" cry of a man with that record?

The New York Sun figures it out that when this year's bills are paid, estimating the revenue to continue as it is now, there will be found a deficit of three or four millions instead of a surplus of eighty or one hundred millions. If this is the condition that confronts us, what do all the President's theories amount to?

The great man in the White House continues to display his pernicious activity. Thirteen new pension vetoes was the product of the mill last week. Cleveland weighs 250 pounds and he makes every pound count one when he sits down on a maimed or poverty-stricken ex-soldier. Isn't it about time His Accidency gave them a rest?

A somewhat notable fact in connection with this campaign is that several of the men who did most toward the election of Mr. Cleveland in 1884 are now dead. Thomas Hendricks, Henry Ward Beecher, Dan Manning, Roscoe Conkling have all passed over to the silent majority. And while we are about it we might mention that Grover Cleveland is practically dead too.

Senator F. P. Harkness last week made several speeches in Dickinson county and was received heartily by the people. His addresses have been broad, candid yet forcible arguments and have appealed to the intelligence of his hearers. The 23d district will have in Mr. Harkness a gentleman of whom it can well be proud. As compared with his opponent, a loud-mouthed demagogue with more assurance than information, he is most certainly the man for the position. Mr. Harkness' cause is safe.

Mr. S. P. Sheerin, a "member of the National Democratic committee for Indiana" seems to be very much worked up over an issue of the Labor Signal of Indianapolis. Indeed he pronounces the naughty thing a forgery and its tone is so antagonistic to Democratic principles that Mr. Sheerin charges the publication of the article to the Republicans. He counsels the unterrified all over the country not to read such pernicious literature. Our e. c., who is ready to apologize for the "Morey" letter forgery and Dick Colver's celebrated "Booth letter" forgery and the forgery of Arkansas election returns and the forgery of election returns in Chicago, Indianapolis, Cincinnati and Columbus, by which the usual Democratic vote in those cities will be materially reduced by the change of residence of their voters from their respective wards to the penitentiary, is very much afraid some Union Labor man may sympathize with America rather than with England.

The brilliant Chicago journal, America, has little patience with spending money to convert the heathen. Commenting on the fact that during the convention of the Northwestern branch of the Woman's Foreign Missionary Society at Chicago last week, it was reported that $55,000 had been raised for foreign missions, it says:

It is a matter of National disgrace that $55,000 has been wasted upon heathen when there are thousands of suffering creatures in our own country who have the claims of race for our consideration. While there is a single pauper or pagan within the confines of the United States it is nothing short of a sin to subscribe American dollars to be used in converting yellow-skinned heathen at the antipodes.

Look out for Democratic lies on the eve of election when too late to be answered by Republicans.

When the Union Labor organ gets cornered on the infamous record of C. B. Hoffman, it says the charges are "beneath its notice." A cheap argument and a decided surrender. The Banner in its short career has abundantly proven that it is without force or ability. It was last week rampant with bluster about the REFLECTOR'S "libel" on C. B. Hoffman, but when we gave the exact quotation from the North-Western Miller, and showed Mr. Hoffman to have advocated, without reservation or qualification, a "miller's trust without soul or conscience," it meekly gives up the fight. The fact is that Hoffman is guilty of the charge and the Banner knows it.

A correspondent informs us that B. C. Cranston, Union Labor candidate for Representative, made the statement at Manchester Saturday night, in substance if not in words: "If we cannot get what we want by ballot, it is time to use the sword." Does Dickinson county want a Representative in the State legislature who preaches such anarchistic doctrine as that?

The Union Labor Banner falsely announces some "joint discussions" between Senator Harkness and L. F. Smith. The announcement is entirely without authority. The Republican central committee has made no dates for such meetings nor does it propose to advertise demagogue Smith by having Mr. Harkness draw crowds for him to talk to.

You never hear of poor people emigrating from protected America to free trade England or Ireland, in order that they may be enabled to secure homes and make a living for their families. Not much! The emigration is from free trade countries to protective America.—[Logan (Colo.) Advocate.

The Democratic Indianapolis News has given up the fight. In its last issue it says:

To this date in the campaign the drift seems to be plainly toward the Republicans. If the election were held tomorrow, we believe that Harrison and Morton would win clearly.

"Figures Show."

Here is a little table showing the war tax on the outfit which will be worn by the average voter when he casts his vote next month, and the reduction thereon proposed by the Mills bill. It is as follows:

Voter's outfit for November.	Present war tax, cents on $1 of value.	As reduced in the Mills bill.
Hat	75	40
Woolen overcoat	66	40
Woolen suit	60	40
Stockings	67	40
Flannel underwear	73	40
Shoes	30	20
Shirt	51	40
Cravat	50	50
Umbrella	40	30
Handkerchief	35	35
Suspenders	66	50
Watch	25	25
Knife	50	50
Keys	45	40

—[Gazette.

And here is a little table showing the effect of that same "war tax" on the outfit which will be worn by the average voter when he casts his vote next month and the reduction thereon in price as brought about by these same "robber war taxes." It is as follows:

Voter's outfit for November.	Price under Democratic low tariff of 1890.	Price under present tariff.
Hat	$ 5 00	$ 3 50
Woolen overcoat	25 00	15 00
Woolen suit	25 00	15 00
Stockings, per pair	25	15
Flannel underwear per suit	1 50	1 00
Shoes	4 00	2 75
Shirt (white)	1 50	1 00
Cravat	1 00	50
Umbrella	2 00	1 00
Handkerchief (linen)	50	25
Suspenders	1 00	60
Watch (silver)	65 00	32 50
Knife	1 00	50
Keys	10	05
Total	$138 85	$83 20

Amount saved by the "war tax" to the "average voter" on his "outfit," $50.05: These figures are matters of easy verification and show in the plainest of cold fact the fallacy of the "tax" cry of the Democracy. They prove that not only have the industries of the American nation been built up under protection but that the price of every day materials have been reduced at least one-third. What stronger argument in favor of protection could be desired?

We guess, Brother Warren, that the "average voter" will vote to save the $50.05 rather than return to the good old Democratic days of low tariff.

J. W. Gibson is the best candidate for Representative in the 69th district. Look to your interests and give him your vote.

The U. L. Banner takes offense at our remark that Mrs. Emery was "for sale." We append a quotation from the Globe-Democrat which has some bearing on the subject:

Mrs. S. E. V. Emery, of Lansing, was the nominee at the recent Michigan Union Labor convention, for superintendent of public instruction. Three weeks after the nomination she said she had discovered that the Union Labor party had been corruptly induced to oppose fusion with the Democrats, and she then tendered her resignation as a candidate. Since that time several facts in regard to Mrs. Emery have leaked out. She is the author of a brochure entitled "Seven Financial Conspiracies which have Enslaved the American People." The work is directed against the national banking system and scores the Republican party. The wording and much of the ideas are taken from the well-known "Hazzard Circular," written by the late B. R. Heath, of the defunct Chicago "Express." It now transpires that between the time of Mrs. Emery's nomination and her indignant withdrawal on discovering the corruption of the Union Labor managers, she received an order from the Democratic national committee for 100,000 copies of the "Seven Financial Conspiracies." The edition is now being printed by Launt Thompson at Lansing, and is being shipped to Kansas, Nebraska and other States. Mrs. Emery receives 10 cents per copy from the Democratic national committee, and is also under engagement to speak against the Republican party in Kansas.

Vote the Republican ticket straight.

Look out for some great "disclosure" or other political bomb-shell this week. In 1880 it was the forged "Morey letter" gotten out by the Democrats to injure Garfield; in 1884 it was the fool Burchard's "Rum, Romanism and Rebellion" idiocy gotten out by his own addle-pated cranium and which was an important factor against Mr. Blaine.

The Chapman Courier hoists probably the most remarkable ticket ever put forth in Kansas. It is 15 per cent Prohibition, 15 per cent Democratic and 70 per cent Republican. The editor may know to what party he belongs but it is more than his readers do by a large majority. The indications are that there has been considerable "fixin" done in that neck o' the words.

It is a noticeable fact that every paper in Dickinson county, except those edited by holier than thou characters—Reverends and goody Sunday school men—has been content to urge this campaign on political principles. They alone stooped to vile slander and personal defamation. It is evident that their christianity (?) as well as their political sense, is a mighty thin veneer.

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Great Britain's Candidate.

It would not be surprising if the Democratic party had found its Burchard in Lord West, the British minister, whose letter to a citizen of California, as given in Saturday's REFLECTOR, is the most damaging document recently shown against Democracy. In it he says:

"You are probably aware that any political party which openly favored the mother country at the present moment would lose popularity, and that the party in power is fully aware of this fact. The party, however, is, I believe, still desirous of maintaining friendly relations with Great Britain."

The impropriety and indecency of the British Minister's intervention in a political canvass in the United States do not require demonstration. He represents his own Government and has official relations with the country at large. He ought to have no dealings with parties or factions. Diplomatic usage is most exacting in this respect. The accredited representative of a foreign court is debarred from taking part in political struggles and election controversies. The British Minister has so far forgotten the unwritten law of diplomacy as to advise naturalized citizens of English and Canadian birth to support the President as a candidate for re-election. The correspondent who ventured to address him on behalf of English-American admirers of the administration could not have been left in doubt respecting Lord West's sympathies and good wishes. The letter was an official certificate that the President is the English-Canadian candidate and worthy of receiving the suffrages and unbroken support of naturalized citizens of English or Canadian birth.

The country is well aware that the President is the English candidate. The judgment of the London and Canadian press has been decisive on this point. Sir Charles Tupper fully confirmed it when, after negotiating the Fisheries Treaty, he informed the Dominion Parliament that the Democratic and Canadian policies were one and the same thing. The British Minister is right in his facts. The President is England's man. He stands for foreign rather than American interests. But it is an unpardonable affront to the intelligence and patriotism of the country that Lord West in the pending elections should take advantage of his official position to influence naturalized citizens of his own nationality. Americans want no advice from representatives of foreign courts respecting their political affairs. They must resent an official attempt on the part of the British Minister to array citizens of English and Canadian birth against the Republican party.

Since the Democrats could not induce Cranston and his friends to sell out, they now talk of trading Malott votes for assistance to one of their pet county candidates.

If anybody knows any good reason why Banker Malott should be sent to the Legislature of Kansas to make interest laws for the people he ought to produce that reason at once. It will be too late after next Tuesday.

Vote the Republican ticket straight if it is a mile long.

"After election, what?" is one of the burning conundrums of the day. That is an easy one. Probably both Cleveland and Martin will proceed to get ready to resume their law practice, the former at Buffalo, the latter at Topeka.

V. P. Wilson is taking a hand, in his well known vigorous style, at demolishing the "tariff is a tax" idiocy. In the last issue of the Denver Press he has the following:

The fact is, when our manufactures were in an infant condition, or not yet born, the English goods sold for far more than we now pay for the American made, even "with duty added." If this be not true, will some free-trader answer the following questions:

Why is it that under a free-trade tariff steel rails sold for $187 a ton, and are now selling for $32, the duty being $17 a ton?

Why was it that under a free trade tariff pig iron cost $38.45 and has sold recently for $18, after paying, as the President says, a "duty tax" of $6.70?

Why a ream of paper that sold under free trade for $16 can now be bought for $2 50, the duty being 25 per cent.?

Why under free trade an English china tea set cost $5; while now just as good an American set, which according to the President, is taxed the rate of duty—60 per cent.—can now be had for $2.60?

Why a dozen files under free trade cost $7 and are now selling for $2 30, after paying a duty of 35 cents a dozen?

Why carpets that sold for $1.40 a yard before a protective tax of 12 cents a square yard and 30 per cent. called the industry into existence, are now selling for 95 cents a yard?

And yet the people are told that the protective tariff is an "onerous burden" upon them!

Vote for Burton, Gibson, Peck, Baker and the entire Republican ticket.

REPUBLICAN TICKET.

1888.

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For Vice-President,
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Second District—FRANK R. OGG.

Third District—T. P. ANDERSON.

Fourth District—JOHN MADDEN.

Fifth District—D. A. VALENTINE.

Sixth District—J. B. McGONIGAL.

Seventh District—W. G. EMERSON.

For Congressman, 5th District,
JOHN A. ANDERSON.

KANSAS STATE TICKET.

For Governor,
L. U. HUMPHREY.

For Lieutenant Governor,
A. J. FELT.

For Secretary of State,
WILLIAM HIGGINS.

For Auditor of State,
TIM McCARTHY.

For State Treasurer,
JAS. W. HAMILTON.

For Attorney General,
L. B. KELLOGG.

For Superintendent of Public Instruction,
GEO. W. WINANS.

For Associate Justice Supreme Court,
W. A. JOHNSTON.

For State Senator, 23d District,
F. P. HARKNESS.

DICKINSON COUNTY TICKET.

For Representative, 68th District,
J. R. BURTON.

For Representative, 69th District,
J. W. GIBSON.

For Probate Judge,
B. W. PECK.

For County Attorney,
C. C. BITTING, Jr.

For Clerk of the District Court,
W. S. ANDERSON.

For Supt. of Public Instruction,
J. S. FORD.

For Commissioner, 2d District,
J. W. BAKER.

For High-School Commissioners,
E. T. ELLISON.

S. R. HOAG.

.....Township Ticket.

For Trustee, ...

For Clerk, ...

For Treasurer, ...

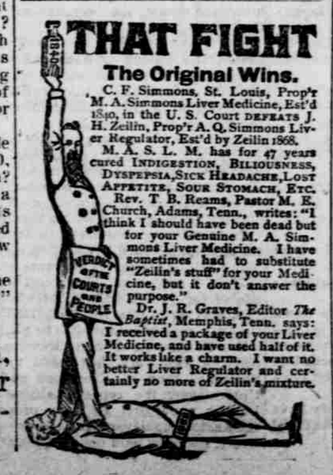
For Constable, ...

For Justice of the Peace, ...

For Road Overseer, District No. .....

For.....the amendment to section one, article eight of the Constitution.

For.....the proposition to amend section seventeen, of the Bill of Rights of the Constitution of the State of Kansas, concerning the purchase, enjoyment and descent of property.



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