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THE Alaska boundary line, in special regard to the Yukon country, threatens to become something of an issue between the United States and Canada.

It is observable that, while the German molders of public opinion venture to criticize Kaiser Wilhelm's public policy, they don't dare to censure his poetry above a whisper.

JAPAN buys yearly nearly \$15,000,000 of American cotton—in England. It goes out by way of the Suez canal. What is the matter with our Pacific railroads and California ports?

A COLOSSAL statue of Li Hung Chang, ten feet high, the gift of admirers, has just been completed in Germany. When undraped it will remind poor old Chang of his own present proper, or improper condition.

WHEN that reorganization of the New York police takes place the Lexow committee ought to take a commanding position immediately behind the reorganizers and fortify the position with a Gatling gun.

THE Duetsch case emphasizes the fact that we need at once an amendment to the criminal statutes providing that a man need not be more sane for conviction in a murder case than he is required to be in any of the regular vocations in life.

GOVERNOR SHOCKLEY of Alaska, stated to the house committee on territories that seals were practically extinct, and will be so entirely within a short time, and now the women—heaven bless them—have started out to exterminate the marten.

THE swashbuckler act of Great Britain in having her gunboats constantly swaggering around in Chinese waters does not seem to have the influence on the Japs that was intended, if the sentiment of leading Japanese papers can be accepted as a criterion.

It is said that more than 65,000 people were sacrificed to the deadly scourge of diphtheria in Austria-Hungary last year, that in Hungary alone there were 34,183 fatal cases. In spite of this awful slaughter the authorities have been sluggish in adopting the marvelous cure found so effective in Berlin and Paris.

A WRITER, who is somewhat of a philosopher, has observed the fact that no millionaire in this country had achieved the honor of becoming a centenarian. There is nothing wrong about this, for an all-wise Providence, who is supposed to be just alike to all, would not bestow much wealth and long life upon the same person.

THE fortune of James G. Fair is sliding down to the neighborhood of \$12,000,000, which is the usual thing when a legal inventory takes the place of a popular estimate. Jay Gould was an exception, for appraisers made the net value of his estate \$75,000,000. Commodore Vanderbilt left about \$100,000,000. But, as a rule, the colossal fortunes of which so much is heard shrink immensely when tested by actual figures.

IN Kentucky a preacher does not like to have a layman offer opinions contrary to his own doctrinal points. The Rev. Lemuel Penrol, of Grassy Creek, believes in the damnation of unbaptized infants, and when one of his congregation, John Slate, argued against that doctrine, the preacher drew his revolver first, shot at him, the ball passing through his bootleg, and then slashed him with a knife. The doctrines of that congregation are in charge of the preacher, and he intends to enforce his rights.

AMERICAN wool growers see little in the situation to encourage them, but it is certain that our dealers do not intend to give up the market to foreign countries. Two new and important methods of cleansing wool have been devised in New England, one by the use of naphtha and the other by hydra-carbon solvent which saves the valuable grease and potash of the fiber for other purposes. These methods are said to improve the wool, leaving it whiter and softer, and in better condition for dyeing.

ACCORDING to the figures published by the Boston Commercial Bulletin, the insurance companies of this country enjoyed in 1894 an unexampled year, so far as small losses are concerned. Their aggregate losses amounted to but \$127,000,000, as compared with \$156,000,000 in 1893, \$133,000,000 in 1892, and \$138,000,000 in 1891. Then, too, the incomes of many of the companies were materially swelled by higher rates of premiums, while many, of course, felt the stringency of the times in the refusal of many old customers to insure at all, preferring to carry the risk of loss by fire themselves.

THE citizens of San Francisco evidently have concluded that Magnate Huntington's ownership in fee simple of the state of California has continued long enough, and they want his title declared void. The conclusion, while a daring one to announce, is not wholly unreasonable.

ANY one who has ever had the slightest experience with the malady will insist on believing that the so-called new disease is merely an exhibition of the versatility, ingenuity and depravity of the old original grip.

WHO IS A FOOL?

IS ANY MAN FREE WHERE HIS BROTHERS ARE SLAVES?

Farmers and Laborers Pay the Interest on All Public and Private Debts, and Their Labor Is Mortgaged for the Principal.

You say you are out of debt and own a house?
Yes.
Well; how many children have you?
Five.
That makes seven in the family.
What is your home worth?
Oh, about \$1,400.
And you are a loyal patriotic American?

Yes; I defended the flag in the rebellion, and the very sight of old glory thrills every drop of blood in my body. Oh, you are enthusiastic.
Yes, sir; for my home and country I am ready to lay down my life.
Good; you are one of the kind of men who made this great nation the richest on the globe.

Yes, I guess I have done my share and I am proud to be an American.
Well, let's come back to the original subject. How did you get into debt?
Who, me?
Yes, you.
Why didn't I tell you that I don't owe a dollar to any man on earth?
Oh yes, you do.
What! Do you mean to insult me?
There is my house free from debt and I've got money in the bank.

Yes, but you said you were a loyal American, and you certainly are loyal to your state, county and community and believe that every individual should pay his debts.
Certainly, but what has that to do with the case?
Oh, nothing, perhaps, but how much did you make last year?
Well, I made a living, and I've got enough money to buy a new wagon and a plow and some other things I need.

Then how are you going to pay off the debts of your family?
Are you crazy? I want to say emphatically that I don't owe any debts, and I don't thank any man for trying to make a fool of me.
Friend, don't get excited. That won't make the debt any easier to pay. Don't you know that it would require all the land in the United States to pay the debts of the people?
Well; what in thunder has that to do with me?
Oh, nothing, but do you know of any way of paying the debts without selling the land?
Of course I do, it can be paid off with the money that goes into the treasury as taxes.

Don't you know that instead of paying off debts the treasurer is borrowing more money? The debt of your family was increased about \$14 by the last two bond issues of \$50,000,000, and the treasurer is now preparing things for another issue of fifty millions. That will make \$21 increase of your debt this year, and the bankers are demanding an issue of \$500,000,000 worth more of bonds and that would increase the debt of your family \$70 more.

The total indebtedness of the people of the United States is \$500 for each and every man woman and child in the nation—making your share \$3,500 with a family of seven.
Of course you do not owe this amount directly and you have never signed a mortgage on your own home.
But you pay interest every year on the state, county and national debt—and through depreciation in prices you contribute of your labor and produce every year to pay interest on the private mortgages of the country.

Ultimately you must pay your share of the principal.
There is no getting around it.
Oh! you're one of these darn Populist calamity howlers—I have no time to waste listening to a fool. I've got to go to town and pay my taxes and buy some tools I need on the farm.
Yes; there he goes to buy more tools to raise more produce for Shylock.

Some Cold Statistics.
Since free coinage was suspended in June, 1893, India has been unable to export enough products to pay her gold interest, but has been compelled to borrow \$50,000,000 to pay interest on her gold obligations during the last year, and she must continue to borrow and increase her debts under the gold standard. The United States has been compelled to borrow \$55,000,000 by the sale of \$50,000,000 5 per cent bonds and has \$50,000,000 less in the treasury than she had a year ago under the same tariff laws that were formerly in force. It is impossible for the United States to export enough products at gold prices to pay interest on either foreign or domestic debts. There is no way of avoiding a continuous increase of indebtedness but by the free coinage of silver, and that can only be had through the efforts of the Populist party.—William M. Stewart.

THE people are so paralyzed with poverty that many have lost all courage to fight plutocracy. In other words they have consented to slavery. This cowardice and is unworthy of the sons of the men who fought the battles for independence in 1776.

HERE'S YOUR MULE.

Give the Bankers the Earth, or They'll Take It.
Congress don't know where it is at. But it still knows what the bankers demand, and what congress must do, or do nothing.

Congressman Crisp and Senator Gorman have held a little caucus and conclude that the only proposition which the senate and the bankers will accept must embrace the following features:

1. An issue of \$500,000,000 of long term, low rate bonds at 2½ per cent, if possible, but not over 3 per cent.
2. These bonds to be sold to the banks at not less than par and to be the basis of circulation up to their par value.
3. The legal tenders to be retired and canceled as the bonds are put out.
4. One fifth of this issue of \$500,000,000 to be retained in the treasury and made available for current expenses if needed.

5. Silver to be bought and coined at the rate of \$50,000,000 a year.
6. No bank notes to be issued of less denomination than \$20.
7. All denominations below \$20 to be silver certificates and silver.
8. Silver certificates to be redeemable in silver.

There it is in a nut shell.
Just what the Populists have told you for years were the intentions of the money power.
Take each of those numbered items into your mind separately, roll it over, tear it apart, and analyze its intentions.

Five hundred million dollars of long term bonds—\$15,000,000 a year interest, enough interest to support 10,000 people in idleness, interest that will take the labor of 50,000 men a year at \$1.50 a day to pay—and all for the benefit of the bankers.

Cancel the greenbacks and substitute interest bearing bonds and wildcat bank notes. Destroy the money that saved the country in time of war, and turn the issuing of money over to the traitorous cowards, who hired substitutes and hoarded up their gold to profit on the nation's necessities.

And what a magnificent outlook for silver—to be "bought" and coined—bought with what? Give us free coinage of both gold and silver or demonetize gold.

Big bank notes for the rich and small currency for the poor—and the banks in control of both.
Glory, hallelujah!
Those philanthropic, benevolent, astute and monkeydoodle bankers!
Ain't they smooth?
Give us the earth, or we'll take it.

BALLOT RIGHTS LEAGUE.
Meeting to Be Held at New Orleans Jan. 18.

Hon. J. C. Manning, leader of the Alabama Populists, has given out a call for a conference to organize the Southern Ballot Rights league. It is as follows:

"The right of the states to republican form of government and the right of the citizens to a fair vote and an honest count is guaranteed by the constitution.

"The unrest caused by the reign of a ballot box stuffing oligarchy in Alabama and other southern states has but recently aroused the people to demand that their constitutional rights be given.

"In consequence of existing conditions, I have been delegated by those who have awakened to patriotic effort to call a conference at New Orleans, Jan. 18-19, for the purpose of organizing a Southern Ballot Rights league and taking such other steps as may restore constitutional rights to the people. Delegations are urged to come in response to the call from every southern state.

(Signed) "J. C. MANNING,
"Montgomery, Ala."

Political Mathematics.
Perry Engle has at last gotten his paper, the Iowa Referendum, admitted to the mails as second class matter. The first number sent to the third assistant postmaster-general contained a cartoon showing John Sherman as school teacher and Grover Cleveland as school boy, and the lesson on the black-board reads:

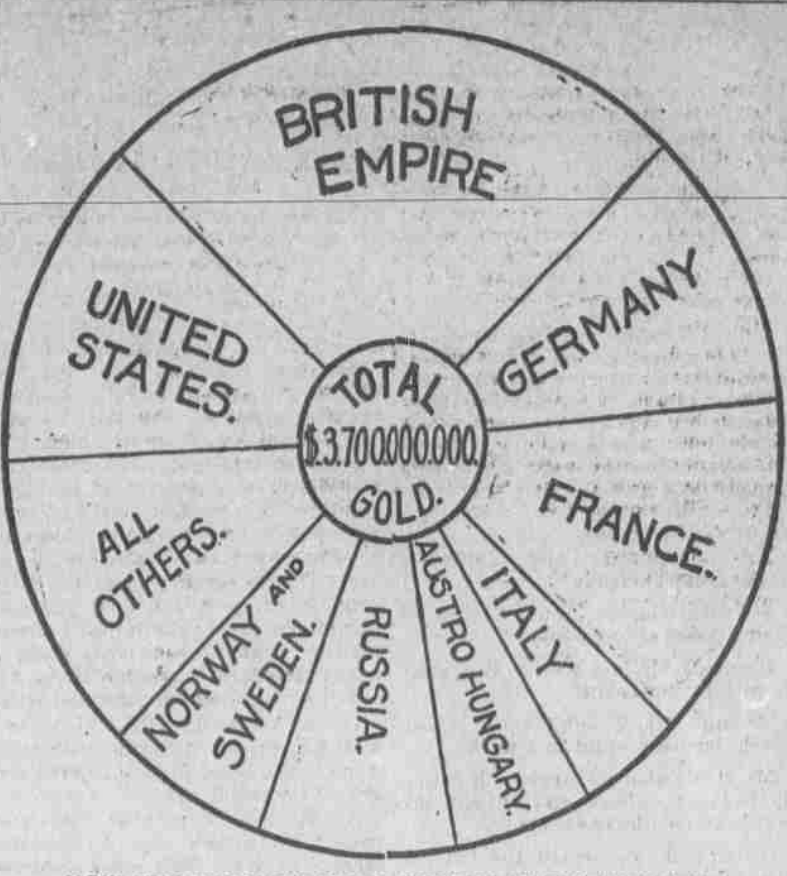
"Q. If there are 175 silver congressmen, how many Wall street 'pies' and federal offices will it require to pass unconditional repeal in the house?"

"Q. If fifty United States senators favor free coinage, how much 'pie' and office will be necessary to pass unconditional repeal in the senate?"

"EXAMPLE.
"Fifty silver senators plus 175 silver congressmen equal a free coinage law. But fifty silver senators and 175 silver congressmen, divided by pie and patronage, equal unconditional repeal See!"

The objection to the paper by the department was the frivolous one that the price was nominal—too cheap. The Referendum, commenting on its admission after ten months' delay, says.

No, it was not the nominal price, but in our opinion it was the out of the big necked fraud taking lessons from John Sherman on the financial question. Such partisan tyranny would disgrace the bloody pages of the history of any monarch. We raised our subscription price, and now Cleveland's pie eater has admitted the paper to the mail. —Missouri World.



HOW THE WORLD'S GOLD SUPPLY IS DISTRIBUTED.

The Divisions of the Circle Show Relatively the Amount of the Precious Metal Which Each Nation Holds—Why Should We Maintain a Gold Standard for the Benefit of the Gold Holding Nations?

A CHRISTMAS LETTER.

GOV. PENNOYER OF OREGON REMEMBERED GROVER.

"Always Remember the Unemployed Multitudes All Over Our Broad Land—I Pray That God May Give You Light and Strength to Do Right."

PORTLAND, Ore., Dec. 27.—Gov. Penoyer remembered President Cleveland by sending him the following letter:

"Christmas has again visited our stricken land, with its prostrated industries and its idle throngs, willing but unable to work and unwillingly forced to beg or suffer. Your panacea, a change in the Sherman law and the tariff, has been administered, but there is no change in the sad condition of the unfortunate country. After two years of ruinous delay and mismanagement you have, thank heaven, at last discovered the real trouble, although you have not proposed the proper remedy. As you now concede, the country needs more money, but it does not want the worthless stuff you proffer. It needs gold and silver money with which to pay debts and it does not want bank rags with which it can not pay debts. Sixty years ago the democratic party had a President who defied the banks in the interest of the people. Has it now a President who defies the people in the interest of the banks? All the traditions of the party which elected you are for gold and silver money and against bank currency. Do you aspire to furnish an example of treason to the cause intrusted to your care which will be without any parallel, except one, in the annals of American history? Your party in both houses favors the restoration of silver as standard money, the people actually suffering from the existing prostration of business favor it, and will you not stand with them in overturning the monometallic policy of the British oligarchy which is fast degrading our fair country to the condition of a subjugated province and our hitherto free people to a condition of financial serfdom? Always remember the unemployed multitudes all over our broad land. I pray that God may give you light and strength to do right."

THE INDUSTRIAL LEGION
To Meet at Kansas City, Mo., Feb. 22, 1895.

The meeting of the National Industrial legion will take place with the Reform Press association at Kansas City, Mo., on Feb. 22.

All recruiting officers holding commissions from headquarters, all state officers of every grade, executive council and one delegate from each legion will be admitted.

We earnestly hope that the utmost energy will be shown in organizing legions. We should have a thousand new legions before that date. The legions already organized who have not paid dues will confer a favor on me if they will send as large a contribution as possible to pay printing bills and other expenses. I have borne the burden long enough, and shall be compelled to lay it down unless this is done. A small sum from each legion will be a great help.

PAUL VANDERVOORT.
People's party papers will please copy.

It's amusing to read in democratic papers about the Populist setback in the recent election, when the democrats throughout the nation met a defeat that means annihilation, while Populists added over a million votes to their vote of two years ago—New Charter.

What is the matter with getting right down to bottom principles and demonetize both gold and silver and have a paper money controlled by the government and have done with the whole robbing crew of usurers at one fell swoop? Oklahoma State.

Evidence to the Contrary.
Photographer—But why do you wish to be taken with your watch in one hand and your pocket-book in the other?
Mr. Bascom—I'm a-goin' to send this picture to my wife, young man; when I left home she said she'd bet I'd be buncoed out of 'everythin' I had before I'd been in the city two hours.

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Dark red camel hair is here becomingly set off with a revers collar of quilted satin edged with cord, a handsome cordierelle encircling the waist. The comfortable adjustment is smooth fitting, with loops from that lap widely and close invitingly on the left side.

The sleeves in fashionable mode are moderately full, neatly adjusted near the wrists and fall loosely at the lower edges. While full enough to meet all the requirements of fashion no superfluous material is used in this simple gown, which renders it an ideal robe for invalids, and an exceedingly serviceable garment for any lady.

Cashmere, flannel, elder down, outing cloth, French flannel, in striped or figured variety or any soft seasonable woolen fabrics are suitable for robes of this kind. The same pattern can be used for a bath robe or wrapper, appropriate material giving it a distinctive mode.

The retail price of pattern is 25 cents.



CHILD'S COAT. Pattern No. 8356 is cut in four sizes, viz: 1, 2, 4 and 6 years.

Grey blue cashmere is here shown prettily trimmed with chinilla fur. The coat and fancy belt are lined with India silk, an interesting of canon flannel giving it the seasonable weight. The close fitting short body closes on center front either invisibly with hooks and eyes or with buttons and button holes as preferred.

Star pointed ripple brettelles cross the shoulders, edged and headed with the fur trimming and finished at the waist with rosettes of baby ribbon. These brettelles fall gracefully over large puffs that are mounted on sleeve linings faced to cut depth with the material and trimmed with fur at the wrists. The rolling collar is edged with fur. The full round skirt is finished at the bottom and front edges with deep hems gathered at the top and sewed to lower edge of body. This dressy little top garment can be made up in any of the seasonable coatings, cloth, camel hair, cheviot, in plain or fancy weaves, whippoorwill, Bengaline, velvet or corduroy, will all make up prettily by the mode. Any preferred style of trimming or decoration may be adopted.

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