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Of course, Admiral Dewey will now support Bryan and Stevenson.

THE bother with the news from China is that so much of it ain't so.

ROOSEVELT is dutch for a field of roses. Well, the governor has often been called a daisy.

THE difference between Democrats and Republicans is that the former stand on the constitution while the latter trample on it.

FOR a party that is so cock sure of winning this fall, the Republicans show a most extraordinary amount of tétoré as to the result.

HURRAH, girls, the coming century will have 24 leap years; the greatest number possible in a hundred years. You'll all have a chance.

A MILWAUKEE man has married his former mother-in-law. Facts, we assure you. Evidently he has domesticated the recording angel.

ACCORDING to the latest reports the empress of China has come to life again. She couldn't afford to stay dead while things were so exciting.

THE Goddess of Liberty in New York was struck by lightning the other day, but it wasn't injured. The Goddess has gotten used to being hit in these Republican days.

BY-THE-WAY, there are several fine consulates absolutely going begging at present. They are located in China and the salaries begin only when the consuls reach their posts.

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PERFECT fusion has been achieved in Nebraska, and with a two-tailed ticket the state is absolutely certain to go for Bryan. Even without the two tails there is no reasonable doubt of the result.

PRESIDENT MCKINLEY incorporates in his letter of acceptance the remarks about Porto Rico which the Republicans refused to insert in their platform. The G. O. P. evidently hadn't the courage of its convictions.

Children often cry, not from pain, but from hunger, although fed abundantly. The trouble rises from inanition; their food is not assimilated, but devoured by worms. A few doses of WHITE'S CREAM VERMIFUGE will destroy the worms, when the children will begin to thrive at once. Price, 25 cts. H. M. Sigloch, City drug store.

Two weeks have passed since Abdul promised for the fifth time to settle that little bill in a month, and nothing more has been heard of the matter. Possibly Secretary Hay thinks the missionaries will let him off collecting from Abdul if he acts vigorously enough in China. But they won't.

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THE New York Tribune says that New York, Illinois, Michigan and several other states are doubtful. Thanks very much. We know that already, but it is pleasant to have our judgment corroborated by so eminent an authority.

So long as the administration confines itself to rescuing Americans from China the country will uphold it warmly. When it turns from this to a war of vengeance or conquest by the sole will of the president, the country will soon express its disapproval.

THE esteemed Henry Watterson of the Courier Journal, who bolted in 1896, has come back into the party fold and is supporting Bryan this year. He is only one of many gold Democrats to realize that the Democratic party, at its worst, is still better than the Redubican party at its best.

THE closing down by the trust of the great print mills, throwing 20,000 employes out of work in 30 factories in order to boom the already inflated prices may be taken as illustrative matter accompanying the letter press of the Republican platform declaration that that party favors "honest cooperation."

COL. BRYAN says that the Republican party stands for the dollar, and the Democratic for the man. Mr. Hanna must have smiled when he read this. Far from denying it or feeling ashamed of it, the Republican boss glories in this very fact as the chief jewel in the Republican crown.

YEARS ago, when a mere boy, Adlai Stevenson came into public life in opposition to the then rampant policy of know-nothingism. The same Americanism that made him stand up for the oppressed of all nations now makes him stand against the attempt of the Republicans to turn the United States from a refuge into an organ of oppression.

MINISTER WU charges that the powers have neglected moving to the rescue of the ministers in order to gain from their massacre an excuse for partition of China. As it is entirely certain that the interests of the United States lie in the other direction, such a charge amounts to nothing as far as we are concerned, and the world will be slow to believe it of any of the powers.

### A Good Cough Medicine.

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DURING the big railroad strike of 1883, Joe Flory, who is now asking the railroad men to support him for governor, was a scab, seeking to defeat the aims of organized labor. In 1898, Grand Chief Clark of the order of railway conductors, wrote to Congressman Dockery, expressing the order's appreciation of the congressman's efforts in behalf of the arbitration bill. And yet some people are absurd enough to claim that the railroad vote of the state will go to Flory rather than to Dockery.

THE following is the opinion the Methodists hold of President McKinley and he is a member of that church. "We are chagrined, humiliated and exasperated by the puerile and absurd construction placed on the anticanteen law by the attorney-general of the United States, and with all due respect to the exalted station, we record the fact that we are pained and disappointed at the course of the president in accepting as final and satisfactory, an opinion without binding force. Such an abuse of power is nullification in its most dangerous form. Upon the president, as chief of our army, rests the responsibility for the existence of the canteen saloon, an evil which he has ample power to suppress, a more deadly foe to the soldiers than the bullet or the tropical heat."

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### Queen Chickabiddy.

THE summary of Missouri's productions for 1899, prepared by the state labor bureau and published in the daily newspapers a few days ago, presents some interesting facts when closely analyzed. Not the least of which are the unparalleled achievements of Queen Chickabiddy—famously known as the Missouri hen. As a wealth-producer she is a world-beater. The total number of pounds of poultry, live and dressed, shipped from Missouri's 114 counties in 1899, as reported from the railroad and express companies, were 106,988,710, an increase of 36,907,443 pounds over the preceding year. The total number of dozens of eggs shipped last year were 34,875,040, and the aggregate value to the producers of poultry and eggs was \$12,091,048.54.

THE relative importance of the poultry industry in this state, as compared with other industries, will be better understood when it is shown that the total value of all of the wheat, corn, oats, flax, timothy seed, clover seed, millet seed, cane seed, castor beans, cotton, cotton seed, tobacco, broom corn, hay and straw which were shipped by all of the counties in the state last year did not equal the value of the poultry and eggs shipped during the same time by over \$17,000.

ANOTHER comparison: Aggregate the value of all of the horses, mules, sheep, oats, rye, grass seed, tobacco, hay and straw shipped last year and the hen will beat the combination over \$50,000.

TAKE the value of all of the mill products—flour, cornmeal and mill-feed—all of the fruits and vegetables, all of the butter, cheese, milk, game and fish, furs, feathers, molasses, honey, beeswax, wine, cider, vinegar, nursery stock, nuts, roots, ice, tar, junk, linseed oil, oil and cottonseed meal and cob pipes shipped in 1899, and by comparison Queen Chickabiddy will distance the aggregation and have a \$30 bank account to her credit.

IF the present rate of increase continues for ten years at the end of that time the poultry industry will rival the total output of all our mines.

### Why Candy is Injurious.

A taste for sweets is supposed to be the cause of all troubles with the teeth which are so common to the children of to-day, but few stop to consider that this taste may be easily satisfied without forming the injurious habit of constantly munching candy, says the New York News.

"American children eat such inordinate quantities of confectionery that it seems a hopeless matter to attempt to check the habit," said an excellent dentist recently, who has had abundant opportunity to study its results, and he should have added that it is not so much the quantity of candy, but the manner of eating it, that does harm.

IF a child would eat candy once a day and then wash out his mouth thoroughly he might keep up the practice for 50 years without harm to his teeth, but it is the constant sucking of candy, always having something sweet in the mouth, that eats away the enamel and reaps mighty harvests for the dentists.

IF a child must have bonbons, the mother should see herself that he brushes his teeth after the sweet is disposed of, and she should absolutely prohibit the injurious habit of munching candy all day long.

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Coal Miners.  
About 1,500,000 persons are employed in the coal mines of the world.

Lost Human Muscles.  
There are many muscles in the human body, control of which has been lost through ages of disuse.

The latest thing in roses is in the possession of an East Anglian rose-grower, who, in his catalogue, says that its name is Kruger, and that it requires a warm position and much disbudbing.

To Remove Iron Rust.  
To remove iron rust from linen, cotton or any light fabric, soak the parts stained in pure glycerine for an hour, then rub it gently between your hands being in cold water.

Locust Armies.  
The Argentine locust has a habit of moving forward like an army in line, and gathering together in bunches, instead of scattering like true grasshoppers.

The Winning Horses.  
Winning race horses are generally bays, chestnuts or browns, and for every 100 bays among them there are 50 chestnuts and 30 browns. There is no record of an important race being won by a piebald.

Women Write More Letters.  
A postal official at Davenport, who has charge of a free delivery route in Iowa, declares that the chief beneficiaries of the innovation are the women. The bulk of the rural mail handled is to and from the farmers' wives and daughters.

Poisonous Overcoats.  
Poisoning from overcoats is an unexpected danger, but no fewer than 60 cases have been reported. On being wet, the cloth, in the dyeing of which chloride of zinc had been used, gave off poisonous vapors, producing painful swelling of hands and arms.

Wood Tar Prepared as of Old.  
It is curious to notice that wood-tar is prepared just as it was in the fourth century, B. C. A bank is chosen and a hole dug, into which the wood is placed, covered with turf. A fire is lighted underneath and the tar slowly drips into the barrels placed to receive it.

Philippine Talk Like Indians.  
Washington Cor. Philadelphia Record: A Creek Indian who went with the Rough Riders to Cuba and later enlisted for the Philippines is described by Representative Springer. The Indian met Philippine whose dialect he could understand and to whom he could talk intelligently, although he had never seen them before.

### Whales in Chesapeake Bay.

Fishermen report the presence in Chesapeake Bay, in the vicinity of Old Point, of a school of whales. They say that the whales have driven the small fish away, notably the bluefish. Of these last many are usually caught in the bay and shipped to New York, Philadelphia and Baltimore markets. That several people saw whales in the bay is pretty well substantiated. One sixty-five-footer came ashore at Pleasant Beach recently, and is now being tried out there.—Chicago Inter Ocean.

### Eating and Weight.

It has been seriously asserted by many people that we are naturally lighter after a meal, and they have even gone the length of explaining this by the amount of gas that is developed from the food. Average observations, however, show that we lose three pounds and six ounces between night and morning; that we gain one pound and twelve ounces by breakfast; that we again lose about 14 ounces before lunch; that lunch puts on an average of one pound; that we again lose during the afternoon an average of 10 ounces; but that an ordinary dinner to healthy persons adds two pounds and two ounces to their weight.

## DON'T BE DUPED

There have been placed upon the market several cheap reprints of an obsolete edition of "Webster's Dictionary." They are being offered under various names at a low price.

### By

dry-goods dealers, grocers, agents, etc., and in a few instances as a premium for subscriptions to papers.

Announcements of these comparatively

### Worthless

reprints are very misleading; for instance, they are advertised to be the substantial equivalent of a higher-priced book, when in reality, so far as we know and believe, they are all, from A to Z.

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The Oldest Church.  
The oldest building in the world that has been uninterruptedly used for church purposes is St. Martin's cathedral at Canterbury, England. The building was originally erected for a church, and has been regularly used as a place for religious gatherings for more than 1,500 years.

Oil Well 5,532 Feet Deep.  
It is claimed that the deepest oil well in America is situated in the Monongahela river valley, about twenty-five miles from Pittsburgh. The hole has been drilled to a depth of 5,532 feet, but work has been suspended owing to a break in the two-and seven-eighths inch rope used. As a result 1,000 feet of rope and a string of tools are at the bottom. Experts are at work and hope to be able to resume drilling soon. It is proposed to sink the well 6,000 feet.

Women in Brazil and Japan.  
The legislative bodies of Brazil and Japan present a rather striking contrast in their policies toward the movement for the freedom of women. The senate of Brazil has under consideration a bill to authorize women to practice the learned professions, and the Japanese parliament has just passed a new press law which prohibits women from becoming publishers or editors on the ground that "the discharge of such work by females is neither becoming nor desirable."

Ornaments to the Directory.  
Here are a few names of foreigners who have applied for citizenship papers in the United States circuit court, New York city: Spiro Papastavropoulos, Cologero Tutotica, Ferzian Dikran Barabus, Faselchere Lie Hengelteive, Henri A. Van der Pauwert, Pincos Trachtenbroit, Gander Turkildsen, Felix I. De Cuspere Barriel, Schwarzbard Schilbes, Bentojos Sirbas and Antonio S. Fernandes y Roswieser. The above named are in their respective order natives of Greece, Italy, Turkey, France, Holland, Russia, Norway, Spain, Austria, Portugal and Cuba.

Filbert Crop.  
In some districts of Italy the filbert crop is said to rival in commercial importance the produce of the vine. These delicious nuts are grown on bushes planted in groups that are from 15 feet to 25 feet apart, so as to insure the access of plenty of light and air. They thrive best in a deep clayey soil, and the planting in Italy takes place in November and December of slips from the mother plant. The bushes fruit in the third year. They are pruned annually. Plantations are found nearly 100 years old and the bushes in good health. The filbert is not liable to disease like many other crops, but it suffers severely from hailstorms and cold winds.

Emperor a Linguist.  
The German emperor, as a linguist, appeared to advantage during his recent visit to England. His English is free from all but the slightest accent, and is terse and idiomatic. He talks it a good deal, and without any hesitation. His French, which, as a rule, is only used playfully and in inverted commas, as it were, has the genuine Parisian "trac." The empress also talks English well, but with a strong accent, and an occasional quaint turn of a phrase. The boys vastly prefer their mother tongue, and are apt to "shy" a little if an unexpected speech is addressed to them in English. But they understand the language all the same. To hear the prince of Wales speak German is like hearing a German born and bred. There is nothing strange about this, however, considering his ancestry.

The Boers Advantage.  
The ability of a race of brave marksmen, behind intrenchments, to make a formidable resistance to assault by the very best veteran soldiery is a fact familiar to all persons of historical intelligence. The repulse of the British regulars twice by our embattled farmers' line at Bunker Hill; the dreadful repulse of Wellington's seasoned "Peninsular war" veterans, 14,000 strong under Pakenham, by 5,000 Kentucky and Tennessee hunters and Indian fighters at New Orleans; the destruction wrought by Hoer and his riflemen in the ranks of Marshal Lefebvre's corps of Napoleon's army; the defiles of the Tyrolese mountains; the successful resistance to the Russian army offered by the Turks under English officers at Plevna, are cases in point.—Portland Oregonian.