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Our Coupon Receipt, which explains itself below, is meeting with great favor from the public. We have issued many of them, but the supply is unlimited and all can be accommodated. One of our sleepy contemporaries says that our ads are naught but "gall" and "blow." It may be galling to them but is termed enterprise by the people. We show our faith in the efficiency of our advertising by using a liberal share ourselves.

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<p><b>WILLMAR, MINN. 189</b></p> <p>RECEIVED of _____ One Dollar, which pays</p> <p>Subscription to the WILLMAR TRIBUNE for one year from date and entitles _____ to</p> <p><b>ONE DOLLAR IN MERCHANDISE</b></p> <p>From the merchants of Willmar whose names appear on attached coupons, on the conditions printed on each coupon. Coupons will be void if detached. Not transferable.</p> <p style="text-align: center;"><b>JOHNSON &amp; LAWSON.</b></p> <p>NO. _____ By _____</p>			
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### JUNIOR EDITOR'S CORNER.

The St. Cloud Journal-Press (which, by the way, has not favored us with an exchange since the Doctor stroked its fur the wrong way last summer) is quoted approvingly by the Willmar Argus this week in an article entitled, "Just a Suggestion," and in the same attempts to show that the appreciation of gold is not responsible for the greater portion of the decrease in price of commodities, the low wheat prices for instance as being due to decreased cost of production. In other words, the farmer is not as badly off as he thinks he is because he can raise his grain more cheaply now than was possible a few years ago. Of course any farmer will readily see that with increasing taxes and the drain on the fertility of the soil the cost of raising grain has not decreased to any extent. But it was not this discrepancy in the Journal's reasoning that we wished to call special attention to. The Journal concludes that the test of values is the cost of labor, and draws comfort from the fact that prior to 1892 (before silver had received its final death-blow) wages were as high as ever. We believe if the wage test were applied now, impartially, the result would be staggering. Take the aggregate amount of wages paid to labor in the whole country and divide the sum by the total number of laborers, whether employed or not, and we are under the impression that the J.P. would find that each man could not buy as many gold dollars for his labor as he could in 1872, if the same test would be applied to that year.

The subject of wages brings to mind the problem of farm wages which is starting our farmers in the face. The wages of farm laborers have been kept up in spite of the fact that the farmers' ability to pay has been lessened. We meet farmers every day who tell us that after paying their help and necessary expenses they have nothing for themselves. What other industry could run on such a basis. In manufacturing or railroading where there is competition the employer cuts the wages every time his profits are in danger. The farmer will have to do the same or get along without help. What would the average farm wages amount to, if the farmer would take out fair wages for himself and family and a fair profit on the money invested before allowing anything for his hired folks? We dare say they would fall greatly below

the present standard. Farm laborers will be forced to meet a sweeping reduction from the usual wages paid.

The reference that the Willmar Argus made regarding an alleged horse deal that ye editor had been guilty of would have been very funny but for the fact that he has never purchased a horse, at all. Try another, Birch.

The special edition of the Fergus Falls Journal is at hand, and we acknowledge the receipt of an additional copy through the courtesy of Mr. B. F. Partridge of that city. It is the grandest effort in that line we have ever seen. Twenty-four pages, eight columns to the page, book paper, hundreds of beautiful cuts of prominent citizens, buildings and scenes in Otter Tail county, comprehensive write-up, all combines to impress one of the money, labor and brain required to produce such an edition. It is a credit to Fergus Falls.

The Teacher published by B. S. Coyell County Supt. of schools comes to us better than ever, full of instruction for all. A statement of duties of the county Treasurer by Solomon Porter the incumbent of said office is good instruction for all. Few men know the duty of the various offices. He also touches upon the foolish endeavor to make our schools and universities a training school for specialties. A higher education should not be furnished at the expense of the state. Practical and common education is sufficient to put those so inclined in a position to gratify their own desires in this direction, and their own expense. There is too many educated people in comparison to the number of practically useful ones.—Atwater Republican.

The people's party is debating whether to unite with the general silver movement, or remain out in the cold.—Farmington Tribune.

Here you see an average specimen of bigoted old party candor. The people's party is the only free silver party. Both of the old party organizations are for the Rothschild single standard, or their potent leaders are, and all who are in the "general silver movement" will either crawl under the tents and get back inside the rings of the two old parties when the slogans sound, "remain out in the cold" or "join the people's party. The people's

party will stand on the Omaha platform in which silver is set up only as one of the great issues and with two million votes to start with it is not very badly "out in the cold." Instead, it is already making both of the old monopoly Rothschild parties shiver to their marrow bones.—Albert Lea Standard.

### Lake Lillian Items.

We have our weekly arrival of young ladies in our locality. This week Soren Gilhoj is made happy.

Albin Nelson and Augusta Jacobson have left for Minneapolis. John Latter, one of the dozen old bachelors here made a break in their rank lately. He has now a beautiful young wife. May the rest go and do likewise.

Ole Forskonnes has sold his farm. He will soon move to his claim in Roseau county. One of our young ladies here, whose maiden name is Glorie is to marry, if reports are true, one Mr. Mr. Halluja. What felicity is expressed by such a union. Mr. and Mrs. Christopher Johnson were surprised by their many friends on the 25th anniversary of their married life. A silver set was given them as a token of the high esteem in which they are held by their neighbors.

About midnight the merry makers left wishing they could come back after another 25 years. Mrs. George Bomsta is here visiting relatives.

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