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FEES.

Gov. Roosevelt, replying to a speech of Col. Bryan, delivered in his recent tour of Ohio, and in which the governor had been severely arraigned for complicity in the New York canal scandal, undertook to defend himself by saying he had employed two lawyers, Democrats at that, to prosecute the suspects and if possible bring them to punishment, and added, that for such service he had provided a fee of \$20,000 for them.

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FOOLISH EFFORT. "The man who tries to correct a Democratic convention by electing a Republican governor, assumes responsibility for all that governor does after he has been elected." So said Mr. Bryan to a Kentucky audience in his recent triumphal tour through that State. What he said to the "kicking" Democrats of Kentucky may with great propriety be repeated to the independents(?) of Virginia. The man who tries to correct a Democratic convention by electing an independent(?) legislator for Virginia, assumes responsibility for all that independent(?) does after he has been elected, and just so sure as two and two make four independent(?) Democrats who get into office will just as surely get into Republican habits.

There is no independent party known to the country, and when a fellow gets into power he will likely "flock by himself." The last thing a disappointed or disaffected party man will do is to co-operate with the organization against which he "kicks." Whether his grievances are well founded or not, to him they are real. "Fear the Greeks even though they bear gifts," was a warning of long ago, but to fear independents(?) regardless of smooth phrases and honeyed words is the warning of most moment just now to Virginia voters.

Richmond has the "right of way" next week.

The hardest blows yet given the independents were struck by the Petersburg Index-Appel. "Hit 'em again."

The Pullman company has absorbed the Wagner company, so we may not look for any abatement in prices.

The man who sees only "sparkle" in the speeches of Wm. Jennings Bryan reads them through dusted (gold dust it may be) glasses.

Bourke Cochran said of Dewey: "When Dewey sank an entire fleet and shattered an empire in a single battle without the loss of a man or serious damage to a ship he exhausted the whole field of military success."

The car famine continues, and it is a pity the railroads can't command all the cars they stand in need of. The currency famine continues, too, and it is such a pity people can't command all the currency they actually stand in

need of. This isn't a "howl" either, but a homely truth.

There are 13 stars on that flag which flies alongside the Lynchburg post mark. But maybe our sister isn't superstitious.

We made previous mistake in saying in our last issue that W. Jennings Bryan was breaking down under the great strains imposed upon him. He was never stronger to do and dare in the interest of the people. We don't know when he rests but he never grows tired.

The Hanna appeal for help has reached Virginia P. Ms. revenue officials, district attorneys, &c. Of course they have been made to disgorge, whether painful or pleasant, and all this in the interest of Ohio. Don't you know there is trouble there? McLean evidently has them on the run. Keep "em a going," and it won't be long before Mr. McKinley will join the fleeing band.

Now and then articles under control of combines are cheapened as a sort of bait to the unsuspecting, but not always as often as is contended. The Baltimore Sun reminds us as follows: "It is shown that two days before the tinsplate trust was formed 100 pounds of tinsplate sold in Pittsburgh for \$2.65, but as soon as it was formed prices began to be arbitrarily advanced as high as the tariff tax on imported tinsplate would allow, with the result that 100 pounds of tinsplate now sell at \$4.55." It is sheer nonsense to imagine that man with power won't exercise it. It will be much safer for the people to unite to crush combines.

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What Arch-Bishop Chappelle, apostolic delegate to the Philippines, who has announced his intention to go to the Philippines to bring about Peace, which Gen. Otis has so signally failed to do, and Mr. McKinley said to each other during the long conference they held at the White House, while big politicians were kicking their heels in the secretary's office, is what all the newspaper men have been unsuccessfully trying to find out. That they talked of conditions in the Philippines is all that is positively known, although much more has been sent out by the imaginative news-makers. The Archbishop seemed very well pleased when he left the White House, and said that he would probably see Mr. McKinley again, before he left Washington for Manila, which he will do in a few days. The Archbishop is well known and popular in Washington, where he once had charge of a church.

The Washington Post, which has practically been a McKinley paper since this administration came into power, sounded a significant warning, when it said at the close of an editorial full of praise of Mr. McKinley personally: "The President must usher in a new and healthier regime. If he cares for a political future, he must replace imbecility with brains and vigor. The people are worn out with failure, bewilderment and disaster."

Humanity demands a cessation of the moderate bungling in Luzon. Good faith and national honor require the pacification of Cuba and the political rehabilitation of the Cubans. This tragedy must end and end soon. Existing conditions projected into the coming year will put a conclusive end to Mr. McKinley's public life."

Col. N. M. Bell, who was prominently connected with the Postoffice Department during the first Cleveland administration, and who has been in private business in St. Louis, for some years, is visiting Washington. He says that people in the East have no idea of the intensity of the feeling against trusts in the West, and predicts that the trust issue will figure largely in next year's campaign. He also thinks that there is increasing hostility to-

wards militarism, one of the aliases of imperialism, and towards that sort of expansion involving the surrender of the Monroe Doctrine.

Notwithstanding the failure of the Senate, at the last session, to act upon the batch of Naval nominations which would have put Rear Admiral Sampson ahead of Rear Admiral Schley, and of the public calling down at Minneapolis of Secretary Long, when he attempted to glorify Sampson for what Schley did, it is announced upon seemingly good authority that the attempt to jump Sampson over Schley's head is to be again made by Mr. McKinley as soon as Congress meets. The unjust attitude of the administration towards Admiral Schley has so far only added to that gallant officer's reputation, and if it is persisted in, many believe that it will result in giving Schley the second place on next year's Democratic national ticket. Stranger things than that have happened. It may be said that Schley is not a Democrat, but that is no reason against it. Gen. Grant was not a Republican and he was nominated and elected President by that party. The Army and Navy officer who has enough political bias in his make up to become a member of a political party, is an exception. As a rule, officers in either branch of the service vote, even when they remain in one place long enough to acquire the right to do so.

Ex-Governor Thompson, of S. C., who has just returned from Europe, said he was approached by a native in a village of Switzerland, who said to him: "Excuse me, sir, but will you gratify my curiosity by telling me what it was that the Governor of N. C. said to the Governor of S. C.?" Asked what reply he made, Gov. Thompson said: "Why, simply repeated the historic remark, and gave a practical demonstration of what followed it, but it beats me how that fellow ever heard the story of the two governors."

The Home of the Boers.

In view of the war now existing between the Boers and England, some facts about these South African countries will be of interest to our readers. The South African republic or Transvaal, the country of the Boers, has an area of 112,700 square miles, nearly three times the size of the state of Pennsylvania, and a population of about 900,000, of which one-third are foreigners. The republic was formed in 1854 by Boers, descendants of Dutch emigrants. The republic declared its independence in 1859, and in 1884 Great Britain renounced all right to the direction of its internal affairs, but retained the right to supervise its treaties with other countries. The country is rich in both mineral and agricultural resources and has about 800 miles of railroad. The Boers are mainly Protestant, the Dutch Reform church predominating.

The Orange Free State, the other South African republic, now at war with England, adjoins the Transvaal and has an area of 41,484 square miles and a population of about 250,000. It also is rich in mineral and agricultural resources, with 350 miles of railroad. These countries have no seacoast and excepting on the northeast, are surrounded by British colonies, the most important of which is Cape Colony, at the southern extremity of Africa. On the northeast lies Gasaland, a Portuguese colony which is virtually controlled by Great Britain.

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By virtue of a certain deed of trust bearing date on the 1st day of August, 1888, from Nannie D. McKinney and R. J. McKinney, to J. P. Fitzgerald, Trustee, recorded in the Clerk's office of Prince Edward county in deed book 42, page 273, the undersigned having been appointed substituted Trustee by an order of the County Court of Prince Edward county, entered on the 16th day of October, 1899, and default having been made in the payment of the debt therein secured, and being required so to do by the beneficiary thereunder, I will sell at public auction on the premises on the 28th DAY OF NOVEMBER, 1899, at 11 A. M., the certain house and lot in the town of Farmville, situated at the corner of Beech and Garden streets, and known on Gray's new map of Farmville as Lot 75.

TERMS—Cash as to so much of the proceeds as may be necessary to defray the expenses of executing this trust and \$24.50, with interest thereon at 6 per cent. per annum from the 1st day of August, 1899, till paid and the balance at such time and manner as the said N. D. McKinney and R. J. McKinney shall direct or, in case of their failure to give such direction as the said trustee shall think fit.

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MONDAY, NOVEMBER 20th, 1899, at that being County Court day, in front of the Courthouse at Farmville, at 12 o'clock M., that

VALUABLE HOUSE AND LOT located in the said town and described as follows: Being that certain piece of land that was conveyed to the said N. A. Jackson by deed from W. J. Broadnor, dated the 10th day of February, 1885, and recorded in D. B. 42, page 96, and being known as lot No. 156.

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