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"Until the money question is fully as finally settled, the American people will how about the assessment values. The not consent to the consideration of any other important question,"—Wm. J. Bryan

JOSEPH PULITZER, the Democratic ed his party thusly: "Why drag to the front again the

and four times condemmed fallacy of 16 to 1, which even success at the polls could "Why shout the shibboleth of a calamit campaign in a year of abounding 1 rosper

"Why ery for "more money" when the last four years our money supply

increased fully \$500,000,000 "Why talk of low prices and inability to pay debts, when prices have advanced been discharged by the carload in go

Then why turn the rascals out only t let the lunatics in ?"

Waterson's Opinion of Bryan.

"He is a dishonest dodger. He is a da ing adventurer. He is a political fakir. He is not of the material of which the people of the United States have ever made President. Nor is he of the material of which any party has ever before made candidate," - Henry Waterson in Louisville Courier Journal.

Dockery and the School Fund.

The extremely satisfactory reduction of the bonded debt has been made upon a reduced rate of taxation. The state's school funds now call for \$4,393,839, the interest of which goes to support the total increase in valuations of the farm-

Fully two thirds of the debt reduction has not come from taxation, but from the following sources. H. & St. Joseph railroad sale \$3,180,000; war tax refunded by the general government, \$646,000; state bonds cancelled and state certificates issued in lieu, \$4,395,000; a total of \$8,222,000, all of which was used in reducing the state debt. As we have frequently stated in these

columns the state school fund was created by the Republican constitution of 1865, and was invested in United States bonds and the general government paid the interest to the state and that intereet largely supported the schools. In violation of the constitution, which still provides that that fund shall be securely Daviess county the home of Dodger preserved, the entire fund has been spent and instead of a fund, there is a debt to that amount to pay the interest on which levy, and in 1898 these lands under a 25 the people of the state are annually into the belief that they are receiving 636, or about 23 per cent, while the state school money from the interest on railroad assessment shows the following concurrent remedies in criminal prosea fund. They will be enlightened on valuations; in 1891 the railroad, tele- cutions. that point by reading page 140 of the Session Acts of 1883. By then referring to page 12 of the Session Acts of 1899, the reader will discover that the sum of \$500,513 is appropriated out of the state tion to pay interest on these certificates of farm lands in Daviess county was the value of the security assessed to of indebtedness, which are the only evidence remaining that the children of our state ever had "a fund securely ininterest to be used for the support of the public schools." If these funds had remained as the Republican constitution provided, invested in United States bonds, the general government would have paid the interest, instead of the Missouri tax-payer, and many million dollars would have been saved to the tax-payers of the state.

For President, Wm. McKinley. For Governor, Joseph Flory. For Attorney-General, S. F. O'Fallo For Congress, John Kennish. For State Senator, S. D. Gromer. Representative, Geo. W. Hibbard. Prosecuting Attorney, Ivan Blair. Sheriff, John Ramsay. Collector, Nicholas Stock. Assessor, Wm. H. Weightmar. Treasurer, Lewis I. Moore. Coroner, O. A. Hunter Surveyor, Grant Landon. Pub. Administrator, M. D. Walker. Judge 1st District Gilbert W. Pullen Judge 2d District, Joseph Wise.

See to it that your ballot reads:

How Many?

How many persons in the United States really and truly believe that their they have been increased; that Mr. liberties will be in danger if the Philippines remain in the possession of the United States?

really and truly believe that its form of affairs. government is so weak that it would fall or be radically changed in consequence of undertaking to govern the Philip-

How many persons in the United States really and truly believe that the Philippines would be better off left to their own devices and the tender mercies of little dictators like Agninaldo than kept under the sovereignty of the United States?

How many persons in the United States really and truly believe that an army of 100,000 for a nation of 75,000,-000 is militarism?

How many persons in the United States really and truly believe that it is patriotic or right to sympathize with the armed enemies of the United States nd to give them aid and comfort?

THE Democratic national platform joy to give it to American ships instead. ranuted." It is singular that every British shipowner and shipbuilder hopes for the suc. ers a party emblem from which the flag expansion, in view of the fact that he cess of the Democrats, if there exists an is specifically excluded. The distin. himself is a derivate from it? "ill-concealed Republican alliance with guishing eign of Democracy is to-day

England." with the beef raiser of the West and territory won from Spain, has hauled worth recording: "There may be such the Kaiser himself. The letters are the THERE never was a time in the hisbrought to him advanced prices for his the national banner down. The only a thing as assthetic disorder, but there ordinary Roman letters with Gothic tory of any country when its salvation beef. In 1896, during Democracy and mark suitable for the bare pole thus is no such thing as artistic dirt." Depression, beef on hoof per 100 pounds stripped of the national colors, is a mode for \$1.25; in 1809, under McKinley and Prosperity, beef on hoof per 100 pounds sold for \$1.65. McKinley good

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Dodger Dockery Says:

Democratic Missouri enjoys a lower ax rate than Dinners, lowa and Kansas. The dodger does not tell the people that in the states united their revenue laws -x-mpts a certain amount of personal property, and in no case is this less than \$100 In Democratic Missouri the poor nan's cow, his pig, his bed stead, and the poor washerwomen's boder and wash tub are taxed, while the wealthy franch ses are not taxed a dollar. In these stater, the mortgage indebtedness is de ducted. In Misso irrat is not.

The statement only shows what ar artiful do lger the cardidate for governor is: The tax rate may be low but ssessed value of real and per-onal property per capitain Missouri is \$331; Liwa, pledged to protect Cuba." \$271; Illinois, \$211; Karsas, \$243. The itar, plaintively but pointedly appeals to per cent of total assessed to true value sas, 1932; Illinois, 15.98.

The tax levy it is true has been re stitution. The assessment values are ncreased, and hence there is virtually no reduction of taxation.

Jasper county pant under a 30 cent lery \$39,852 and under a 25 cent levy cent levy and \$30,442 under a 25 cent levy; Greene paid \$50,717 under a 30 cent levy and \$53,276 under a 25 cent bellion in Luzon; and our men there are levy. Holt paid \$19,578 in 1891 and \$20,957 in 1898.

Let us present additional facts on the subject taken from the state auditor's official reports. Dodger Dockery in stating that the tax levy had been reduced aims to make the tax payer beheve that in consequence of this reduction his taxes are less. Let us examine into this matter as it applies to Holt county. In this county in 1891 when the levy for state purposes was 30 cents on the \$100, the farm lands of Holt coun ty were assessed at \$2,774,920; in 1898 they had been increased to \$3,371,130; a state university and our public school er's land of \$1,006,210; or equivalent to system.—Candid-ate Dockery. an advance of 40 per cent.

Now let the farmers of Holt compare Holt county. In 1891 the railroad property in Holt county was assessed at \$747, 066, and in 1898 it was assessed at \$814,-715; a total increase of \$67,649, equivalent to an advance of only 9 per cent. The discrimination against the Holt will have won." county farmer is so brozen that a blind man might see, and the reduction of the tax levy does not always mean lower taxes; especially with the present Democratic state house gang, that runs the

state board of equalization. It will not do to say that this comparison with Holt is an exception; take to the rebels in arms against the United Dockery. In 1891 her farm lands were assessed at \$2,768,917 under a thirty cent cent levy were assessed at \$3,638,583, an to the ticket in the November election. graph and bridge properties were assess ed at \$727,722 and in 1898, the assessment was \$854,284, an increase of 10 per per acre had been advanced to 10.06 null and void.

gainst the farmers by the present state house ring will apply to other counties: Let us take the counties in this portion of our state:

Andrew .. \$2,832,275 \$3,011,570 \$179,295 Buchanan 4,816,020 5,039,740 223,720 Holt, 2,774,920 3,371,130 1,096,210 Nodaway 5,337,807 6,007,561 669,754 Platte.... 3,028,675 3,129,400 100,725 Gentry... 2,343,090 2,859,047 515,957 Worth... 1,161,664 1,472,481 310,817

The Lexow committee appointed by Governor Stephens, the majority of which were Democrats, in their report personal property if sold under the hammer, would not bring their assessed value, yet the street railways of St. Louis could be cashed any day for \$43,-000,000, over five times their assesse value.

We believe that any unprejudiced that the reduction of the levy does not mean lower taxes, but in the contrary, that he justifies this discrimination be-

Let us have a change. The way to bring it about is to cast

your ballot For President, Wm. McKinley. For Governor, Joseph Flory. For Attorney-General, S. F. O'Fallon. For Congress, John Kennish. For State Senator, S. D. Gromer. Representative, Geo. W. Hibbard. Prosecuting Attorney, Ivan Blair. Sheriff, John Ramsay.

Collector, Nicholas Stock. Assessor, Wm. II. Weightman. Treasurer, Lawis I. Moore. Coroner, O. A. Hunter. Surveyor, Grant Landor.

Pub. Administrator, M. D. Walker. Judge 1st District, Gilbert W. Pullen Judge 2d District, Joseph Wise.

The Democratic Emblem of 1900.

For several campaigns past the Dem condemns "the ill-concealed Republican ocrats have resented Republican use of alliance with England," while at the the Stars and Stripes as the party em. platform committee, the 16 to 1 plank same time opposing the passage of the blem. "It is our flag, as it is yours," ship subsidy bill, which seeks to take they have said indignantly. "Your at- ephonic orders from Lancoln; if this from British ships the 65 per cent of tempt to make it the badge of your par- plank had been beaten, Bryan, accord-American foreign carrying they now en- tisanship is pretentions and unwar- ing to his own words, would have re-

> Bryan, now, has made for his follownot a flag but a flagstaff, from which

times has reached all classes of trade. Ancercans, regardless of party politics. Proud and S. W. Aiken.

Very Near to Treason.

Among the ten thousand words of Mr. them . that "republics can have no subjecte," these only deserving of serious

"If elected I shall convene congress extraordinay session as soon as I am in iate declaration of the nation's purpose, first, to establish a stable form of ernment in the Philippine Islands, just as we are now establishing a stable form of government in the island of Cuba; econd, to give ind-pendence to the Pilipin w, just as we have promised to give independence to the Cubans; third, to protect the Filipinos from outside in terference while they work out their destiny, just as we have protected the republics of Central and South America, and are, by the Menroe Doctrine,

This is definite enough as a statemen of intentions and a pledge of action is in Missouri, is 37 (G; Iowa, 22 70; Kan- case Mr. Bryan is elected president. He will convene congress in extraordinary session and use all the power that a duc d from 30 cents to 25 cents, but it president can exert to induce congres to has been reduced by virtue of the con- withdraw the flag of the United States from the Philippine Islands.

When Mr. Bryan pronounced thes vords, did it occur to him that he might be giving at that very moment the signal for the death of hundreds or thous \$44,715; Macon paid \$26 433; under a 30 ands of our soldiers in the Philippines? The United States Government is engaged in stamping out the embers of re-

> doing their duty under the flag. The insurrection in Luzon has found its mainstay in the encouragement to continued resistance which the utterances of certain American citizens here at home have afforded to its leaders. Most of Aguinald's sympathizers have been persons witout official responsibil ity, like Atkinson and Garrison and Winslow. A few, like Pettigrew, hold Federal office without exerting much in fluence on American opinion. But the utterances of even these irresponsibles and lightweights have served, as Lawton testified just before his own death, to speed the bullets that have sent our officers and privates to the grave.

And now the man who will be Presi dent of the United States of the Democ the advances made along this line with racy win this election sends to the in those made on the railroad properties in surgents his message of hope and stim-

> "Keep up your fight," he says to Aguinaldo's Tagals. "Keep on shooting down the men who wear the United States uniform. If I am elected you

In the maze or his theoretical argumentation and and in the confusion of his rhetorical detail, did William J. Bryan really understand how near he was to treason?

Did he forsee the one direct, practical, murderous effect of his promise to States Government and flag?

Constitutional Amendments. Seven amendments will be appended

Making indictment or information

Paoviding the levy of a special road and bridge tax of 15 cents.

Providing that the value of property cent only. Let us look at the average subject to mortgage, deed of trust, less values per acre in Dayless county. In the value of each security, shall be asinterest fund, annually raised by taxa- 1891 under the average value per scre sessed to the owner of the property, and \$7.39 under a 30 cent levy, and in 1898 the owner thereof; and that a contract led by Lord George Gordon killed 450 under a 25 cent levy the average value made in violation of such provision is

Authorizing the issue of bands by the

Providing that no Grand Jury shall be convened except upon order of judge of court having power to try and determine felonies; but when so assembled, may indict for any crime.

Providing that in courts not of record | Times Herald. Atchison. 3,363,785 4,452,280 1,088,495 two-thirds of jury may render verdict in civil cases, and in criminal cases 669,754 three fourths of jury.

The Political Lesson of the Alabama.

completed a very successful trial out Dr. Caldwell's Syrup Pepsin. We Everywhere the public pride in her is find nothing to equal it for stomach finding expression in the newspapers. troubles and my children like it as well to the legislature said: "The farms and She makes the eighth American ship to as caudy. One night recently my wife carry big guns and to wear armor, and, was giving a dose to our baby (11/2 years pines contained among the necessities a fortunately, in our opinion, there are old) and Nelda (our little girl, 4 years box of DeWitt's Witch Hazel Salve, the

in the general felicitation, for the real pleasant to take, the effects are so good, Hazel Salve knowing that all the counson that politically they are against the we hate to be without Dr. Caldwell's terfeits are worthless. Sold by C. O. mind will see that the Democratic state | Alabama and the thing she represents. Syrup Pepsin. ring discriminates against the farmer; They are engaged, to the best and loudest of their ability, in swelling a howl against "militarism" of which the Alabama is a shining and powerful ex-Dockery is trying to fool the people; ample. The country is confronted with rebellion in a portion of its territory in cause the platform upon which he stands the East and with an extraordinary to pronounce any word ending in a con-How many persons in the United States endorses the management of our state need of troops in China, but the Demo-sonant. Mr. Hale, in his Polynesian crats are openly espousing the cause of grammar says: "In all the Polynesian the rebellion, demanding the immediate dialects every syllable must terminate return of our troops from China, re in a vowed, and two consonants are never gardless of consequences, and calling heard without a vowel between them. for a radical reduction of the army as a It is chiefly to this peculiarity that the fountain of "militarism."

Logically this perverse crusade op an army a navy. is comparatively use

with the gold standard! Three cheers for Aguinaldo! These are the warcries of the Democratic campaign of 1900.

Is it had not been for Republican "expansion" Hawaii would not have become a part of the Union: if Hawaii had not become a part of the Union, a Hawaiian delegate-at-large would not have sat in the Democratic convention and been a member of the platform committee; if it had not been for the vote of this Hawaiian member of the would have been beaten despite the telfused to run for President. How, there fore, can Bryan logically inveigh against

The war against municipal distiura-

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The Paramount Issue.

The Secretary of the Treasury's discussion of a Bryanite secretary's power for harm by merely paying the Goyernment's obligations in silver solely, has their coats at home altogether. caused wide and grave concern. If Secretary Gage to morrow should announce a change of financial heart and a determination thus to exalt silver in importance, even with the white house and the capitol under Republican control, the damage brought upon American business would be serious and probably

Consider, then, for a moment the moral effect of the success of Bryan and the Kansas City platform, both solemnly and aggressively pledged to the free comage of silver at 16 to 1!

What would be the condition of ness in a country that voted for repudration? What would be its commercial reputation for all future time? No question in a presidential cam

paign can compare in importance with that of preserving the United States' reputation for financial honesty. It must be the great issue of any campaign in which it arises. It must necessarily be paramount and so remain until it is ribbon. Her lingers were stained by it The United States must never be

Massacres Famous in History.

repudiation.

331 B. C .- Two thousand inhabitants of Tyre crucified and 8,000 butchered by the soldiers of Alexander the Great. 105 B. C.-Celts killed 8,000 Roman soldiers at Auransio, on the Rhone.

102 B. C.-Slaughter of Teutons near Aix, in which 200,000 barbarians were

Above 1.000.000 Jews put to the sword by Roman army. 115 A. D.-Several thousand Greeks and Romans murdered by Jews under

70 A. D.-Destruction of Jerusalem

Andrae, leader of revolution. 1189 A. D .-- Massacre at Acre of 5,000 Mohamedans by order of King Richard I, in the crusades.

1200 A. D.-Slaughter of the inhabiants of Aleppo by the Mongole 1281 A. D.-"Sicilian Vespers." About 8,000 French killed in Sicily.

1572 A. D.-St. Bartholomew's Day. Massacre of 100,000 men, women and children Huguenots in France. 1592 A. D.-Turks slaughter 65,000 Christians in Croatia.

1750 A. D.-Settlers in Java slaughter 12,000 Chinese at Batavia. 1780 A. D.-"No Popery" riots. Mob

Roman Catholics in London. 1884 A. D.-Chinese murder 24,000 Christians at Kuang I'si, in Annam. In city of St. Louis in aid of the World's Cochin-China the same year 22,000 native Christians were massacred.

> 1895 A. D .- Turks kill between 3,000 and 5,000 Armenians in Asia Minor. 1900 A. D.-Boxer rebellion, having for its object the extirpation of native Christians and all foreigners.-Chicago

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Languages of Polynesia.

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of John Ethbridge, near Charlotte, N. men as they appear in the illustrated C., and killed two of his daughters, as daily and weekly newspapers of the and Billings. Weekly California Excurthey were sleeping in each other's arms country. When he gets together an ex-It also set fire to the house, causing its tensive collection of the caricatures of destruction. Only a short time previous any particular statesman, he invites the one of the girls dreamed that the house victim thereof to view them, and he uswas destroyed by lightning, and two of unlly finds an eager customer at once the family were killed.

Bryan, the friend of Aguinaldo and the tion and untidiness is fruitful in ex- Paris Exposition is printed in a new PROSPERIES has shared its blessings enemy of American sovereignty in the pressive sayings. A recent remark is type, the inventor of which is said to be very low prices.

The Shirt Waist. The shirt waist for man is spreading

widely. If one looks down the aisle of a suburban railroad car on a hot aftergoon, the coate visible are the exception The shirts predominate. Formerly a few unconventional individuals indulged in the comfort of throwing off their coats, but now it appears almost the fashion. In the smoking car at least. It shows signs of overflowing into the care where women travel also. The other day a young man was observed to take off his coat in the presence of women. Judging by the quality of his dress, he would not have dreamed af doing a thing so caddish before the beginning of the shirtwaist movement. He didn't even have on a shirt waist, but wore the irredeem ably undress article, the waist-coat. He

truly was in his shirt sleeves. Men can be seen driving in the coun try m shirt waists. Soon, no doubt, many who today carry their coats on their arms, in compromise with old-fash ioned notions of propriety, as they would carry gloves in their hands, will leave

Man has tasted a comfort which he had not known before, through fashion. Perhaps he will be unwilling to abandon it and, in that case, there is bound to be shirt-waist development far beyond that of the present. It is a radical in povation, which the precedents of con servatism are against, but if it is to come t must be said that the shirt-waist man is decently clad, if he is not elegantly dressed. New York Sun.

caused the extreme heat this summer. and doctors declare nearly all the prostrations were induced by disorders of trations were induced by disorders of the stomach. Good health follows good digestion. Kodol Dyspepsia Cure digests TRIBUNE of same date, also Domestic has entertaining reading for every memwhat you eat. If you have indigestion or dyspepsia is will quickly relieve and permanently cure you. Sold by C. O. Proud and S. W. Aiken.

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The emergency bags by a church society to Kansas soldiers in the Philipold) cried for some, too. He mamma well known cure for piles, injuries and Brayn, though, can properly take part said: "Can't I lick the spoon?" It is so obtain the original DeWitt's Witch Proud and S. W. Aiken.

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