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The Rev. R. C. Fillingham, vicar of Hexton, England, is probaly right in thinking that he will get no answer from Bishop Potter except a courteous years ago the factories consisted prinacknowledgement of his letter of protest against the services at the Church of St. Mary the Virgin, says the N. Y. in operation entitle Portiand to be Tribune. If later on he should attend classed among the manufacturing cities mass there, as he indicates that he may of the nation. Her population numand should disturb the worship of the bers 110,000, the census showing an ac congregation, he would probably find tual gain of 25 per cent in the number himself lodged in a police station cell as of school children in one year. That Dr. Nellie Smith Vernon a disorderly person; and nobody in this Oregon contains such a metropolis is country would have the least pity for just cause for self congratulation.

The Rev. Mr. Fillingham, vicar of Hexton, England, is simply an imper- United States 2,500,000 more single mer tinent meddler. The conduct of the of marriageable age than there are church of St. Mary the Virgin is none single women, the official figures be of his business. That church may have ing as follows: Unmarried men,10,448, gone to such extremes of ritualism that 153; unmarried girls and women,7,573, it violates the law of the Episcopal 819. The male population of the United Church. Many Episcopalians in this States, through the excess of male imcity, we believe, feel that it has, Bishop migration and the higher male birth Potter may, as the Rev. Mr. Filling- rate, is more than 1,000,000 in excess of ham hints, be overdevoted to a "quiet | the female. life" and neglectful of his episcopal duty to hold his parishes obedient to the canons. If so, that is a mater for \$1,000 to the family of every railway the consideration of the constituted authorities of the Episcopal Church. It is no other occupation in the world so no more concerns the vicar of Hextop. perilous as that of our railway mail England, than it does the Pope of Rome or the Grand Lama of Thibet. Mr. Fillingham seems to be a person who 200 a year. There were 900 accidents goes around looking for trouble. He last year and nine were killed. has frequently attempted to disturb ser vices in England. As he is a clergyman of the Church of England, that may be his right, though the London police do not seem to have so regarded it. For him to come here, however, teach him. and attempt the same tactics is sheer

TARIFF AND FINANCE.

dded in the foundations of this nation's prosperity are two potential elements of success, which should not be disturbed for some time These are the tariff and finance. At a time when Great Britain, through her most observing statesmen, confesses the particular failure of her free trade policy and is turning her attention serlously to the adoption of protection, it behooves theUnited States to stand fast by the doctrine that has developed the nation's industrial greatness and made it a formidable competitor in the markets of the world.

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bers of that party will support Roose velt and the republicans in next year's national campaign, irrespective of the democratic nominee, whoever he may se. The Kansas City Journal expresses the same idea, and gives as the reason that populism in the west "was an or ganized protest against policies which were willing to try anything that afforded a hope of relief. The restoration of prosperity through the very agencies that the populists had thought to be so destructive convinced them of their error, and now they desire the party under whose administration they are growing rich to continue in power

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Congress has granted a lump sum of mail clerk killed while on duty. There clerks. They aumber about 9,000 and ordinarily they get something like \$1,-

knows not-he is a fool; shun him. He who knows not and knows he knows he knows not-he is simple;

He who knows and knows not knows-he is aasleep; wake him. He who knows and knows he knowshe is wise; follow him .- Ex.

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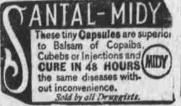
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