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Tree wool."- Extract from speceh of Wil. liam J. Bryan in the house of representa tieres when the Wilson bill was
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the people will be catefol
Since that great Democratic news.
paper, the New York Sun, has come out openly for McKinley the public
will be interested in knowing what it has to say. In a recent issue critieises young Mr. Bryan's speeches as follows:
Th Clitton house on Friday night the Bland Club of Missouri and othe unfortunates, the Hon. Willinm Jen nings Bryan said:
"Why should
in selecting the man who serves you in a public capacity when yon give great care in selecting those wh
serve you in $a$ private serve you in a private capacity?"
Mr. Bryan weed not worry lest the people should he too hasty in mak
ing up their minds as to whom they want for president. The shallow and hysterical emotion which nominated
him on the strength of a few chromos of speech cannot last, and will not be felt outside of the sonvention. He may continue to appear to himself
whai Governor Stone of Missouri painted, in high molasses, the nigh beautiful as Apollo, intellectual be yond ochion", a sut the peoplo not selecting candidates on account of their loveliness of face or figure ment thes are capable of formin their own opinion. The gitts of orn tory and scholnsthip, provided pessessed cither to an extent caleueducuted impress the sane and well questions the people will ask are "Who is he?" "What has he done?" And they will find out that he is politics instead of his profession, and has once lapsed, with no cheerful resuls, into journalism. His public terms in congress with no other conocensionat empty and rhetorica speech such as filed the Populist and anarchists whin sapture la ways and means committee during
H. E. BALCH.
both terms, he never caused himsel to be regarded as an important per-
sonage in it or in the honse. In the iffty-third congress be belped foree friends and allies, the Populists, apon the Democratic party, but he was not the origual or a notable person
in the scheme. In ehort, it wos by means of his speeches ontside, his irmesns of his speeches ontside, his ir-
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 that he attained the reputation he tas enjoyed for two or thee years as has enjoyed for two or thee yents
a radical talker, who bas coquetted
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ever exsept a fluent tongue and n
suffcicieney of selt ever except a fluent tongue and a
sufficieney of self-assurance, he has
never shown a trace, an far never shown a trace, so far as his
brief anil obscure enreer can be folliwed. If he were a candidate on
the best of all platforms he would the best of all platforms he would
still be only a sonorous nullity. He
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as bad a platform as can be conwith between six und lion pounds of wool lying seven mil lion pounds of wool lying unsold in
The Dalles warehouse and no im. The Dalles warehouse and no mm -
mediate prospect of any sale, there is no danger of the Democratic ticket carrying Wasco county rext November. But MoKinley's inajority should be made as large as possi-
ble, so it will bring up the tieket in other places not so favored.
There are sixteen voting precinets in the county outside of The Dalles Everyone of these should have a Republican Club. No matter whether
the membership be large or small, the membership be large or small,
there is a work for such organizathere is a work for such organiza-
tions to do. This is a time when every business man should be a poli-
tician. $\overline{\text { It may be a surprise to some peo- }}$ It may be a surprise to some peo-
ple, but it is none the less true that the contract with the Messrs. Day at the Caseade locks does not expire $\frac{\text { till June 11, } 1897 .}{-}$



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