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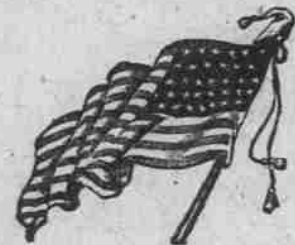
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WHEAT AND SILVER.

The great burden of the lamentation of the free silver advocate is, that the "demonetization" of silver has ruined the price of wheat and the remonetization of silver will restore the price of wheat, and to satisfy himself and all who are unable to understand his argument, he talks about England buying silver at 67 cents per ounce, converting it into rupees and selling it to the wheat raisers of India at the rate of \$1.37 per ounce, thereby reaping a profit of 70 cents, and getting wheat at a bargain also. The plan is to "remonetize" silver thereby raising the price of the silver of the world to \$1.29 per ounce and cutting off this profit of the bloody Englishman. If this could be done then how would our farmer get any more than now for his wheat? A dollar in silver would cost as much wheat as a dollar in gold does now.

But an examination of the price of wheat in this country from 1868 to 1895 and the statistics concerning the export of wheat during that same period by the principal wheat producing countries of the world, shows that the price of wheat is entirely independent of the price of silver. The figures here presented are taken from statistics prepared by B. W. Snow, for many years assistant statistician of the department of agriculture. The prices are on a gold basis and are the average for the several five year periods. The price of wheat is the export price per bushel.

	Silver oz	Wheat
1863-72	\$1.225	\$.95
1873-77	1.236	1.055
1878-82	1.139	1.188
1883-87	1.032	1.024
1888-92	.966	.990
1892-95	.690	.750

It will be observed that during the second period, the first after the "demonetization," silver fell 8.9 cents and wheat rose 12 cents, as compared with the first period. During the third period silver fell 9.7 cents and wheat rose 13.3 cents as compared with the second period, and during this third period wheat was 25.3 cents higher than before the "great crime." During the fourth period silver fell 11.3 cents and wheat 16.4 cents as compared with the third period. During the fifth period silver fell 9.6 cents and wheat 3.4 cents, and during the sixth period silver fell 26.6 cents and wheat 20.5 cents. Silver has continued to fall steadily since the first period, not on account of the "crime" but on account of greater production and demonetization by the nations of Europe. Wheat continued to rise until some time during

the period from 1878 to 1883.

During the first period the United States furnished 44.2 per cent of all the wheat exported by Russia, India, Argentina and the United States. Russia furnished 55.1, India 0.7 per cent, while Argentina furnished an inconsiderable fraction. From 1873 to 1877 the percentages were as follows: United States 55.1, Russia 41.5, India 3.4, Argentina inconsiderable. From 1878 to 1882 the United States furnished 64.9, Russia 28.8, India 6.1 and Argentina 0.2. From 1883 to 1887 the United States furnished 53, Russia 30.7, India 14.6 and Argentina 2.7. From 1888 to 1892 the United States furnished 48.6, Russia 34.8, India 12.4 and Argentina 4.2. From 1893 to 1895 the United States furnished 48.3, Russia 32.4, India 6.2 and Argentina 13.1.

But the total export for these countries during the first period was, annually, a little over 92,000,000 bushels. This annual average increased rapidly during all this time, and in 1893 to 1895 aggregated over 355,590,000 bushels per annum. From 1888-87 we produced 53 per cent of the whole export of the wheat producing countries, and our average annual output which in the first period was a little over 42,000,000 bushels, during the last period exceeded 167,000,000 bushels. Prior to 1878 we were the largest exporters and our competitors were Russia and India only; but India's output was then small. Now we compete with Russia, India and Argentina, and Russia furnishes almost as large a proportion as we do, while Argentina furnishes more than double what India does. These figures show the utter fallacy of the Indian rupee talk, and also show that the price of silver does not control the price of wheat. The only truth in the whole argument is the premise that the price of wheat and silver are now both low; but the prices of the two products are no more dependent upon each other than the price of silver and of horses.

The reservation inspector has left and reports that the sheep men are frightened off the sacred domain, and next year they will know better than to trespass. Before next year comes around we sincerely hope that we will have a land department who can and will exercise a little common sense in regard to the matter, and stock men of Eastern Oregon will be allowed to use the reserve for the only use it was ever intended by the Creator.

And now Watson has begun to talk. If he is like most Populists he will soon drown the voice of Bryan. It is too bad for Bryan's cause that Watson didn't begin his drowning process some weeks ago.

The patriotism of the United States is looking toward Canton. The people have had their curiosity satisfied by the Bryan exhibition and they will from now on listen to what McKinley has to say to those who call upon him at his home.

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LATIN AND GERMAN TAUGHT.

GERMAN. The undersigned desires to organize a class in German. Every American citizen who can afford both time and expense ought to be master of at least two languages. The German language has many advantages over modern languages on account of her profound literature in all branches of ancient and modern science produced in her world-renowned universities. Those who would drink from these inexhaustible and yet unadulterated fountains of knowledge, must master the language which contains the key to them. The undersigned will organize a class in German, and will begin with actual work on the first day of September. The class will meet two or three times a week in the evening or when most convenient to the pupils. Rapid progress guaranteed to those who will get down to earnest labor. All who desire to participate in this work will please announce their intention to the undersigned at an early date, as the class will be limited to a certain number. Charges will be very reasonable.

LATIN. The undersigned will also organize a class in Latin. There are so many reasons why those who desire to advance their knowledge beyond a common school education should take at least a course in Latin, that probably everybody is familiar with at least some of them. I will not take space here to speak of the beauties of the Latin language nor of the many advantages in life possessed by those who have mastered it. I will here only announce my intention to organize a class in Latin. Rapid progress guaranteed to those who will work hard. Charges very reasonable. All desiring instruction in Latin are kindly requested to announce their intention to the undersigned before September, if possible. Awaiting your application, I am, very respectfully yours, Evangelical Lutheran Pastor.

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