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The London, Eng. Times, commenting on Bryan's nomination, says: "What must we think of a party whose best man gives utterances to such stuff as his speech, and he who listens to it with unanimous approval? He knows his hearers, and suits himself to their intelligent capacity."

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tions, from accepting the nearness of heaven, or the ability and willingness of God to exercise a providence over our lives. In a word, we walk around the outside of the temple and admire its architecture, but we have not yet opened the door and explored its interior.

It is not so in some other matters. For example, when some gifted seer experiments with steam or electricity, and tells us how they can both be utilized to make life more comfortable and to furnish us with unexpected conveniences, we always take him seriously and literally.

There have been those who have had the same kind of implicit faith in religious truths, and who have utilized them in the same way. We look at them with wonder, and with something of envy also, confessing that, while physical laws properly applied may produce admirable results, it is still more admirable to capture a spiritual law and make it the servant of a divine purpose.

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The best chemical compound for washing powder is "Soap Foam," as it will not "yellow the clothes," nor burn the hands. It's the finest thing in the world for the bath. One trial will convince you.

Advertisement for Blackwell's Genuine Durham Smoking Tobacco, featuring an illustration of a man smoking and a pack of tobacco.

Don't close up the front of your house and sit in the back yard. You don't deceive any one into the belief that you are at the seashore.

WHEN THE BOWELS ARE DISORDERED.

No time should be lost in resorting to a suitable remedy. Hostetter's Stomach Bitters is the most reliable and widely esteemed medicine of its class.

It is not giving away any secret to say that many a woman wears another image in her heart from the one she carries in her locket.

THE DISCOVERY SAVED HIS LIFE.

Mr. G. Calloutte, Druggist, Beaverville, Ill., says: "To Dr. King's New Discovery I owe my life. Was taken with La Grippe and tried all the physicians for miles about, but of no avail."

The softest thing in the world, outside of a callow youth with his first sweetheart, is a woman's hand on a heated forehead.

CURE FOR HEADACHE.

As a remedy for all forms of Headache, Electric Bitters has proved to be the very best. It affects a permanent cure and the most dreaded habitual sick headaches yield to its influence.

BUCKLEN'S ARNICA SALVE.

The best salve in the world for Cuts, Bruises, Sores, Ulcers, Salt Rheum, Fever Sores, Tetter, Chapped Hands, Chilblains, Corns, and All Skin Eruptions, and a positive cure for Piles, or no pay required.

The summer boarder now feels aggrieved because he or she does not receive twelve course dinners for five a week.

When Baby was sick, we gave her Castoria. When she was a Child, she cried for Castoria. When she became Miss, she clung to Castoria. When she had Children, she gave them Castoria.

If salted peanuts were as expensive as salted almonds, they would be more in demand on dainty dinner tables.

El Hill, Lumber City, Pa., writes: "I have been suffering from Piles for twenty-five years and thought my case incurable. DeWitt's Witch Hazel Salve was recommended to me as a pile cure, so I bought a box and it performed a permanent cure."

The wearing of the green was all right in the spring time, but it is the wearing of the white that is in vogue now.

Small in size but great in results, DeWitt's Little Early Risers act gently but thoroughly, curing indigestion, dyspepsia, and constipation. Small pill, best pill. Chas. Rogers.

The woman who acknowledges she has always been poor is very rare, as a rule she says she has seen better days.

Children Cry for Pitcher's Castoria.

And now the process of deliberate tanning is being indulged in by the girl who forgets that it will take longer to bleach her skin than to darken it.

When we consider that the intestines are about five times as long as the body, we can realize the intense suffering experienced when they become inflamed.

A hot morning makes even the most unobtrusive bicyclist a bit envious of the man or woman who drives comfortably along behind a fast horse.

It would be hard to convince a man suffering from bilious colic that his agony is due to a microbe with an unpromising name.

We are anxious to do a little good in this world and can think of no pleasanter or better way to do it than by recommending One Minute Cough Cure as a preventative of pneumonia, consumption, and other serious lung troubles that follow neglected colds.

Some very fine Mexican hammocks cost as much as fifty dollars, but you can be just as lazy in one that requires but fifty cents to buy it.

Dr. Price's Cream Baking Powder.

A woman may not care to marry a man who professes to love her, but she will never forgive him if he marries some one else.

Persons who have a coughing spell every night, on account of a tickling sensation in the throat, may overcome it at once, by a dose of One Minute Cough Cure. Chas. Rogers.

Jamaica ginger is a good thing to have around the house in the corn season.

Pure blood means good health. DeWitt's Sarsaparilla purifies the blood, cures Eruptions, Eczema, Scrofula and all diseases arising from impure blood. Chas. Rogers.

"Woman-Afraid-of-Her-Cook" is the Indian name of many a young housekeeper.

Pass the good word along the line. Piles can be quickly cured without an operation by simply applying DeWitt's Witch Hazel Salve. Chas. Rogers.

Women will never make a fortune as horticulturists until they get over their fear of worms and bugs.

Do you lack faith and love health? Let us establish your faith and restore your health with DeWitt's Sarsaparilla. Chas. Rogers.

One entire day a month spent in bed is the rejuvenating process adopted by many worn-out belles.

"Wake up, Jacob, day is breaking!" so said DeWitt's Little Early Risers to a man who had taken them to arouse his sluggish liver. Chas. Rogers.

Cheap Clothing

The Hop Lee Clothing Factory and merchant tailors, 608 Commercial st., makes underclothing to order. Suits and trousers made to fit perfectly. Every order punctually on time and satisfaction guaranteed. Good goods sold cheap. Call and be convinced.

ENGLISH CAPITAL FOR AMERICAN INVESTMENTS.

Important to Americans seeking English Capital for new enterprises. A list containing the names and addresses of 30 successful promoters who have placed over \$100,000,000 Sterling in Foreign Investments within the last six years, and over \$2,000,000 for the seven months of 1896.

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Declaration of Principles OF THE REPUBLICAN PARTY.

The Republicans of the United States, assembled by their representatives in National Convention, appealing for the popular and historical justification of their claims to the matchless achievements of thirty years of Republican rule, earnestly and confidently address themselves to the awakened intelligence, experience and conscience of their countrymen in the following declaration of facts and principles:

For the first time since the Civil War the American people have witnessed the calamitous consequences of a fall and unrestrained Democratic control of the Government. It has been a record of unparalleled incapacity, dishonesty and disaster. In administrative management it has ruthlessly sacrificed indispensable revenue, entailed an unending deficit, eked out ordinary current expenses with borrowed money, piled up the public debt by \$28,000,000 in time of peace, forced an adverse balance of trade, to a perpetual menace hanging over the redemption fund, pawned American credit to alien syndicates and reversed all the measures and results of successful Republican rule.

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A Protective Tariff.

We renew and emphasize our allegiance to the policy of protection as the bulwark of American industrial independence and the foundation of American development and prosperity. This true American policy taxes foreign products and encourages home industry; it puts the burden of revenue on foreign goods, it secures the American market for the American producer; it upholds the American standard of wages for the American workman; it puts the factory by the side of the farm, and makes the American farmer less dependent on foreign demand and price; it diffuses general thrift and founds the strength of all on the strength of each.

Reciprocity With Other Nations. We believe the repeal of the reciprocity arrangements negotiated by the last Republican administration was a national calamity, and we demand their renewal and extension on such terms as will equalize our trade with other nations, remove the restrictions which now obstruct the sale of American products in the ports of other countries and secure the enlarged markets of our farms, forests and factories.

Monroe Doctrine. We reassert the Monroe doctrine in its full extent and reaffirm the right of the United States to give the doctrine effect by responding to the appeals of any American state for friendly intervention in case of European encroachment. We have not interfered, and shall not interfere, with the existing possessions of any European power in this hemisphere, but those possessions must not, on any pretext, be extended. We hopefully look forward to the eventual withdrawal of the European powers from this hemisphere, and the ultimate union of all the English-speaking part of the continent by the free consent of its inhabitants.

Independence of Cuba. From the hour of achieving their own independence the people of the United States have regarded with sympathy the struggles of other American peoples to free themselves from European domination. We watch with deep and abiding interest the heroic battle of the Cuban patriots against cruelty and oppression, and our best hopes go out for the full success of their determined contest for liberty.

Protection to Sugar Producers. We condemn the present administration for not keeping faith with the sugar producers of this country. The Republican party favors such protection as will lead to the production on American soil of all the sugar the American people use, and for which they pay other countries more than \$100,000,000 annually.

Wool and Woollens.

To all our products—to those of the mine and the field, as well as to those of the shop and the factory—to hemp, to wool, the product of the great industry of sheep husbandry, as well as to the finished woollens of the mill—we promise the most ample protection.

Merchant Marine.

We favor restoring the early American policy of discriminating duties for the up-building of our merchant marine and the protection of our shipping in the foreign carrying trade, so that American ships—the product of American labor, employed in American shipyards, sailing under the Stars and Stripes, and manned, officered and owned by Americans—may regain the carrying of our foreign commerce.

The Financial Issue. The Republican party is unreservedly for sound money. It caused the enactment of the law providing for the resumption of specie payments in 1875; since then every dollar has been as good as gold. We are unalterably opposed to every measure calculated to debase our currency or impair the credit of our country. We are, therefore, opposed to the free coinage of silver, except by international agreement with the leading commercial nations of the world, which we pledge ourselves to promote, and until such agreement can be obtained we believe the existing gold standard must be preserved.

Pensions for Veterans. The veterans of the Union army deserve and should receive fair treatment and generous recognition. Whenever practicable they should be given the preference in the matter of employment, and they are entitled to the enactment of such laws as best calculated to secure the fulfillment of the pledges made to them in the dark days of the country's peril.

Foreign Relations. Our foreign policy should be at all times firm, vigorous and dignified, and all our interests in the western hemisphere carefully watched and guarded. The Hawaiian Islands should be controlled by the United States and no foreign power should be permitted to interfere with them.

Admission of Territories. We favor the admission of the remaining territories at the earliest practicable date, having due regard to the interests of the people of the territories and of the United States.

complete system of harbor and sea-coast defenses.

Immigration Laws.

For the protection of the equality of our American citizenship and of the wages of our workmen against the fatal competition of low-priced labor, we demand that the immigration laws be thoroughly enforced, and so extended as to exclude from entrance to the United States those who can neither read nor write.

Civil Service.

The Civil Service law was placed on the statute book by the Republican party, which has always sustained it, and we renew our repeated declarations that it shall be thoroughly and honestly enforced and extended wherever practicable.

Free Ballot.

We demand that every citizen of the United States shall be allowed to cast one free and unrestricted ballot, and that such ballot shall be counted and returned as cast.

Lynching Condemned.

We proclaim our unqualified condemnation of the uncivilized and barbarous practices, well known as lynching or killing of human beings, suspected or charged with crime, without process of law.

National Arbitration.

We favor the creation of a national board of arbitration to settle and adjust differences which may arise between employer and employed engaged in interstate commerce.

Free Homesteads.

We believe in an immediate return to the free homestead policy of the Republican party and urge the passage by congress of the satisfactory free homestead measure which has already passed the house and is now pending in the senate.

Alaska Representation.

We believe the citizens of Alaska should have representation in the congress of the United States to the end that useful legislation may be intelligently enacted.

Sumptuary Legislation.

We sympathize with all wise and legitimate efforts to lessen and prevent the evils of temperance and promote morality.

Rights of Women.

The Republican party is mindful of the rights and interests of women. Protection of American industries includes equal opportunities, equal pay for equal work and protection to the home. We favor the admission of women to wider spheres of usefulness, and welcome their co-operation in rescuing the country from Democratic and Populist mismanagement and misrule.

Confident alike in the history of our great party and in the justice of our cause, we present our platform and our considerations, in the full assurance that the election will bring victory to the Republican party and prosperity to the people of the United States.

Ladies and Children

Who travel by the Burlington Route are given particular care and attention.

Just to illustrate what this means: A few months ago, five children whose ages ranged from three to eleven years, made the journey over our line from Ellensburg, Wash., to Kansas City, ENTIRELY UNACCOMPANIED.

Tickets, time-tables, and full information about our service to Omaha, St. Joseph, Kansas City, St. Louis and Chicago upon application to the nearest ticket agent or by addressing A. C. SHELDON, G. A., Portland, Oregon.

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