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the spokesman of a delegation which recently visited Major McKinley. In the course of his address Mr. Carney said: "I am a workingman and know Here is no question of influence or for a living. They must continue to the nation's honor. er, dollars which if laid aside for the ments. "rainy day" will not shrink and depre- Every silver orator proclaims that

Mr. Carney is right, and the work- country's disgrace. Ingman who will not heed his counsel But what will higher prices profit ity. If there is a weak spot where the is blind to his own interests. Free silver holds out no promise of benefit to cost you more? How will you be sues, then the trouble begins. Disease to labor. It will not start up the in- better off if every dollar of your wages germs propagate with lightning-like thousands who are idle. On the con- at their word. They promise you This is what Dr. Pierce's Golden Medwould produce conditions more disas- Have you need of either? trous to labor than any yet experienchave suffered from the effects of Demecratic tariff policy would sink into in-

MR. BLAINE'S RECORD SET RIGHT

The attempts of Bryan and other from the speech he delivered in the work. senate on February 7, 1878, has created an extraordinary demand among Republicans in all parts of the country for copies of the speech itself. In parto be utterly inadequate, and an order or other preparations." before the end of the campaign that they made a grievous and disastrous tion. It seems atrange that any man who was not a political idlot should have made such an attempt. In the course of the speech referred to Mr.

"At the current rates of silver the free commune of a dollar containing 412's grains, worth in gold about 92 Liver, cents, gives an illegitimate prosit to the owner of the builden, enabling him to take 92 cents' worth of it to the mintand get it stamped as coin and force his neighbor to take it for a full dellar. This is an undue, an unfair advantage which the government has no right to give the owners of sliver buillion and which defrauds the man who is forced to take the dollar. Evidently the first mprove your appeter, complexion and general health dictate of prudence is to coin such a dollar as will not only do justice among our citizens at home, but will prove a protection-an absolute barriculeagainst the gold monometallists of Europe who, when the opportunity offers, wount page, but a grade assistant to make will quickly draw from us the one hundred and sixty millions of gold coin which we now hold. If we cain a sitver dollar of full legal tender, obviously below the current value of the gold dohar, we are opening wide our doors and inviting Europe to take our gold. With our gold flowing from us we will be forced to the single silver standard and our relations with the leading commercial countries of the world will be not only embarrassed, but crippled. It The will assuredly follow that if we give the head, acc free colnage to this dollar of inferior the value and put it in circulation at the Lo expense of our better coinage in gold, and unless we expect the uniform and

invariable experience of other nations to be in some mysterious way suspended for our peculiar benefit, we will inevitably lose our gold coin. It will flow out from us with the certainty and the force of the tides."

Mr. Blaine was opposing and arguing against the coinage of 82-cent silver dollars. If he were alive today what would be say about the proposition for \$6.00 the free and unlimited coinage of 53-50 cent dollars, regardless of "the aid or consent of any other nation on earth.

On February 15, 1818, Mr. Blaine of Sent by mail per year, 22 in advance, fered an amendment to the Blains-All! son bill, providing that the silver dollar to be coined should contain 425 grains All communications intended for publis instead of 410% grains of standard silcation should be directed to the editor. Ver. His amendment was rejected, and Business communications of all kinds he voted against the bill which providand remittances must be addressed to od for the limited coinage of 92-cent silver dollars.

RAILWAY MEN.

Railway Age.

Already 200 Rallway Men's Sound Money Clubs have been organized in The Weekly Astorian, the second oldest the United States all the way from seekly in the state of Oregon, has, next California to Massachusetts-and they to the Portland Oregonian, the largest have for their members 120,000 rallway employes.

Jno. F. Handley & Co., are our Port- Mr. Bryan, the free silver candidate hand agents, and copies of The Astorian for the presidency, attacks and ridiganizing.

Thereby he insults the intelligence in California. Mr. William A. Carney, first vice- and the manhood of every railway president of the Amalgamated Association of Iron and Steel Workers, was men of the country—that any man TUTION Mr. Fred Miller, of Irving, III. writes

Here is no question of influence of the hard workingmen of this country what any president or manager may gies, impoverishes the blood and ney cures but without any good result will not be carried away by the bal- think. It is a question for your own clouds the mental faculties. No ef- About a year ago he began the use of

one dollar, to get money we must earn railways of the country are almost stomach Bitters will, however, be and often gives almost instant relief. One it by honest toil and when we get it unanimously opposed to free silver. Let found all sufficient either for its eradiwe want it to be equal to the best us be thankful for it and proud-thankin the world." Here is a man who has ful and proud that, when the crisis of the system, such as a billious constievidently given this subject intelligent arose and the country's honor was at pated habit, or lack of vitality, which free for the producers of silver will arrayed against repudiation and in orant, which not only regulates the signs of relenting coming from him. give nothing to the masses who labor defense of the nation's prosperity and system, but gives a healthful impulse

mint. Their capital is their labor. The presidents to laborers, are shoulder only commodity they have to sell is to shoulder in a common cause. But family use. their ability to work and when they talk of your being "driven" is only an offer this in the market they want to insult which dishonors him who offers receive for it the best money there is it. It can only intensify the resoluvalue from week to week. They want the shameful doctrines which have to proposes to keep at it until the baths strengthens the body. dollars of the greatest purchasing pow- be supported by such unworthy argu- are provided.

and their families while they sleep, dol- er. This is the essence of their creed. ence of perti. A perfactly strong man lars that do not deceive and lie to With this glittering bait they hope to with rich, pure blood, has nothing to them, dollars that are good everywhere. delude the farmer into voting for the fear from germs. He may breathe in

you? Do you wish everything you buy germs may find an entrance to the tis-

ed. The loss and privation which the pose that they can prosper if the country does. It assists digestion by stimu- oral yards of Chinese crepe. millions of working people in this land try is ruined. But with you and every lating the secretion of digestive fluids, significance in comparison with what cheapened dollar means the country's and so supplies the fissues with the Fight them in the beginning with De- revenue for the necessary expenses of would follow the free and unlimited shame. It also means the robbery of food they need. It builds up strong, Witt's Colic and Cholera Cure. You the government, but will protect Amerlabor in half-priced wages.

Organize, therefore. Resent the slur that is cast on your independence. Orcratic committees to faisify the record nearest club. Go out and convert your surface of the sidewalk. of James G. Ellaine on the silver ques- neighbors. It is for your own protection by the use of garble! extracts tion you are fighting. Organize and

### THE IDEAL PANACEA.

James L. Francis, Alderman, Chicago, says: "I regard Dr. King's New Distial response to this demand the Re- covery as an Ideal Panacea for Coughs, publican congress committee issued Colds and Lung Complaints, having used several hundred thousand copies some it in my family for the last five years, to time ago, but the number was found the exclusion of physician's prescriptions

has now been given for the printing of Rev. John Burgus, Keckik, Iowa, a round million copies-the largest or. writes: "I have been a minister of the der that was ever given for a single Methodist Episcopal church for 50 years document by any political committee, or more, and have never found anything If this number is found insufficient so benescial or that gave me such speedy more will be printed. Mr. Bryan and relief as Dr. King's New Discovery. his supporters will be made to realine Try this Ideal Cough Remedy now. Trial bottles free at Chas. Rogers' Drug Store.

The Chicago branch of the remiblicas mistake when they attempted to faisify campaign committee has put a clause

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PILES!

How many suffer torrors day after day, making lifisomore Liver Requirement is no de-

### CONSTIPATION

SHOULD not be regarded as a trifling allment—in fact, nature SHOULD not be regarded as a trilling almost end that, nature demands the utilised regularity of the bowers, and any deviation from this demand payer the way effect to be risks shanger. It is quite as necessary to remove impact accumulations from the bowers as it is to early sleep, and no health can be expected where a contive habit of body provides.

### SICK HEADACHE!

ing affliction occurs most fee

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loonists in this campaign. I know and they know that no matter whether we have fifty billion dollars in silver or have fifty b cation or prevention. Those conditions

the bacilli of consumption with impuncheap dollars" and "expensive goods." leal Discovery is for. It purifies the wage-earner-your interests and the so promoting assimilation and nutriinto a disease-resisting state.

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at length by physicians, but the suf- my cure them all. ferers want quick relief; and One Min- Druggist. ute Cough Cure will give it to them. A safe cure for children. It is "the old harmless remedy that produces immedite results." Chas. Rogers, druggist.

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 signature for the bath. One trial will convince

50c and \$1.00. At Chas. Rogers' Drug

consideration and has arrived at the stake, the men in charge of the rail- are favorable to the contraction of the without a word of explanation on his and dishoner abroad, and shall be recely conclusion that such consideration ways—the men who are over you and disease, are speedily reformed by this part, but she must talk herself deaf, stored to the party which for thirty can lead to, which is that coming silver with you-were found almost to a man pure and efficient alterative and invig-dumb and blind before there are any years administered it with unequaled

toll for what they get, though silver it is good, most good, for every is the best guaranty of health. Thors ing lightened by new inventions, but to the various organs, whose activity. The burden of labor is constantly bedellars were piled as high as Ossa worker on a railway to know that for oughness of action is the chief charact nothing new has yet been alscovered to They have no builion to take to the once at least all railway men, from teristic of this leading specific and pre- brighten the hours of labor and make ventive, which is eminently adapted for life worth living like Simmons Liver Medicines. A sluggish liver depresses The Central Labor Council of Cin- one's spirits and causes languor, be- pendence and the foundation of Amer- the practice of the pension bureau so cinnati has been hammering the city sides upsetting the whole system. But can development and prosperity. This and not debased currency of uncertain tion of every railway man to reject authorities for free public baths, and Simmons Liver Regulator tones up and true American policy taxes foreign pro-

Health and strength carry us through prictors of fruit stands dusting off their market for the American producer; it clate, dollars which will not rob them free coinage will make all prices high-dangers and make us safe in the pres. wares just as a housewife does her upholds the American standard of choice bric-a-brac

were a cure. Chas. Rogers, Druggist.

No. Some people may foolishly sup- germs, but that is only part of what from a couch, a few cushions and sev-

bowels in healthy condition.

Popocratic orators as well as of Popo- ganize for sound money. Join the be established in Ohio beneath the Let us hope that the fashion of wear- question, to be governed by the condi- should exercise all the influence it can ing socks now prevalent among fair tions of the time and production; the

> DeWitt's Sarsaparilla is prepared for bruises, sores, ulcers, sait rheum, fever and disease. It does this and more. It and then it wants rest. sores, tetter, chapped hands, chilbiains, builds up and strengthens constitutions impaired by disease. It recommends itself. Chas. Rogers.

faction, or money refunded. Price, 25. It isn't always the prettiest woman ents per box. For sale by Charles who walks off with the best partner of this season.

Only union labor can be employed by Many a day's work is lost by sick national calamity, and we demand entractors on school work in St. headache, caused by indigestion and their renewal and extension on such

though not invally years of age, and Protection and reciprocity are twin Two tests of the compressed air most hey do not lose the proverbial prims measures of Republican policy, and go

Dr. Price's Cream Baking Powder for the green apple season by having

hat is on straight, but he recognizes industry and trade and secures our the fault instantly when it is on own market for ourselves. Reciprocity

There's more clothing destroyed by poor soap than by actual wear. "Hoe Calce" contains no free alkali, and will A large firm in London shares profits not injure the finest lace. Try it and Higgins & Co.

> Some days life seems so full of happiness; on others it is sailly empty. Isn't it a pity an average cannot be struck some way?

Four thousand men in Buenos Ayres. It doesn't matter much whether sick epresenting a score of trades, have headache, billousness, indigestion, and constipation are caused by neglect or by unavoidable circumstances; De-

# CASTORIA

For Infants and Children.



# Declaration of Principles

# REPUBLICAN PARTY.

assembled by their representatives in the up-building of our merchant marine | coast defenses. National Convention, appealing for the and the protection of our shipping in popular and historical justification of the foreign carrying trade, so that their claims to the matchless achieve- American ships-the product of Amerments of thirty years of Republican lean labor, employed in American shiprule, earnestly and confidently address yards, sailing under the Stars and themselves to the awakened intelli- Stripes, and manned, officered and sence, experience and conscience of owned by Americans-may regain the their countrymen in the following dec- carrying of our foreign commerce. aration of facts and principles:

For the first time since the Civil War the American people have witnessed the calamitous consequences of full and unrestrained Democratic control of the Government. It has been a record of unparalled incapacity, dishonor and disaster. In administrative natiagement it has ruthlessly sacrificed indispensible revenue, entailed an unceasing deficit, eked out ordinary current expenses with borrowed money, piled up the public debt by \$262,000,000 in time of peace, forced an adverse balance of trade, to a perpetual menace hanging over the redemption fund. pawned American credit to alten syn-Mr. Fred Miller, of Irving, Ill., writes dicates and reversed all the measures More effectually than fever and ague that he had a Severe Kidney trouble for and results of successful Republican That nerve-destroying malady, when many years, with severe pains in his rule. In the broad effect of its policy once it takes firm root, subverts every back and also that his bladder was it has precipitated panic, blighted infunction, exhausts the physical ener- affected. He tried many so-called Kid- dustry and trade with prolonged depression, closed factories, reduced work and wages, halted enterprise and crippled American production while stimulating foreign production for the American market. Every consideration of public safety and individual interest demands that the government shall be rescued from the hands of those who have shown themselves incapable of conducting it without disaster at home success and prosperity.

#### A Protective Tariff.

Regulator does. It's the King of Liver ance to the policy of protection as the piedges made to them in the dark days in interstate commerce. bulwark of American industrial indeducts and encourages home industry; it puts the burden of revenue on for-It is very amusing to see the pro- cign goods, it secures the American severest condemnation of the American Republican party and urge the passage wages for the American workingman; it puts the factory by the side of the If you have ever seen a little child farm, and makes the American farmer in the agony of summer complaint, less dependent on foreign demand and you can realize the danger of the trou- price; it diffuses general thrift and times firm, vigorous and dignified, and ble and appreciate the value of instan- founds the strength of all on the all our interests in the western hemistaneous relief always afforded by Destrength of each. In its reasonable appliere carefully watched and guarded. Witt's Colic and Cholera Cure. For plication it is just, fair, and impartial, The Hawaiian Islands should be condustries of the country or create a dewill only purchase one-half of what it rapidity. Once in the blood, the only ble remedy. We could not afford to domestic monopoly, to sectional disterfore with them. The Nivaragua ries and of the United States. All the recommend this as a cure unless it crimination and individual favoritism.

blood. That means that it kills the A cozy corner can be easily devised tariff as sectional, injurious to the publicated by the United States, and by tories shall be selected from bona fide enterprise. We demand such equitable should secure a proper and much-need government shall be accrded as far as tariff on fereign imports which come Don't trifle away time when you into competition with American pronation's are the same. A debased and tion; purifies and enriches the blood have choiers morbus or diarrhoes, ducts as will not only furnish adequate the wage earner and the payment of healthy flesh and puts the whole body don't have to wait for results. They lcan labor from degredation to the are instantaneous, and it leaves the wage level of other lands. We are not pledged to any particular schedules. The question of rates is a practical cyclists in Paris will never reach here, ruling and uncompromising principle is the protection and development of American labor and industry. The dangers and American property decountry demands a right settlement

### Reciprocity With Other Nations.

We believe the repeal of the reciprocity arrangements negotiated by the last Republican administration was a stomach troubles. DeWitt's Little terms as will equalize our trade with Early Blaces are the most effectual pill other nations, remove the restrictions for overcoming such difficulties. Chas, which now obstruct the sale of American products in the ports of other countries and secure the enlarged mar-Some women are "old mulds," even kets of our farms, forests and factories. the record and misrepresent the attitude of Mr. Haine on the silver question. It seems strange that are ware in all contracts for printing substants

Take tests of the compressed air moness if they happen to capture three
hand in hand. Democratic rule has
recklessly struck down both, and both
recklessly struck down both, and both
eventual withdrawal of the European must be re-established. Protection for "Hoys will be boys," but you can't what we produce, free admission for afford to lose any of them. Be ready the necessaries of life which we don't produce, reciprocal agreements of mu-DeWitt's Cholle and Cholera Cure in rual interest which gain open markets Trades unions are well organized the house. Chas. Rogers, Druggist for us in return for our open market to A man may not know when his wife's others. Protection builds up domestic crooked, and he doesn't hesitate about builds up foreign trade and finds an outlet for our surplus.

### 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 Woolens.

To all our products-to those of the nine and the field, as well as to those of the shop and the factory-to hempo wool, the product of the great industry of sheep husbandry, as well as to the finished woolens of the mill-we promise the most ample protection.

Merchant Marine.

The Republicans of the United States, can policy of discriminating duties for | complete system of harbor and ses-

#### 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 1878; 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. All our silver and paper currency now in circulation must be maintained at a parity with gold, and we favor all that such ballot shall be counted and measures designed to maintain inviolable the obligations of the United States, and all our money, whether coin or paper, at the present standard, the standard of the most enlightened nations of the earth."

#### Pensions for Veterans.

The veterans of the Union armies 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 calculat- just differences which may arise beed to secure the fulfillment of the of the country's peril. We denounce recklessly and unjustly carried on by the present administration, of reducing pensions and arbitrarily dropping names from the rolls, as deserving the to the free homestead policy of the

# Foreign Relations,

Our foreign policy should be at all We denounce the present Democratic Canal should be built, owned and oped naval station in the West Indies

# Armenian Massacres.

The massacres in Armenia have aroused the deep sympathy and just gress of the United States, to the end indignation of the American people, that needful legislation may be intelliand we believe that the United States properly exert to bring these atrocities to an end. In Turkey, American residents have been exposed to the gravest stroyed. There and everywhere American citizens and American property must be absolutely protected at all hazards and at any cost,

Monroe Doctrine. We reassert the Monroe ductrine in the Unuited States to give the doctrine effect by responding to the appeals of vention 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 powers from this hemisphere, and the ultimate union of all the Englishspeaking 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 All No. Pac. 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.

The government of Spain, having lost control of Cuba and being unable to protect the property or lives of resident American citizens or to comply with its treaty obligationes, we believe that the government of the United States should actively use its influence and good offices to restore peace and give independence to the island.

### Enlargement of the Navy.

The peace and security of the republic and the maintenance of its rightful influence among the nations of the earth demand a naval power commensurate with its position and responsi- Silk shirt waists, exact duplicates of

#### Immigration Laws.

For the protection of the equality of our American citizenship and of the wages of our workingmen 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 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

#### National Arbitration.

We favor the creation of a national board of arbitration to settle and adtween employer and employed engaged

Free Homesteads. We believe in an immediate return by congress of the satisfactory free homestead measure which has already passed the house and is now pending in the senate.

Admission of Territories. maining territories at the earliest practerfere with them. The Nicaragua ries and of the United States. All the federal officers appointed for the terri-

# Alaska Representation.

We believe the citizens of Alaska should have representation in the congently enacted.

### Sumptuary Legislation.

We sympathize with all wise and legitimate efforts to lessen and prevent the evils of intemperance and promote

## Rights of Women.

The Republican party is mindful of the rights and interests of women. Protection of American industries includes its full extent and reaffirm the right of 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. Such are the principles and policies of the Republican party. By these principles we will abide and these principles we will put into execution. We ask for them the considerate judgment of the American

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