

THE DAILY DEMOCRAT.

A REPUBLICAN PROTEST.

The Chicago Tribune is a republican paper, and one of the most prominent organs of the party in the nation. It has fought valiantly for its party and protection, but judging from its recent expressions on the McKinley tariff bill, its eyes have been opened. It sees what protection, as understood by republican congressmen of to-day, means, and what it will lead to. In one of its articles on this subject the Tribune says:

"The highly protected manufacturing districts are mostly democratic, and the republicans are losing daily the workingmen's votes they once had. Why? Go among the trades unions and hear their leaders and walking delegates talk and learn the reason. These men tell their comrades that they are being cheated out of their share of the heavy protection duties alleged to be levied for their benefit.

The workingmen, most of them foreign born, remember what their wages were in the old country; they know what the high duties are, and the increased amount which their employers are enabled to charge consumers by reasons thereof and they believe the harangues that they are robbed of a good part of their quota of protection, and that the bosses get it. This makes them angry and sour at the party that pushes up the "protection" taxes. To punish the party the bosses support they go to the polls and vote for free-trade candidates. This is what makes them so outspoken and bitter against the republican party. They think they have been cheated out of their proper share of the plunder and it infuriates them. Nor will their anger be allayed if the McKinley bill becomes a law. The first thing the workingmen in the shops, factories and potteries will do will be to ask their employers for the higher wages coming to them by right of the higher duties on the consumers. The bosses will refuse to give them. They will then be confirmed more than ever in the belief that the whole tariff system was a fraud on them; putting up price, but not wages; hurrying them as consumers, but not aiding them as producers; and those who have as yet clung to the republican party will follow their comrades, desert it, and thereafter vote the democratic free trade ticket out of spite of their bosses."

A number of interesting observations have lately been made on the destructive power of coffee upon various microbes, and they prove that the organisms die in a longer or shorter period. Good and bad coffee produce the same effect. It is held that the antiseptic effect of coffee does not depend on its caffeine, but on the oils developed while roasting.

If a piece of dyed cloth is damped and rubbed on clean white paper, the absence of any stain shows that the dye is a "fast" color. Another test is to lay the cloth between two sheets of paper and iron it. There should be no mark in this case either. Again, if the cloth is covered with a perforated sheet of thick paper, and exposed for some hours to direct sunlight, the color of the exposed parts should not fade.

The McKinley bill imposes a fine upon every boy and girl who laboring by day endeavors to acquire an education by study at night. It imposes a mighty tax upon lamp chimneys—a fine upon the student. And the money collected does not supply the needs of the government, but is paid over to monopolists, a mere ministration to their greed for gold.

It costs Uncle Sam to run the Government in all its branches upwards of \$218,000,000 per annum. On the basis of 65,000,000 population, the cost of Government per capita is \$3.30, or about \$16.60 for each family. This is cheap compared with European countries. The cost of the German empire in 1889 was about \$5.50 a head; of the French Republic about \$19 and about \$70 per family.

If the McKinley bill becomes a law says the Cleveland Plaindealer, the republican party would not have claims strong enough to keep a majority of the New England states from casting their electoral votes for the next democratic nominee for president.

A Kansas farmer sold a meteor which fell on his farm for \$1,000, and raised the mortgage on his farm. With a good stock of meteors, a bounty on cocoons and diamonds on the free list the farmers of Kansas may yet be happy.

A practical hint of value is conveyed in the statement that "manufacturers estimate that twenty per cent. of the wear of farm machinery comes from neglect to keep the bearings properly oiled."

Judge Sage of the United States Court has sentenced a swindler to pay a fine of \$500 and fifteen months in prison, for selling "electric belts." It is hard to make the people understand why the belts cannot hold any electricity.

Agricultural colleges in this country established under the United States law of 1862, are now educating nearly 10,000 students.

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