

Interesting Scraps.

All that scientists have said lately concerning the conveyance of disease by flies gives the idea that the spiders and their flytraps are among the most beneficent things in nature.

The War Department's idea that it must keep up with the times in aeronautics is sound. To be prepared at all points is the best assurance of considerate treatment and peaceable relations.

Taft clubs are reported to be multiplying in the western part of Tennessee, where Republicans have hitherto been scarce. Instead of getting the Middle West Mr. Bryan is likely to lose a slice in the Middle South.

Mr. Hearst says Mr. Gompers notified him that a separate Hearst ticket would elect Taft. Mr. Gompers foresees defeat at an early stage, but did not intend that Hearst should resort to publicity in the negotiations.

Seattle declares that its Alaska Yukon-Pacific Exposition will be ready on the opening day, June 1st next, and in full running order until October 15th. Among the outing points for 1909 Seattle will hold one of the foremost places.

New York complains that the soil of Central Park has become so impoverished as to be almost exhausted. A city that spends as much money as New York ought to be intensive farmer enough to save its parks from the fate of Sahara.

A man in Chicago claims to have been dead sixty-nine hours and describes what he says he saw in Hades. This is the first instance in which the individual concerned in an incident of this kind failed to gain admission to any place but heaven.

Japan's new premier says: "My policy will be peaceful, the prime object being to maintain peace throughout the world." As Uncle Sam will labor to the same end, all is quiet on the Pacific with the exception of Mr. Hobson's typhoon.

There is method in Mr. Bryan's political optimism, for he makes valuable use of his time between campaigns, but the enthusiasts who predicted his election in 1896 and 1900, and are still at it, and the most devoted of mankind, with the smallest return.

Last year, according to the report of the Interstate Commerce Commission, the employes on railroads numbered 1,673,074. Mr. Bryan recommended this addition to the list of government employes, but has since executed another of his expert crawfish movements.

The biggest fee ever received by a woman lawyer has just been earned by Mary E. Miller of Chicago. It was \$30,000, and she received it for prosecuting successfully a suit of the grandchildren of the late William Bross for a share of his \$3,000,000 estate. A woman in legal practice has ceased to be an oddity and she is no longer employed merely because of the sympathetic interest which a jury might have for one of her sex.

Prohibition has been enacted by eight states. Three of these—Maine, Kansas and North Dakota—are in the North. The rest of them—North Carolina, Georgia, Alabama, Mississippi and Oklahoma—are in the solid South. The location of these states is of importance on account of the campaign. In the convention and out of it some of the leading prohibitionists boasted that their party would make its influence felt on each of the big organizations in 1908. Some of them have been saying that they would split the Democratic party near the middle in Georgia, Oklahoma and other Southern States where the prohibition sentiment is stronger than it is in the North and West. The splitting of the solid South would be a good thing for the country and for the South.

No man living is better qualified than Mr. Taft to be a member of the International Society of Steam Shovel Men, and his election to this honor union as one of its honorary associates is in line with the prospect to render honor where it is due. Mr. Taft has accomplished a great deal to show the power of the steam shovel in cutting the most difficult and costly ocean link ever attempted. At Panama the steam shovels are nearing an excavation of 3,000,000 cubic yards of earth a month. They are opening at each end of the canal at the sea level a ditch 43 feet deep and 500 feet wide, with a combined length of 12 miles. For the remaining 38 miles the passage of ships will be at the height of 85 feet, reached by locks.

In the May number of Munsey's Magazine its editor and proprietor, Frank A. Munsey, writes at length of the business situation and takes for his thesis the statement that "there is not money enough in the world to-day to do the world's work." He traces the cause of the panic with this idea in view, and ridicules the idea that Roosevelt was the responsible factor. He says the crash was inevitable and two years overdue. The demand for better living was at the bottom of it. The expansion

of trade outreached the available supply of money. There was too much prosperity and credit was strained. High finance and colossal steals also had much to do with the result, and Roosevelt had checked this bad work. But the Roosevelt radicalism of to-day would be the conservatism of five years hence.

Just after the adjournment of the Denver Convention Mr. Bryan said that he expected to gain the needed electoral votes in the tier of states between Nebraska and Indiana. The only reason for this statement seems to be a realizing sense of the fact that here, and with the Eastern States admitted to be lost, the Central West is the last resource. It would require a sweeping overturn to get these States, but as a matter of plain arithmetic Mr. Bryan can not dispense with them under the circumstances. A coming political revolution gives some advance notice. Apart from the elections at odd times showing how the tide runs, there are portents easily identified by the experienced observer. No upheaval has been indicated. Mr. Bryan is not claiming the Pacific Coast. Has he forgotten how the Middle West voted in 1906 and 1907? His own state last year was Republican by 30,283, Illinois by 145,560, Michigan by 87,594, Wisconsin by 80,247 and Iowa by 20,865. Even Missouri at the last trial in 1906 was Democratic by only a few thousand.

It might be supposed, from the noise made by Mr. Bryan on the subject of publishing a list of party campaign contributions, that he represents all the virtue that can be discovered in this connection. It was only the other day that he felt called on to explain that neither he personally or his paper received any part of the campaign cash sent to Nebraska four years ago on the strength of the representation to the Parker campaign managers that Bryan would try to carry the Nebraska Legislature as a senatorial candidate. As Nebraska's majority against Parker was no less than 86,000 it must be remarked that whatever became of the money, it was obtained by false pretenses. An immense amount of money was invested in the Bryan campaign fund of 1896 by the silver mining interests, for Bryan's success meant unlimited profits for them. The worst plague spot in the United States for a campaign corruption fund is Tammany, an organization without which the Democratic party would be in a hopeless condition in the State of New York, and nationally. Tammany rolls in campaign money, a fact that could be guessed from the enormous expenditures and huge salary list of New York City, whose debt is rapidly approaching \$1,000,000,000. What chance is there that Tammany will ever publish a true statement of its financing of a campaign? Not one dollar in twenty that it spends in political work will ever see the light of print. Mr. Bryan claims that he was beaten by the use of money in 1896 and 1900, but the popular plurality against him was first 600,000 and then 800,000, and he must have a low idea of the integrity of the American people if he thinks these verdicts were purchased. The Republican party can better afford to face the publicity issue, both as to the past and the present, than can any of the combines with which Bryan has been identified.

Calling on the Farmers.

Mr. Bryan invites farmers to come forward with campaign contributions and reminds them that many of their number would not miss \$100 from their cash surplus if they gave this amount toward a change of the national administration from Republican to the Bryan faith cure. Twelve years ago, in the first and much the most promising of his efforts as a presidential candidate, Mr. Bryan appealed to the farmers as a poverty-stricken class, contending with low prices and financial evils that he said were due to the gold standard, and that could be cured only by reducing the value of the dollar one-half, regardless of what other nations might think or do about it. Many tillers of the soil thought there was truth in this theory, and certainly knew that the prices of farm products were low. The country at that time was under a Democratic administration and had recently been subject to full Democratic control, but Mr. Bryan preached a new kind of Democracy, especially in regard to the money standard. Several Northern agricultural states west of the Mississippi gave him a majority in 1896, but went against him four years later, because events proved him to be mistaken in views and false in reasoning. Prosperity came by taking the road he declared would be fatal.

No longer is Mr. Bryan offering the farmers a 50-cent dollar. He is silent on that subject. He can smile and smile just the same, regardless of his large collection of played-out paramours. His argument now is that, in some mysterious way, farmers will be benefited by his election and that, since the gold standard has replenished their cash reserve, they should invest a part of it in the latest Bryan blind pool. The most powerful political microscope fails to show any tangible good for farmers in the Bryan programme. In fact, he has nothing worthy to be called a prospective life of action. If he were elected

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The Senate will continue to be Republican throughout his term. His policies, if he has any outside of free trade, could not take the form of laws during the next four years. He has had no experience in statesmanship. His brief and only official service has been in the House of Representatives. He could name a new secretary of agriculture, but that department has been admirably well managed during the last twelve years, and its field effectively broadened, as every live farmer knows.

Farmers do not gather in cash so easily that they will send a share to political committees without substantial reasons. Mr. Bryan, in his way, is a farmer, but has said that he must make money otherwise to keep even. He received last year \$52,000 from lecturing and his political organ adds largely to his income. His perpetual candidacy advertises his lectures and his weekly paper. He can give strong personal pecuniary reasons for the course he pursues, but what is there in it for a farmer who sends \$100 to his campaign fund after digging the money out of the soil? Under the last Democratic tariff a sheep could not be sold for 50 cents. Mr. Bryan offers another free trade Democratic tariff with a corresponding range of prices. What else he offers no prophet can tell, though much can be guessed from the fact that he is already up to his neck in exploded fallacies, a subject on which he is dumb in spite of his unlimited facility for speech. A farmer who sends money to the Bryan campaign fund must truly have a superfluity to throw at the birds.—Globe Democrat.

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