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## Daily Capital Journal.

BY HOFER BROTHERS.

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### PAYMENT OF NATIONAL DEBT.

One of the boasts of gold standard Republican campaign orators and writers is the claim that we have almost paid our great war debt. Let us look to the official facts and see just how much we have paid, and what part of it we have paid. In round-millions the public debt reached its maximum August 31, 1865, and amounted to \$2,844,000,000. On the same date the "interest bearing bonded debt," was \$1,100,000,000. See report Comptroller 1865, vol. 1, page 370.

Adding the last one hundred millions issued since this report of 1865 was made, the debt now is \$911,000,000. Here there is a decrease in the "interest bearing bonded debt," since 1865, 30 years, of only \$188,000,000, or \$6,300,000 annually. That is not much to boast of. It is however the fact as I find it in the official report.

But let us see how much they have reduced it measured in farm products. Excepting about \$200,000,000 issued before the war, and payable in dollars, and for which the government had got silver, or gold coin, and which in good faith should be paid in coin; and about another \$200,000,000 of 10-40 bonds which by law were payable expressly in coin—not gold coin—all the balance of this interest bearing bonded debt was by express provision of the legal tender act, payable in the same kind of money their owners had paid, and the government had received for them—legal tender greenbacks. Let us then reduce this 400,000,000 of coin debt to a legal tender basis, by adding 50 per cent or 200,000,000. Thus August 31, 1865, after the war was over, when the government was not under necessity to borrow money, nor to issue bonds, the interest bearing bonded debt, recorded in the money which they had paid for the bonds; and which the government had promised to pay, and which they had promised to receive, and which measured all products, at a total of \$1,300,000,000.

Now it is \$911,000,000, and payable by loan in coin, either silver or gold, at the option of the government. The average value of an acre of the farmer's corn in 1865, was \$17; in 1895, \$6.61. As the debt then stood—in greenbacks—it could have been paid with 77,000,000 acres. As it stands now, payable in coin, it will purchase, and it will take 131,000,000 acres to pay it, an increase of 54,000,000 acres. Wheat was worth \$17.00 per acre; now \$6.99. Then 74,000,000 acres would have paid the debt; now it will take 130,000,000, an increase of 56,000,000 acres. A barrel of pork was worth then \$29; now only \$11.95. Then the debt could have been paid with 45,000,000 barrels; now it will take 76,000,000.

an increase of 30,000,000 barrels. Wool was worth \$1 per pound, and 1,309,000,000 would pay the debt; now the same class of wool is worth less than 20 cents, and it will take 4,555,000,000, or more than four times what it would have taken in 1865; cotton was worth in 1865, 83 cents; in 1872, before the demonetization of silver, 22 cents; in 1895, but 74 cents. The average value of the farmers' horses, then, was \$79.46, and 16 1/2 millions horses would have paid the debt; now the average value is only \$33.07, and it now takes 27 1/2 millions of the farmers' horses, to pay what remains!

This last statement is the more remarkable, when we realize that the real intrinsic worth of the average horse is now, on account of the wonderful improvement in breed at least 25 per cent above that of the average horse of 1865. This would make the average horse now, worth \$100 then. But he is now worth but \$33, a loss of \$67 on each horse. All farm products tell the same doleful story. But leaving these let us go to manufactured articles and see what the effect is there.

Pig iron per ton 1865, \$46.12, 1895 \$13.01. Bar iron \$106.38 then, now \$30.02. Cut nails then \$7.08 per keg, now \$1.47. Standard sheeting per yard (1865), 38 cents, 1895, 5¢. Prints 29 cents 1865, now 6¢. Shirts—50 then, now 10¢. If the reader is curious let him take his pencil and figure a little. He will find that this remaining bonded debt has a purchasing power now of 2 1/2 times as much pig and bar; 3 1/2 times as many kegs of nails; 4 1/2 times as many yards of sheeting; 3 1/2 times of prints, and 3 1/2 times as much shirting as it would buy in 1865. The same may truthfully be said of the monthly wage of the farm laborer. It will take nearly, if not twice the amount.

Says the London Bullionist: "The moneyed classes in the States are becoming very uneasy at what are regarded as the increased chances of Mr. Bryan." That is why the moneyed classes cry out so loud about the "silver craze is on the wane."

John M. Thurston retreats abjectly. He says Bryan's words go, even against the Democratic foreign owned organ at Chicago.

The key to victory for reform is to name for standard bearers honest, brave and brainy men.

McKinley's London organs should be called off. They give the thing away.

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### FARM NEWS.

Dirty milk can never be cleansed. Clean out the weeds from the fence rows and burn them.

More ill-flavored eggs are the result of poor food than from being stale.

The hog drinks more than any other domestic animal of its size.

When poultry are free to run the range they find what nature demands.

Feed a variety of feed and don't rob the hen's gizzard of its proper functions.

There is a great difference in pork fed on good pure feed and the one fed on refuse.

Great preparations are being made at Spokane for an immense fruit fair this fall.

Turkeys, like sheep grow and thrive in the fields on what would otherwise go to waste.

The Salem hog must weigh nearly as much as the big Texas hog sold the other day.

Three hundred and fifty dollars is offered as premiums on exhibits of dried fruits.

Best write your commission man how he wants his poultry dressed before shipping.

Fried chicken is the reward of the farmer's wife who has been successful with her little chicks.

The state fair of California offers \$200 in premiums for formulas for cooking dried fruit.

In South Africa the growth of the mohair industry grew from nothing to 10,000,000 in 25 years.

More disease to stock is caused by being forced to drink impure water than any other one cause.

Every farming neighborhood can, by a little friendly co-operation, have good wholesome fresh meat.

The injurious practice of letting cattle eat down the pasture too close is much practiced in Oregon.

Some of the goldbugs are looking for a theory other than overproduction for the low price of wheat.

The peach yellows has nearly entirely been stamped out in Michigan, by the rigid enforcement of the law.

The Farmington creamery, of Washington county, Or., is the oldest institution of the kind in the Northwest.

The poultry that is fed on rotten, filthy food cannot lay a pure, wholesome egg and the hen itself is unfit for food.

The Oregon State Poultry Association held its annual meeting, last week, and elected officers for the ensuing year.

The Oregon state fair offers a \$30 and \$15 premiums for the largest exhibit of machine dried fruit and vegetables.

There were 97,000 bales of hops shipped out of Oregon last year. Fifty thousand bales is the estimate for this year's crop.

The Massachusetts legislature appropriated \$250,000 for the eradication of tuberculosis, with the restriction upon the use of tuberculin until June 1, 1897.

When a poultry editor in this climate says to have your chicken house under ground on account of cold, you wonder what is the matter with the editor.

Have good water in plenty for your sheep and poultry in hot weather, neither drink much at a time but often when they have free access and it is fresh.

The Oregon Agriculturist devotes several pages to the Angora goat industry which it will profit any farmer to read whether he is in the business or not.

The spring wheat harvest is completed in Nebraska, and threshing is in progress; harvesting is general in South Dakota and commenced in North Dakota.

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