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BANK DEPOSIT PROTECTION AND ITS FRIENDS.

As is well known, the Fowler currency bill of the past session of Congress contained provision for the establishment of a guaranty or co-insurance fund to protect bank deposits.

Mr. Gage's established reputation for conservatism and experience in banking matters needs no more than to be mentioned.

At prices however low, it is a fact that demand for cotton yarns has lately assumed new activity.

Undesirable Citizen Hearst—the man whom President Roosevelt, through Secretary Root, denounced as "an unscrupulous demagogue"—now figures as the President's valued associate in smiting anti-Rooseveltians.

And now the night riders have appeared in North Carolina. If we know anything about the temper of the North Carolinian somebody is going to get badly hurt if this band of organized assassins become too gay in the old North State.

Governor Haskell is very little to blame for showering abusive epithets upon President Roosevelt. The President of the United States should be absolutely exempt from such attacks.

For China to recall Mr. Wu just after we have trimmed our share of the Boxer revolt indemnity down to actual losses would be too mean for anything.

Senator LaFollette has failed to control a Wisconsin Republican convention for the first time in eight years.

UP TO THE NEW YORK TIMES.

The Louisville Courier-Journal, The Houston Post and other newspapers are falling upon The New York Times for proof of the genuineness of the alleged Cleveland article in endorsement of Mr. Tatt which it published several weeks ago.

Since the above was written there has come to hand a brief New York dispatch stating that The Times yesterday published a communication from Mr. Cleveland's executor declaring the article a fraud in its entirety.

TEXTILE BODIES STILL APART.

The proposed and at present much-discussed amalgamation of the American Cotton Manufacturers' Association, predominantly Southern, with the National Association of Cotton Manufacturers, predominantly Northern, does not seem to be making rapid headway.

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HEARST PARTY IN ALABAMA.

John Temple Graves to Spend a Week Campaigning in Cotton State—Other Party Workers to Visit State.

Reception to Grand President of G. I. A. Special to The Observer.

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THE BARNACLE SCRAPED OFF.

Governor Haskell, of course, has resigned his post as treasurer of the national Democratic committee. He could not do less under the circumstances, nor would Mr. Bryan and the national committee have let him do less.

That former Senator McLaurin, of South Carolina, along with Senator Foraker, of Ohio, and Governor Haskell, of Oklahoma, should be found to have sustained unduly intimate relations with the Standard Oil Company, must make a painful impression upon all who value the reputation of Southern public men for freedom from such entanglements.

CONCERNING MR. KERN.

Every Inch of Man a Credit to His Party.

Doubtless Mr. William E. Corey understands now, if he did not a few short weeks ago, just how easy it is for a man of supposed intelligence to make a fool of himself on occasions, and that with no reasonable semblance of excuse, apparently.

The truth of the matter is, the Democratic party seems to have been particularly happy in its selection of a running mate for its presidential nominee this time.

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RECEPTION TO GRAND PRESIDENT OF G. I. A.

Spencer, Sept. 26.—A reception of unusual interest in Spencer was given last evening by the Spencer division of the G. I. A. and B. of L. E. in honor of Mrs. W. A. Murdock, of Chicago, Ill., who the grand president of the G. I. A. and who is visiting in Spencer.

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A WRONG TO THE WEST.

The State Hospital Commission in Making Appropriations For State Hospital Enlargement Disregarded Against the Morganton Institution, Stateville Landmark.

The Landmark mentioned recently that the State Hospital Commission had refused to appropriate \$30,000 for a colony building to accommodate 100 male patients at the State Hospital at Morganton.

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TEXAS KIND OF FROGS.

Des Moines Register and Leader. "It does not seem possible nor do the people of Iowa believe me when I tell them that there are frogs in Texas as large as hens," said George I. Huffman.

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PASSED UP TO CY LONG.

Mr. McCall, Having Experimented Recently With Nothing But "Goslings," Cannot Settle the Goose Laying Question.

To the Editor of The Observer: In to-day's issue of The Observer I notice that you reproduce an article from The Monroe Enquirer, in which it appears that I have been appointed "referee" to settle the mooted question of whether or not a "goose lays eggs in September."

By way of apology for passing these scientific questions to the "Sage of Duck Creek" I call attention to his wise remarks upon the "country boy's superior advantages" which were published in the city papers a few days ago, every word of which I enthusiastically approved.

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REDUCTION IN LETTER POSTAGE.

It has been officially announced that on and after next Thursday, October 1st, the rate of letter postage from any place in this country to any point in England, Scotland, Ireland or Wales will be the same as that charged for local postage in the United States.

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