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A VOICE FROM THE TOMB.

It's like a voice from the tomb to hear George Fred Williams proclaim himself a socialist. Readers of ancient political history will recall that Williams was one time a republican of the most rampant New England type. In the money campaign of 1895 he became a democrat of the "Coin" Harvey persuasion and took such an active part in democratic affairs in Massachusetts that the little handful of democrats left in that state were almost wiped off the map. When the democracy was defeated in the nation and Williams was forced to take a rear seat at party councils he became a populist. The populist party had suffered many hard knocks, but the blow it received when George Fred Williams latched himself on the organization was too much and it was not long afterward that it ceased attempts to do business.

Having made the rounds of political affiliation so far as the regular parties were concerned, Williams discovered that there was a new party to which he had not sworn allegiance—the socialists—so he hastens to proclaim himself a socialist. This is what baseball enthusiasts would call "hard luck" for the socialists, for Williams is a political Jonah. A native of Massachusetts, George Fred Williams is a lawyer by profession and a scholar of marked attainments. His most serious fault is his apparent inability to anchor himself firmly in a school of political faith. As the Washington Post says, he is a man of ability, of culture, of lofty ideals, rendered helpless for good by the very intensity of his character. Had he been allowed what is called a balance wheel, he would have gone far and accomplished much; but he is impracticable, critical, censorious, and his political career is a warning, rather than a beacon, to the youth of our country, full of enthusiasm and with high ideals.

THE SAGE FORTUNE.

While Russell Sage, the dead millionaire financier, did not directly bequeath one dollar to charity, leaving the great bulk of his estate to his widow who is seventy-seven years of age, it is announced that Mrs. Sage will give millions to charitable objects "in accordance with an understanding reached by the financier and his wife long ago."

It is hoped this is true. If it is the world will not regard the memory of Mr. Sage that of a man wholly without a heart but will take a more generous view of his character. It is well known that Mrs. Sage has spent much of her time in charitable work. She has interested herself in various benevolent schemes and during her husband's lifetime drew more or less liberally upon his bank account for money with which to carry forward her charitable undertakings. How much sympathy Mr. Sage had with this work is a matter of conjecture. Perhaps originally he had none, for Russell Sage was heard-hearted. He had made fortune by persistent work and "had knocks." He had been given no quarter and he had asked none and was not disposed to make room for anyone else. But maybe a woman—his wife—softened him. Let us hope so, at any event.

A great fortune in the hands of a good woman—and all accounts agree that Mrs. Sage is not only a good woman in the ordinary acceptance of the term but is devoted to charity—can be of vast service in the betterment of general conditions, the alleviation of human suffering and the advancement of civilization. So whatever credit shall go to the Russell Sage's fortune for to good it may do will be directly attributable to a woman, who wielded a greater influence over the millionaire than even the money he possessed and worshipped. All honor to woman and her power to do good. May that power continue to grow greater!

LABOR IS SCARCE.

That is the Only Drawback Reported by Dun and Company.

New York, July 3.—R. G. Dun & Company's weekly review of trade tomorrow will say:

Aside from the seasonable dullness in whole-sale departments, commercial activity is well maintained, and early preparations are made for fall and winter business. August opened with nonadverse developments in the trade situation, while progress during July was most favorable. Trade reports are especially gratifying from the northwest and other points that are dependent upon agricultural results, but all sections of the country enjoy great prosperity. Scarcity of labor is the only serious complaint, the output of coke being curtailed, and there is delay in harvesting some crops, while strikes retard the rebuilding of San Francisco. Commodity prices are fairly steady, cheaper grain because of large crops being offset by strength in leading materials of manufacture, while legislation in Brazil advanced coffee sharply. Railroad earnings in July were 8.9 per cent. larger than a year ago, and foreign commerce at this port shows gains of \$3,358,669 in imports and \$483,006 in exports as compared with the same week last year. It is not often that managers of a leading industry are uneasy regarding the future because of too much business, yet that is becoming the situation at iron furnaces and steel mills. Orders on the books are far in excess to similar comparisons in earlier years. Tanners report that shoe manufacturers are buying sole leather only to cover immediate needs. Commercial failures for this in the United States are 180, against 216 last week.

GOVERNMENT CROP REPORT.

Washington, D. C., Aug. 3.—The crop reporting board of the bureau of statistics of the Department of Agriculture, in a bulletin issued at noon today, finds the reports of the correspondents and agents of the bureau that the average condition of cotton July 20, 1906, was 82.9 as compared with 83.3 on June 25, 1906; 74.9 on July 25, 1905; 91.6 at the corresponding date in 1904 and a ten year average of 82.3.

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The End of The World

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Constipation makes the cold drag along. Get it out of you. Take Kennedy's Laxative Honey and Tar cough syrup. Contains no opiates. Sold by M. E. Robinson & Bro.

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makes life now as safe in the city as on the higher uplands. E. W. Goodley, who resides on Duttan St. in Waco, Tex., needs no sea wall for safety. He writes: "I have used Dr. King's New Discovery for consumption the past five years and it keeps me well and safe. Before that time I had a cough which for years had been growing worse. Now its gone gone." Cures chronic Coughs, La Grippe, Croup Whooping Cough and prevents Pneumonia. Pleasant to take. Every bottle guaranteed at J. H. Hill & Son's Drug store. Price 50c and 1.00. Trial bottle free.

A poultice should never be placed to the eye.

Thousands annually bear witness to the efficiency of Early Risers. These pleasant, reliable little pills have long borne a reputation second to none as a laxative and cathartic. They are as pleasant as bread in millions of homes. Pleasant but effective. Will promptly relieve constipation without griping. Sold by M. E. Robinson & Bro.

When the baby talks, it is time to give Hollister's Rocky Mountain Tea. It's the greatest baby medicine known to loving mothers. It makes them eat, sleep and grow. 35 cents, Tea or Tablets. Ask your druggist.

The umbrella is another thing that has kept up well during this month.

Inflammatory Rheumatism Cured in 3 Days.

Mr. L. Hill of Lebanon, Ind; "My wife had Inflammatory Rheumatism in every muscle and joint; her suffering was terrible and her body and face were swollen almost beyond recognition; had been in bed for six weeks and had eight physicians, but received no benefit until she tried the Mystic Cure for Rheumatism. It gave immediate relief and she was able to walk about in three days. I am sure it saved her life." Sold by M. E. Robinson & Bro., Druggists.

Use boiling water when it first boils or the gases will escape and the water become flat.

In Self Defence

Major Hamm, editor and manager of the Constitutionalist, Eminence, Ky., when he was fiercely attacked, four years ago, by piles, bought a box of Bucklen's Arnica Salve, of which he says: "It cured me in ten days and no trouble since." Quickest healer of Burns, Sores, Cuts and Wounds 25c at J. H. Hill & Son's drug store.

Salt sprinkled on the fire will give blue flames so much desired for broiling.

You can see the poison Pine-ules clears out of the kidneys and bladder. A single dose at bed time will show you more poison upon rising the next morning than can be expelled from the system in any other way. Pine-ules dissolve the impurities, lubricate the kidneys, cleanse the bladder, relieve pain and do away with backache speedily, pleasantly, permanently. Sold by Higgins Drug Co.

Salt sprinkled on the bottom of the oven will keep cakes from burning.

What's the good of keeping from him Any good things you may see, That will lift his load of labor Like Rocky Mountain Tea. Ask your druggist.

A hotter oven is required for small layer cakes than for loaf cakes.

Eat one of Ring's Dyspepsia Tablets after each meal and you will not suffer with indigestion. Sold by Higgins Drug Co.

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Russell Sage wears a \$22,000 suit of steel gray now.

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Railroad passes are slowly but surely coming down to the two-cent basis.

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"How to keep off periodic attacks of biliousness and habitual constipation was a mystery that Dr. King's New Life Pills solved for me" writes John N. Pleasant of Magnolia, Ind. The only pills that are guaranteed to give perfect satisfaction to everybody or money refunded. Only 25c at J. H. Hill & Son's drug store.

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Kipling has butted into politics by the poetry route.

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SOUTHERN NATIONAL BANKS.

The Baltimore Sun contains some very interesting observations upon the national banks of the South and the business they are doing. It says: "The national banks of the South are to some extent an index of the increased industrial and financial activity of that area, giving life to hoards hitherto kept in stockings and out of use. They now number 1,295; Texas leading with 473. If Missouri, Indian Territory and Oklahoma are included in the south, that section has 1,563 national banks. Oklahoma and Indian Territory are particularly rich in this species of financial institution, the former having 113, the latter 148. Maryland has 91, Virginia 89, West Virginia 83, North Carolina 52, the District of Columbia 13. The older States, having State banks and private banks in large number, have a smaller proportion than the new areas. The South has 400 more national banks than the Eastern States, 700 more than the Western States, and six times as many as the Pacific States. Loans and discounts aggregate \$761,537,450. The resources are \$1,343,275,083, and they are actively employed. The conversion of idleness into active capital is one of the good signs of the times in the South."

Women as Well as Men Are Made Miserable by Kidney Trouble.

Kidney trouble preys upon the mind, discourages and lessens ambition; beauty, vigor and cheerfulness soon disappear when the kidneys are out of order or diseased. Kidney trouble has become so prevalent that it is not uncommon for a child to be born afflicted with weak kidneys. If the child urinates too often, if the urine scalds the flesh or if, when the child reaches an age when it should be able to control the passage, it is yet afflicted with bed-wetting, depend upon it, the cause of the difficulty is kidney trouble, and the first step should be towards the treatment of this important organ. This unpleasant trouble is due to a diseased condition of the kidneys and bladder and not to a habit as most people suppose.

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