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EDITORIAL.

THE POST SHOULD THINK AGAIN. The Washington Post in an editorial on Tom Watson's letter, says: "The only surprise in connection with Tom Watson's letter is that Chairman Butler thought it important enough to suppress."

It is no doubt true that Tom Watson's letter advising Populists not to vote the joint electoral tickets, would not have influenced many Populists. We don't think that there were a thousand Populists in the whole country who would follow Watson in doing that which would have helped elect McKinley simply because it could not be gotten to vote, but there is another view of the matter that is important. If Watson's letter giving such advice had been published before the election, to-day a large majority of the voters of the country would believe that his advice defeated Bryan. The Peoples Party would be shouldered with all the blame. It would have been very hard for the Peoples Party to have ever convinced the honest silver men and best elements of the two old parties—from which we must gain all our recruits in the future—that we were sincere or acted in good faith. Besides the Democratic politicians would have been furnished with a powerful weapon in the charge that the Peoples Party preferred to see McKinley elected instead of Bryan.

No one knew this better than Mr. Watson himself and that is the reason that he did not give out the letter himself as soon as it was ready in the usual way. The letter was not written to be published before the election. Mr. Watson clearly wrote it to be used after the election to serve certain personal purposes. He sent the letter, however, to the committee so that the committee would be forced to take the responsibility of publishing it, or holding it up till after the election.

Another "confidence" game. The goldbug newspapers are trying to work another "confidence" game on the public. They are making bogus claims about new enterprises starting up. The Iowa Farmers' Tribune says: "The Chicago Despatch is doing a splendid work in showing up the shabby claims of increased industrial operations. Hundreds of factories that are said to have started up with enormous numbers of workmen are shown to be a myth, and many corporations are actually cutting wages by reducing the hours of labor for their men, while at the same time the merchants are all taking advantage of the supposed wave of better times to mark up the prices on their goods. Thus we see that the wage earner's great purchasing power is not half so potent as he has been made to believe it would be after McKinley's election. That a whole lot of people have been horribly hoodwinked is becoming more and more apparent to the naked eye of even the party-blind Republican voter."

Five Peoples Party Governors. Editor of the Caucasian. How many Governors did the Peoples Party elect this year?—A subscriber. The Peoples Party elected five Governors in the following States: Kansas, Colorado, Nebraska, Washington and South Dakota. Besides this, we elected twenty-six Congressmen and will gain a United States Senator from Idaho and possibly one from Washington. Populist Senators will be re-elected from South Dakota and Kansas.

EDITORIAL COMMENT. Marion Butler's management of the recent Presidential campaign and his firm announcement that no one can be elected to succeed Senator Fritchard who is not an out-and-out, flat-footed, 15-to-1 silverite, have increased the esteem in which he is held on this side of the line which divides the two Carolinas, or, it might be more accurately stated, have created esteem for him on this side of the line. He has shown himself the most patriotic leader of the Populists and entitled to be considered a statesman who looks to the good of his country and the triumph of principles rather than to mere party or factional success.—Columbia Register.

One of the most important duties for the active Populists to perform just now is, in our opinion, to see that every Populist takes a Populist paper. The mixed condition of affairs during the recent campaign renders this necessary. If they take a Populist paper they will see that the fight is to go right on. We suggest that those who have done such noble work in getting up clubs of subscribers for the CAUCASIAN inquire of those subscribers who have herefore taken and see

have renewed, and, if not, their subscription for another year. Business failures continue to increase all over the country. It begins to look as though the country must "bust" or go into bankruptcy before the majority of people will have sense enough to do what the matter is. In the meantime the fellows who hold the Cleveland bonds and run the national banks are receiving as interest all the money that the other fellows are losing when they "bust."

We will bet a hat that the Pop who allowed himself to be bamboozled by Democrats in the last campaign feels a lot madder now than a Democrat feels.

And now Chairman Manly of the Democratic party is reported as saying that North Carolina elected SEVEN silver men to Congress. Well! How is this? Democratic papers and stump speakers have been swearing for two months past that everything but a Democrat was a goldbug, or a Hanstrater, or an anarchist. There was only one Democrat elected from this State and now we want to know who Chairman Manly thinks those other six silver men are.

We have noticed a statement published several times to the effect, that some Populist would be offered the position of Speaker of the House of the next legislature, who would agree to vote for and use his influence to elect a gold bug Senator. We do not believe that there is a single Populist member of the legislature who would make such a trade and if there is he could hardly be elected Speaker.

The Republicans told us that all the hard times were due to Cleveland's administration, and now Cleveland and his followers are given the credit of electing McKinley. We all know that Cleveland endorsed McKinley's election and did all he could to elect him. This gives the country a good idea of what it has to expect from McKinleyism.

In next week's issue we will present an interview from Governor-elect Russell in which he expresses some strong opinions on the lease of the North Carolina railroad. It is one of the strongest utterances we have ever seen.

With a fair election law and a fair count, a majority of 40,000 will be a troublesome thing to wipe out. Do ye hear, Demmy's!

THE SPANIARDS REPULSED.

Probable Explanation of Weyler's Return—Heavy Spanish Losses. NEW YORK, Nov. 25.—The Ward Line steamship City of Washington, which arrived to-day from Havana, brought some interesting news of the engagement which occurred recently near Mount Rubi, between the Spanish troops and the insurgent forces, headed by General Maceo.

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McKinley May Get One. Richmond, Va., November 21.—The Democrats will probably lose one elector in Virginia. Some of the returns sent in for Charles M. Wallace, Jr., the candidate for the Richmond district left off the word "Jr." and others simply gave his name as "Mr. Wallace."

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