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TWO-THIRDS of the trusts reported in the newspapers exist only on paper. They are not realities and never will be. Much of it is nothing less than windy talk to influence voters. When Democrats strike at what they term "tariff protected trusts," they are gunning for the tariff system and not trusts. An exchange properly asks "if the Democrats are to fight trusts wherefore the phrase 'tariff protected trusts?'" If they want to fight the tariff why don't they do it without adding the trust to it? There is no connection between the two. As we have said before all anti-trust legislation now on the national statute books, were put there by the Republican party, and at a time when no political issue was involved. Facts are what talk. It is generally conceded by well informed people that the Democratic party have no quarrel with trusts, but it is with the tariff and use the term "tariff protected trusts" for political effect. The public well remember its experience with the Gorman-Wilson bill a short time ago and to attempt to bring that issue before to people while this nation is on such a popular wave of prosperity, would bring ridicule on any party; hence the conglomeration of "tariff" and "trust." "Robber tariff" was the cry that had much to do with putting Cleveland in office the second time, and the promised reform which grew out of it cost the country more than the civil war. In looking back at the past and comparing it with the present, it is not surprising that deception should be resorted to conceal the facts. For an individual to attempt to carry Democratic theory into his business would call for ridicule and after he failed to make it work would be called stupid, yet a certain class of politicians are endeavoring to work their stupidity off on an intelligent public by attempting to harmonize "tariff and trusts," or oil and water. The Baltimore Sun last week went wide of the mark when it attempted to blend the "tariff" with "trusts." It disregarded reason and reveled in forming air castles. It says "house keepers are complaining of high prices of the necessaries of life, espesially manufactured articles, and join in the general cry against multiplying trusts. * * The Dingley tariff of from 40 to 150 per cent., is a fact. The trusts, embracing nearly every line of production and formed to make profits for their organizers by taking advantage of foreign competition, is also a fact. But for the tariff the trusts would be harmless, except to their security holders." Words like the above are harmless, because they are devoid of facts. As to house keepers complaining is nothing new or strange and has always existed and is no criterion to go by to get at the inwardness of things. The fact that those who denounce trusts because they put up prices shows ignorance, as they generally start off by announcing lower prices on their goods. Then that 40 to 150 per cent. is paraded out by the Sun paper for the same reason that the farmer puts out a most hideous scare-crow to keep off hawks and crows. The illustration while a homely one pictures that paper attempting to pose with its array of big per cents, is as harmless as the wooden man with his rags dangling in the wind. Fully one-half of the trusts already formed have no connection with the tariff whatever, as the raw material they use comes in free of duty. Take the great sugar and oil trusts for example and what do we see? The former effected by the present tariff law while the later is free from all duties arising from that source. One is as prosperous as the other and we hear but little complaint, save from sore-head politicians looking for self agrandizement. If ignorance is bliss then the Sun is in it.

THE Democratic paper of this vicinity seems dead to its party's foudness for the "horrible trust mill" in Delaware. It takes cognance of them elsewhere but because its mill is doing the work in this case, infers; "don't mention it." This is only one example of its political inconsistency.

AN execution has been served on Warren Darby, of Frederica, Dela., who is said to own about one-fourth of that town. It is the same old story, a town built on some one else's land, it is claimed.

FIVE counties on the Eastern Shore have fixed their tax rate for the coming year, viz.: Talbot, Caroline, Queen Anne's, Kent and Cecil. All of these counties have lowered their rate, except Caroline, which is a Republican county, and has been for several years. it has increased its rate from $1.12½ to $1.30, a rate nearly equal to that of Baltimore city. Following are the rates for '98 and '99: Cecil, '98, 90c, '99, 80c; Kent, '98, 95c, '99, 95c; Caroline, '98, $1.12½, '99, $1.30; Talbot, '98, 99c, '99, 90c; Queen Anne's '98, $1.00, '99, 80c.—Centreville Observer. The Observer has either deliberately misconstrued facts or has shown much ignorance in this matter. The public may be their own judges since the report was first published in this town that the commissioners had placed the tax rate at $1.30. That there was an intent to deceive the people in this county, goes without saying, as last Saturday's issue made no attempt to right the wrong impression sent out the week before. As we have before stated, this county's present tax rate is due to Democratic misrule in a measure, and goes without an attempt to even contradict it by the party responsible for it, the case being so clear against it. The county has been under the Republican rule less than two years and is still paying debts contracted by the old Democratic board. As yet the present one hasn't become disentangled from the poor management of its predecessors. Like most everything of the same nature, its sins have followed it and will be felt by the taxpays for some years to come. The tax rate in Baltimore city for '98 was $2.25, and if our Democratic friends can draw any satisfaction from it by a comparison with Caroline's tax rate, they are welcome to it. By comparing the tax rate of the five counties given above, reflects no credit on the Democratic party in this county, as it betrayed the trust imposed in it, and was turned from office after several years' trial, with a debt amounting to several thousand dollars for their successors to pay off.

AGAIN the Democratic press has failed to nominate a Republican governor for Maryland. Their last effort was to bring Major Alexander Shaw to the front. "Anything to beat Lowndes at the convention," is their motto. Major Shaw is a citizen of Baltimore, but at present at Saratoga, N. Y., said when asked if he would accept the nomination of governor: "I would not accept the nomination even if it were tendered to me." Senator Wellington has expressed himself thus as regards Major Shaw being a candidate: "There is nothing in it at all. There are some men in Baltimore who seek to manufacture an opposition to the Governor, but they do not go very far and can avail nothing. Mr. Lowndes will be renominated and, I believe, elected. Certainly there is nothing in the silly stories of Major Shaw lending himself to any such plans as the recent publications in the papers sent out. The Major does not want the position, and he is too loyal to his friends to think of interfering in the least with their plans." Failure thus far has failed to dampen the ardor of the Democratic bosses in Baltimore, and the public may expect to hear of their naming others, hoping to make it appear that the Republican party in this State is not the "happy family" they said it was a little while ago.

THE friends of Mr. Edwin Warfield formed a permanent organization in Baltimore last week to boom him for governor. This organization was formed to defeat the Smith boom on the Eastern Shore, which prevails in most of the counties, and is led by several of the most prominent Democrats of the State. It is said Caroline democracy is greatly pleased at the turn of the Warfield boom. They are much opposed to John Walter Smith, but lack the courage to come out and say so, lest they incur the displeasure of A. P. Gorman. While Gorman owns both of these men so far as political slavery is concerned, still he has selected Smith and will insist to the last that his instructions be carried out and Smith nominated for governor. Leading Democrats say the Gorman spell is broken, not only in this State, but nation, while other say it will take this fall to fully complete the job. A few brief weeks will tell how Gorman stands with his party at home, which will mean much in other States. At present he is in bad repute, so much so that his former mouth piece in this county seldom mentions his mane.

"ANYTHING is fair in politics," is the way some Democrats excuse themselves for questionable dealings. A case that should make honest Democrats blush for their party happened at Annapolis last week when that party hurried up matter and printed the city ballots with their names on it only. They excuse theselves for this inconsistency by hiding behind the law, which says the candidates' names must be in at a certain time. Common courtesy could have been shown their tardy Republican opponents and then there would have been days to spare. This election was held on Monday and resulted in a "great Democratic victory;" because the party had no opposition.

A stray Hogg from Texas invaded the den of the Tammany tiger on the Fourth. Finding the chief tiger away the Hogg made things lively for a brief period. When the tiger returns we may look for the announcement that the Hogg has been converted into breakfast bacon.—Dover Sentinel. In the meantime there is weeping and wailing for the Hogg so completely rooted Mr. Gorman up in his stronghold and supplanted the free silver king instead. Reports from that noted pow-wow say that the Hogg made a stampede for Bryan and that the former Gormanites forgot their new master and sang the song of 16 to 1 as vigorously as though Gorman's praises were being sung. It's just the same with them as heretofore; "politics make strange bed fellows."

COL. Bryan's friends claim that he has 19 more votes in the Democatic national convention than is necessary to nominate him. His friends say he has 626 votes, with 90 anti-Bryan votes, and 178 doubtful ones. If Mr. Bryan's friends have stated the situation as it is, there need be no question as to who will get the nomination, but it will be a big job to make the public believe it.

COL. Ezekiel T. Cooper who was serving an 18-months' sentence at the Trenton, N.J. State prison, died suddenly Tuesday night. Mr. Cooper had but one more month to serve, and then by the payment of $5,000 he would have been square with the world once more, so far as the Dover bank scandal is concerned. His death was the result of cramps and hiccoughs.

THE American liner Paris is no longer a prisoner on the Cornish rocks, but floats proudly on the great deep, having been released from her perilous position by German salvage men. Americans are proud of the Germans for we love the Paris for her war record.


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RESOURCES.

| | | |
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| Loans and discounts | | $108 676 60 |
| Overdrafts, secured and unsecured. | | 10 80 |
| U. S. Bonds to secure circulation | | 12 500 00 |
| Stocks, Securities, etc., | | 13 747 53 |
| Banking-house, furniture and fixtures | | 986 20 |
| Due from National Banks (not Reserve Agents) | | 32 93 |
| Due from approved reserve agents | | 12 019 77 |
| Checks and other cash items | | 132 25 |
| Notes of other national banks | | 190 00 |
| Fractional paper currency, nickels, and cents | | 331 72 |
| LAWFUL MONEY RESERVE IN BANK, VIZ: | | |
| Specie | $7 712 85 | |
| Legal-tender notes | 3 244 00 | 10 956 85 |
| Redemption fund with U. S. Treasurer (5 per cent of circulation) | | 562 50 |
| Total | | $160 147 15 |

LIABILITIES.

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| Capital stock paid in | 50 000 00 |
| Surplus fund | 1 500 00 |
| Undivided profits, less expenses and taxes paid. | 1 443 14 |
| National Bank notes outstanding | 11 250 00 |
| Due to other National Banks | 1 841 13 |
| Due to State Banks and Bankers, | 116 41 |
| Individual deposits subject to check | 53 812 42 |
| Certified checks | 25 00 |
| Bills payable | 40 000 00 |
| Liabilities other than those above stated. | 159 05 |
| Total | $160 147 15 |

STATE OF MARYLAND, COUNTY OF CAROLINE, ss:

I, Geo. L. Wallace, Cashier of the above-named bank, do solemnly swear that the above statement is true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

GEO. L. WALLACE, Cashier.

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 7th, day of July, 1899.

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Sealed proposals marked on outside "Proposals for Denton High School Building" will be received from practical carpenters and builders at this office until noon of TUESDAY, JULY 18th, 1899, for erecting a High School Building in the town of Denton, Maryland, according to plans and specifications given below and drawings now on file at this office.

The outside dimensions of the building are as follows: Front or width 69ft; depth 58 feet; corner posts 26 feet.

**Cellar and Brickwork.**

The walls of the cellar or basement are to be three feet below the surface of the ground and four feet above ground surface. The dirt from the excavation, except such portion as may be needed for grading the school lot, is to be removed from the lot. The walls are to be 13 inches in thickness up to the lower part of cellar windows and the remainder of walls to be eight inches thick. The bricks are to be good, hard red bricks in all outside walls and arch bricks in inside walls. They are to be well laid with sharp sand, good mortar and small joints. There will be fourteen brick pillars, each one to be 13 in. by 24 in., which will be the supports for the center of the building. There will be 10 windows each to have two panes 16 x 24. The outside entrance to cellar will be a door in rear of building while the entrance inside will be under the main stairway, each to have a sub stancial door.

**Framing and Material.**

The sills are to be of Georgia heart pine 6 in. x 8 in. All other framing material to be of good original growth spruce pine. All timbers are to be spaced 16 inches from center except rafters which are to be two feet from center.

Rafters 2 x 6; studding 2 x 5 (all studding to be bridged); joists 2½ x 12; upper joists 2 x 8; girders 6 x 10 Georgia pine; all joists are to be well bridged. The entire building is to be covered with good sheathing material surfaced. For the roof surface there must be used under the shingles tarred felt paper, and for the sides of building good building paper. The siding is to be No. 1 feather edge cypress. All outside casings are to be made of No. 1 cypress.

Flooring—All floors are to be laid with rough board one inch thick for first floor. The second floor is to be No. 1 Virginia flooring 1¼ in. thick. Between the floors of the upstairs rooms there must be used deadening felt No. 9 (3 ply.)

Wainscoating and Ceiling— All ceilings of first floor to be ceiled with ⅜ beaded ceiling clear of knots and stains. For the two school rooms of first floor there must be placed between the ceiling and joists a layer of deadening felt heavy (No. 23.) In the lower and upper halls there is to be wainscoating three feet nine inches high, which is to be No. 1 Virginia pine clear and clean, and is to be placed on after walls have been plastered to floor. In all other rooms the wainscoating is to be two feet and nine inches high, of same material as that for halls and to be placed after walls are plastered to floor.

Inside Finish—All inside finish is to be No. 1 yellow pine. All windows and doors are to have angle blocks. The entire ceiling of first floor must be finished with four inch crown moulding for all angles.

Roof.—The roof is to be made of No. 1 slate (peach bottom), wire nailed and put on in workmanlike manner. The gutters and conductor pipes are to be of copper. There is to be used in some places of roof ornamental slate. The roofs of front and rear porches are to be covered with slate.

Stairway.—The lower newell post to be 8 in. square at base; landing newels are to be 5½ in square; rail is to be 3 in by 4 in; balustrades are to be 2½ inches square. The material is to be first class oak, built after style "Queen Anne." There will be a substantial stairway to enter the basement from the main hall.

Sash and Doors.— The outside doors are to be 2 in. thick and all inside doors 1¼ in thick. All windows are to have half blinds inside. All doors, sash and blinds to be of white pine. All windows are to be hung with weights and cords except cellar windows. All transoms over mindows and doors are to be hung on pivots. All transoms over windows must be of colored glass. The folding doors between assembly room and library will be 10 feet high, 1¼ in thick and so hung as to fold back into corners. A case for books in library room with good shelving and doors will be built 8 ft high in S. W. corner of said room.

Plastering and piping.—Good sand and No. 1 lime are to be used in the plaster. The first coat to be of brown mortar and the second coat of hard white finish. All ceilings of second floor to be plastered as well as all sides which are to be plastered with one coat to floor. Hot air pipes and registers must be run into all rooms from cellar to second floor. There will be one large flue running from a point near center of basement to measure 12 inches square on inside, to be finished in panel with slab slate top.

Belfry.— The belfry in center of roof to be octagon shaped and proportioned to building. The roof to be covered with slate, with spire and weather vane and interior proof against leak.

Painting. — All outside woodwork must have three good coats of pure linseed oil and Lewis' best white lead in wooden hooped kegs, the last coat to be one-half zinc. The colors are to be selected by the School Board. All inside wood work to have two coats of hard oil and one coat of varnish.

Hardware.—Locks must be No. 1. mortised; hinges to be loose joint malleable, three hinges to a door; sash locks and necessary fastenings for windows; transoms over windows to be hung on pivots with lever fastenings to be reached from the floor. All windows of first story to be protected by heavy wire screens made to fit in windows. All nails used in building must be wire. All cloak rooms must be furnished with suitable hooks and water stand with zinc basin and surface pipe.

All stepping must be 1¼ in. thick with heavy framing, all material to be of North Carolina pine.

Work.—All work on building must be done in first-class workmanlike manner, and subject to inspection by a building committee to be appointed by the School Board.

The building must be completed and ready for acceptance not later than Dec. 1, 1899. The successful bidder will be required to give bond for faithful performance of his contract equal in amount to the bid accepted, with such security as may be approved by the Board.

Partial payments will be made to contractor during the progress of construction, and when building is accepted whatever balance is due will be paid in full. The Board reserves the right to reject any and all bids. Drawings and specifications can be seen at the office of the School Board.

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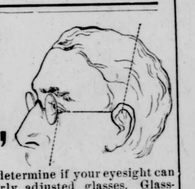
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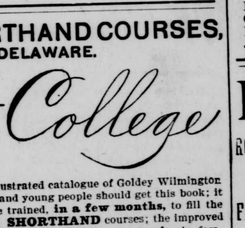
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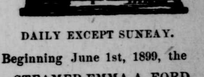
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Leaves Centreville ot 7.00 a. m., stopping at landings on the Corsica river Jackson Creek and Rock Hall. Leave Jackson Creek 8:15 a. m., Leave Rock Hall 9:30 a. m., arrive Baltimore about 11:30 a. m. Leave Baltimore 3:00 p. m., arrive Rock Hall 5.00 p. m; arrive Jackson Creek 6:15 p. m.; arrive Centreville about 7:30.

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