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It cost \$11,638.77 to hold the city election at Indianapolis, not a small amount of money.

PRESIDENT MCKINLEY has designated Thursday, November 30, a day of Thanksgiving and prayer.

THE whiskey trust has dismissed 380 traveling salesmen, all from Kentucky. Good thing, these trusts.

THE DEMOCRAT and Sentinel one year one dollar—all the news of national, state and local importance.

It is now Warden Shideler of the prison north, he having taken charge of that institution today, succeeding Warden Harley.

THE effort to pardon from the penitentiary John Johnson the Logansport bank wrecker, has rightly failed, so he will serve out his allotted sentence of ten years.

THE dedication of Allen county's new court house will take place some time next spring, and will be made a great event in the history of the county. It is a beautiful structure.

SENATOR MASON of Illinois, threatens to resign from the United States senate, because his anti-administration views are so emphatic that he can not endorse the policy of the president.

GOVERNOR MOUNT now says that if the republican party in their next national platform failed to declare against trusts, Indiana would go democratic. They will say enough, the Lord knows, but there is a wide divergence between saying something and acting upon the same declaration.

THE Plymouth Democrat, Hon. Daniel McDonald's newspaper, very emphatically endorses B. F. Shively of South Bend, as the democratic candidate for governor, with Mayor Taggart as a running mate. While there is some merit in this political combination, yet it in no way compares with the former announcements of the Hon. Sam Ralston for governor.

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JOHN H. MOUGEY

THE name of M. M. Hathaway of Winamac, has been suggested for chairman of the democratic state central committee. Mr. Hathaway is prominent in democratic circles and has some ability in organization.

THE Hon. Vernon Davis, district committeeman from this district, is home from an extended absence spent in Colorado. According to published statements since his return, he comes back imbued with high hopes of Bryan and democratic success in 1900.

ALLEN W. CLARK and Gil Shanklin, silver democrats, are having their razors sharpened for Editor Morss of the Indianapolis Sentinel in his announced purpose to be a delegate to the next national convention. Senator Drummond of Plymouth, is also practicing with the punching bag, it is asserted.—Goshen News.

TIME makes changes in the political attitude of men. In 1896 but one newspaper in New York City championed the cause of Bryan and his election. Now and in 1900 seven newspapers in that city will support him, while but four will take up the cause of McKinley and the administration. What is true of Greater New York is also true of many other sections of the nation. The outlook for political success certainly looks bright and rosy from a democratic point of view.

HON. WILLIAM H. HARKINS of Jay county, has been suggested for chairman of the democratic state committee. Mr. Harkins is a recognized force in politics in Eastern Indiana. He was at one time a member of the state central committee, and has been a presidential elector and a member of the legislature. Until recently he was deputy revenue collector, stationed at Fort Wayne. If chosen state chairman, Mr. Harkins will prove a vigorous and intelligent manager.—Frankfort Crescent.

MR. MORSS, editor of the Indianapolis Sentinel, announces himself as a candidate for delegate at large to the next national convention. His candor is to be commended. When one wants anything he ought not to be too modest to ask for it. We presume he will also be candid enough to say that he will make the race on the basis of his prepared interview published in the Chicago Times-Herald during the summer in which he announced that the democracy could not succeed in 1900 on a platform declaring for the remonetization of silver at the ratio of 16 to 1. If the democracy of Indiana wish to repudiate the silver issue they cannot more effectually accomplish that result than by selecting him to represent them in the national convention as requested.—Plymouth Democrat.

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be one declaring against militarism. This will, however, be determined by events of the next few months. When asked what effect he thought the "prosperity" in the western states would have, Senator Jones said: "Yes; I know they say at Washington that the country is in a highly prosperous condition and perhaps that is correct from certain standpoints. But I cannot see that there is any great material prosperity. According to the local country papers more mortgages are being foreclosed in the producing states this year than ever before. The prosperity does not appear to have affected the farmer, nor has it done much as yet for the laborer in general. Cotton and wheat have not made any advance to speak of in price. That argument can be readily answered when the time comes. Of course there has been an increase in the output of gold, and that is bound to affect prices in some degree, greater or less. But that is only a proof of the arguments advanced by us in 1896 that what the country needed was a greater volume of money in circulation." When asked what effect he thought the alleged prosperity would have on the voter in general, he said in emphatic tones: "It will affect only those men who are very narrow in their political and social views."

The above is characteristic of the field marshal of Democracy. Senator Jones never equivocates on any subject, and is always pleasingly blunt when speaking of Democratic principles. He stands easily on his feet and is not shying any castors into the camps of the Clevelandites. "The doors of democracy are open to all who like the party's principles," he says, "but those principles will not be trimmed to suit any man or set of men."

NEWSPAPER gossips say that Dewey will soon wed the Widow Hazen City daily who persist in turning up their noses at their country cousins, give this announcement a couple of columns of valuable space.

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THE republicans can carry Adams county at the next election. The big split in the democratic party, backed up by the general satisfaction of the republican administration, will do it.—Journal.

How cruel. The Journal editor is surely not authority on "splits" for every one of his seventy-one predecessors made similar predictions, and still the world moves on. When he lives here longer he will know better than to stake his reputation upon splits in the democratic party. As to the "general satisfaction of the republican administration"—we presume he means national—we advise a second perusal of public and published statements, coming from such well known statesmen as the Hon. John Sherman of Ohio, Senator George F. Hoar of Massachusetts, Carl Schurz who was a cabinet officer under Hayes, George S. Boutwell, secretary of the treasury during the great civil war, Senator Eugene Hale of Maine, Senator William E. Mason of Illinois, and Thomas B. Reed, who by the way is most distinguished republican and who may be given a presidential nomination in 1900. If the Journal does the occasion justice it will be kept busy anointing its own party splits.

