

# THE THANKSGIVING DINNER

Let Us Help You Prepare For The Great Occasion.

A great dinner is what we are all looking for Thanksgiving and that's what everybody's going to have who lets us help them in their plans. We have enough dainties to laden the biggest table. Can you imagin a Thanksgiving without raisins, nuts and pies. And the mince meat for the pies and the fancy groceries, jams and jellies. You can come here and get everything that's good for your Thanksgiving dinner. Order Early.

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New Crop English Walnuts per lb..... .16  
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Choice Citron Peel per lb..... .16  
Fancy Mexican Oranges per doz..... .28  
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A new and full line of Flannel Shirtwaists from.....**\$1.48up**

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Who can help trembling for the country when he thinks of all the things that Bryan says Roosevelt ought to do?

Our Democratic friends need not worry over that big treasury surplus; the Republican congress will put it to a good use.

The Democratic party cannot drop free silver without acknowledging that it owes more for the offices than for what it has twice declared to be Jeffersonian principles.

President Roosevelt's assurance that he is "going to be president of the United States and not of any section" creates no surprise. He said practically the same thing when he declared he was going to carry out President McKinley's policies.

The Democrats of Illinois are soon to gather the heads of messes and make a desperate effort to get together and build a tower reaching clear to the political heaven of office holdings. As usual, however, the confusion of tongues will balk their efforts.

Why have the people been kept in ignorance this year about doings on Mr. Bryan's farm? Those who are really interested in him would like to know whether he suffered loss from the drought. Surely, it cannot be that he has given up farming just because he wasn't elected.

Our Democratic friends are hard to suit. The appointment by the president of a Democrat to a high office has been characterized by a Democratic organ in Chicago as an attempt to "bribe the Democrats." If the contrary course had been pursued the president would have been criticized for adhering to the spoils system.

Senator Tillman, of South Carolina, actually said what he is reported to have said about the president's dinner at the White House. He said that he was "sincerely expelled from the White House."

can afford to sit with a man who said that a thousand "niggers" must be killed to offset the bad influence of that dinner.

While there is talk among the free traders about reducing the tariff in this country, other countries are increasing their tariffs. Holland and Germany have already made moves in that direction, and England has increased the tariff on some articles, and will, in the near future, have a protective tariff. The remainder of the world moves if the free traders do not.

There are some newspaper men in this country who express the fear that President Roosevelt is too "strenuous." They can find pleasure in the fact that the Europeans who have an eye on South America, particularly on the neighborhood in which Brazil is situated, have the same fear. It is a pretty good rule to be contented when certain other nations are dissatisfied.

A free silver Colorado congressman who has been to the Philippines proposes to introduce a bill in the next session of congress providing for the free coinage of silver for those islands. He thinks that will make the Filipinos happy and prosperous. But it is about the cruelest thing yet proposed for the Filipinos. Uncle Sam is not in the Philippines for the purpose of swindling the natives.

The Champaign Gazette remarks that in his Illinois Day speech at Buffalo Governor Yates summed up the real ambitions and purposes of this state in these appropriate words: "To-day Illinois is inculcating a high type and form of citizenship, realizing that corruption must not rule in municipal councils, immorality must not prevail in society, hypocrisy must not disgrace our religion, and the community must not prefer the demagogue to the patriot."

The time has come to more definitely elaborate our policy in regard to the Philippines, and it is believed congress will do so during the coming session. It may be that some "anti-expansion" pyrotechnics may be indulged in by the Democratic side, but, for all practical purposes, opposition to our retention of the Philippine Islands has ceased to exist. The Aguinaldo scoop, which has taken place since congress was last in session, and the establishment of civil government over the greater portion of the archipelago, has smothered such lurid oratory that was ready to burst forth both in Washington and in the New England branch of the Philippine League.

### WITH THE MERCHANTS.

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Cotton knit, fleeced underwear for men at Nash's.

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