

GOOD DEMOCRATIC DOCTRINE.

The following resolutions were adopted at the several Democratic township meetings:—Believing that accumulated capital which is protected by the Government, should bear a portion of the expense of the Government, we therefore favor an income tax. We affirm that the act of Congress of 1873, which virtually demonetized silver, and all the acts hostile to silver which have since been passed, have been cruel and unjust to the masses of the people, that they have discriminated in the interest of one class of our people who represent the few, and, against the other class who represent the many. We therefore ask and demand that the mints all of which are now closed against silver shall be opened for free coinage of both gold and silver at same ratio viz, 16 to 1 and under the same regulations as existed from the establishment of the Government up to the year 1873.

The above is an honest, bold, independent, defiant way of expressing Democratic doctrine. There is no ambiguity, no deception, no cowardice in it. It says what it means and means what it says.

HON. JOHN G. CARLISLE ON SILVER.

The Hon. John G. Carlisle, then U. S. Senator, now Secretary of the Treasury said: "The Conspiracy to demonetize silver, if successful, would be more disastrous to the people of this country than War, Pestilence or Famine."

THE CONSPIRATORS WERE SUCCESSFUL.

The demonetizing of silver is a stepping stone to Anarchy—yea it is more—it is a flight of stairs leading to the chamber of horrors—Bankruptcy, Panics, Suicide, Repudiation, Agrarianism and universal poverty among all wealth producers.

It is a wicked preference given to the creditor over the debtor class of our entire population. It is this preference that is driving our middle classes into poverty and enabling a few to control the finances of the country for their own selfish purposes. Let suffering humanity answer if this prediction

HAS NOT BEEN VERIFIED.

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