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We have made arrangements to furnish the REFLECTOR and North Carolina for the above amount.

A New Intruder.

M. H. Jones, of this city, has had some of his plum and pear trees infested with some kind of insect.

De. Battle writes that the plum twigs show that they are infested with the San Jose scale, the scientific name of which is Aspidiotus perniciosus.

The second named pest is common and injurious in many apple and pear orchards, but has not the destructive qualities that the San Jose scale has.

The following formula how to prepare a scale wash, to be used after the leaves fall and before they emerge in the spring, was given:

White oil soap dissolved in water and used hot. Two pounds of soap to each gallon of water.

Another and less expensive treatment is "winter scale wash," formula No. 5, bulletin 120, of the experiment station, a copy of which will be sent to all who are troubled with these pests.

This information may be of incalculable benefit to many people in Durham and vicinity, hence we give it to our readers.—Durham Sun.

Slavin Defeats Kilrain.

Baltimore, Md., September 15.—Ex-Champion Jake Kilrain was knocked out by Frank P. Slavin at the Eureka Club tonight.

The Baltimore heavyweight was fitter than a punching bag for the Australian, and it took him but two and a quarter minutes to put the ex-champion out.

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One of the toughest stories that has come recently from New York, was brought out in the investigation by the Brotherhood of Bookbinders of the strike of the employees of the International company.

This company has a contract for 150,000 Bibles and in making them it has resorted to the meanest methods it could devise.

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An Awkward Mistake.

"These short bicycle skirts are certainly a great leveller," said the south side man as he looked out of the car window at a passing wheelwoman, according to the Cleveland Plain Dealer.

"Especially for a somewhat nearsighted man," he irrelevantly added. Then he sighed as if at some passing recollection and presently continued:

"Early last evening I was walking near my home when a wheelwoman just ahead of me attracted my attention. She was trim and neat, and dressed in excellent taste. Her gray skirt just reached where her boot tops would ordinarily have been.

"Why, George, is that you? Didn't you know me?" "Why, no, I didn't, honestly," I replied and felt like rubbing my eyes.

"That's awfully good," said the trim wheelwoman, with a merry laugh. "I was just going over to show Nellie my new wheel and my new suit."

"Say, what do you think?" "It was my mother-in-law, aged 57!"

Court Room Aboard.

A man was accused of having stolen a pair of trousers. There were several witnesses, but the evidence was rather meagre, and so the accused was acquitted, says "Parson's Weekly."

"Parson's Weekly." He was told that he could go; but he remained. His lawyer, to whose success full defence he mainly owed his liberty, hinted to him again that he was free to depart, but still he stayed.

There being no more cases to be heard, the court was getting impatient, asked, with some asperity, why he didn't go. The injured innocent man whispered in his ear: "The fact is, sir, I did not like to move till the witness left the court."

"Why so?" "Because, sir, I have got on the trousers that I stole."

FUN.

Now doth the sluggish humblbee Beat himself with zest, And jab his stinger into boys Who monkey with its nest —Chicago Tribune.

"Yes," said Mr. Spiffin. "I never had no chance at an education myself, but I am determined that my son Abner shall have the best there is going. I shall send him to college."

"Yale, Harvard or Princeton?" "I haven't decided yet. What's this electoral college I see mentioned in the newspapers so much?" —Pittsburg Chronicle.

Sad Case—"I have been here for three days," said the stranger impressively. "Yes, sah," said the landlord of the Georgia village tavern.

"And I did have a notion of investing and settling down here, but if that confounded fellow in the house across the way can't be induced to stop playing 'If You Love Me Tell Me So' on the cornet, I am going to some other town."

"Mister," said the landlord, "when I tell you who the poor fellow is, maybe you won't blame him so much. That there is Tom Watson." —Indianapolis Journal.

On the Safe Side—"Hellow!" said the voter to the Billville election manager. "At 10 o'clock at night and the polls still open?" "Yes," sighed the manager, "very urgent case."

"Why, the law doesn't allow you." "The law be hanged!" cried the voter. "Major Jones haint voted yet, an' he bought a new rifle yesterday, an' set word he wuz a-comin'. I haint got a thing agin the law, but self-preservation's the fact law of nature, an' I'm a self-preservationist.—Atlanta Constitution.

Clear Way to Get a Wife

The strangest system of selecting a wife known to civilized countries exists in Russia. It is called a game, but it is a very serious one and always takes place at Christmas time.

Some one of prominence in a village announces that the annual merrymaking will be held at his house. On the appointed day the young men and women hasten in large excitement to the meeting place.

When the time comes the hostess leads all the girls into one room, where they seat themselves on the benches. Laughing and chattering, they are each promptly veiled in winding sheets by the hostess. The head and hair and figure are completely covered, and when this is done the girls resemble mummies.

The young men draw lots and one by one they enter the room where the muffled girls sit. Helpless so far as sight or touch goes, the puzzled lover tries to find his favorite. Finally he chooses one, and then he may avail her.

It is the law of custom that the man shall marry the girl he has picked out, and if either backs out a heavy forfeit must be paid. It is said that this matrimonial lottery is productive of many happy marriages.—New York Journal.

Sounds Like a Fish Story.

Mr. J. M. Lancaster, who lives over in Polk county, North Carolina, was in the city yesterday. He said an old negro named Miles went a-groveling hunting the other day near Tyrone, and not meeting with much luck he lay down under the shade of a large tree to watch for game. The old man being very tired, soon fell asleep. The next morning his wife, alarmed at his not returning home, collected a large party and went in search of her missing husband. The posse, after searching the woods diligently for three days in vain, gave up the search and concluded that Miles had quit the country. Just exactly one week from the day Miles fell asleep he woke up. About dusk he arrived home and commanded his wife to hurry up supper as he was very hungry. The old fellow cannot be made to believe that he slept one week and still maintains that the whole thing is a put up job on him.—Spartanburg (S. C.) Herald.

The Girl Who Works.

The girl who works—God bless her. She is brave and she is not too proud to earn her own living. She is studious, painstaking and patient. She smiles from behind the counter or desk, her smile is the reflection of celestial grandeur and eternal bliss. She is like a beautiful mountain, her character is pure as the bubbling spring, strong as the rock from which it flows and as high as the mountain's topmost pinnacle. The sight of her should be a fine inspiration to all. Her hand may be stained by dish-washing, sweeping, factory grease or printer's ink, but it is an honest and helping hand. It stays misfortune from many poor homes. It is one shield that protects many a forlorn little family from the poor house and asylum. All honor to the girl who works.

Cats That Travel.

On one of the Southern railroads there is a cat that lives on one of the trains. When the train stops, the cat jumps off at the station and walks about. The moment the conductor calls "All aboard!" puss jumps on the train. She has freedom of the train, and makes friends with the passengers. Nor is this cat the only one that goes to travel. On one of the ferry-boats that crosses from an up town ferry in New York City to Long Island shore is a cat that has been on the boat ten years. She is the pet of the crew and the passengers. Once in a while puss stays on shore for a trip. When she does, she stretches out on of the big beams on the bridge and waits for her boat to come back. She never makes the trip on any other boat. The crew feed her and care for her tenderly.

"Which Side are You on?"

Mr. Bryan asks this pertinent question in his speech at Tiochi New York. Each and every voter in the land may make this inquiry of himself, and settle it for himself, in his own conscience and best judgment. Are you ready to take sides with the trusts, monopolies and syndicates that are banded together for the purpose of controlling the government, or do you stand with the people for an honest government, administered by the people, for the people? Democrats cannot hesitate. It is for the doubting Thomases to decide.

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GOODBYE, SIR!

Goodby, Mister Summertime— Take de lortest way; Only fault we find wid you— Make too long a stay, Dat's de song! You stay too long, But Mister Winter's comin' strong!

Goodby, Mister Summertime— Pack yo' things on start! O. ly heart dat break for you Is de watermelon heart. Heah dat song? You stay too long! But Mister Winter's comin' strong!

Goodby, Mister Summertime! Preaches mighty sweet, But winter's comin' on, En juicy 'possum meat! Heah dat song? You stay too long! But Mister Winter's comin' strong!

WEATHER CROP BULLETIN.

The weather during the week ending Saturday, September 12th, 1896, continued remarkably dry, almost no rain at all having fallen, except a very few light local showers in several Western counties. The first part of the week was cool (7th and 8th), but during the latter part the temperature rose again above 90 degrees. The weather has been clear and favorable for cotton-picking, but was not other wise beneficial. Streams and wells are reported to be getting very low.

EASTERN DISTRICT.

Extremely dry weather continues. No rain occurred since the morning of September 6th; rain is badly needed everywhere and water is getting scarce in streams and wells. Cotton is mostly open and in many places entirely picked out; about half the crop has been gathered. Corn almost dry, and sorghum has been put in crisis. Field-peas are poor, vines bloomed without bearing much fruit. Very few farmers have a good stand of turnips; the seeds are not coming up, and plants where up are not growing. Moving hay and pea-vines continues. Rice and sweet potatoes are being cut by the drought. Peanuts are drying up, and only half matured, and hence will be short crop. Good crop of sump-nut and grape.

CENTRAL DISTRICT.

Another dry, clear week; wells failing. Some cool nights occurred first part of the week, but it became very warm again towards the end. A few local showers occurred in Forsyth and Granville, benefiting turnips and permitting some fall plowing. Cotton crop nearly all open in south, and will soon be in the north; much of it picked out; the hot sun has caused further premature opening. Cotton is being brought to market rapidly. Early corn is dry enough to gather and fair crop. Over half the farmers are through cutting and curing tobacco. Hay-making proceeds; grass and pea-vine hay poor. Pea crop short.

WESTERN DISTRICT.

Excepting very light local showers on the 11th at scattered points in five counties, the entire week was dry and clear. The 7th and 8th were cool, but higher temperatures prevailed at the close of the week. These conditions were favorable for picking cotton which progressed rapidly; cotton is estimated to be from one-half to two-thirds open. The entire crop will be out at least three weeks earlier than usual. Field-peas are being gathered; pods were formed sparingly. Where rains occurred turnips are making fine growth but many farmers have planted turnip seed three times without securing a fair stand. Cane being cut and molasses made. Pastures injured by drought also in western valleys.

Strange Indeed.

An engineer of the S. A. L., whose veracity cannot be doubted, relates a strange incident, which happened in this town last Monday. He says he was walking along First street, and just as he got opposite Capt. T. F. Anderson's residence, he heard something fall just in front of him, and upon investigation, he found it was a brand new silver quarter. He looked around and not seeing any one near, could not imagine where it came from.

"So you see, we are destined to have free silver. If the American people will not vote for us to have it, it will fall from the skies. Old Hanna and all his gold cannot keep it living. It's coming just as sure as you are leaving." —Weldon News.

A New Method.

"Who'd you vote for yesterday, Ben?" "De man what make de 'rangement wid me."

"What man?" "De man what change a one-dollar bill for me, en' give me two fives en' a ten in change!"

NORTH CAROLINA AND VANCE

In his speech at Asheville on Wednesday Mr. Bryan paid the following tribute to North Carolina and "Our Zeb."

"I have a reason for coming to North Carolina which is personal, aside from my interest in the electoral vote of this state. It was the state of North Carolina which at Chicago, before I became a candidate, before my own state had taken any formal part in presenting my name—it was the state of North Carolina which by resolution decided to give me the unanimous vote of the North Carolina delegation in that national convention. (Cheers.) I appreciate the honor which they were willing to do me, and, therefore, it gives me great pleasure to come among these people whom they represented and give what assistance I can, if any assistance be needed to secure the electoral vote of this state for the free exchange of silver at 16 to 1. (Cheers.) I am glad the canvass of this state opens in this county, which was the home of one of the grandest public men given to the nation, not alone by North Carolina, but the entire country, Senator Vance. (Great applause.) He was a man whom I delighted to honor, and I am glad I stand among his neighbors and friends advocating the same cause he so eloquently advocated, and I cannot more than impress upon your memories the words he so often spoke. Among the last of his public speech was one upon the money question. Let me read you a few words from it:

"The great fight is on. The power of money and its allies throughout the world have entered into this conspiracy to perpetrate the greatest crime of this or any other age—to overthrow one-half of the world's money and thereby double their own wealth by enhancing the value of the other half which is in their hands. The money changers are polluting the temple of our liberties. To your tent, oh Israel. (Applause.)

"He foresaw the struggle in which we are now engaged. He realized its magnitude when many others did not. These words came from him as words of command: "To your tents, Oh Israel," and the command was heeded by the democratic party and they engaged first in warfare within the party to rescue that party and the party name from the hands of those who were using it to advance the interest, not of democracy, but of plutocracy. (Applause.)

The Marriageable Age. Regarding the coinage question as substantially settled and the tariff question postponed, the New York Herald has addressed itself to the discussion of the great social problem, "At what age should women marry?"

This, however, appears to us a question that admits of a very easy answer. A woman should marry at whatever age she has an opportunity to marry with advantage. Such an opportunity may come early or it may not come till late; it does not often happen that the woman can select the occasion according to her idea of the proper age, and for that reason we should doubt the utility of the discussion.

It is doubtless true that the average age of marriage has advanced within a generation or two. This is partly because a girl's education is extended over more years than formerly, and partly because the men are not ready to marry so soon. It takes longer to make a stay in life or to reach the point where a man feels that he can undertake a domestic establishment. At the same time the young women have acquired more interests and opportunities and do not always think of marriage as the one essential end, so that the roses often remain ungathered much longer than our grandmothers would have thought fit.

Now, how can anybody under take to say at what age "women" should marry? It is a question for the individual woman. Assuming that she has reached maturity, and that she has not passed into senility, the proper time for her to marry is when she is sought in marriage by a man whom she surely loves, whom she honors and respects and who will give her love, honor and respect in turn, together with a fitting maintenance. If such a marriage comes to her early, so much the happier; if late, it may be happier still. The proper sort of a woman is always at the proper age.—Philadelphia Times.

Highest of all in Leavening Power.—Latest U. S. Gov't Report

Royal Baking Powder ABSOLUTELY PURE

Telegrapher Unconsciously Promoted His Coworkers' Opinion of Him. "How lonely it must be for the operators in these little way station telegraph offices at night," a newspaper man remarked the other evening in the smoking room of the train flashed past the switch, semaphore and office lights of one of the tiny country stations.

"Well, lonely, yes," remarked the stranger in the corner, who had up to this time not taken any part in the conversation, "but they have more fun than you'd think. I used to be one of them myself back in the eighties. I was at a little country station where about my only business all night long was reporting to the dispatcher the time of the trains as they passed, and occasionally a train order switched in.

"Once in awhile we would have a message to send on the 'commercial' wire, and the rest of the time hung heavy on our hands.

"Poor, ill fated Dennis Murphy, who was killed in the Hastings wreck, was a student in the office with me, and he was wonderfully fertile in schemes to make the time pass pleasantly. I remember a joke we played one night on a fresh young operator up the line that I never think of without a smile. It was Dennis's idea, and it worked like a charm.

"You see, the operator in question was one of the 'fly' sort of young fellows who fancy that an operator who works in one of the country offices must of necessity be a 'plug,' as we used to call a poor operator in those days, and that it is at all times advisable to sit down upon him in every way possible when there is the slightest excuse for it and frequently when there isn't. This particular operator was cordially detested all along the line.

"Well, Dennis and I fixed up a fake message to send him—and, by the way, it might be well to mention that the brass pounder in question was not half so good an operator as he fancied he was—and after we had the message prepared we sprung it on him when business was over.

"The message purported to come from Milwaukee, and we frankly signed the call of the repeating office at the western end of the circuit, first thoughtfully 'grounding' the wire west to avoid detection.

"Even on those days Dennis was a remarkably good sender, and the way he pushed that message into the unsuspecting 'fly' man must have kept the latter busy indeed. He broke a good many times, but finally had it all. Here is a copy of the message as near as I can remember it:

"12 Paid 1 Night Rate. MILWAUKEE, Wis., 8th. Our receipts are too slow. If any more nice onions, get options October delivery. PERRY PRESS.

"Now, we had purposely made the check 12 words, while the body of the message counted 14, and back came the curt response: "Check should be 14."

"No," wired Dennis; "12 is O. K." "Now, under the circumstances, it is customary for the receiving operator to 'letter' the body of the message back to the sending operator—that is, repeat the first letter of each word to verify the check, when usually the error can be quickly detected. So Dennis wired:

"Letter it." "Back came the letters with a spiteful snap: "O-R-a-t-s-I-a-m-N-o-G-o-o-d."

"Over and over again we made him repeat this frank admission until every operator on the line was enjoying it. He finally tumbled and would not respond to our demands to letter it just once more, but it was a long time before he heard the last of it, and our connection with the joke never leaked out."—New York Press.

When a man stops taking a newspaper just because its opinions and his are unlike, it is like his refusing to enter into conversation with a friend because the two have different ideas on the same subject.—Troy Press.

A DESPERADO'S NERVE.

His Affinity Toward the Man Who Had Come to Hang Him. J. K. Chambers, Union depot ticket agent, when in a reminiscent mood, can tell many interesting stories of the west in early days.

He was in the service of the government at Sydney when that town was the toughest place in Nebraska, if not in the west, and whence persons bound for the Black Hills started.

A few days ago Mr. Chambers was sitting in the Milwaukee city office, and the conversation turned to early days in the transmissouri country and bravery.

DEMOCRATIC NOMINEES

National Ticket. FOR PRESIDENT, WILLIAM J. BRYAN, of Nebraska. FOR VICE-PRESIDENT, ARTHUR SEWALL, of Maine.

FOR CONGRESS—FIRST DISTRICT, W. H. LUCAS, of Hyde county. FOR ELECTOR—FIRST DISTRICT, JOHN H. SMALL, of Beaufort county.

State Ticket.

FOR GOVERNOR, CYRUS B. WATSON, of Forsyth.

FOR LIEUT. GOVERNOR, THOS. W. MASON, of Northampton.

FOR SECRETARY, CHAS. M. COOKE, of Franklin.

FOR AUDITOR, R. M. FURMAN, of Buncombe.

FOR TREASURER, B. F. AYCOCK, of Wayne.

SUP'T. PUBLIC INSTRUCTION: J. C. SCARBOROUGH, of Johnston.

FOR ATTORNEY-GENERAL, F. I. OSBORNE, of Mecklenburg.

FOR ASSOCIATE JUSTICES OF THE SUPREME COURT, A. C. AVERY, of Burke, G. H. BROWN, of Beaufort.

COUNTY DEMOCRATIC TICKET.

FOR THE SENATE, J. J. LAUGHINGHOUSE.

FOR REPRESENTATIVES, J. B. LITTLE, C. L. BARRETT.

FOR COUNTY COMMISSIONERS, J. A. K. TUCKER, JESSE CANNON, A. B. CONGLETON.

FOR SHERIFF, G. M. TUCKER.

FOR REGISTER OF DEEDS, L. B. MEWBORN.

FOR TREASURER, J. L. LITTLE.

FOR CORONER, C. O. H. LAUGHINGHOUSE.

FOR SURVEYOR, J. B. KILPATRICK.

English as She is Spoke.

An intelligent foreigner is said to have expressed himself after the following fashion on the absurdities of the English language: "When I discovered that if I was quick I was fast, if I stood firm I was fast, if I spent too freely I was fast, and that not to eat was to fast. I was discouraged; but when I came across the sentence 'The first won one one-dollar prize. I was tempted to give up English and learn some other language.'"—New Unity.

To those who believe in the fatality of the number thirteen, says the Chicago News, some points about American silver quarter will sound gloomy if they are burdened with many of these coins. On the quarters are thirteen stars, thirteen letters in the scroll the eagle holds in its claws, thirteen feathers in the eagle's wing, thirteen feathers in the tail, thirteen parallel lines on the shield, thirteen horizontal stripes, thirteen arrowheads, and thirteen letters in the words "quarter dollar."

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WILLIAM JENNINGS BRYAN

The Man of Destiny Whom the People  
are to Honor.

Friday at Rocky Mount will long be remembered in Eastern North Carolina. No Presidential candidate for a quarter century, has visited the State during the campaign, until Mr. Bryan came. Therefore it is not astonishing that when he consented to come everybody made up their minds to see and hear him. This accounts for the fact that the whole town yesterday was a hive with human beings. They came from every direction in immense numbers. When we left Farme our train had ten loaded and packed coaches. Every incoming train was surrounded by its motley, and all the surrounding country were there, some going the day before on camping out in tents.

Rocky Mount had put up its most festive look to receive the next President and the crowd estimated all the way from 15,000 to 25,000. The stores and dwellings and nearly all the buildings were festooned and decorated in National colors. The various committees had done their work well.

Out at the Fair Grounds the arrangements were complete and the decorations superb. A large commodious stand just in front of the grand stand from which Mr. Bryan was to speak. Besides this the grand stand, the judges stand, an etc., were near enough to see and hear—and furnished elegant seats for those who were fortunate enough to get them.

The Press reporters occupied the judges stand. These arrangements were under the direction of a special committee of which Mr. C. C. Cooper was chairman and their work had been well done. We are under special obligations to this gentleman and the Chief Marshal, Capt. S. L. Hart, for their courtesies.

There were at least 1,500 ladies in the grand stand and they added much to the interest of the occasion by their presence. Mr. Bryan arrived at the Fair Grounds at one o'clock and as he neared the stand there was shout after shout and a crowding around the place from which he was to speak such as no lookman being ever saw before. It seemed as if people would be crushed by the throng around them. The heat was simply intense and as that mass of humanity stood there jammed together under a burning sun with perspiration streaming from every face it presented a picture which can be gotten in no other way of the intense interest and feeling there is in this campaign for the restoration of the money of our fathers to the place it held in their day. If any man doubts the sincerity of North Carolina Democrats for free silver at the ratio of 16 to 1 this scene would ever give the lie to such an insulting insinuation.

Mr. Bryan was carried from the train to the stand in a phaeton drawn by four white horses and as he took his seat on the stand though, he looked a tired man yet his eyes seemed to flash with delight as he surveyed the immense throng surrounding him. As he thus sat he impressed us as being a man whose face instantly convinces every one that he is in the presence of a great man.

Hon. B. H. Bunn in well chosen words introduced Mr. Bryan. He spoke for thirty minutes in which time he discussed the silver question as well as a man could do in that short space. It would be impossible for us to even give synopsis of the speech in our limited space today and we shall therefore content ourselves in giving some impressions which Mr. Bryan made upon us all.

To begin with he has a fine countenance with a bright noble eye. He is earnest to a fault and yet you know that he is not an enthusiast or a fanatic. He impels you to the belief that he has thought long and well upon the subject which he discusses, that he has arrived at some definite conclusions, that these conclusions are correct, and that it is his mission to get other people to see them as he does. He talks like one who has a purpose. He reasons like one who feels that immense interest are at stake. He is positively free from deception, and there is a frankness and directness about what he says that carries the conclusion that his convictions are and he has them, are honest, and that he would have no man deceived. He forces admiration and respect, he convinces all that he is able; he is patriotic, strong, well-balanced, all furnished; that upmost in his mind is his country's good; that to this end he is developing the best energies of his life; that in feeling he is with the toiling millions and if elected President would devote all the powers of his being to bring, as far as he was able, prosperity and happiness to every American citizen.

The thought occurs to us, that with such a candidate not every man to unite in his support of him and leave no doubt as to his election. We believe that as far as North Carolina is concerned, this will be accomplished in a few days. The injunction that he left upon all silver men in the State in the close of his speech Friday to unite and cast every vote favorably to free silver where it will count will surely bear fruit and give to him the electoral vote of this State.

## REPUBLICAN CONVENTION.

They Demand More "Free" and a Candidate for Congress.

There was a meeting of Republicans held here Saturday afternoon under the call of B. M. W. James, chairman, and Redmon Fleming, secretary. It is not being known by outsiders what the purpose of the convention was, many curious to find out went up to see what transpired.

The participants in the meeting were slow to get together, but after considerable ringing of the bell a hundred or more colored people and two whites gathered within the bar of the court room.

Chairman James finally rapped the assembly to order who said the object of the meeting would be explained by T. W. C. Moore.

Moore, who is a colored lawyer, spoke about an hour. He said he was glad of an opportunity to make one more Republican speech. He contrasted the platitudes of the three national conventions from a Republican standpoint and argued for McKinley and the gold standard.

Touching upon State matters Moore said he had been for Dockery. That he went to the State convention in May to work for Dockery, and when the Russell crowd cheated Dockery out of the nomination he came home and cried for three weeks. He was still in favor of Dockery after the Populists gave him second place on their ticket, but since Dockery's recent Populistic declarations he was no longer for him and was going to swallow Russell with all he had said against the negroes.

Coming on down to county matters he talked at some length about the Populists not "toting fair" with the Republicans. He said that under the present fusion between them the Republicans will get only four out of the fifty old offices in the county and the Populists all the rest. He said that many people thought this meeting was being held to get out another ticket, but it was not for that purpose. The meeting was simply to assert their rights and demand their share of the offices. The Populists had promised that the Senator should be selected by a joint committee and then gone on and nominated their own man. If the Populists expected the Republicans to support the fusion ticket the Republicans had to have the Senator and one more County Commissioner. They had been to the Republican executive committee that morning and stated what they must have and were told to defer their action until next Saturday week and in the meantime the committee would be ready to report what could be done. He said they were going to wait until that time when another meeting would be held to receive the report and if their demands were acceded to they would support the fusion ticket, if not they were going to vote for who they pleased.

Moore also took occasion to give Harry Skinner some sharp thrusts, accusing him of first trying to trade with the Democrats, then declaring with the Republicans for support, that Skinner was a silver man and no man who was for McKinley and gold could consistently vote for Skinner for Congress.

Moore was followed by C. M. A. Dawson, another colored man, who made some remarks following up on the latter part of Moore's speech. He spoke of the folly of Republicans working and voting for McKinley and at the same time voting for a man to go to Congress whose influence and votes would be cast against every measure advocated by McKinley. Dawson introduced resolutions setting forth these facts and calling upon the Republican executive committee of the first district to give them a candidate standing up on the same platform with and advocating the same principles as McKinley, and that if the committee failed to do this then they requested T. W. C. Moore to take the field as an independent candidate for Congress.

The resolutions were adopted, and Moore announced that if the executive committee failed to act in the matter he would come out as a candidate as requested.

Just before adjournment Frank Johnston was called on and also made a speech. He made no reference to what had been done in the meeting, except to compliment Moore, his being almost entirely a race speech.

### WASHINGTON LETTER.

(From Our Regular Correspondent)

WASHINGTON, D. C., Sept. 19.

Several important democratic conferences were held in Washington and vicinity during the present week, and the precautions taken to keep the subjects talked about at these conferences out of the newspapers have been successful. Among those taking part in these conferences were Senator Jones, chairman of the democratic National Committee; Senator Faulkner, Chairman of the Congressional Committee; Senator Butler, Chairman of the populist committee, and Senators German, Teller and Dubois, and National Committeeman Scott, of the democratic advisory committee. It is enough for those who desire the election of Bryan and the triumph of free silver to know that the object of these conferences was to add to the certainty of that result, and that they were in every way satisfactory to those who participated in them. More could not be told without a violation of confidence, and without furnishing information which enable

the McKimley crowd to throw off obstacles in the way of certain plans. Suffice it to say that every man who participated in these conferences is certain that Bryan will be elected.

Democrats are unsparring in their criticism of Secretary Carlisle, who, by the way, is going to take the stump in Kentucky for Palmer and Buckner, for having written a letter saying in effect that he would redeem silver dollars in gold if the demand was made. Senator Faulkner declares this to be an invitation to the money sharks to raid the gold reserve of the Treasury and force the issue of more bonds, and expresses the opinion that it will be worth thousands of votes to Bryan and silver, by convincing people of the intention of the gold men to do still further than they have yet gone towards turning our financial interests over to half a dozen bankers in Europe and New York. He says this "emphasizes the necessity as well as the duty of those who believe in American financial independence to support the American policy represented by the democratic ticket."

Representative McMillin, of Tennessee, who has come off the stump long enough to finish preparing the democratic Campaign Book, says of the present situation, "From the beginning of the fight both well posted have known that the republicans had everything east of New York; that the democracy had everything south of the Potomac and Ohio rivers, and everything west of the Missouri river, and that it has got such a hold in the Northern states of the eastern portion of the Mississippi valley that the entire Maine election or the Vermont election have been insufficient to make even McKinley and Hanna feel secure. The democratic party, with all the handicaps that have placed it, is in a better position to win a victory today than it has been at this stage of the campaign in any contest in the last twenty years. We are going to win this fight. Maine and Vermont prove that the republicans are correct in their estimate of New England, just as Arkansas and Alabama proved that the democrats were correct in their estimates as to the situation in the South and West."

A well advertised public meeting of the "Sound Money League," of Washington, was attended by just seven people and three of them were newspaper reporters.

### THE UNIVERSITY.

The high water mark of attendance has been reached this week at the University. The first week closes with a total attendance of 504 in all departments. These are distributed as follows: Collegiate department 280, Law 45, Medicine, 25, Summer school 135. This means, if the experience of the past is carried out, a total enrollment of 600. The freshman class number thus far one hundred and thirty.

The week has been an interesting one at Chapel Hill. Dr. Alderman made his formal opening address to the students on Tuesday in the presence of a large gathering, outlining the policy of the University and his own policy to the young men. The speech was received with great enthusiasm by the young men and partly as a result of it all the old classes of the University have voluntarily adopted resolutions prohibiting leaving, thus co-operating with the faculty in the first principles of self government. The new administration starts off with all the departments in thorough harmony. All the student organizations are forming and the great school is thoroughly started on its year's work. Commons Hall with arrangements for boarding one hundred or more opera with tea next Monday night. It is one of the best equipped dining rooms in the state. Both this and the kitchen are due to the beneficence of Mrs. Frederick Parker, of New York. It is a great boon to all students. Five new men of talent in their departments have been added to the teaching force, an instructor in each in Latin, Modern Languages, English, History and Scientific Physical Culture. While the last does not count on a course yet Mr. Mehlhag comes to the state thoroughly equipped to make intelligent physical culture practical, pleasant and profitable. The Young Men's Christian Association gives us annual reception to the new students with refreshments and short talks, music, &c., Friday night in Commons Hall.

Here is a diamond, here a piece of charcoal. Both carbon yet between them stands the mightiest of magicians—Nature. The food on your table, and your own body; elementally the same, yet between the two stands the digestion, the arbiter of growth or decline, life or death.

We cannot make a diamond, we cannot make flesh, blood and bone. No. But by means of the Shaker Digestive Cordial we can enable the stomach to digest food which would otherwise ferment and poison the system. In all forms of dyspepsia and incipient consumption, with weakness, loss of flesh, thin blood, nervous prostration, the Cordial is the successful remedy. Take with food it relieves at once. It nourishes, and assists nature to pourish; and trial bottle—enough to show its merit—10 cents.

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### Industry Dependent Upon Money Supply.

The addition of \$100,000,000 or \$200,000,000 to the world's money would not as a matter of course of itself bring prosperity. Even the addition of double this amount to the stock of money in the United States would not lead to any rivalry to the Garden of Eden, or of necessity set the country afire with prosperity. Money can do nothing of itself. Trade and industry are the only roads to wealth. But trade and industry are much more likely to flourish when money is abundant than when it is scarce, and do not flourish at all when money is not to be had. An expanding currency favors industry; a contracting currency strangles industry. Under the single gold standard the currency of the United States has in the past four years contracted by nearly \$200,000,000. Under a bimetallic standard it should have expanded by that amount in the same time. That is why industry is for bimetalism.

The Rocky Mount Argonaut speaks in this way of a certain class of men to be found in every community: Often men, from thorough selfishness, or inexcusable thoughtlessness, seem perfectly willing to contribute nothing to a measure that redounds to the general good while they are as much and often more benefited than others who help all they can.

Is it right, morally, to expect your more public spirited neighbors to spend their money for something that equally benefits you? Think of it calmly and ask yourself the question. Is it right? Is it honest?

An Indiana editor was going to marry a rich widow. Everybody said it was for her money and it made the editor weep to be accused of such mercenary thoughts and he persuaded the widow to turn over all her wealth to her daughter, so people couldn't say that. She did. Then the editor changed his mind and eloped with the daughter.

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The value of the greatest drama is as much in the audience as in the actors of it.

The value of a good thing is in how many people know the good of it.

There is no good to unknown goods.

The best that is unknown is no better than the unawaited known.

A good thing will not sell unless people know of its goodness and where they can obtain it.

Advertising is simply the cheapest, the easiest, the quickest, and the most sensible way of connecting that which you have with those who may want it.

Taken in time Hood's Sarsaparil prevents serious illness by keeping the blood pure and all the organs in the healthy condition.

We happened to pick up one of Cooper's circulars and this is what he has to say to the farmers of Pied and surrounding counties: Market active this week and prices have advanced; all grades taken at full prices. Certainly as high or higher than last season. Our order buyers and dealers are competing lively every day upon my floor, making prices satisfactory to all patrons. Several new buyers have come on the market, we now have the strongest corps in the State, while the neighboring markets are complaining heavily for want of money to conduct their business. Cash is plentiful with us, never in better shape to protect our patrons interest and sell their tobacco for the highest price.

### EDITORIAL NOTES.

The gold bug folk at the north resort to all kinds of methods to get their literature circulated throughout the country. They are again sending out their offers to the papers to give them a page of ready set matter every week or two. All they ask of the papers is to pay expression on the stuff and add "if you are unwilling or unable to pay expression, it is possible that the Republican committee of your district might be willing to help you in this respect." That is awfully generous, but down this way we don't happen to need any gold bug filing to help get out our papers.

"Bryan cannot possibly fail to carry the country," said Hon. Wharton Barker, of Philadelphia, in a recent interview. "He is sure of all the southern states, whose total vote in the electoral college is 142, and the states west of the Mississippi river, which gives him 61 more. This totals up 203 out of 447, just 21 short of a majority. In addition there is Minnesota, Iowa and Michigan. These states have 33 votes, and, if carried by Bryan, will give him 236 votes in the electoral college, or nine more than a majority.

"But while these states are sufficient to elect the democratic nominee," continued Mr. Barker, "I believe that he will also carry Ohio, Illinois and Indiana, giving him 64 electoral votes, or a grand total of 298. It is even possible that he may carry the state of New York."

### CURE FOR HEADACHE.

As a remedy for all forms of Headache Electric Bitters has proved to be the very best. It effects a permanent cure and the most dreaded habitual sick headaches yield to its influence. We urge all who are afflicted to procure a bottle, and give this remedy a fair trial. In case of habitual constipation Electric Bitters cures by giving the needed tone to the bowels, and few cases long resist the use of this medicine. Try it once. Fifty cents and \$1.00 at John L. Woodcock's Drug Store.

### Worth Knowing.

An open fire is an excellent thing in a library for the preservation of the books, according to an expert in such things.

Plants, human beings and animals need sunlight, fresh air and exercise to keep them in proper health; if denied, weakness follows.

Never permit your check-rein to be so tight that your horse cannot put his head where he wants to when pulling up hill. How would you like to have your head tied up with a tight check-rein?

A well-known medical authority says, in a recent work, that cheese should be eaten at least once a day. "It is the most valuable animal food obtainable," he says; "from two to three times as nutritious as the same money value of ordinary meat."

### Can it be Possible.

We have just learned from good authority, in fact from a prominent Republican, that the Hannanites are making attempts to bribe the negro preachers of this section, and in several cases have succeeded, to preach the gold bug doctrine from their pulpits and work among their flock for preservation of their financial slavery. The gold bugs fear the revolt of the negro, whose whole interests are against the gold standard, from the republican party, and they have taken the most effective, but damnable way of checking it. Two weeks ago a colored preacher in this city held up his hand to heaven and took a most solemn oath that he would never vote for Russell or McKinley. Today he is working hard for both. We feel confident there are not many like the above disreputable fellow.—Fayetteville Observer.

### Message to the State.

"I have had a very pleasant time in your State, and while I have spoken at a number of places, the trip has been so nicely arranged that I could rest between times, and am not at all fatigued. I have also my association with the silver men whom I have met from time to time. I go out of the State, feeling confident that those who believe in free silver will find some way of consolidating the vote, so that we will present a solid front to the gold forces in the coming election."

The silver dollar was worth \$1.04 in 1873 when the gold standard was established. We are now told that it is only worth 53 cents. If the gold standard has knocked 51 cents off the silver dollar in twenty three years what will become of our dollar in twenty three years more if we do not stop the ravages of the gold-bug? For at this rate of depreciation in a few years more the people's money will be gone and nothing left but a wealthy banking system built upon the ashes of a ruined country.—Durham Sun.

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