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TO SILVER DEMOCRATS.

A National Conference Called for Washington August 14 to Plan Work.

MEMPHIS, Tenn., June 27.—Immediately after the adjournment of the recent silver convention in this city, a number of leading Democrats outlined plans for an organization of free silver men within the Democratic party for the purpose of carrying on the silver campaign within party lines. As a result of this meeting the following address has been sent to Democratic leaders throughout the country:

Soon after the adjournment of the silver convention held in this city on the 12th and 13th inst., many Democrats representing several states of the Union held a meeting here for the purpose of considering the best methods of securing the free and unlimited coinage of both silver and gold into full legal tender money at ultimate redemption at the ratio of 16 to 1, without regard to the financial policy of other countries, and it was unanimously agreed that as the confident opinion of that conference:

1. That the only hope of securing the free and unlimited coinage of silver at 16 to 1 is through the action of the Democratic party.

2. That a large majority of the Democratic party of the country and a very large majority of the people of the United States, irrespective of party, favor such coinage.

3. That the success of the Democratic party in the campaign of 1896 largely, if not wholly, depends on the earnest and active advocacy of the free and unlimited coinage of silver.

4. That a thorough organization of the Democrats of the several states who favor the free and unlimited coinage of both silver and gold on terms of equality at 16 to 1 is a necessary and proper means of controlling the action or the national Democratic convention of 1896 upon this vitally important question.

5. That in order to avoid friction and the complaint of such Democrats as oppose the free coinage of silver, we will not invoke the regular machinery of the party whose duty it is to act for the whole party without regard to differences of opinion upon a single question.

Therefore, we, the undersigned, were appointed a committee to take such steps as may be necessary to a thorough national organization of silver Democrats and for that purpose we respectfully invite you to meet us at Washington D. C., on the 14th day of August, 1895, in order that we may confer and co-operate in establishing such organization, and you are requested to bring with you such Democratic friends as are in full sympathy with this purpose. It is important that a Democrat acceptable to the Democracy of your state and willing to represent it on a national executive committee should attend this conference.

An early answer, addressed to the Hon. Casey Young, Memphis, Tenn., will greatly oblige. Respectfully.

ISHAM C. HARRIS,
J. K. JONES,
DAVID TURPIE.

Governor Smith Sustained.

LEAVENWORTH, Kan., June 27.—Governor Smith of the Soldiers' home states positively that the national board of managers before leaving for the Pacific coast informed him that all formal charges regarding the management of the home had been disposed of and that he was sustained. The board also advised him against being alarmed over certain newspaper reports relative to the home, as the board took no cognizance of such things.

Check for $125,000 Stolen.

CHICAGO, June 27.—School Agent C. C. Chase had stolen from him in the corridors of the City hall a check for $125,000. The paper was drawn on the Chicago National bank, and was signed by City Treasurer Wolf. The money represented was to be used to pay the June salaries of the school teachers.

Killed by Lightning.

CORNER, Mo., June 27.—Quite a severe lightning and thunder storm struck this place last evening. Miss Lena Welleman was instantly killed by a stroke of lightning and her sister, Miss Annie and Miss Carrie Knight were badly shocked.

Glad to Be in Jail.

KINGFISHER, Ok., June 27.—A farmers' anti-horsethief association near Wandel, Kingfisher county, brought two horsethieves here yesterday. They congratulated themselves on being turned over to officers of the law, rather than to be dealt with by vigilantes.

The Atlanta Ordered to Cuba.

WASHINGTON, June 27.—The administration believes that the Raleigh will not be able to cope alone with the increased activity recently displayed by those who sympathize with the Cuban insurrectionists, and orders have been issued to the Atlanta to proceed to Cuban waters.

Salvation Army Martyr.

COLORADO SPRINGS, Col., June 27.—Captain Blanche Cox of the Salvation army, an intelligent and refined woman, has gone to jail for thirty days for preaching in the streets. She would not pay a fine imposed upon her or allow her friends to pay it for her.

Bird Will Stick It Out.

TOPEKA, Kan., June 27.—Labor Commissioner Bird said to-day that he had made up his mind not to resign. He said he could not afford to resign and that he wanted a vindication. He promised a statement in a few days.

Morality Indictments in Denver.

DENVER, Col., June 27.—The grand jury has indicted thirteen leading citizens of this city for renting houses for immoral purposes. This is the first time a crusade against vice has been undertaken on these lines in Denver.

Mrs. C. E. Peers Dead.

WARRENTON, Mo., June 27.—Mrs. C. E. Peers, wife of Senator Peers, died at her home here yesterday of paralysis at the age of 51 years.

Moberly Headlight Suspended.

MOBERLY, Mo., June 27.—The Moberly Daily Headlight, Republican, of this city has suspended publication.

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Joints or hips, sediment in urine like brick-dust frequent calls or retention, rheumatism.

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Notice.

Those who wish to take advantage of the new "Nearer Attendance" law next year, must fill out the proper blanks this month. Blank forms may be obtained at my office.

D. M. HUNTER, Co. Supt.

MARKET QUOTATIONS.

NEW YORK, June 27.—Sterling exchange was quiet and firm, with actual business in bankers' bills at $4.89½@4.89¾ for demand and $4.88½@4.88¾ for sixty days; posted rates $4.89@4.90¼; commercial bills, $4.87¾@4.88.

Money on call was easy, nominally at 1 per cent. Rates on prime mercantile paper, 2½@3½ per cent.

Government bonds were higher. U. S. new 4s registered, 125¾; coupons, 127¾, 5s, registered 116⅝; coupons, 116⅝; 4s, registered, 112; coupons, 113¼; 2s, registered, 97; Pacific 6s of '95, 100.

Silver was steady. Certificates for 10,000 ounces sold at 66¾c. Bar silver sold at 66⅛c. Mexican dollars sold at 53c. Bar silver in London, 30 3-16d.

Following are the closing prices on the Stock Exchange:

American Cotton Oil	29
America Sugar Refining	113
Atchison, Topeka and Santa Fe	9
Chicago Gas	70
Chicago and Northwestern	99
Chicago, Burlington and Quincy	85
C. C. C. & St. Louis, com	46
Chicago, Milwaukee and St. Paul, com	68
Chicago, Rock Island and Pacific, com	72
Delaware, L. & W	162
Distilling and C. F	21
General Electric	37
Lake Shore	150
Louisville and Nashville	58
Manhattan Con	114
Missouri Pacific	34
National Cordage	1
National Lead Co., com	35
National Linseed Oil	20
New Jersey Central	10
New York and New England	48
Northern Pacific, preferred	16
Philadelphia and Reading	17
Union Pacific	12
Wabash, preferred	20
Western Union	92

GRAIN MARKETS.

KANSAS CITY, Mo., June 27.—Wheat by sample met with good demand to-day. Elevator men were buyers, evidently to fill Texas orders before the advance in freight rates. A few cars of new wheat were on sale, and brought very irregular prices. Only one car of new wheat graded No. 2. Prices were ½@1c higher. Some small orders for soft wheat were filled.

Receipts of wheat to-day, 31 cars; a year ago 13 cars.

Sales of car lots by sample on track, Kansas City: No. 2 hard wheat, 6 cars 71½c, 7 cars 71c. No. 3 hard, nominally 68@69c; No. 4 hard nominally 60@65c; No. 2 red, 1 car, new 74c, 8 cars 74c; No. 3 red, 1 car good, 71c, 1 car new, 70c. No. 4 red, nominally 64@67c; rejected, nominally 60@66c.

Corn was firmly held and met with fair demand, with not many samples offering. A sale of 15,000 bushels out of store on private terms was reported.

Receipts of corn to-day, 12 cars; a year ago 20 cars.

Sales by sample on track, Kansas City: No. 2 mixed corn, 6 cars 43c, 2 cars 42½c; No. 3 mixed, 2 cars good, 42½c; No. 4 mixed, nominally 41½@42c; No. 2 white, 4 cars 44c; No. 3 white, nominally 43c.

Oats were in good demand, with prices ½c to 1c higher. Quite a number of samples were on sale. Storage men bought some and "hedged" them with sales of Chicago September.

Receipts of oats to-day, 8 cars; a year ago, 4 cars.

Sales by sample on track, Kansas City: No. 2 mixed oats, 5 cars 24c 3 cars 24½c; No. 3 oats nominally 23c; No. 4, nominally 22c, No. 2 white oats, nominally 25½@26c; No. 3 white oats, 1 car 24c.

Rye—No demand; No. 2, nominally, 60c; No. 3, nominally, 57c.

Corn Chop—Steady; 83@85c per cwt sacked.

Bran—Weak; 57@59c per cwt sacked; bulk, 6c less.

Hay—Receipts, 20 cars; market firmer. Timothy, choice, $11@12; No. 1, $9.50@10; No. 2, $8@9; fancy prairie, $10; choice, $9@9.50; No. 1, $8@8.50; No. 2, $6@7; packing hay, $4.50@5.

Chicago Board of Trade.

CHICAGO, June 27.—The following is the range of prices of the grain and provision market on the board of trade:

	High	Low	Close June 26	Close June 25
WHEAT—				
June	71⅝	71⅝	71⅝	71¼
July	72½	71⅝	72⅛	71⅛
September	74⅝	73⅝	74⅛	73⅝
CORN—				
June	47¾	47¾	47¾	48
July	48⅝	48⅛	48⅝	48⅝
September	49⅝	49⅛	49⅝	49⅝
OATS—				
June	26½	26½	26½	26¾
July	26⅝	26½	26⅝	26⅝
September	26⅝	26¼	26⅝	26⅝
PORK—				
June	12 30	12 30	12 30	12 17½
July	12 32½	12 30	12 30	12 22½
September	12 62½	12 55	12 55	12 50
LARD—				
June	6 60	6 70	6 60	6 55
July	6 6[illegible]	6 60	6 60	6 57½
September	6 82½	6 80	6 80	6 77½
SHORT RIBS—				
June	6 35	6 35	6 35	6 30
July	6 37½	6 35	6 35	6 32½
September	6 57½	6 55	6 50	6 50

Rye and Flaxseed.

CHICAGO, June 27.—Rye—No. 2 cash, 60c September, 63c. Flaxseed—No. 1 cash, Northwestern, $1.50; Southwestern nominally $1.47; September, $1.22.

ST. LOUIS, Mo., June 27.—Rye, nominally, 68c. Flaxseed—Nominally, $1.21 for July delivery.

KANSAS CITY LIVE STOCK.

KANSAS CITY, Mo., June 27.—Cattle—Receipts, 6,215; calves, 349; shipped yesterday, 1,098 cattle, no calves. The market was slow on everything but the best offerings, which were steady, common and medium. Texans closed 5@15c lower.

Following are representative sales:

20 dressed beef and shipping steers, 1473	6 25
107 dressed beef and shipping steers, 1332	4 90
18 dressed beef and shipping steers, 926	3 85
17 dressed beef and shipping steers, 1324	5 00
20 dressed beef and shipping steers, 1391	4 85
15 Texas and Indian steers, 879	3 00
5 Texas and Indian steers, 908	3 00
12 Texas and Indian steers, 990	2 95
7 Texas and Indian steer, 1,030	2 75
26 stockers and feeders, 1242	4 40
16 stockers and feeders, 1066	3 90
19 stockers and feeders, 1251	3 90
19 stockers and feeders, 970	3 85
3 calves, lot	16 00
1 cow and calf	23 00
5 calves, lot	35 00
4 calves, lot	29 00
2 oxen, 1230	2 00
2 I. oxen, 1165	3 10

HOGS—Receipts 6,858; shipped yesterday, 1,251. The market was 5@10c higher and active. The top sale was $4.80 and the bulk of sales from $4.30 to $4.70, against $4.75 for top sale and $4.40 to $4.60 for bulk of sales yesterday.

Representative sales:

No.	Ave.	Price.	No.	Ave.	Price.	No.	Ave.	Price
55	196	4 80	54	290	4 77½	71	277	4 75
28	327	4 75	56	271	4 75	64	266	4 72½
6	118	4 15	14	135	4 15	19	145	4 00
8	82	2 40						

SHEEP—Receipts 3,227; shipped yesterday none. The market was active and steady to strong. The following are representative sales.

469 Tex., 79	2 30
2 sheep, 150	1 00
50 Tex. cvs., 61	1 75
59 sheep, 109	1 75

Chicago Live Stock.

CHICAGO, June 27.—Hogs—Receipts 24,000; official yesterday, 14,735; shipments, 4,756; left over, about 8,000; quality fair; market active and firm; prices 5 to 10c higher; sales ranged at $3.20@4.90 for pigs; $4.45@4.75 for light, $4.55@4.70 for rough packing; $4.55@4.85 for mixed; $4.75@4.97½ for heavy, packing and shipping lots.

Cattle—Receipts, 12,000; official yesterday, 6,16[illegible]; shipments, yesterday, 829; market steady for good, common lots 5 to 10c lower.

Sheep—Receipts, 19,000; official yesterday, 15,[illegible]7; shipments, yesterday, 314; market 5 to 10c lower.

Sugar and Coffee.

NEW YORK, June 27.—Sugar—Raw, quiet; centrifugal 96 test, $3-16. Refined, steady; granulated, 4 7-16@4⅝.

Coffee—Dull; No. 7 flat bean, 15½c.

CHAIRMAN MAFFITT ACTS

CALLS FOR PARTY SENTIMENT ON SILVER IN MISSOURI.

HE ISSUES AN ADDRESS.

The State Democratic Committee Will Be Again Convened if the Leaders Really Desire It—The Past Position of the Members Defined—Asks for Immediate Replies to the Letter.

ST. LOUIS, Mo., June 27.—Chairman C. C. Maffitt of the Democratic state central committee has mailed to each Democratic county chairman in Missouri an address, of which the following is a part: "Your state Democratic committee, having noted through the public press that some enthusiasts in behalf of the free, unlimited and unconditional coinage of silver at the ratio of 16 to 1 were clamorous for a convention of the Democratic party in this state for the purpose of giving expression to sentiment upon that, to the exclusion of all other important articles of the Democratic creed, convened on the 1st day of June, with the view of canvassing the policy, propriety and wisdom of committing the party by its action to such an unusual and unprecedented project. Upon the assembling of the full committee, the general phase of the subject was considered and thoroughly canvassed, the argument for and against having been patiently heard and carefully and dispassionately weighed. The judgment of the committee was registered against the calling of a convention by the decisive vote of 10 to 5. It is due, alike to this committee and to you, in behalf of the good of the party, to briefly outline the reasons which influenced it in deciding against such a convention, as well as some of the more important views urged in its favor, which were considered by the committee."

The chairman then gives as the reasons that to call a convention for the purpose of formulating a declaration of beliefs solely upon a single one of the national issues might be justly construed as an abandonment of all others; that it would create schisms, party ostracism and anarchy; that neither tradition nor usage afforded a precedent for a convention to predeclare upon any subject which must be dealt with by a regular convention that puts forth a declaration of principles for its party candidates; that the committee did not feel clothed with the power to call such a convention.

In closing, the address says: "It was argued that if such a convention declared in favor of the free, unlimited and unconditional coinage of silver at 16 to 1, it would give an impetus to that sentiment in other states and help on the cause. The result of the election following admonishes us that we must be careful to be strong at home before we lend strength to our neighbors. It was argued that by a timely declaration upon the silver question and in the right way, we might be able to reclaim those who had strayed away from the fold into the Populist party. It was then answered that if we commit the Democratic party to this single issue, the one very conspicuous in the Populist platform, might not that party, without arrogance, claim that it had been recruited by the accession of the Democratic party of this state? It is an argument that cuts two ways. And now, notwithstanding the previous decision of this committee, I, as its executive officer, will again convene it if it be the sense of the party expressed through the members of the county committees that a state convention ought to be called to consider the special question before indicated.

"Your committee at its former meeting was actuated by a sense of duty and devotion to the Democratic party, and here presents you—possessed of the same sacred trust—some of the reasons which influenced its decision not to call an extraordinary convention.

"Its motives have been assailed and impugned. It has been urged to reconvene and reconsider its action. And now, notwithstanding the previous decision of this committee, I, as its executive officer, will again convene it if it be the sense of the party expressed through the members of the county committees that a state convention ought to be called to consider the question before indicated. The sources demanding a convention insist that it can only be regular through the call of the state committee; and should the state committee determine to call a convention upon again assembling, impressed as it is so strongly with its want of authority to do so, it feels the necessity for the justification of its action in the majority vote of the regularly constituted officers of the party in each county of the state. If, therefore, it is the desire of your committee that further action be taken by the state central committee, please have your committee indicate its pleasure and transmit the same to this committee on the inclosed blank in the manner therein specified."

Deadly Cyclone in Texas.

FORT WORTH, Texas, June 27.—A cyclone struck the town of Baird, west of here, about 10 o'clock last night, demolishing a number of houses. A church was blown down upon an adjoining parsonage, killing a young man named Mays, a son of the minister. Telegraph wires were blown down and communication cut off.

Sensational Suicides.

PARIS, June 27.—A sensation has been created here by the suicide of M. Fabrice Carre, a noted barrister and dramatic author, and his wife by shooting themselves with a revolver. M. Carre was well known in literary circles. Mme. Carre was recently divorced from her former husband, M. Pazlis.

WORSE THAN POVERTY.

POOR BLOOD AND NERVES OUT OF ORDER—TAKE PAINE'S CELERY COMPOUND.

Among all the structures that make up the human body, the nerves have been until recently the least understood.

The role of the nerves in the digestion and assimilation of food is a highly important one. The question whether the food shall nourish or become a mere load upon the system is a question of nerve force.

Neglect to satisfy the demand made by the nervous system carries heavy penalties. When this nervous force is exhausted the digestive processes are obstructed, the body is weakened and pains of neuralgia, indigestion, rheumatism, invade its parts. During repose the nerves and great nerve centers feed upon the nutritive material that is stored in the blood and tissues. It is when this supply of nourishment is prompt and abundant that the nervous system is able to recuperate, but when the system has become too tired to appropriate sufficient nourishment and the nerves too shaky to get the rest they need, that best of all blood purifiers, nerve foods and nerve regulators, Paine's celery compound, should be given at once.

Paine's celery compound has brought health, strength and fredom from nervous weakness to thousands of tired women, "run down" men, and sickly children. It makes them able to sleep soundly to digest their food perfectly, and to win back health and strength. The tired brain and nerves are rebuilt and their wasted parts repaired during sleep, and where nervousness, irritability, and inadequate nutrition of the nerve centers do not permit sufficient sleep, nervous prostration, lassitude and despondency are sure to follow.

Paine's celery compound guards against all this by promptly feeding the exhausted nerves and making the blood pure, abundant and nourishing. It cures neuralgia, rheumatism, dyspepsia, all forms of nervous weakness despondency, skin diseases, and affections of the heart, liver, and kidneys. It sends pure, vitalized blood to every organ, and thus makes people well. Paine's celery compound has found its way originally through prescriptions by physicians into every city and smallest village in the country!

It would be very difficult to find a man or woman of mature age who has not either been helped by this remarkable remedy or has heard of its marvelous properties at first-hand from some enthusiastic friend or relative.

Paine's celery compound is the only great popular remedy the physicians of every school prescribe for disorders of the blood and nerves.

Says Mrs. Kate Manuel, 216½ 3d ave., Minneapolis, whose picture is above:

"I have been greatly benefited by Paine's celery compound. I have taken six bottles of the wonderful remedy and recommend it to all who are afflicted as I was. For years I have suffered from indigestion, and know not how to give due thanks for the relief that I have received while taking Paine's celery compound. My son-in-law has taken two bottles for a similar trouble and it has made him well."

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