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A. C. HOSMER, Editor.

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To THE EDITOR:—With your permission I will reply to a communication in last week's Chief entitled, "A Few Questions to Answer," and signed H. A. H.

First—Silver was not at a premium in 1873 as some people suppose. It was worth $1.29.29 per ounce. Hence the silver in a dollar which is 371¼ grains was worth just $1.00.

Second—Free coinage of silver 16 to 1 would cheapen money in the proportion that it would increase the volume of money, and even more, for it would influence a large per cent of our present inactive money to seek investment therefore it would require a less amount of labor to buy a dollar than at present. Consequently farm mortgages would be reduced relatively in proportion to the increase in the price of labor, and labor products, for example: It will take 1250 bushels of 40 cent wheat to pay a $500 mortgage, but in 1873, under free coinage, 385 bushels would have paid the same mortgage. But, if prices only double as Czar Reed says they will it will only take 625 bushels to pay the same mortgage

Third—Gold could not possibly go to a premium if we had a sufficient volume of money, either of gold and silver or of gold alone.

Fourth—Free and unlimited coinage of silver would certainly raise the market price of silver to about what it was in 1873, but that is no reason why copper, iron and lead should be used as money. Centuries of experience has proven that both gold and silver are better adapted to the uses of money than any other metals this far tried.

Fifth—I will quote David Hume on "Falling Prices": "Falling prices and misery and destruction are inseparable companions. The disasters of the dark ages were caused by decreasing money and falling prices. With the increase of money, labor and industry gain new life."

Sixth—Yes! The government fiat is just what makes the gold in a gold dollar and the silver in a silver dollar worth 100 cents. We will never have a perfect scientific monetary system and one which cannot be manipulated by capitalists until we abandon the barbaric and half civilized policy of making "redemption" money and "redeemable" money. Subsidiary coins should be used for convenience, but all other money should be paper, a full legal tender for all debts, issued by the general government, and not redeemable in any other kind of money. This will be the money of the United States within the next decade. That is, by the year 1910.

D. R. CARPENTER.
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WASHINGTON NOTES.

If universal discussion will enable the people to vote intelligently on the money question, they will certainly do so this year. Never during your correspondent's twenty years experience in Washington newspaper work have the people shown such intense interest in any question as they are now showing in silver. Ordinarily it is only the politicians who generally discuss the issues of the national campaign, but now literally everybody is discussing silver and if the number of people who are still in doubt as to whether they oppose or favor the free coinage of silver and are seeking information on the subject is proportionately as large all over the country as in Washington, it is perfectly clear that the decision is at the present time hanging in the balance, as it were, and that the majority is yet to be convinced one way or the other. The committee headquarters of all the parties are constantly thronged with people who want copies of all the documents issued both for and against free coinage. All the local papers are conducting open discussions on the subject, and even the bootblacks are asking their patrons the meaning of free coinage of silver at a ratio of 16 to 1. In quiet family gatherings the same question is asked and discussed, and one is constantly surprised to learn how much the women have read on the subject. The reason for this great interest is not hard to get at. Other national questions, however important they may be, do not personally appeal to the average man or woman, but when it comes to money everybody is at once interested not only in how they are to get it, but in its purchasing power after they get it.

The term "campaign of education" has become somewhat hackneyed of late years, but it is certain that it is the only correct name for the present condition of affairs. Both gold and silver men profess to believe that this education of the masses on the money question is going to result in their winning. It will certainly result in the people knowing more on the subject than they ever knew before.

Acting Secretary Turner, who is in temporary charge of the national headquarters, says the democratic and the populist national committees will settle the Watson-Sewall business, and that it will be decided in the interest of the parties, rather than either of the men. He also said: "A division of the electors, leaving both Watson and Sewall on their respective tickets will be a very easy matter in all the southern states where the election laws are not so stringent as in some of the other states. No state in the south requires that the name of a candidate shall appear but once on the ticket, hence it will not create any confusion or injure Bryan if the electors be divided and half of them presented under the caption of Bryan and Sewall and the other half standing for Bryan and Watson. The vote in each instance would be counted for Bryan." Secretary Mercer, of the republican congressional committee, takes a somewhat different view of the matter. He said: "The silver men are going to experience their first serious set back when they attempt to form their fusion with the populists, especially in the south. I do not believe the populists in that section will consent to vote for democratic electors unless they are promised a share in the state offices, and this the democrats will not feel disposed to give. I believe that several of the southern states will give republican majorities, and that the populists will assist in bringing about that result." Others are expressing the very positive opinion that the "middle-of-the-road" populists will have a presidential ticket of their own before the campaign grows much older.

The politicians are wondering whether that dry proclamation which President Cleveland issued last week warning Americans to strictly observe the neutrality laws, is all he will have to say on Cuban affairs before congress meets. The necessity of this last proclamation was not really apparent to ordinary folk, a similar proclamation had been issued last year. It is understood that the continuous protests made by the Spainish minister against aid extended to Cuban filibusters by American citizens was what brought out the proclamation.

The most alarming thing that has yet happened so far as the republicans are concerned, was Senator Stewart's reply to a question. He was asked whether the silver men intended to appoint a committee to solicit contributions to Bryan's campaign fund. He replied nonchalently: "No, we have all the money we shall need." Whether Senator Stewart really meant what he said, was indulging in irony, or was merely making a bluff, is more than I can say, but his answer has made some very disagreeable half hours for some of the republican managers.

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Iva Skelton, Blue Hill	20
Red Cloud	20
Irene Miner, Red Cloud	20
Mrs. Nellie Finch, Red Cloud	20
Myrtle Jones, Guide Rock	15
Tilla McClelland Red Cloud	15
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