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CONVENTION CALLED TO BE HELD IN TOPEKA.

Bryan and Watson Electors to be Named on the Occasion-The Call Signed by W. F. Rightmire and John F. Willits-Bitter Denunciation of the Abilene and Hatchinson Conventions.

For Watson Electors.

TOPERA. Kan., Sept. 12.-W. F. Rightmire, Union Labor candidate for attorney general in 1688 and Populist candidate for chief justice in 1890, and John F. Willits, Populis' candidate for governor in 1890, last night issued a call for a middle-ofthe-road Populist state convention, to be held in Topeka Saturday, September 19, for the purpose of nominating a Bryan and Watson electoral ticket.

The call is as follows: Brothers: The trafficking office hunters who have se-cured control of the People's party organization have entered into a shameless bargain with the Democratic party of Kansas, trading off -cratic party of Kansas, trading off our principles and our candidate for Vice President, Thomas E. Watson, nominated upon our St. Louis plat-form, for the sake of a chance to capture the State and Congressional offices of Kansas. "We, your standard bearers in the computer of 1890, believing that the Populate of Kansas will stand by the St. Louis convention of 1896 and its

St. Louis convention of 1896 and its candidate for Vice President, Thomas E. Watson, in preference to the traitors and office hunters of the State of Kansus, who made this trade in the last Kansas convention, and thereby demand that the Populists of Kansas shall vote the Democratic electoral

shall vote the Democratic electoral ticket, call this convention. "Believing in the honesty and love of principle of the Populists of the state of Kansas, we hereby call upon the middle-of-the-road Populiste in each county of Kansas who favor a straight People's party electoral ticket for the state of Kansas to send one or more representatives from each county of the state to meet in Representative hall in the rife of Toneks Stander hall, in the city of Topeks, Saturday, September 19, at 10 o'clock's. m. for the purpose of nominating a straight middle-of-the-road Populists' electoral ticket for Bryan and Watson, and to make such other nominations and take such other action as shall by said convention be deemed best for

the success of Populist principles. Mr. Rightmire said that Mr. Watson has promised to address the convention. Rightmire is also making an effort to arrange meetings for Watson at Hutchinson, Emporia and Holton at the conclusion of his tour, under the direction of Chairman Breidenthal, which will end at Abilene Saturday.

WHEAT PRODUCTION.

Reduction in Estimated Yields, Both in

America and Europe. WASHINGTON, Sept. 12.-The Sep-tember report of the Department of Agriculture shows a decline in the condition of corn in August 6 points, "91." Averages in the principal corn growing states: Kentucky 93, Ohio 104, Michigan 104, Indiana 106, Illinois 100, Iowa 103, Missouri 85, Kansas 89, Nebraska 103. Although there has been a failing off in condition in come station in condition in some states, particu-larly in Kansas and Nebraska, the crop this year promises to be large. Kentucky and Missouri report considerable injury by dry weather and this impairment is shown in all the states to the South, increasing toward the

gulf. The Pacific slope sends favor-The general condition of wheat,

MR. BRYAN IN MISSOURI. Essaits of the Recent State Election 1 Dwelt Upon. CANTON, Ohio, Sept. 12. - At 9 o'clock

this morning the delegation of noted Vermont Republicans, who had come by special trains from their homes to call on ex-Governor McKinley, arrived here and was greeted with much enthusiasm by a large crowd of people. In the delegation were Governor Woodbury, Lieutenant Governor Manson, Congressman Henry H. Powers, Senator Proctor, Governor-elect Grout and other Wermont leaders.

M'KINLEY TO VERMONTERS.

Major McKinley spoke as follows: "I would be unjust to my own feel-ings and irresponsive to the kind sentiments uttered by your spokes-man if I permitted to pass unobserved the fact that in the preliminary conthe fact that in the preliminary con-test for the nomination of the presi-dent the state of Vermont gave me her united vote. Some of the news-papers asked me to interpret the result of the elections in Vermont on Sep-tember 1, but it seems to me that they are their own best interpreter. They have simply declared what every student of history must have dis-covered, that your thoughtful and patriotic citizens are as true as ever-are, truer than ever to the tenets of are, truer than ever to the tenets of good morals, and good politics and good government. They have shown by their ballots, by a greater pre-ponderence than ever, that they are more devoted to the honor of the government, to the maintenance of law and order, and to the restoration of that sound, wise and economic system, which has always been our chief pride and source of strength, than at any previous period in our eventful history. The value of your example is certainly greater than ever in the past, as the issues on which your victory was won are the same as those which now engage the atten-tion of the entire country. Therefore, silver orators and papers of Vermont, ill conceal, if they do not positively ill conceal, if they do not positively assert, what is being claimed every-where, that their solicitude is the relief of those who might temporarily profit by a degraded currency, no matter at what sacrifices of the plainest precepts of good morals. In no case and at no point do they propose a system to pay our national and pri-vate obligations on the plain old fa-hioned principles of good faith and honeaty which have always dia

fa-hioned principles of good faith and honesty which have always dis-tinguished the American people. "Practically admitting that the ef-fect of the free, unlimited and inde-pendent coinage of silver would be an immense loss to the savings and re-surces of our people, and that its adoption would reduce the plane of their social and industrial condition, they yet seriously propose that we they yet seriously propose that we shall risk this hazardous experiment. Vermont has said in tones that cannot be misunderstood that she will have nothing to do with that fatal experiment. Indeed, they are urging us to attempt by legislation to make 50 cents' worth of silver to pass current as a legal tender 100-cent dollar, good for all public and private obligations. The mere statement of the proposition ought to lead to its instant rejection. We cannot by law make every man honest, but we certainly will never make a law encouraging them to be dishonest. To me the question of protection is a question of humanity, the voice of labor pleading for its own, and the question of free silver is a question of public morality, honor and good faith, and its success would be a blot on our hitherto spotless national credit. Obscure the rea issues, and it finally resolves itself into that; but will it prevail? No, I answer; forever no. The American people, as a nation, like those of the State of Vermont, are entirely above so unworthy an imputation

NO FUSION IN TEXAS.

The Populist State Committee Denies

ADDRESSES WORKMEN BEFORE BREAKFAST IN KANSAS CITY.

HE MAKES TWO SPEECHES.

The Free Coinage Question Alone Discussed-Voters Asked to Study the Matter Thoroughly for Themselves Before Casting Their Ballot-Supply and De-

mand-50e Dollar.

KANSAS CITX, Mo., Sept 14 .- Willam J. Bryan was given an enthusiastic reception in Kansas City this morning, and after a stay of three hours, he left for a daylight trip across Missouri. At 7 he spoke briefly to two thousand workingmen in the West bottoms. Two hours later, after breakfast and an informal reception at the Coats, he made a second and longer speech in the open air at Eleventh and Grand avenue before a

crowd of at least 10,000 people. He said in part at the bottoms: He said in part at the bottoms: "Some of our opponents tell us that the thing to do is to open the mills instead of the mints. That reminds me of the man who said that his horse would go all right if he could just get the wagon started. It is putting the cart before the horse. What use is there for mills unless the people can buy what the mills produce, and how there for mills unless the people can buy what the mills produce, and how can you start them as long as those who produce the wealth of this coun-try, particularly the farmer, are not able to get enough out of what they raise to pay their taxes and interest? There is no more effective way of de-stroying the markets for what the mills produce than to lower the price mills produce than to lower the price upon the products the farmer has raised, so that they will bring him not enough to pay him for raising them."

It was 8:25 o'clock when he began speaking up town. The jam around the speaking stand was so dense that it was impossible for the Bryan party to get to it, so he stood up in the tally-ho on which he rode from the Coates house, and spoke as follows in

"Our opponents tell us that we pro-"Our opponents tell us that we pro-pose to change the operation of nat-ural law. I assert that the advocates of free coinage are the only people in this campaign who base their argu-ments cn the fundamental prenciples of natural law. That law is the law of supply and demand; it is the grea; law of trade. Now we propose to ap-ply that law of supply and demand to the money question, and we say that when you increase the demand for gold by making it the sole standard of values, you raise its price just as you gold by making it the sole standard of values, you raise its price just as you raise the price of anything else by in-creasing the demand for it, and that when you raise the price of gold in a gold standard country you lower the price of all products which are meas-ured by money A gold standard then means falling prices, and falling prices means hard times to everybody except the man who owns money or trades in money. "Now, if the money owner has a

"Now, if the money owner has a right to use the ballot to raise the value of the money which he owns, why have not all the test of the peo-ple the right to use the ballot to keep him from detroying the value of the money which they comp?

him from catroying the value of the property which they, own? "Now another proposition. We be-lieve not only that the free comage of silver will raise the value of silver bullion as measured by gold, but we believe that the demand created by the United States will be sufficient to take all our surplus silver and there take all our surplus silver and there being no silver on the market which cannot be converted into money at is and ed in the develop

WATSON LOSES HIS HEAD Heated Words Used at Abliene in Regard

ABILENE, Kan., Sept. 14 -Although Thomas E. Watson did not arrive here until 12:45 o'clock last night, twentyfive members of the Bryan club and and some of the Populist county committee met him at the depot. J. F. Willits accompanied him and the Leedy party was at the hotel when

the visitors arrived. W. L. Brown of Kingman, Leedy's lieutenant, and Abe Steinberger, who came with Watson, at once clashed, and for two hours there was an acrimonious discussion in which local Populists sided with Brown, who said: "If Watson has come here to put up a separate ticket, heil is not hot enough

This morning when Watson met Brown in the hotel lobby the former said: "I ask that Kansas put up a sep-arate ticket. If you vote for Sewall, you vote against me. I opposed fusion in the South and I oppose it ere.

Brown tried to explain the fusion arrangement in this state, but Watson replied: "The resolution of your con-vention is not worth the paper it is written on Kansas wants to elimin-ste itself from the national fight and ate itself from the national fight and sit on the fence and see the proces-sion go by. You can't raise the price of corn and wheat by trading off your national tickets for a little local ple." Wateon became very much excited during the controversy and a crowd gathered. Both men were plainly an-gry when Reed took Watson's arm and asked him to go up to his room. gry when Reed took Watson's arm and asked him to go up to his room. After a consultation with the com-mittee to-day, it was decided that Watson should speak in the afternoon and Leedy in the evening. As soon as possible after his speech, he will start for Lincoln, Neh, to consult with the Populist contral committee of that state. Then he will go to Col-orado for a few speeches.

of that state. Then he will go to Col-orado for a few speeches. It was emphatically given out by Mr. Steinberger of Girard, who is Mr. Watson's Kanass spokesman, that there will be no State convention. "But there will be a Watson electoral ticket," he said, "and we will elect it. We have been snat upon and use will ticket," he said, "and we will elect it. We have been spat upon and we will not stand it any longer. The ticket will be named by nomination papers as we are well organized already. At least sixty per cent of the Populist party is with Watson." In answer to a question whether he was an A. P. A., Watson replued: "J am not."

Republican Chairman Hanna Positively

Settles Carrent Reports. CHICAGO, Sept. 14 .- "Mr. McKinley

is not going to take the stamp," said Republican National Chairman Mark Hanna. "The Democrats undoubtedly would like to see him chasing over the country in a wild scramble for votes, as Mr. Bryan has unsisted upon doing. I have heard this subject dis-cussed, and I think I know what I am talking about when I say Mr. McKin-ley will continue to address the peo-ple who visit him at Canton."

The Colorado Fusion Deal DENVER, Colo., Sept. 14.-The efforts to consolidate the four silver parties of Colorado in the support of one State ticket in the coming elec-

tion reoved a failure. The Democrats and silver Republicans, however, Cured all forms of . . . and silver Republicans, however, have combined forces in support of a ticket headed by Alva Adams, Demo-crat, for governor and the Populista effected a fusion with the Silver party, their joint ticket headed by Judge M. S. Bailey, Populist. These four par-ties, however, have all united in sup-port of the Bryan and Sewall electoral licket. There remains one State corel licket. There remains one State con-vention yet to be held-that of the McKinley Republicans.

Effect of Good Housing Upon the Poor. Lord Shaftabury, who practically in-terested himself for more than sixty years in improving the homes of the masses, said time and again that many of the people who were in a filthy and deplorable condition had been made so by their aurroundings, and that where their homes had been improved, they had been rescued from such con-ditions. Human nature is imitative; the force of good example is catching. Lack of opportunity to lead a more Effect of Good Housing Upon the Poor. An African's Care for His Orne

the force of good example is catching. Lack of opportunity to lead a more civilized existence, not the inclination to remain as they are, largely explains the situation of the poorer elements smong city dwellers. Sir Sidney Wat-orlow cites the punctuality with which the rents are paid his corporation as evidence that people having good rooms are anxious to keep them. He believes there is a growing desire for comfortable homes.—September Cen-tury. tury.

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Big School of Porpeises. The steamer Ulunda, which recently arrived in Halifax from Liverpool, en-countered an enormons school of por-poises pursued by about two dozen large whales just before it came into port. It was estimated that there was over 1,400 poises in the school. They were seen about 15 miles east of Hali-fax, and jumped the vessel's sides in their evident terror of their pursuers. The sea was black with them and they rushed through the water like mad, with the great puffing whales in close pursuit. Old salts say they never saw snything like it on the American coast.

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Consistence of the solution of the solution of the present agitation of the solution of the solution of the solution is a concise statement in the September Review of reviews of the pros and consoft the question, "would American Free Coinage Dougle the Price of Silver in the markets of the world?" The affirmative view is supported by Charles B. Spahr, Ph. D., of New York, and the negative by Prof. J. Laurence Laughlin, of Chicago. Each of these writers is a recognized authority on the question of the standards.

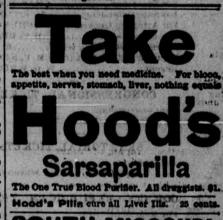
An African's Care for His Ornaments Soon after you get started on a jour-ney with black follow 'rs all your break-able property-cups, saucers, etc.,-will be amashed or lost, but the gentle African, notwithstanding, will wear around his ankle a thin thread of beads for three years; he will tear his way through matted grass, and follow a wounded buck through tangled jungle without injury to his ornament. It is remarkable how an ornament sticks to a native —September Century. You Are Not "Shakes Before Takes

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Harper's Round Table published September 1st will continue the first installment of a new serial story enti-tled "In the Old Herrick house," by Ellen Douglas Deland. To the lame number Dudley D. F. Parker will con-tribute an interesting paper on the art of sailing small boats. The article will be fully illustrated and will be found to contain many useful suggestions and directions for young yachtamen.

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both winter and spring, when har-vested was 74.6, against 75.4 in 1895 and 83.7 in 1894. The reported condition in the principal wheat states is as follows: Ohio 53, Michigan 75, In-diana 66, Illinois 77, Wisconsin 70, Minnesota 40, Iowa 54, Missouri 75, Kansas 70, Nebraska 77, South Dakota 76, North Dakota 61, Calfornia 100, Oregon 80, Washington 75.

Condition of oats when harvested was 74 per cent, against 77.3 in Au-gust, rye, 82; barley, 83; buckwheat, 93.20.

93.20. The European agent of the depart-ment reports a general reduction from earlier estimates of the wheat crop, owing to unfavorable weather, which was particularly bad at har-vest time in the central slope, though fairly good westward. Quality of grain is apported high. Oats and bar-ley will be short. Corn crop in the Southern[°] peninsula is looking well.

"Bill Dalton" Revived in New York. NEW YORK, Sept. 12.-Acting on information received from Captain Monahan of the East One Hundred and Fourth street police station, the detectives of this city are now searching for "Bill" Dalton, the notorious Western desperado, who was identified two years ago as killed in Oklahoma. He is believed to have been the man who is believed to have been the man who escaped in the robbery of Henry Hildbrandt, a brewery memorger, Wednesday noon.

A Babe Attempts Suidide PORTSMOUTH, Ohio, Sept. 12.-Villie Flannigan, aged 5 years, daughter of Michael Flannigan, an engineer, came near committing suicide yeaterday by swallowing carbolic acid. Prompt attention saved her life. Her father having appealed for divorce, sought the custody of his child. The little one wanted to stay with her mother, and before taking the poison 'got it into her head that her father 'was coming home.

Mrs. Beecher Very Helt. NEW YORK, Sept. 15. -- Mrs. Heary Ward Beecher has the whooping cough. With her 84 years the ailment is proving to be serious, the violent its of coughing causing her to become very weak. She has been "Bole" to sleep but little for the last "five days Mrs. Beecher caught the silment from her great grandosildren.

Robbers Make a \$1,000 Haul THOMASVILLE, Ga., Sept. 13.-The office of the Southern Express Com-many in this city was robbed last hight of \$1,000 by this was

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DALLAS, Tex., Sept. 12,-The Populist state executive committee, after a day's secret session, adjourned late last night. This morning Chairhast hight. This morning Unaly-man Bradley gave out two resolu-tions adopted by the body. The first of these recognizes Bryan and Watson as the national ticket of the party and the second is a denial in toto of Democratic newspaper charges that have been made throughout the state of a deal between Republicans and Populizis to carry the state offices for Populists to carry the state offices for the latter and electors for McKinley. A committee will prepare an address to this effect.

Depositors Against a Banker's Widow CABLYLE, Ill., Sept. 12 .- The widow of the late State Treasurer Rufus N. Ramsay has filed claims aggregating \$60,000 against the estate. The depositors in the Ramsay bank here are beginning to think there is an endless chain of creditors. A partial list of claims reaches \$170,000, while the estate is estimated at only \$160,000. The depositors will fight Mrs. Ramsay, and lively litigation is expected.

Another New Oriegans Bauk Fallure NEW ORLEANS, La., Sept. 12 -The third bank failure here is a month occurred to-day when the Mutual Na-tional closed its doors. The general feeling of distruct caused a quiet but continued run on the bank for the past two weeks. It received aid from the clearing house, but was unable to continue after the rush of yesterday.

Baldwin Won't Resign

WASHINGTON, Sept. 12. - Treasury Auditor Baldwin says that he will not resign if called on, but that if the administration wants him to quit he may be discharged. He made a speech at Bethaeda Park in Maryfand, last night. Mr. Baldwin is an old Mis-sourian, and formerly served in the Missouri legeslature.

Georgia Gold Democrats.

ATLANTA, Ga., Sept. 12. - The au-nouncement is made that the Georgia gold Democrats will call a state convention, to be held at the capitol on September 23. The formal call has not been issued, but the special purpose of the convention, as will be an-nounced, will be the selection of an electoral ticket.

Groem 78, Bride 38.

VERSAILLES, Ky., Sept. 12.-Thomas S. Edwards and Mias Eliza Hawkins were married to-day at the bridg's home. Mr. Edwards is 7d years of age and his bridg 82

ment of our industries. There will be no silver in the world that can be purchased for less than \$1.29 per ounce. But our opponents say: 'Sup-pose we have more money, how are you going to get any of it?' That, to them, is an argument which answers everything. Let me sugrest an argu-ment, or rather a question, which you can ask them: 'Suppose you have something to sell, how can you get anything for it until you find some-body who has money to buy it? Money is the creature of law. There can be no money until the govern-ment provides for that money. If you want more of any of the products of labor you can go out and bring them into existence; but if you want more purchased for less than \$1.29 per into existence; but if you want more money you cannot go out and create more money, because the law imposes a penalty-punishment in the peniten-tiary-for any man who tries to create money. Therefore, my friends, the only way to bring more money into existence is to take charge of the government, which is the only instru-mentality, and by law open the mints and permit the coinage of enough money for the people to do business

"Now I am not permitted to talk to you but a short time nor have I strength enough to go through the campaign if I should do otherwise. I want you to take this money question and study it for yourselves-no class of people has the right to decide for of people has the right to decide for you—you have got to do it yourselves, my friends. Remember , that your talents were given you for the protec-tion of your rights, and there is no-body to whom you can safely entrust your interests but yourself." After the speech the tally-ho, with a tumbling mob following it, was driven to the depot, where Mr. Bryan and party boarded a train for the trip across Missouri. The candidate apoke

cross Missouri. The candidate spoke at a number of points along the route to St. Louis, where he was scheduled for three formal speeches.

Albert Bigelow Paine Sends for His Wife.

FORT SCOTT, Kan., Sept. 14. -- Mra. Minnie Paine, wife of the author, Albert Bigelow Paine, who is now living in New York city, has gone to New York at his request to meet him and try to settle their domestic troubles.

Polk Wells, the Outlaw, Dead.

ANAMOSA, Iowa, Sept. 14 - Polk Wells, the notoribus outlaw, who was transferred from Fort Madison to the prison here recently, died yesterday afternoon. The body will be shipped to his wife who lives in Missouri.

St Joseph Estates Sued for Big Fee. ST. JOJEPH, Mo., Sept. 14.-Yester-day Judge Henry Lazerus of New Orleans, La., sued in the United States court the estate and heirs of the late Dudley M. Steele and the estate and heirs of J. W. Walker, who committed suicide at the Midland hotel in Kansas City a year ago, for \$44,500 alleged to be due for professional services rendered in the settlement of litigation incident to the Steele & Walker failure.

The Matabele Trouble Ended.

CAPETOWN, Sept. 14. - Advices received here from the Motopo hills are that Wednesday seven chiefs and fory head men of the Matabeles were present at a conference with the British officials. The natives were offered peace on the surrender of their arms and on giving up those who had been guilty of murdering settlers and others in cold blood. The chiefs agreed to this.

Von Der Ahe in Hot Water.

ST. LOUIS, Mo., Sept. 14. - When Chris Von Der Ahe, president of the St. Louis Browns and Sportsman's park and owner of the night race track, the chutes and various other amusements, returns here with his bride he will be served with papers in a breach of promise, and a damage suit, brought by Miss Annie Kaiser, formerly his housekeeper.

Watson Populiste May He Surprised. EMPORIA, Kan., Sept. 14.-The Pop-ulists of Emporia are talking of going to Topeka to the Willits-Bightmire convention to pack it for the Sewall electors. The Emporia Popu-lists say that there will be a concerted movement among Populists all over Kansas to get into the Watson convention and run it.

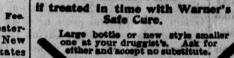
A Dispensary Investigation Wanted. COLUMBIA, S. C., Sept. 14. - The state Democratic committee late last night adopted a resolution requesting the state board of control, which has charge of the dispensary, to publicly investigate the charges against officers connected with that institution.

Prof. Francis J. Child Dead. Bosrox, Sept. 14.—Prof. Francis James Child, Ph. D., L.L. D., of Har-vard university, died yesterday at the age of 71. Since the death of Prof. James Whitney of the chair of geology last month Prof. Calld had been the senior member of the faculty.

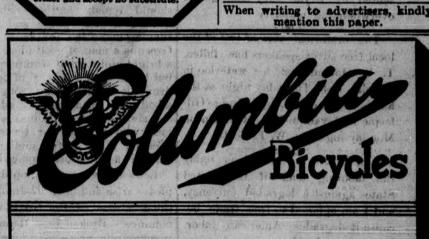
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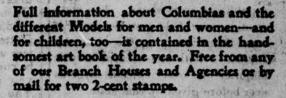


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