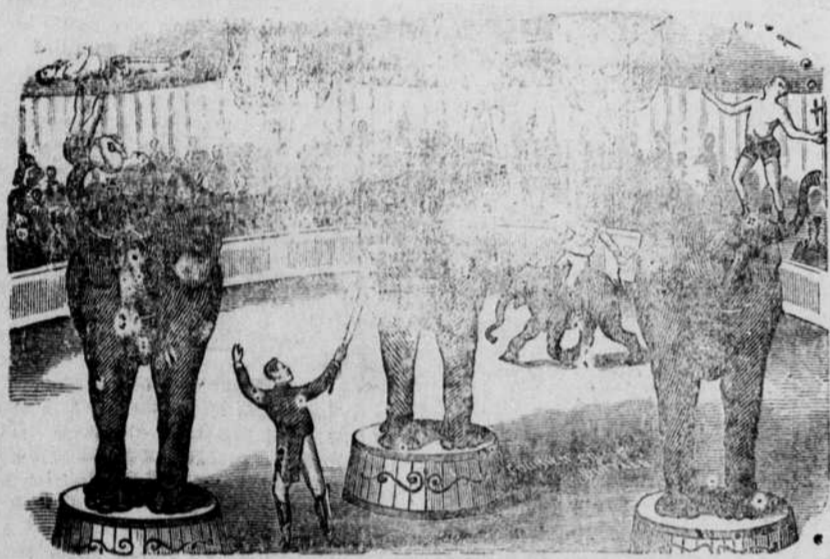


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Somehow, populists were never so interested in fusion, and somehow, democrats were never so independent.

The thoughts of fusion with the democrats cause frowns to overspread the face of numerous populist candidates.

Now that the Schley-Sampson controversy has been revived it is about time for Omaha sleuths to have another clue to the whereabouts of one Pat Crowe.

When it is considered that less than one-half of the readers are interested in political news, a newspaper that is all politics doesn't find a very large class of admirers.

Mr. Deaver, late editor of the True Populist, says he is a republican since his appointment to the O'Neill land office. This is a very good time to discard populist vagaries.

Portry, like music, hath charms to soothe the savage breast. But gingleless lines hath raspings to arouse the savage in the gentle breast. Mr. Eves, the poet from Amelia, is liable to be lynched.

"De gang" "veivs with alarm" the spread of the anti-pop, anti-ring sentiment among the Holt county voters. Some of them are beginning to realize their political pap-sucking days are nearly over.

The shirt waist cello editor read a certain lecture to Editor Henry, of the Plain Dealer, last week anent the latter's comment upon the Bartley parole. The censured editor promises to say something this week. Will he? Or will the blue pencil satisfy his wounded feelings.

Forty one thousand applications for pension have been made from soldiers serving in the Spanish-American and Philippine wars. If granted, it will require approximately \$3,000,000 annually to pay them. It is probable that not a tithe of this is really needed or should be granted.

D. Clem Deaver, lately appointed receiver of the O'Neill land office, says the fusionists tried to buy off the True Populist last fall at \$75 the double column per day. This is a pretty fair rate, but if they started with that kind of bids in the last campaign what will be their "price" this year?

Admiral Schley is cutting a scarcely less ridiculous figure in the controversy of who was the hero at Santiago than did the hero of Manila in his brief but stormy political venture. Schley exhibits more of the traits of the true hero. In all this noise and bustle for honor he only lowers his name on the page of that brilliant chapter of American naval history. There were many men who were ready to ascribe much of the credit of the Santiago campaign to Schley, but their minds have changed. Men invariably, find their proper level in history, and if Schley had been really the hero of Santiago people would find it out.

Columbus Telegram (dem.): The populists of Custer, the banner populist county of the state, have made a poor start looking toward fusion this fall. They have put up a straight populist ticket, without consulting the democrats on the subject of fusion. In view of the accepted fact that Custer county has been in the habit of setting the populist pace for the state, this action is taken by many to indicate that populists generally are determined to abandon the fusion idea in Nebraska. However, since Custer has of late been drifting toward the republican shoals, perhaps the balance of the state may not be eager to follow its bad example. Last fall Custer was the hot bed of

middle-of-the-roadism and now that D. Clem Deaver, the chief mid-roader, has received a \$3,000 a-year republican reward, perhaps there are in Custer a large number of patriots looking for like showers of blessings and that may account for their hasty action in ignoring the democrats.

"We are now upon the verge of moral and material ruin." Let us open the tomb, burst death's canonized cerements and look back into the early 90's. Where are the men who ten years ago spread upon the platform of the populist party those terrible words? You cannot count one who tumbled over the "verge of moral and material ruin" which may be attributed to a failure to follow populist ideas. Ten years ago populism swept like the hot winds over Nebraska and the people believed the only material salvation lay in voting the pop ticket. That party has bursted like a bubble and republicanism marches serenely triumphant in state and nation. Material ruin was never farther from the home and firesides of the nation. Phenominal prosperity is at the hand of every man who is not too lazy to pick it up.

Why It Is Hot.

Garrett P. Serviss, the scientist, thus explains the heat. "The burning heat now afflicting the whole of the United States, and felt also on the other side of the Atlantic, and generally throughout the Northern hemisphere, is convincing proof of the fact that the earth is the satellite of a variable star.

"Only on the assumption that the source of terrible heat is directly in the sun, and due to an extraordinary increase in its effective radiation, can the widespread and long-continued nature of the present meteorological disaster be satisfactorily explained.

"All astronomers know that the face of the sun is blanketed with absorbing vapors, while its interior is much hotter than the glowing shell that we see.

"Strip off the vaporous blanket entirely, and the surface of the earth would probably burst into smoke and flame in the instantaneous gush of unbearable heat that would be poured upon it.

"Whenever, as occurs periodically, though not always to the same extent, the solar vapors are thinned, the heat from within leaps out through the weakened shell, and strikes the earth and the near-by planets as with a breath of fire from the suddenly opened door of a blazing furnace.

"That is what happened this summer, and the immediate agency that has flung open the furnace doors and sent forth the destroying blast is the mysterious power whose visible manifestation is the presence of black sunspots.

"But it is a mistake to suppose that the sunspots themselves exercise any direct influence upon the weather, or that there must be spots on the sun whenever there is extraordinary heat upon the earth.

"The spots are simply indicators of the sun's condition, resembling in that respect the eruptions on the skin of a smallpox patient.

"They tell the story of the sun's internal convulsions, and indicate some of the places on its surface where the pent-up forces are bursting out.

"For the next four years these gigantic outbursts will increase in fury, and a corresponding series of terrestrial seasons marked by great excesses of temperature, sudden outbursts and extraordinary cyclonic disturbances will follow."

A Deceiving Apple.

A Massachusetts farmer claims to have found an apple that was outwardly perfect, but the inside of which was entirely consumed by a worm that evidently crawled in through the stem.

Timber in Ireland.

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