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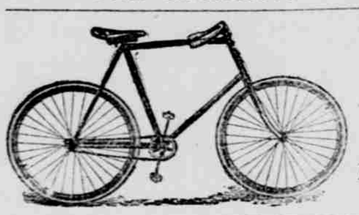

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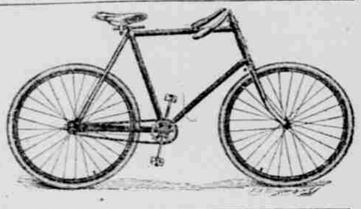

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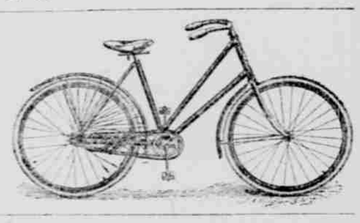

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DEMOCRATIC STATE CONVENTION.

A delegate convention of the democrats of the state of Nebraska is hereby called to meet in Lincoln on Wednesday, April 22, 1896, at 2 p. m., for the purpose of selecting sixteen delegates to the national democratic convention, which will meet in Chicago on the 7th day of July, 1896, and for the transaction of such other business as may properly come before it.

We invite all democratic citizens of the state, without respect to past political associations or differences, to unite in sending delegates to this convention.

The basis of representation is one delegate for each 100 votes, or major fraction thereof, cast for Hon. W. J. Bryan for United States senator at the general election of 1894, each county, however, have at least one delegate.

(Here follows the list of the counties with their number of delegates. On this basis Cass county is entitled to twenty-one delegates, and the whole number of delegates to the convention is 813).

By order of the democratic state central committee.

C. J. SMYTH, Chairman.
LEE HERDMAN, Secretary.

MEN who take a view of things that is broad enough to embrace that the decrease in the commerce of the United States—the exports as well as imports—since 1892 is not wholly the result of local causes, however much it might have been caused by the gold conspiracy, for, when one looks abroad he finds that the same condition of depression exists in all civilized countries, except, possibly, Japan and Mexico, and the commerce of the world has been greatly reduced during the past four years. Therefore, it is plain that neither a high nor low tariff could have helped us out of our slough of despond. Cheap politicans of the Chapman order can charge the evils of the times up to the Wilson bill, but they know that the cause lies deeper than that. English statesmen of the gold standard type admit that the present depression is due to the destruction of the par of exchange between gold and silver as money. When, therefore, Mr. Chapman assumes that the repeal of the McKinley act produced the hard times he is simply showing his egotistic ignorance of existing conditions that are world wide.

TOUCH an Englishman on the tariff question and he will point to the magnificent advancement England has made in the past fifty years under a free trade policy, whereby her commerce and manufactures have more than quadrupled. Talk to him about finances and he will admit that the stopping of silver coinage is proving disastrous in the lowering of prices throughout the world as well as in England, but he will point to the progress and wonderful developement of England's commerce and manufactures as the direct result of the gold standard which she adopted in 1816. He will say this in spite of the fact that that within three years after its adoption the number of landowners in England decreased more than 30,000, and has been growing smaller year by year since that time, and the number of renters has largely increased. These facts are undisputed, and are made more prominent by the recent discussion in the house of commons, which adopted a resolution calling for an investigation in the interest of bimetallism and looking to the calling of another international conference on the money question. The debate which followed showed that while a general depression and lowering of prices throughout the world was an admitted fact, caused by the destruction of the par of exchange between gold and silver, because the latin union had ceased to coin silver, but those speaking for the government were positive that it would be ruinous for England to adopt bimetallism. The idea was that her interests were being ruined because other countries had gone to the gold standard, but she would only make it worse by adopting the remedy which she recommended to others. The ridiculousness of this position is less apparent because it was stated in all seriousness.

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DENVER ANSWERS NEW YORK.

The Denver Chamber of Commerce has mailed a reply, of which the following are the concluding paragraphs, to a communication recently received from the New York Chamber of Commerce: "We take issue with the assertion that a continuance of the agitation in favor of the free coinage of silver has resulted in any cost to the government, or that it stands in the way of revival of national prosperity. Public obligations are payable in coin of the standard value of July 14, 1870 Congress and attorneys general have officially declared them to be so payable. Observance of the law by administrative officers in the public interest would have made gold raids upon the treasury impossible, and bond syndicates unknown. Eastern investors hoarding greenbacks and gold to buy bonds, have left western producers nothing to borrow and to circulate among their exchanges but the bank notes and silver certificates. Nothing 'stands in the way of confidence and prosperity' but the dealer in public securities, who, deploring their issue, demands more of them.

"We are in full accord with the sentiment that the time is past for any halting or doubtful phrases to express the meaning of political parties upon any public question. The issue is between the producers of wealth and the manipulators of exchange. Prosperity is impossible without a sufficient and a stable money circulation. This can only be secured by the free coinage of gold and silver. By destroying the latter, we have placed a bounty upon the staple products of silver-using lands, and compelled them to manufacture for themselves. They are progressive; we are stationary. We cannot improve our condition by praising an honest money that is dishonest, or by denouncing a cheap currency that is not cheap."

Farm For Sale.

The undersigned has for sale, either in whole or in part, the property described as the north east quarter and the east half of the north west quarter and north east quarter of the south west quarter and north half of the south east quarter of section 2, and the north west quarter of the north west quarter of section 1, all in township 13, range 9, Saunders county, Nebraska, comprising 400 acres. The property is under cultivation and has a house and outbuildings thereon. Apply to

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The lady readers of THE JOURNAL will be interested in knowing that the Tucker Sisters, milliners, are preparing to supply their customers with the newest and latest styles of millinery for the spring trade. They will shortly engage a special trimmer for that work, and when ready will make due announcement through the papers.

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Democratic County Convention.

The members of the democratic central committee for Cass county, are hereby called to meet at the city hall in Plattsmouth at 1:30 o'clock on Saturday, March 28, 1896, to make arrangements for calling a county convention to select delegates to the state and congressional conventions, and other business. H. D. TRAVIS,
Chairman Dem. Central Committee.

NEW YORK ANSWERS.

Potatoes are selling for eight cents a bushel in many parts of Michigan, and there is but little demand for them even at that price.

Of the eighteen people who died at Norwich, Va., during 1895 ten were more than seventy-three years old, and of these ten five were more than eighty years old.

A boy of sixteen and a girl of thirteen were married at Ford, Ky., a few days ago. There were two sixteen-year-old brides in the same region recently and several bridegrooms under twenty years.

Maine's forests are being made into paper at the rate of about twelve thousand tons of pulp and paper every year. Some five thousand men are employed in the pulp and paper industry, and $13,000,000 of capital is invested in it.

The oldest postmaster in New England in point of continuous service is believed to be Samuel S. Fuller of Mansfield, Conn. He has been postmaster in that place during the past forty-five years. He is a democrat, but his place has never been threatened by political considerations.

A skeleton of an Indian six feet six inches long and twenty-four inches across the shoulders, inclosed in a stone coffin, was discovered in a mound near Shelbyville, Ind., last week. The skull was of a different shape from any others found in mounds thereabout, being perfectly flat on the top and back.

There is a quaint maniac in Santa Cruz, Cal., who ought to be brought to the attention of Colonel Waring. His name is F. Valente and he has a mania for cleaning streets. For a month or more he worked very hard all day and much of every night, sweeping the main streets of Santa Cruz. Why his commendable mania was looked upon as a public nuisance is not stated, as he was harmless and only wanted to be let alone in his work, but he was examined as to his sanity a week ago and commited to the asylum.

A. H. Weckbach sells ten bars of good soap for 25 cents. Try it.

A new bunco game, new at least in the neighborhood where it is being successfully worked, is costing the farmers and country storekeepers of Lane county, Ore., a good deal of money. The swindler claims to be a treasury detective looking for counterfeit coin. He asks the farmers and storekeepers to submit their coin for his inspection. He puts on the silver dollars a chemical solution which turns them black, declares them spurious and takes them with him. He also impressively warns his victims that they are liable to arrest for having counterfeit money in their possession and causes them to keep very quiet about the matter, thus helping him along in his work of bunco.

The Iowa legislature has included bicycles in the list of taxable property by an emphatic vote. The debate showed that the country members were exasperated over the recent heavy fall in the prices of horses, which they attribute largely to the wheel.

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