THE WEALTH MAKERS.

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1130 M Street, Lincoln, Neb.

Then seek I not to climb. Another's pain

I choose not for my good. A golden chain,

GE HOWARD GIBSON... T. GRIFFIN,

If any man must fall for me to rise,

obe of honor, is too good a prize

Or add a serrow to a stricken soul

To tempt my hasty hand to do a wrong

Unto a fellow man. This life hath woe

Sufficient, wrought by man's satanic foe:

and who that bath a heart would dare projo

My besom owns the brotherhood of man.

That seeks a healing baim to make it whole

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Grand Island, Neb., on Wednesday, August

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nating candidates for the following state offi-

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ties to meet in convention at the city or

LINCOLN, Neb., May 18, 1894.

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With this issue this paper starts out WEALTH MAKERS. on the sixth year of its existence, and THE ALLIANCE-INDEPENDENT. a stronger, wider influence than it has had at any previous period of its Farmers Alliance Nebraska Independent existence. Its face is to the foe. Its demand is justice for the wealth mak-PUBLISHED EVERY THURSDAY ers, equal and free opportunities for all, and to secure freedom and justice, the The Wealth Makers Publishing Company, overthrow of all monopolists. Friends, everywhere, will you not at this im-Business Manager. Advertising M'ngr. portant time do what you can to get THE WEALTH MAKERS into the hands

of new readers. If each will do what he can our influence in making votes and educating the people can be very greatly extended. All at it is the way to win. Let each do his part. See elsewhere in this issue special offer for new and trial subscribers.

### THE PROBLEM OF CHRISTIANITY.

In last week's issue we said that "the principle of Christianity is sacrifice, service, ministration industrial organization." Perhaps we shall be better understood if we say this principle of leve, prompting to service, must manifest it-Publishers Announcement. The subscription price of THE WEALTH AGENTS is SI.00 per year, in advance. AGENTS in soliciting subscriptions should be varieful that all names are correctly pelled and proper postoffice given. Blanks or return subscriptions, return envelopes, c., can be had on application to this office. ALWAYS sign your name. No matter how then you write us do not neglect this import-nt matter. Every week we receive lotters ith incomplete addresses or without signa-tres and it is sometimes difficult to locate em. self in fraternal organization; and must do so in order that we may most effectively defend and help one another, and so insure against future needs that we shall escape from the temptation to hoard and heap up wealth for contingencies we cannot measure. This temp tation to accumulate, withal unfraternally and uneconomically, while others ANGE OF ADDRESS. Hubscribers wishing ange their postofice address must always their former as well as their present ad-when change will be promptly made. of the household of faith need our surplus, has been so long considered a virtue that it must be attacked both PEOPLE'S PARTY STATE CONVENmorally and scientifically in order to disabuse men's minds of the idea that it is acceptable to God and beneficial to The People's Independent electors of the state of Nebraska are hereby requested to man.

Christ said, "Lay not up for yourselves treasures upon earth, where moth and rust doth corrupt and where thieves break through and steal."

How shall we understand this? Simply that we may not lay up treasures here. or that we may lay up treasure for others but not for ourselves?

Others? Whom? If for those whe gate at large from each county in the state and one additional delegate for each one hundred totes, or major fraction thereof, cast in 1893 for Hon, Silas A. Holcomb for judge of the supreme court, which gives the following vote sick and disabled or incapacitated, and

in turn be lovingly cared for by others when our working days are over? It is a love that delights

transgressing God's law. He must steel his heart against the needs of his neighbor, or he will have nothing stored up for the future when sickness, we believe with more warm friends and old age and an uncertain measure of needs may come to him. He must live like the rest, selfishly. struggling with his neighbors for gain, or they will gain from him, use up his surplus, and send him to the poorhouse when he beomes incapacitated for work.

We must have not merely a professed but an actual union of parts between members of Christ's body, or Christ cannot be revealed; His divine Spirit is not incarnated: He is not manifestly, visibly resurrected, and is powerless to

## THE OMANA BILVER MEETING

What will be the outcome of the Omaha conference of free coinage Democrats next week?

The conference would not have been called if there were not a prevailing disposition to bolt the party if it shall be made to appear that the Castor-Morton, goldbug, corporation crowd who downed Bryan can keep their grasp on the machine. The Bryan faction beaten will be forced out of the party. But what can they do if they have power to down the other fello #s? Why, the administration Democrats would in that case bolt the Bryan semi-Populist machine and go over to the Republicans. The division of Democracy left would not constitute more than a fifth part of the voters of the state and their votes would be of no avail.

It is no longer possible to hold the inharmonious party together in this state, and we are of opinion that Bryan and his followers must upon consideration see that the only way for their votes to be made effective is for then. to come over into the Populist ranks. It will not help them any to get majority control of the next convention, because then they would be compalled to put up a ticket which could by no possibility be elected. And it will be equally foolish for them to split off from the administration part of the party and make a fourth party, which would be powerless to elect.

The only sensible thing in sight for the silver, anti-monopoly Democrats to do when they gather in Omaha next week need, why lay it up more than from is to resolve that, as all the reforms harvest to harvest? Why not supply they favor and more are demanded by all present needs of old and young, of the Populists of Nebraska, it is the part of wisdom for them and all of like mind to join the party of the people. If this action is taken we can easily sweep the Christianity, remember, is not self-love state, redeem it from corporation coninsists on dividing equally with our places representatives of the people.

I have seen these people who are now to army in the different states is the on a strike. While I am talking seven companies of Indiana troops are on their march to keep some of them in order. Their wages have been sufficient to keep them alive

Is life worth living when it means to work, eat and sleep?

Ought there not to be a little comfort in life? Ought we not to expect out of it some color and light? You have seen the houses of these people-huts, dens. No grass to keep off of. I have in Pennsylvanis seen women working at the onths of furnace

As patriots is it desirable to turn this country over to the ignorant, stunted and twisted children of these men and women Is there any real economy in forcing wages down to the living limit? In feeding a man as you would a locomotive? A man can be raised to love his country or to hate it. I believe all lawyers will admit that the laws do faror the rich

There is a capital of money; there is another of muscle, raw or trained. That is all many men have, simply power to work under direction. Ought not that to be prolected?

Every old soldter feels warm when he remembers that gold received better wages than men. Our laws come down from Rome, from a time when the individual was not of much account. Conditions have changed. These laws should be much amended to fit a republic.

The poor have too little to do in making the laws that govern then. The deputy sheriff who through poverty or politics has enlisted at \$5 a day does

not quite know what he is doing. The miner up on the barricaded hill has a deep sense that he was there first. My wart yoes out to him. It is time for heart and reason. I look over the country and find an incipient war. I do not know what it will grow to be. I like peace. That men should be waiting for men to shoot them, their own neighbors! And potunteer to shoot them at less than I have

earned at binding wheat after a cradle! I long to see a world in which a man be-cause he is rich will not be insolent, and I long to see a world in which a man because he is poor will not be mulinous.

Preach the plain gospel of present ustice for the poor, for all men, and nineteen out of every twenty ministers will be asked to resign-and they will not be given six months in which to do it in, as Dr. Reed was, with salary continued. But the trouble is, nineteen out of every twenty ministers have no wish to preach to the poor the glad tidings of present deliverance from the grip and power of selfahness. They are not prepared to anathematize monopolists and scourge from the temple those who profit by or out of the sacrifices of others. O. if the Lord were to again come suddenly to His te nple!

### LET ALL BE HEARD.

We intended to refer last week to the column editorial in The Schuyler Quill condemning THE WEALTH MAKERS for nor love for ones wife and children. It trol, and retire Mercer, Hainer, Meikle- allowing Mr. Le Fevre over his own is an equalizing social love, a love that john and Manderson, putting in their signature to give reasons and opinions the moral forces and intellectual activiwhy Mayor Weir should not be nomineighbors and allowing none to lack. If the Bryan-Robinson following think nated by the Populists to head our state work will be of the highest value in

natural evolution of the competitive there is more than human power on the system. If is is right to starve men in- alde of justice, gets discouraged easily. to submission to employers' terms, it is Equally unstable and unreliable is the also right to use any other force, Winchesters, gatling guns, dynamite, to compel capitalists to agree to the workers' terms. But in neither case does might make right. Force can never temporary deteats, delays and seemingsettle the controversy, which, naturally, ly insurmountable obstacles. He will is waxing hotter and hotter. What is equity, what equal inalienable rights have men to the land and its contents and energies-these are the questions, moral questions, which must be answered. Putting down strikers with

sheriffs' hired gunners, or with the state militia, will never settle what is just and bring peace. It is an outrage to use the military arm of the government to scatter and destroy the forces of organized workers and compel them without means to live to make terms as individuais with the law-defended monopolists. The military power of the government should be used to stop left undone until convention meets in the strife between the forces of capital and labor, but not in the interest of capitalists. Compulsory arbitration should be resorted to to preserve peace

until the question of justice can be settled.

# ORGANIZERS.

We understand that Prof. Franklin Eston and wife of Lincoln, will soon leave us to engage in work throughout the state under the auspices of the "Union for Practical Progress" inaugurated by the Arens editor, B. O. Flower of Boston. Prof. Eston and his glited companion are, by virtue of their rare musical talents superior mental endowments and devotion to the cause of humanity, remarkably well fitted for the work they feel called to do. Their plan is to visit town after town throughout got their eyes open to the necessity of the state and in each place give two voting together, all together, in order musical (vocal and instrumental) entertainments, which will be of a grade of excellence that cannot fail to attract large audiences. In connection with each musical program Prof. Eaton will deliver a 30 minute address, and at the close of the second evening's entertainment a Union will be organized.

The matter of Prof. Eston's addresses is of the greatest interest and value. We know of no other speaker who has compressed so much fact and truth into the same compass, and every portion of it is matter of personal concern to every banks. individual. He sims to set people to thinking, to give them something which they cannot help thinking about. something which will arouse and unite ties of each community. We think his

The man who fails to realize that man who plays the reform role for revenue, or for office, or distinction of any kind. The true man is made more earnest, more sacrificing if possible, by die fighting, but never give up. He will not compromise with evil for a division of the offices. He can not be quieted till he compels the strong to deal justly with the weak.

THE Republican machine has had steam up and wheels moving for months. The Populists of Nebrasks, it seems to us, are losing time. Our state committee ought to get a move on them immediately in the matter of crowding local organization and stirring up the county committeemen to do the work that is necessary. If this matter is August much of it will not be done in the too short time left before election.

EVEN the best of the millionaires, men like Marshall Field and Phil Armour, have made their millions by financially ruining and running out their SINGERS, PLAYERS, SPEAKERS AND | weaker rivals. The Napoleons of trade and figance all lift themselves up by pulling down and making a pedestal of others. They as truly "wade through slaughter to a thrope" as did any of the historic soldier kings.

> JUDGE GROSSCUP of Chicage, a federal judge, in his speech at Galesburg, Ill., Decoration day, declared that the growth of labor organizations must be checked by law. What do you think of that, brethren? Isn't it time that the wealth making classes, rural and urban, to wrest the military arm from the control of the monopolists?

WE don't care what you make money of, paper, silver, gold, aluminum, diamonds, or iron. All we insist on is that we have as much legal tender as we need to measure our wealth and pay for the services of every one who wants work. And we further insist that the government shall provide such money in sufficient volume, and not farm cut the money-making business to the

THE Populists of Fremont called a meeting for the organization of a Populist club Saturday evening last and started in grandly with an enrollment of 250 members the first evening. Go ye, everywhere, and do likewise; pinto the work of organiz

### June 14, 1894

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We would recommend that no proxies be allowed, but that the delegates present cast the full vote to which their respective countles are entitled

J. A. EDGERTON. D. CLEM DEAVER. Secretary. Chairman.

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gressional Convention. The People's Independent party convention of the Sixth congressional district of the state of Nebraska, is hereby called to meet at Broken Bow, Neb., August 13, 1892, at 8 o'clock p m, for the purpose of placing in nomination one candidate for congress for the Sixth congressional district of Nebrasha, and for the saction of such other business as may properly come before the convention. The basis of representation will be one delegate for each county at large, and one for each 100 votes or major fraction thereof cast for SHas A. Lolcomb for supreme judge in 1893 The several counties will be entitled to representation as follows:

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J. H. EDMINTER, Chairman. J. W. ELLINGHAM. BO

Socializat, or slavery, which?

CHRISTIANITY is voluntary socialism

THE rain long looked for by Nebraska fermers is here.

ng is sublime." He lives not who loves

THAT man whose heart is not arou uce which as sees others sufferto no heart, and is not a man.

more than in being served.

full value of labor products only by mak- Populists. ing use of them before moth and rust mildew and frost, fire and flood and dishonest men destray or seize them. The accumulations of the rich are no exception to this law. Nature claims from all a penalty if surplus wealth is hoarded; but the rich compel the class who must borrow to pay this penalty of their number who lack.

The problem of Christianity is simply another most. We are prepared to grapple with this problem only after we see that it is simply a question of service. If one has wisdom to economically direct labor that gift or acquirement is not for himself or his family, They who are strong ought to bear the burdens of the weak. Each should serve according to his ability and receive only according to his needs. Those who pre-

fess discipleship to Jesus must be plainly distinguished from all others in their difference, that they produce and ex change goods or need satisfactions from a desire to gain. They must be not formally organized into a church

merely for Sunday worship; but they must be vitally "added together" as one body, having one interest, and be "members one of another" to provide susterance, defense and all things which any today needs.

The ultimate of the Christian social perfected is the Christian world. The state is now only slightly Christian, to the extent that it provides service at construction of public highways, carrying of the mails, and each additional extension of service, such as operating the telegraphs, telephones, railroads, express business, coal mines, &o. &a., willadd to its Christian features, giving

us service not for profit, but at cost. not be a Christian in the full sense. He

"IN an age on ages telling to be liv. | can suffer as a Christian. He cannot

there is any other way to get there than | ticket. As our columns have been to come into our party, if they plan any open to Mr. Weir and his political There is an economic reason why goods | fusion schemes, the Populists are in no | friends and more people have used our far in excess of present individual or mood for any such political fully. They space to speak in his favor than to opfamily needs should not be accumulat- will not be drawn away from the broad pose his candidacy, and as we have exed. It is natural law that all wealth not ground they stand on. They will not presed no choice, -have only asked for used decays, wastes away. We get the support men who will not or cannot be an exchange of views in the interest of

### ALL LANGUAGES CONTAIN JUSTICE.

"Foreign miners who are making trouble in this country should remem ber that the gatling gun speaks all languages."-Chicago Dally.

Who brought these foreigners to our shores? The great coal barons and trust. for them, and a usury or rent tax b2- others, and for the purpose of forcing sides. It is partly to save each other down American wages. And now that we have been absolutely fair with all. from these oppressions that Christians these men have joined the brotherhood We have had no favorites whom we having a present surplus are by the and refuse to work for wages which are have helped, no others whom we have law of love called on to give it to those less than the cost of keeping chattel discriminated against. And we are slaves, the threat is made that they

the problem of how we can help one fraternity shall be scattered and sub- will be a ticket we can unqualifiedly endued with the weapon that shoots 1,- dorse from top to bottem. 200 balls a minute

Go ahead with the machine gun shooting, your serens highnesses. If the question of justice is to be settled by force, and you own the earth and make but for all whom he can benefit with it sappeal to arms, let force with force contend. But they who take the sword, may perish with the sword, remember. Those who hire soluiers to fight their | tion: battles must be sure of winning, or their own necks are in danger. They fight beat who light for life and liberty. week-day business life, by this infinite Foreigners may or may not be controlled by gatting argument out Americans, never. Give us liberty, give us from a fixed purpose to serve instead of justice, give us our i allonable rights to share freely the good gifts of Godor give us death.

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DRIV N FROM . 18 PULPIT.

Rev. Myron W. Read of Denver, the great Congregational preacher whom the workers love and the monopolists and every part of the Christian bady hate, expressed sympathy for the Bull Hill migers last Surday, and it has led to his resignation. We repaint below body is the Christian state, and this that portion of the second, that our readers may are what the controlling element in the churches will not hear: the extent that it provides service at The world is getting to be, if not cost. It is Christian in its public school, crewde i, comio tably full. No in this nation have made a mistare in regard to our room. We have over d'ar the invitation business

I observe that the employers in the east, who are now petting it in ( + neck are pro-eleely the stree propie who imported the cheup later.

A man thought and invite changer labor is too dear; I will invite changer the A man thought awhile ago, "This The individual who stands alone can-ot be a Christian in the full sense. He sen, men who can live in holes in the san unfor as a Christian. He sense he sarth and on dog meat or garbage." And they cane

be saved from suffering, from loss, from tejury, from the sin of others He must struggle with the strong, or be taken advantage of by them. He must pay asuty if a horrowur; he cannot take usury, or rest, or net profite without

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the most intelligent choice on the part of all later,-The Quill seems in too much haste to find fault.

Our correspondents speak for themselves; never for us. They must also be allowed to publicly oppose public men, men who allow their names to be proposed as candidates for places of public

In our Exchange of Views department confident that the choice of the peoand the entire 200,000 miners of the pie's delegates after discussion is ended

## TRICKS THAT ARE VAIN.

The goldbugs are bi-metallists. Yes. they are. The best and only. Hear what they sa / in Kausas. Following is railroads who had failed to corrupt and the third plank of the platform adopted manipulate him. last week in Republican state conven-

demands the use of both gold and silver as standard money, with such restrictions and under such provisions, to be determined by legislation, as will setule the maintenance of the parity of values of the two metals, and that the purchasing and debt paying power of the dollar, whether of gold, silver or paper, shall be at all times equal. The interest of the producers of the country its farmer, and its workingmon, demands that the mints of the United states be opened to the coinage of silver and that congress shall enact Dawe coat weighs but five pounds and a law levying a tax on importations of foreign silver sufficient to fully protect the products of our own mines.

Now, do you see? You understand that it is necessary always for a dollar

to be a dollar in order for it to pay a dollar of debt. And you know that everything but gold has to be restricted ing bi-metalism, advocating the free coin problem. and tied to gold, "therwise gold will cease to be an absolute necessity and will depreciate in value. It is batter (for the gold bugs) for everything else | don't you see? They are, they claim, to depreciate in value and go.d to ap- the best friends silver has. John Sherpreciste, than for everything else labor-men-included, to appreciate and for gold to relatively depreciate. But isn't this plank a beauty? Isn't are bi-metallisto. The Evening News It curiously and wonderfully made? of Lincoln says the Nebraska Republicans must face the silver question. And And It is the combined wisdom of the powers that be to catch the ignoratt,

the guilible, the political fools.

drawing together people to investigate the things which are of common concern, and with knowledge gained they will be led to work together for what is right and just and helpful to all.

WE reprint this week from the Fremont Leader Judge Maxwell's opinion of the maximum rate bill and the sham suit for justice on the part of the railroads which is being drawn out forever while the Dundy injunction places them above the law, and they go on robbing the people. Our contention that the federal court has no jurisdiction in the matter is fully sustained by Judge Maxwell. The Board of Transportation have simply turned traitors to the people, have allowed an injunction to stand and the law of a sovereign state to be violated, trampled on, overthrown, when they might have enforced it. These Republican officials elected to guard the interests of the people are mud in the hands of the corporations, and the lesson is, that the corporationcontrolled party must be turned down and out, just as it turned down and out Judge Maxwell at the dictation of the

HEINRICH DOWE, a German tailor, Third-The American people favor has invested a bullet proof coat which bi-metailism and the Republican party catches and stops rife shots with perfect catches and stops rifle shots with perfect ease and certainty, furnishing a complete defense for the body of the wearer His invention has been tested and is the talk of all Europe. The result of this invention may be to keep men vate and harvest a crop of politics, if from learning war any more. Take they gather in the legislature and a from men the power to destroy each large representation in Congress, as other and the proud, the imperious, the they may, it will be worth more than a brutal will cease their insolence and be compelled to treat men as men. The looks like ordinary clothing. The in-

coating of the material will be proof against the heaviest guns.

IT is noted that the goldbugs are talkage of American silver, under such /estrictions as may seem necessary to pro serve a parity between to two metals, man is a bi-metallist, O yes. John M. Thurston is a silver Republican of the same sort. The whole Shylock outfit

we may expect from now until election that each and every party excepting the Populist, will be the particular and only Farcas and wages about which capita friend of the excluded white matal tute of Christian Sociology to be held at lists and workers are differing are be- They all declars for the protection of Grianell, lows. ing dictated by force, always have been the American dollar, which they ignora question of force. The present appeal antly worship.

brethren. The Republicans are hard at it. There is no success without organization and a thorough canvass.

THE intrinsic value advocates are advocates of barbarism, of the barter method of making exchanges. Legal tender destroys the need of barter. Money is a creation of law, and should be provided in sufficient quantity and so issued, without usury, to the people that it will serve to keep all at work who are in need of labor products.

Vox Populi is the name of a remarkably fine illustrated Populist paper published at St. Louis. The first page contains a picture of the Capitol at Washington with an enormous spider enveloping it in its arms, its webs reaching also to the grass and a sign, "Keep off the Grass" is in the fore ground. The editorial work of the paper is of high grade.

SENATOR ALLEN is compelling the respect of all parties. He stands easily in the highest rank of statesmen, and he is continually surprising friends and foes who marvel at his encyclopedic constitutional, legal and historic informetion. His activity in the Senate also indicates that he is doing an immense amount of work. All praise to our noble Senator.

THE farmers of Nebraska will be short of a crop of oats and wheat this year. But if they turn in to sow, cultiwhole season's work.

SENATOR PEFFER has introduced a measure calling for the national zing of ventor claims that ships covered with a the mines. Why in the name of all wisdom and justice is not this remedy for existing strife between power and

poverty recognized and applied? It is the only sort of solution of the social

LIES are the refuge of the unjust, the selfish, the wrong doors. Truth is an aggressive face which oppressors can not force or realst. The refuge of lics is yet to be swept away completely.

WE call attentios of all Alliance people to the report on page three of the recent action of the executive committee of the N. F. A. & I. U.

San in this losue the program of the Summer School of the American Insti-

San Mr. Muts article next page.