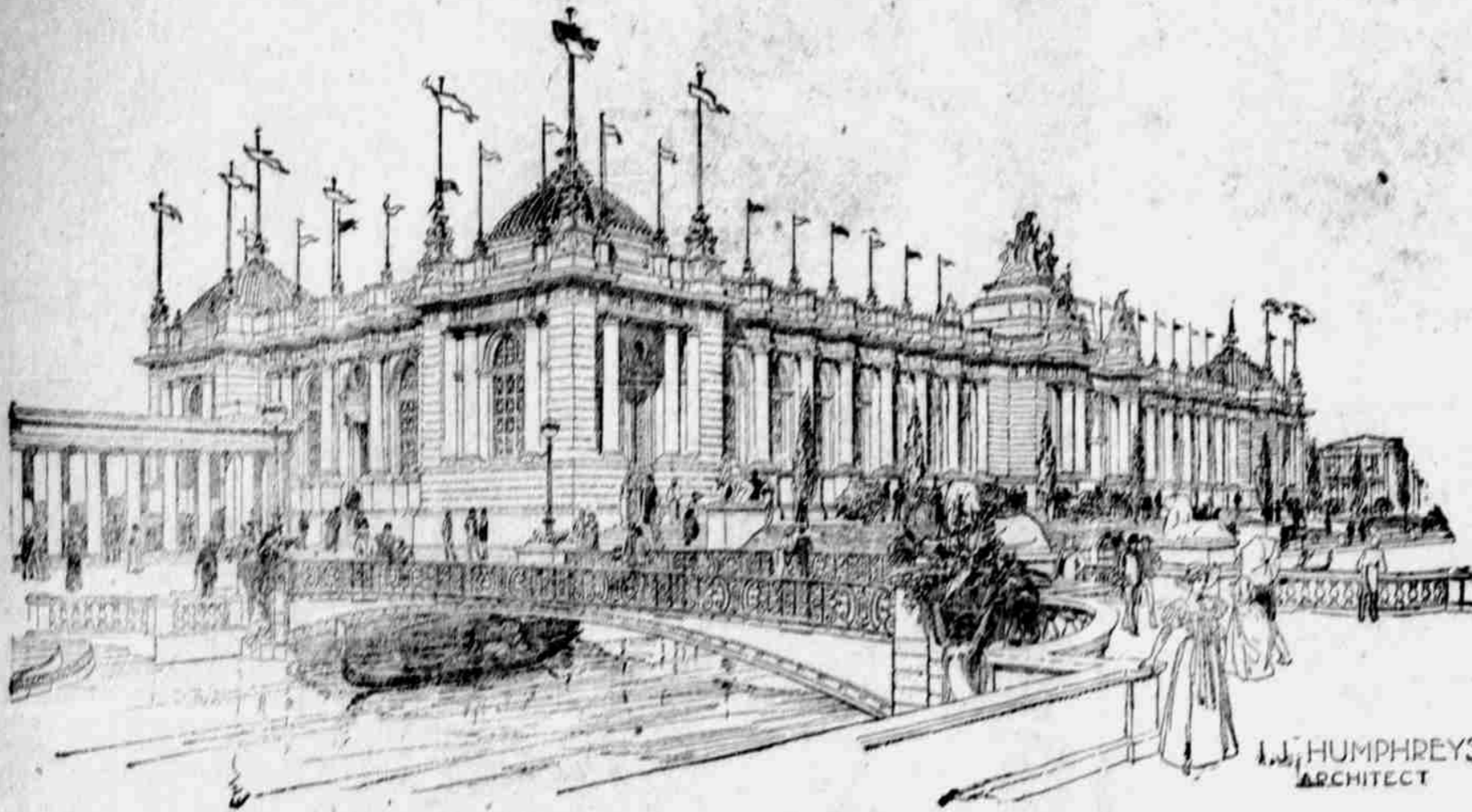


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In this column we will publish communications of a worthy and suitable character, received from subscribers to this paper.

How About Wheat and Silver.

I received a letter from a young republican friend in Nebraska recently, and as there are probably many others who may entertain erroneous opinions...

The goldbug press and their satellites are seeking to mislead by raising a great hue and cry, and endeavoring to make it appear that the recent divergence in the price of wheat and silver is a complete reversion of the position taken by the silver advocates upon that question.

Now the real facts in the case only go to show that the substantiated their position. In the first place no populist of ordinary intelligence ever claimed that the price of wheat and silver would always go up or down together.

But to come back to wheat and silver, neither of those articles are now under normal conditions. There has been a shortage in the wheat production in nearly all the great wheat producing countries of the world except the United States, and so up goes the price.

Now my friend, I trust that these few hints will induce you to investigate this question for yourself, when I doubt not you will come to a clearer understanding of the whole subject, and not be induced from what you read in the old party paper, to ask questions that are ridiculous from their simplicity.

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OVER STUDIED.

A Young Lady's Health Ruined Preparing for Graduation.

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In one of the principle streets of Shelbyville, Ind., resides Mrs. Emily Edwards and her seventeen year old daughter, Cora. The young lady is one of the charming young misses of the city she being known for her beauty and her perfect health.

"Although enjoying good health now" said her mother to a reporter recently, "she has not always been so fortunate." I suppose Cora, until two years ago last March, was as healthy and strong as any girl of her age. She was attending school and was studying hard. Perhaps she was too studious, for we noticed that the healthy color in her cheeks was rapidly disappearing, and she was becoming pale and anemic.

Different physicians treated and prescribed for her, but she kept getting worse. She had formerly weighed 109 pounds, but during her illness her weight had dwindled down to 79 pounds. We began to think there was nothing we could do for her benefit when I happened to notice an article in a paper regarding the merits of Dr. Williams' Pink Pills for Pale People. I thought that if there was ever a pale person it was certainly Cora, so I decided to buy a box of the pills and let her try them.

The young lady, said a word of approval, and that she felt very grateful for the benefit received through Dr. Williams' Pink Pills for Pale People. "I agree with my mother," said she, "that I would not be living today had I not used these pills."

To leave no doubt as to the truthfulness of her story Mrs. Edwards cheerfully made the following affidavit:

SHELBYVILLE, Ind., May 13, 1897. This is to certify that the above story concerning the illness and subsequent recovery of my daughter, Cora, is an exact and truthful representation of the facts in her case.

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This home is situated about three miles northeast of Beatrice, was built in 1887. There are now 223 inmates and is under the supervision of C. P. Fall, M. D., with C. W. Phillips as steward. These gentlemen understand their business and are looking after the best interest of the state and those intrusted to their care. The following list of teachers are doing their duty as well as can be done in school work of this kind. They are exceptionally good teachers. Besides their literary qualifications they possess the patience of a thousand jobs or they could not do so well with this class of students. Miss Mutz of Keya Paha county; Miss Cox, Beatrice; Miss Fall, Aurora; Miss Miller, Stromsburg. Mrs. Belle is Superior of the girls cottage while Mr. A. A. Allen has charge of the boys cottage. Miss E. Kurrup teaches sewing and Mr. Karrar of Polk county has charge of the farm. Many of the boys are taught the art of broom and brush making by E. E. Ellis. Mrs. Joel Andrews of Friend, one of the greatest lady Bryan workers in the state, teaches cooking. All of our state institutions that I have been to so far have their own water and electric lighting plants. Mr. Adams of Gage county has charge of the engineering department here. While there are good engineers at the other institutions, Mr. Adams in my judgment cannot be excelled in his department.

When you are in Beatrice go and see this institution, although I give you fair warning it is a long walk. I tried it. O. W. H.

BRYAN IN ST. LOUIS.

Addresses a Crowd of 15,000 People on Labor Day.

The associated press dispatches under date of September 6, say that the Labor Day celebration in St. Louis was the address by Hon. W. J. Bryan at Concordia Park. The biggest crowd ever seen in the park greeted the speaker. His speech throughout was enthusiastically applauded. Previous to the meeting Mr. Bryan reviewed a parade of 15,000 laboring men.

In the evening the champion of the silver cause was given a reception at the Jefferson club. At least 5,000 people attended during the evening and many of these were given an opportunity of meeting Mr. Bryan.

On page 5 our readers will find the inviting advertisement of the Shepherd Medical Institute, Omaha. The staff of physicians treat with success all chronic diseases, of men and women, including catarrh to all its forms, deafness, rupture, piles and all common curable ailments. Write for Dr. Shepard's book and symptom blank. These are free. Dr. Shepard invites all the readers of this paper who visit Omaha during the coming state fair to call at his office for a careful examination and consultation for which no charge will be made. His spacious offices are always open and a cordial invitation is extended to our readers to call. Shepherd Medical Institute, 311-12-13 New York Life building, Omaha, Neb.

A Growing Company. The agencies of Mutual Insurance seem to have adopted the tactics of inflation with which to fight the Mutual Company. Even the highest officers in some of the old line companies cannot refrain from lying about the Nebraska Mercantile Mutual. That company wrote eight policies yesterday and several on the two days prior, caused by the discovery that the agents of an old

line company were falsely stating as a positive fact that that mutual was paying its losses by notes, when in fact the vouchers and checks show up actual payment in cash.

We have personally examined the vouchers and checks and bank account statement of that company and it is dealing absolutely in cash and its own money and no one else. Truth would serve the old line company's end much better for just as fast as the owners of property find that this new mutual is all right and that the stories set afloat day by day by the old line companies are untrue, they will insure with the new company which already has over one million dollars insurance in force.

FREIGHT RATES IN DAKOTA.

Board of Transportation of South Dakota trying to get a Reduction.

The board of transportation for the state of South Dakota have begun an effort to reduce the passenger and freight charges by the railroads of that state.

General Manderson, general attorney for the Burlington, has gone to Sioux Falls, S. D. where he will argue in the federal court the temporary injunction prohibiting the board from enforcing the reduced rates. He will insist that the board is asking for an unreasonable and impossible reduction and asks that the injunction be made permanent. To the Omaha correspondent for the State Journal General Manderson said that the reduction provided for by the state board of transportation amounts to 40 per cent on passenger business and 16 per cent on freight business. He declares this to be absolutely unjust, and says that the railroad cannot operate under the restrictions of the new schedule except with heavy loss. He directs attention to the alleged fact that if cost the Burlington \$27,200 per mile to build its lines in South Dakota and that they have never been a paying investment; that the passenger rate has been only 5 cents per mile, the same as other mountain lines, and that if the rate is reduced to 3 cents per mile, the passenger trains will be run at a big loss.

Reducing the Rates.

North Carolina, thanks to the indefatigable labors of Justice Walter Clark and a few other loyal defenders of the people against the aggressions of plutocracy, now enjoys a rate of fifteen cents for telegrams any distance within the borders of the state. The telephone rate has also been fixed at \$18 a year. Justice Clark urged some time ago in the arena that such state should act on the subject. His own state this year failed to pass a bill by one vote, but the railroad commission has urged the above rate. Justice Clark urges that a cent rate should be fixed by such legislation for all dispatches sent between any given points within the state border. This suggestion is a splendid one and should be acted on without fail by every legislature which meets this autumn.

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