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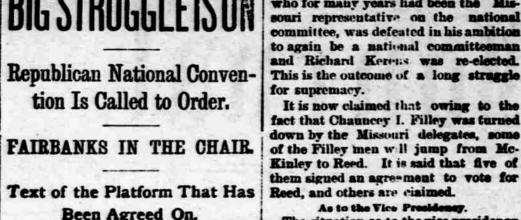
Coming Conventions

Democratic, Chicago, Tuesday July 7 Populist, St. Louis, Wednesday, July 22. Free Silver, St. Louis, Wednesday, July 22.

THE transmissippi exposition to be big building. held at Omaha is now an assured thing, President Cleveland having approved the bill, providing government recogthe convention so far has been the abnition and aid, and appropriating \$200,-000 for a building and exhibit. It will undoubtedly be a grand affair, and a great advertisement for the whole western portion of the United States.

In the case of Hiscox's charged with the murder of Sellers in Burt county, the judge found that an offense had been committed and there was probable cause to believe that the three defendants were either jointly or severally guilty of the offense. He ordered them held in custody without bail, for trial at the next term of the district court. All witnesses were required to give \$500 for their appearance at the trial.

THE following from a political oppoabandoned the field, with the exception nent, the Schuyler Herald, is not bad: of Governor Bradley of Kentucky, who "H. C. Russell seems to stand an exdropped out last night. The names of cellent show of being renominated for the other candidates will be presented commissioner of public lands and buildings. The only opposition he has is the and voted for and will probably poll ings. The only opposition he has is the editor of the Omaha Bee, who has an old grudge against H. C. We have no use for Russell's politics, but consider him the followers of the Maine man. They the peer of a majority of the men who have appealed to his friends, to go have held office by the grace of his down with colors flying. So, too, with party. Here at home where the gentle-man is well known he will have the But no one ventures to suggest the posunited support of his party.' The general committee of preparation for the national republican convention have had considerable more work than ordinarily falls to the committee. In the first place the hotels and restaurants are virtually a unit in refusing to entertain negroes as guests or customers, battle ground. In phrase and word it renting a hall and employing a corps of cooks to supply them food. In making other questions, there is substantial and there is, in consequence, talk of up the roll for temporary organization, the committee are confronted with 158 contested seats from fifteen states and and gold are as irreconciliable as the one territory and of these the entire poles and the radical silver men are delegation is contested from five states prepared to stake their all upon the and Arizona. issue. Knowing they cannot succeed, In the face of the fact that there is a manifesto that will sever their allegideficit for the fiscal year just closing of s36,000,000, the administration still ance to the Repub'ican party. clings to the statement that the country Radicals Largely Outnumbered. But these radical silver men are large-"does not need more revenue." The whole country knows that the Wilsonly outnumbered. Headed by Senator Gorman tariff measure does not furnish Teller of Colorado, they have only mussufficient revenue to pay the running tered five states and perhaps one terriexpenses of the government. If it is not more revenue we need, what is it? The expenses are more than the income, and the public debt has been ination for the maintenance of a gold creased by the issue of bonds to meet standard except through international the deficiency, and it is useless to try to make the people of common sense be-lieve that there is a sufficiency of revagreement and those whose friendliness to silver, although opposed to free coinenne to meet expenses .- [Seward Blade age, makes them seek to avoid a specific indorsement of the gold standard. The OUTSIDE the popularity of Major Me result of the meeting of the various Kinley, the present political situation leads logically to his election. On this state delegations yesterday demonstrated emphatically that the convenfinancial question we are sure to lose far tion will not dodge the issue nor equivoless from our own ranks than we shall cate in language. Twenty-eight states, gain from the disrupted democracy. Our party has always stood for financial comprising the territory east of the integrity and it always will. The credit Mississippi and almost the entire southof the country is safe in the hands of those who for nearly thirty years have ern members of the resolutions committee met and instructed them to vote for preserved it. This is a matter too well a gold declaration. understood by the people of the Wisconsin, Minnesota, Nebraska, Orecountry to require argument, and this gon and Washington also took strong with our determination to protect the ground for gold. In Indiana General rights of American industry are sure to end in a tremendous political victory next November.-[Norfolk News. Lew Wallace was chosen a member of declared he would not stand on the In-



souri delegation, Channey I. Filley, who for many years had been the Missouri representative on the national committee, was defeated in his ambition to again be a national committeeman and Richard Kerens was re-elected. This is the outcome of a long straggle

for supremacy. It is now claimed that owing to the fact that Chauncey I. Filley was turned Kinley to Reed. It is said that five of them signed an agreement to vote for

As to the Vice Presidency. The situation as to the vice president continues indefinite. Opinion does not

seem to crystalize. The talk of Hobard of New Jersey, Lippitt of Rhode Island and Evans of Tennessee goes on, but does not seem to be regarded seriously. There was a strong belief early in the day that perhaps the New York delegation could agree on some one who would be satisfactory to both factions, and

The most remarkable feature about

there was a renewed discussion of Governor Morton and ex-Secretary of the Louis, June 16.-Fully 15,000 Navy Tracy, but when the factions dewildly enthusiastic people-delegates clared war to the hilt, all idea of New and spectators-were seated in the audi-York furnishing the tail of the ticket torium when Chairman Carter of the was abandoned. Although the Maine national committee called the 10th nadelegation is not advertising the fact, it tional convention of the Republican is almost certain they will present the party to order at noon. Most of the 909 name of ex-Governor Cleaves. Repredelegates were in their scats when sentative Dingley of Maine, who was Charles W. Fairbanks was introduced spoken of, does not covet the honor. as temporary chairman. His keynote There is still a lingering hope among a speech was on the line of the Indiana platform. Nearly every sentence of vast number of delegates that Speaker Reed will be nominated by a spontan-Mr. Fairbanks' address was applanded cous outburst in the convention. If he and many of its sentiments brought out is, it is not believed he could decline approving cheers which fairly shook the any more than Logan could in 1884 or Hendricks and Thurman could when Hard Fight on Money.

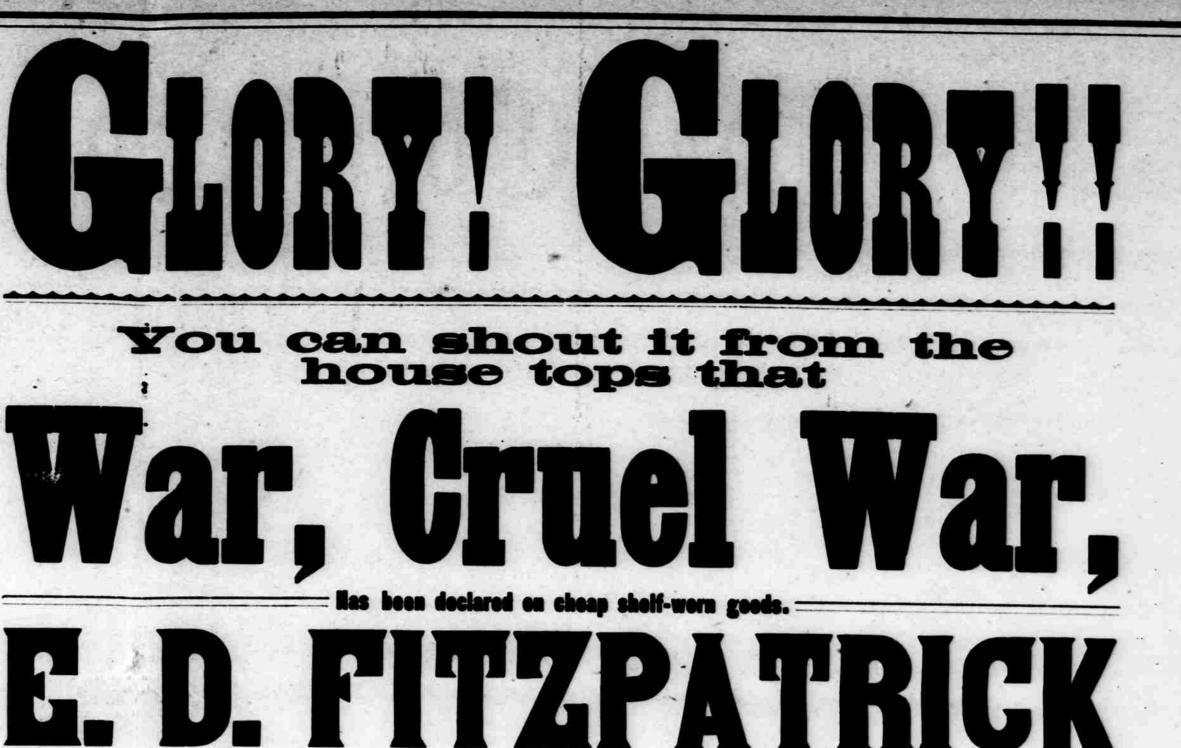
they were placed on the Democratic tickets in 1884 and 1888 respectively.

The Money Plank. sence of bad blood among the partisans The money plank of the platform has of the various candidates. The triumph been agreed upon. It is a victory for of McKinley has been so complete thus the middle west, but is perfectly satisfar that his friends can afford to be factory to the extreme east. The New magnanimous and his opponents can do England contingent, headed by Senator nothing but acquiesce in the ascer-Lodge and backed by the Platt and tained will of the majority. The Quay forces in New York and Pennsylpartisans of Reed, Quay, Morton and vania, urged the adoption of a short Allison still wear the buttons and are emphatic declaration, as follows: as staunch as ever in their loyalty, but

"We favor a maintenance of the exthey realize the hopelessness of making isting gold standard, and are opposed to shrieking or offensive demonstrations in the free coinage of silver, except by infavor of their champion, and the manternational agreement for bimetallism agers of the anti-McKinley candidates with the leading commercial nations of have practically sheathed their swords. the world." This does not mean that they have

The leaders in the middle west states. Ohio, Indiana, Illinois, Wisconsin, Minnesota and Nebraska, were equally strong in their insistence upon a declaration that would not be open to the charge of equivocation.

Michigan, Iowa and South Dakota, three of these tiers of states, stood out against a declaration favoring in terms the present gold standard. They rather favored something distinctively friendly to silver, while affirming their



Is after the "GREAT BARGAIN" men with a long pole and a sharp stick.

Have we the greatest bargains on earth? No. Have we bought goods 50 cents on the dollar? NO. Are we selling you goods that were refused by the good house wives of Omaha? NO. Are we selling you goods that have been cried day after day at our late Columbus auction? NO. Is there a smell of camphor or moth balls on our goods? NO! NO!! They are all new and fresh. Are there any men or companies of men in Nebraska who are foolish enough to sell you \$2.00 worth of HONEST GOODS for \$1.00? No, of course not. If there are the board of insanity should know it. The state will take care of such freaks.

Now, then, has E. D. Fitzpatrick, (do not confound me with any of the "two-dollar-for-one Patrick's or I'll suicide) not always given you value for your money? YES. And has always given you a HUN-DRED CENTS' WORTH OF GOODS FOR ONE DOLLAR. Always given

HONEST, FRESH NEW GOODS,

diana plank and that the utterance for This is the way it goes in Mexico. In the maintenance of the gold standard the state of Jalisco, the town of Topac could not be made to strong for him. was struck by a cyclone, and the follow-Minnesota, with 18 votes, instructed exing account was given to the press:

Governor Merriam to insist upon a "It was accompanied by a water-spout that detached from the sides of declaration for the gold standard. untains enormous masses of rock, and

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The Buffalo Enquirer, heretofore a

tion to free coinage under existing cirsibility of McKinley's defeat. The real cumstances. The plank agreed upon struggle that is going on is over the by the Iowa delegation, after a fourfinancial plank in the platform. Behour struggle and which is understood yond the disputes in the various delegato have the indorsement of Senator tions over the supremacy of men and Allison, fully sets forth this idea. That factions, it is almost the sole subject of plank was as follows: plots and counterplots. It is the real

Iowa's Currency Resolution

We fayor the use of gold, silver and paper as the money of the United States. unity, but the differences upon it are all to be kept on a parity of value, and the enactment of necessary laws to acas wide as the continent. Free silver complish the purpose.

"We also favor the use of silver as international money, either through international agreement, with free cointhey are even now formulating the age by such nations at the current ratio. or by concurrent legislation by the leading nations to accomplish the same

"That, pending such arrangements which should be promoted by the power of the United States, it is unwise and inexpedient for the United States alone tory-less than 50 delegates in all ont of to adopt free coinage of silver at the a total of over 500. The real struggle is ratio of 16 to 1, and, therefore, we opbetween those in favor of a bold declar. | pose such free coinage of silver."

Compromise Declaration. The leaders in the middle west offered the plank, which follows, and which was submitted to Senator Lodge and other eastern men as a substitute for the plank prepared by them yesterday and has been accepted by them as completely satisfactory. This, it is believed, ends the long fight over the financial plank. Senator-elect Foraker, who is to be the chairman of the resolutions committee, will present it to the committee. This is the resolution:

"The Republican party is unreservedly for sound money. It caused the enactment of the law providing for the resumption of specie payments in 1879. Since then every dollar has been as good as gold. We are unalterably opposed to every measure calculated to debase our the resolutions committee, after he had currency or impair the credit of our country.

"We are, therefore, opposed to the free and unlimited coinage of silver ex-

cept by international agreement, which we favor, and until such agreement can be obtained, the existing gold standard should be preserved. We favor the use of silver as currency, but to the extent only that its parity with gold can be maintained, and we favor all measures designed to maintain inviolable the money of the United States whether coin or paper. at the standard of the most enlightened nations of the earth."

and our prices today, and for the next 30 DA ME, will be such that even the-great-unheard-of-two dollar-for-one-BARGAIN MEN WILL BLUSH FOR SHAME. Compare our prices with others.



You can buy the best Percales at 10c, the best American Prints at 3½c, the best American Indigoes at 4c, the best Irish Lawn at 12½c, the Dotted Swiss (elegant) at 22c, the best India Linon 10c, 25c, French Or-gandies 12½c and others get 20c for same. We have the best 5c, 7c, 8c and 9½c Muslin in central Nebras-ka. We have a fine line of Ladies' Underwear at greatly reduced prices to close.

DRESS GOODS! DRESS GOODS!

20c a yard, some of the "cheap Omaha stores" are getting 30c for the same goods. Our 65c Henriettas are sold at others' stores for 75 to 85c-what a difference! These are but a few prices given to show that we are in this FIGHT FOR TRADE, and in buying from us you are not getting any auction goods or any of the "car load" of goods dumped in from Omaha. Come and see us. Get our prices. It will pay you to compare.

We want your good will. We want your good word. We want your trade. We want your money. We want to give you value received. We want every lady in Platte county to come to our store. If you do, you will bless the hour that you came. Follow the crowd to



