

CALL FOR A SILVER CONVENTION

Friends of Free Coinage, Be Up and Doing.

Rally For the Overthrow of Monometallism.

Delegates to meet in Washington May 26th and 27th to Organize a National Bimetallic Association.

Associated Press Dispatches.

WASHINGTON, April 23.—The national silver committee today issued the following call:

The national silver committee appointed by the first national silver convention at St. Louis in November, 1889, believing an exigency has arisen which calls for earnest deliberation and united action on the part of the friends of bimetallicism throughout the United States, hereby calls a convention at Washington, D. C., May 26th and 27th, 1892. One of the objects is to organize a national bimetallic association or league for better promoting the cause of free bimetallic coinage in the United States.

This action is impelled by the manifest determination of the gold combination to suppress the silver issue for another decade, and, if possible, by transmitting the existing debts into gold obligations and otherwise, fasten forever the single gold standard upon the people of the United States, and thus perpetuate the subtle system of robbery carried on for the past nineteen years by means of a money standard constantly increasing in value.

His understanding must be defective, also, who does not know that the demonization of silver has also increased the money standard of the United States and the world, and his conscience must be seared who would attempt to justify it. But the increase still goes on and will go on as gold grows scarce and dear, until the bimetallic standard established a hundred years ago by Washington, Hamilton and Jefferson is restored and gold relieved of the strain of being the only money for final redemption for other forms of money and credit.

As the money standard is raised, prices fall and debts are increased. One is the counterpart of the other, and in the whole work of legislation the wit of man could not devise a scheme better calculated to enrich one class at the expense of another, than by increasing the money standard; and under the operation of this device since 1873, hundreds of millions of dollars, annually, of wealth created by one class is stealthily appropriated by another. For twenty years this has been going on, and congress, pledged to the people to remedy the wrong, hesitates and pauses as if hypnotized by a want of gold.

The people want no "70-cent dollars," neither will they forever tolerate under the hypocritical pretense of "honest money" a dollar that has grown to be a 150-cent dollar, and still growing at an augmented rate.

There may be those who are tired of the silver question, but the consequences of gold monometallism are too threatening to permit the cause of silver to be smothered; and to abandon it is to give over to ultimate slavery the toilers of the land.

No; the silver question will not down. The issue is paramount to all others. Although necessarily a political question in the sense that the remedy must be political action, the action of free bimetallic coinage is not a partisan question, and the convention is not called for any partisan purpose, but to urge on all parties the justice and necessity of action on a question so vital to the public welfare.

The gold monometallists are united, active and watchful, as recent events have shown. They have unlimited means at their command; they control the metropolitan press; intimidate political leaders; dominate conventions and dictate platforms and candidates.

The people will not be enslaved, nor will they submit forever to the robbery of the suppressing gold standard.

The silver committee, in this crisis, calls upon the people everywhere to send delegates to the convention. The call is extended to all who earnestly favor the immediate restoration of free bimetallic coinage in the United States, and asks each congressional district to send two delegates, and each state and territory to send two additional delegates at-large.

The Farmers' Alliance organization, Grangers, Patrons of Husbandry, Knights of Labor and other industrial organizations favorable to the free coinage of silver are also invited to send one delegate for each local organization.

A cordial invitation is also extended to all citizens who by their pen, or otherwise, advocate bimetallicism, and members of congress and legislators of the several states who favor the restoration of the bimetallic standard and the coinage of silver on the same terms as gold, are especially invited to attend and participate in the proceedings of the convention.

By order of the national silver committee. A. J. WARNER, Chairman. LEE CRANDALL, Secretary. Washington, C. C., April 23.

A FREE SILVER CLUB.

The Citizens of Helena, Mont., Organize for Business. HELENA, Mont., April 23.—A non-partisan mass meeting was held last night to organize a free silver club. Ex-Governor Samuel Hanger was elected president, H. M. Farner vice-president. The sentiment of the meeting on the question was that it is a matter of life and death, and that the demonizing of silver was a criminal act, run through congress by a trick, and the question now is whether the silver mines in this country can continue or not. The committee on resolutions will report at a second meeting Monday night. The declaration of the Colorado Silver League will be the basis of the platform of the club.

STORER'S SCHEME.

A Proposition to Establish a Ratio Between Silver and Gold. WASHINGTON, April 23.—Storer of Ohio introduced a bill in the house providing for an international ratio between gold and silver, and to suspend the purchase of silver bullion after July 1, 1893. It differs from the previous propositions in instructing the president to negotiate a treaty, particularly with the states in the Latin union, and when a treaty is concluded with the same, with or without the concurrence

of other nations, the ratio agreed upon shall go into effect in the United States; provided, if no agreement is reached by July 1, 1893, the operation of the present law relative to the purchase of silver bullion be suspended.

THE ENGLISH VIEW OF IT.

Not Much Stock Taken in the Proposed International Silver Congress.

LONDON, April 23.—A dispatch received from the United States stating that England had intimated her readiness to join a conference to bring about the enlarged use of silver, caused much surprise in city circles. No belief is put in that part of the report which states that the basis of the conference was formulated here. Many telegrams of inquiry have been received by the London Times, which today says it is not easy to see what "enlarged use" can mean.

The Times adds: "A decided majority of these competent to judge, regard the issue of notes, based on silver, with great disfavor. A certain amount of silver could be used to increase the intrinsic value of our total currency, which at the present price of the metal is overvalued to an extent considerably greater than is necessary or desirable, but the general sense of the community is steadfastly opposed to anything like an attempt to rehabilitate silver. The result of the employment of the American treasury as a big silver warrant storehouse has not been so satisfactory as to encourage imitation."

The Daily News thinks such a conference would not be likely to attain practical results. The English delegates, it says, would have to go into it with their hands tied. It further says Goschen, the chancellor of the exchequer, cannot well go beyond the plan already proposed to increase the proportion of silver held by the Bank of England against notes.

SANTA MONICA.

News Notes from the City by the Sea.

SANTA MONICA, April 23.—Chamberlain and Proctor have a large number of lots on the south side for camping purposes which the Santa Fe's coming have made accessible.

The band at the Soldiers' home are giving concerts daily between 3 and 4 o'clock.

H. L. Jones of San Francisco, owner of the Ocean Spray tract, is spending a few days here looking after his easement interests.

Thomas J. Newby has opened a real estate and insurance office on Utah avenue, between Second and Third streets.

Mrs. Rubicam is rejuvenating her cottage on Utah avenue.

Mr. and Mrs. R. D. Wyley of Chicago, Ill., are spending a few days here.

Mr. J. M. Leiby has opened an office in Newby's real estate office on Utah avenue.

Mrs. W. N. Waller and Miss Emma Truesdall are visiting friends at Monrovia.

Boyce & Puddy have rented Mrs. Bassett's two cottages on Third street and Mrs. Bunnell's house on Fourth street to Mrs. Loen of Los Angeles.

Mrs. Daracott's cottage on Fifth street has been rented to Miss Hays of Pasadena for the season.

Mrs. Senator Jones gives a picnic party to a number of friends today in Cold Water cañon.

The contract has been let for a handsome residence for W. T. Gillis, to be erected on his lot on Third street.

Mrs. Rivers of Salt Lake City has taken Mrs. Nelson's cottage on Third street.

Henry Boehme will shortly build an addition to his Sixth-street cottage.

UNIVERSITY.

News Notes From That Academic Suburb.

The University baseball club will cross bats with the Elites at the First-street grounds this (Saturday) afternoon. The Elite club is a relic of the Woodbury club, and includes some good amateur material. The game promises to be close and interesting.

The First Academics held a class social in the Musical college building last Tuesday evening. A pleasant time was had.

Dr. F. C. Dorrance has purchased the F. R. Slaughter place, on Jefferson street.

The Second Academics go on a picnic today to Verdugo park.

The Republican of University precinct caucused last evening at Wilson's hall for delegates to the Republican county convention, the delegates to be voted for at today's primaries. Those selected for the caucus were Thomas Lloyd, C. W. Blake, J. L. Starr and A. E. Miller. Today's primaries will be held at Lloyd's office.

The Oratorical association of the University will hold an oratorical contest in the college chapel next Friday evening. The public are invited. The contestants will be T. R. Warren, F. N. Lapham, R. T. Hall, Jessie Cole, Belle Ross and L. A. Garrett. The winner of this contest will represent the University in the coming contest of the Southern California Collegiate Oratorical association, to be held in Los Angeles next May.

Soldiers' Home Managers. WASHINGTON, April 23.—The house today passed a joint resolution appointing Gen. Wm. J. Sewell, Gen. Martin T. McMahon, Capt. John L. Mitchell and A. W. Barrett as managers of the national homes for disabled volunteer soldiers.

The Louisiana Lottery. Takes many a five dollar piece from many people in Los Angeles, who never receive a cent back. In fact some people waste as much as \$100 a year trying to woo Dame Fortune. By putting aside a little every month a person can have a stylish suit made by Gordan Bros., the fashionable tailors, at 118 South Spring, and have something to show for their money.

At Jonesboro, Tenn., a wall which was being constructed as part of the vault for the county records fell, burying six men in the debris. The dead bodies of Francis Ellridge, James Wilson and Frank May were recovered. Wade Snodgrass, Eli Moore and James Reed were taken out badly injured and are expected to die.

Strength and Health. If you are not feeling strong and healthy, try Electric Bitters. If "La Grippe" has left you weak and weary, use Electric Bitters. This remedy acts directly on liver, stomach and kidneys, gently aiding those organs to perform their functions. If you are afflicted with sick headache, you will find speedy and permanent relief by taking Electric Bitters. One trial will convince you that this is the remedy you need. Large bottles only 50c. at C. F. Heinemann, druggist and chemist, 222 N. Main street.

Hamprey's Home Furnishing House. 507 S. Spring Street. Has removed to 654 S. Main st. All kinds of household goods sold on weekly or monthly payments.

TOPICS TREATED IN CONGRESS.

Chinese Exclusion Discussed by the Senate.

Teller Makes a Stirring Speech on the Subject.

Information About the Negotiations for an International Silver Conference Called For—The House's Short Session.

Associated Press Dispatches. WASHINGTON, April 23.—In the senate today, after routine morning business, Teller offered a resolution requesting the president to inform the senate what steps, if any, were taken towards securing an international conference to consider the question of the free coinage of silver at the mints of the countries participating in such conference, or so as to enlarge the use of silver in the currency of such countries; also to transmit copies of all correspondence between the United States and the governments expected to participate in the proceedings of such international conference.

Sherman suggested the insertion of the words, "if not incompatible with the public interests." Teller agreed to the suggestion, although he did not, he said, see how such publication could hurt the public interests.

The resolution, as modified, was agreed to. Call offered a resolution (which went over without action) for the appointment of a committee of senators to inquire into the present value per mile of the railways in the United States; their present capitalization and the difference between such capitalization and the actual cost of construction and equipment; their gross and net receipts; the number and compensation of their employees; the amount of the indebtedness and capital stock, and the amount of bonds and stock held by stockholders and bondholders, distinguishing between home and foreign holders.

Hoar asked and obtained leave of absence from and after Monday next for the remainder of the session. It is understood that Hoar's purpose is to make a trip to Europe to consult the most distinguished specialists on eye diseases.

The Chinese exclusion bill was then taken up. Teller addressed the senate. There could not be, he said, any dispute touching the rejection of the Chinese States minister to China. It was the elementary principle of international law that a minister must serve as such with the consent of both nations. Both nations had to consent before he could be minister; in other words, he must be received as well as sent. He, therefore, could not find fault with the Chinese government because it rejected Blair. It had a right to reject him, even on absolutely false premises, and without any premises whatever.

Coming to the question of the abrogation of treaties, he held that every nation did so with the understanding that it was a good crop; 80 degrees highest temperature for the week; lowest, 43 degrees. The weather was very warm at Covina until the 17th; since then cool nights and drying winds from the southwest have prevailed. Barley is heading out of medium height. Strawberries are very fine and yielding well. The deciduous fruit crop is growing rapidly and is looking well. The weather at Pomona was rather cool all the week for the season, which was good for all crops, but rain is needed. Very light frost formed Tuesday morning, doing no damage. The indications are fair for a full olive crop. Four carloads of good oranges were shipped east during the week.

San Bernardino county.—At Ontario the weather is bringing out the orange bloom, and both the early and the late varieties are blossoming very heavily. Apricots are nearly as large as walnuts and the trees are well loaded. The warm weather of the past week at China has forced vegetation to a rapid growth; but the higher ground is getting quite dry and one more good rain this season would be of great benefit. About 3600 acres of sugar beets are under cultivation.

Orange county.—The outlook for the barley crop is not very bright at Anaheim, as the continuous dry weather has materially affected it, and most of it will have to be cut for hay. Seedlings and budded oranges, also apricots and peaches, promise an abundant crop. Much of the barley will have to be cut for hay at Santa Ana, and a portion will be fit only for pasturage. The fruit outlook was never better, the trees are covered with blossoms. Oranges are moving slowly at Tustin, with a considerable quantity to ship yet. Prospects very good for apricot and peach crop; fair for prunes.

San Diego county.—No rain fell during the week at San Diego city, but heavy dews were reported from the back country. Grain and hay will be short, and in some places will not amount to much unless good rains come soon. The fruit crop promises well, unless the fruit drops from the cold nights of the past week. The temperature has been low at nights, falling to 46 degrees on the 19th, and was much lower back from the coast, Campo reporting a minimum of 32 degrees. The oat hay crop is being harvested at National City; indications point to short local grain crops. The season's rainfall is below the average.

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The president will leave Washington next Tuesday night for New York to lay the corner stone of General Grant's tomb at Riverside park on the 27th instant. He will be accompanied by Secretaries Elkins, Tracy, Rusk and other officials. Secretary Elkins will make an address.

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and government of China, what necessity is there of further improvement of the rivers and harbors of the Pacific coast?"

Mitchell said, inasmuch as the United States paid over \$200,000 in gold and silver to China in the last twenty years for the trade balance, he asked the senator from Maine whether he thought China was going to break off trade with us if we passed the exclusion bill.

Frye said he had no doubt whatever that if the house bill became a law the emperor of China would in less than twenty days declare the Chinese ports closed to all United States commerce, and withdraw his diplomatic representatives from the country. Sanders favored the house bill. After executive session, the senate adjourned.

House Proceedings. WASHINGTON, April 23.—In the house today, after consideration of private measures, a committee of conference was ordered on the District of Columbia appropriation.

Upon a vote on the resolution to expunge from the record the remarks of Walker of Massachusetts, reflecting on Williams and Hoar, no quorum was present, and the house adjourned.

THE CROPS.

THE WEATHER BUREAU'S REPORT OF THEIR CONDITION.

Rain Reported as Being Needed in All Localities—Grain and Hay Liable to Make Short Crops.

Ventura county.—Heavy winds prevailed at Hueneume during the week, and cool nights with warm, very drying days at Bardsdale. Crops will be short unless rain falls soon, except those that can be irrigated. Foggy mornings are proving beneficial.

Los Angeles county.—Light rain fell in the Antelope valley on the 16th, where vegetables are being planted quite extensively in anticipation of a good yield. Cool winds benefited the grain. Cool, generally fair weather prevailed at Los Angeles, and light frost occurred in the vicinity of Park station, on the Santa Monica road, on the 20th and 21st. Everything is progressing nicely at Delta, except late sown grain, which is suffering from drought and heading very low down; apricots and peaches promise a good crop; 80 degrees highest temperature for the week; lowest, 43 degrees. The weather was very warm at Covina until the 17th; since then cool nights and drying winds from the southwest have prevailed. Barley is heading out of medium height. Strawberries are very fine and yielding well. The deciduous fruit crop is growing rapidly and is looking well. The weather at Pomona was rather cool all the week for the season, which was good for all crops, but rain is needed. Very light frost formed Tuesday morning, doing no damage. The indications are fair for a full olive crop. Four carloads of good oranges were shipped east during the week.

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HILL IS ALL RIGHT.

The Report of the Senator's Withdrawal False.

A Letter from the Elmira Hill Club's President.

A Communication Which Ought to Settle the Question of the New York Senator's Candidacy. Some Interesting Facts.

On March 23th, J. Marion Brooks, president of the Hill Democratic club of this city, wrote to Hon. John J. Maloney, president of the Hill Democratic club of Elmira, N. Y., in which Mr. Brooks said: "We have had several reports out here purporting to be an interview with Senator Hill with reference to his candidacy for president. It seems that an interview was had with him by some parties in Detroit, Mich. In the interview the dispatches state that Senator Hill had stated that he would not be a candidate for president, as he thought he would be defeated; this has not dampened the ardor of our friends here however, as it is believed to be false." To this letter Mr. Brooks has received the following reply from Mr. Maloney, dated Elmira, New York, April 15, 1892, in which Mr. Maloney says: "The loyal and working element of the Democracy of this state are a unit for Senator Hill, because they have confidence in his ability and integrity, and as the 'champion of Democracy,' who never met defeat. We believe he can lead the national Democracy to an assured Democratic victory.

"In reference to that interview in some western state, that Senator Hill was not a candidate, and if nominated could not be elected, I will say that such a statement was never made by him; that such an interview never took place, and every word in it is unqualifiably false. Senator Hill is New York state's choice for president of the United States, and his name will be presented to the national Democratic convention, and we believe, nominated. If nominated, he will carry the state of New York in November next by 40,000 majority."

This settles the position of Senator Hill as to his presidential aspirations. This letter is from his friend and from his home Democratic club, that has made all of his campaign fights for the last seven years, and a denial coming as it does from a close personal and confidential friend, settles the matter beyond question.

Lost. Once lost, it is difficult to restore the hair. Therefore be warned in time, lest you become bald. Skookum root hair grower stops falling hair. Sold by druggists.

Arrangements have been made for the Arrowhead hotel 'bus to meet the overland train on the Southern California railroad (Santa Fe route) at San Bernardino on its arrival there, going east, at 2:35 p. m. The 'bus will also meet trains on the kite-shaped track at Arrowhead station at 12:05, 12:35 and 2:55 p. m., and convey passengers to Arrowhead hotel and the hot springs.

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