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KANSAS Populists want the National Populist Convention held Feb. 21st, at Atlanta.

SILVER reached a higher point last week in the London market than it has reached before this year.

FORTY-NINE vessels were wrecked and twenty-four lives were lost in storms off the coast of England on Tuesday of last week.

CHICAGO Cuban sympathizers are trying to arrange a great national mass-meeting to be held at Chicago Oct. 31st.

THE Sunday Call publishes a Washington dispatch which says that it is the intention of Judge A. C. Baker to send in his resignation as Chief Justice of Arizona, and locate in California; but the report has been emphatically denied by Judge Baker, who says there is no foundation for such a rumor.

ABOUT two weeks ago a Wild West show exhibited in an Ohio town, and since that time the boys of the town have been "playing Indians," which resulted in one of their number being tied to a stake by his playmates and so badly burned before he was rescued that he will die.

DETROIT Free Press says: The nations of the world would be fully justified in wiping Spain off the map of the world, if it persists in the cruel programme which has been outlined for putting down the Cuban rebellion; and the United States is not likely to shirk its duty in that regard when the hour strikes for action.

THE Arizona University, for the first time in its history is on the highway to prosperity, and every indication points to a most satisfactory future for this institution. It is confidently believed that before the close of the present term it will have more than double the number of students than has ever before been enrolled. The present need is the dormitory which will be erected on or before the first of February next.—Star.

THE Constitutional Convention of South Carolina has adopted an article which provides that no divorce shall be granted in that State for any cause whatever; also that divorces granted in other States shall not be recognized in South Carolina. This latter provision is in direct violation of section 1, article IV of the Constitution of the United States, which declares that "full faith and credit shall be given in each State to the public acts, records and judicial proceedings of every other State."

M. H. DeYoung of the San Francisco Chronicle, who has just returned from Europe, has this to say concerning silver. "As a silver man, I am glad to say that England is coming right to the front and giving us some points to work on. The silver question is a burning one in England, where 30,000 men have organized the Bi-metallist's league, with William Granville, a Bank of England director, as president. The league issues a paper and it is now on the carpet to ask for international commissioners to meet and devise methods looking to the welfare of the white metal. I am myself in favor of immediate congressional action in favor of silver for the benefit not only of the farmers but the whole country."

BUSINESS OUTLOOK.

It is claimed that the silver craze is fast subsiding, and that many who were clamoring for the full enfranchisement of silver at the old ratio of gold to 16 to 1 have become reconciled to the situation, and are ready to indorse the meaningless platforms of their respective parties. The better employment of labor, the revival of business and the bright prospects of the manufacturing industries tend to silence discontent. When hunger is appeased, and the world's toilers find plenty to do, with satisfactory wages, they will not be anxious about the financial policy of the Government. There is no disguising the fact that the silver question is in abeyance, in consequence of the better times.

For the same reason the advocates of a high tariff find their occupation gone. McKinley predicted terrible disaster would follow a reduction of duties. The Wilson bill, if enacted, would throw labor out of employment, shut up our factories, put out our furnace fires, bring poverty, want and distress upon all engaged in agriculture and in mining. The cotton and wool growers would be compelled to find other employment.

The Wilson bill was passed, and not a single prediction has materialized. Millions of laborers have had their wages increased by the voluntary act of employers. Manufacturers, are not only supplying the home market, but absolutely successfully competing in the sale of their product in foreign markets. Our iron masters are sending their iron and steel to England. Our carpet weavers and manufacturers of wool and cotton goods, generally, our makers of furniture, of agricultural implements, of glass, and, in short, every other industry where raw materials are obtainable free of duty, find a market in all countries, and at the same time are advancing wages without solicitation. The protection-to-labor argument is a stale chestnut. McKinley—a poor fellow—is in a more pitiable situation than the advocates of the free and unlimited coinage of silver. He is not only a false prophet but the whole theory of protection has received its eternal quietus. His worthy ambition to become President of the United States can never be gratified, because of his views on the tariff. Not being distinguished for any other great achievement, he will certainly be defeated in his laudable and painstaking efforts to occupy the highest position in the gift of his countrymen. A very large number of the manufacturers, whose influence with the operatives has been omnipotent, and who contributed their time and their money to defeat the tariff-for-revenue party, are entirely satisfied with the result, and will not favor a change in the tariff schedules.

As we have intimated, the restoration of silver to its old place is only delayed. It is certain to win finally, for no nation ever prospered that made war upon silver. The people will conclude that if the United States can prosper after one half of its legal tender money is destroyed, how wonderful will be its progress if the money of final redemption is doubled in volume! If we can advance under adverse legislation, how glorious will be our situation when silver and gold are remarried.

The present prosperous outlook of the industries must be attributed solely to a reduction of duties. Garfield was right when he said that the tariff schedules should be revised in the direction of free trade. Mr. Sherman said that there should be no tariff for protection that did not yield revenue. The Senator, however, voted to impose duties which were entirely prohibitory, which brought no revenue to the Government, and thus invited the organization of trusts which yielded large revenues to their members. With a full knowledge of the facts, Senator Sherman declared that the McKinley tariff bill was the best measure ever devised. We may reasonably expect that the present prosperity is only a tidal wave, which will subside when the exhausted stocks of manufactured goods have been replenished. To perpetuate and extend the era of good times silver must be a money of final redemption.—Cincinnati Enquirer.

The Spaniards are talking of fighting the United States. If they do they'll never know what struck them.

WHAT could be more tame and senseless than the demand of McKinley and Senator Sherman for a reenactment of the tariff bill of 1890 on the plea of increasing the revenues. The assurance of these champions of a lost cause must be indeed great when they propose to supplant the Wilson bill by the McKinley bill on revenue grounds, knowing as they must that the last year the McKinley bill was in operation it did not furnish as much revenue as the Wilson bill has furnished during the past year. The inevitable outcome of over-protection is to deplete the revenues through the unnatural stimulation which overloads the market and clogs export at the same time. But for the McKinley bill the Wilson bill would be producing for more revenue than it now does. Messrs. McKinley and Sherman and their newspaper backers must indeed be hard pushed for material when they propose on revenue grounds the reenactment of a bill which facts and figures show to have been a complete failure.—Boston Globe.

Notice to Creditors.

In the Probate Court of the County of Graham, Territory of Arizona. In the matter of the Estate of G. B. Fox, deceased. Notice is hereby given by the undersigned, administrator of the estate of G. B. Fox, deceased, to the creditors of, and all persons having claims against the said deceased, to exhibit them with the necessary vouchers, within four months after the date of the first publication of this notice to the said administrator, at his residence at Safford, Graham County, Arizona. Dated this 6th day of September, 1895. HARRY B. FOX, Administrator of the estate of G. B. Fox, deceased.

Notice for Publication.

Homestead No. 857. LAND OFFICE AT TUCSON, ARIZ., Sept. 29, 1895. Notice is hereby given that the following named settler has filed notice of his intention to make final proof in support of his claim, and that said proof will be made before the Clerk of the District Court, at Solomonville, Arizona, on November 11, 1895, viz: Benjamin Echols, of Safford, Graham County, Arizona, for the lots 1, 3 and 4, and the S E 1/4 of N W 1/4 sec 26, T 6 S, R 25 E. He names the following witnesses to prove his continuous residence upon and cultivation of said land, viz: David V. A. Talley, George Skinner, William R. Waddell, and Peter O. Peterson, all of Safford, Graham County, Arizona. EUGENE J. TRIPP, Register.

Amendment to the Articles of Incorporation of the Enterprise Canal.

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