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After due deliberation we have decided to do this. Two reasons prompt us, 1st, that 75 cents will do us more good now than \$1.00 will in a year's time. 2nd, we must win in '96. If the people want to retain their homes, if they want to enjoy the society of their neighbors there must be a change in the policy of the government in a very short time; two years more of depression and general depreciation of property will close the public schools. What then is the duty of Reno county populists? The answer is plain. Educate your neighbors. You who have stood the test of five years of vilification and abuse are not in need of the Coming Nation sent to your tenant farmer, neighbors and to the farm help. Get them to read it. Do not waste money on men who have never felt the oppressive hand of the landlord or the loanlord. The Zeno Tharp's are not worth the saving. Let us go after the oppressed of earth for such as these the Son of God came and taught the doctrine of equal rights. Let us follow His example and do what we can to make His kingdom on earth a reality instead of a mere sentimental moonshine.

The Coming Nation will teach the way to bring this about. It is your duty to see that your neighbors have a chance to learn. Will you do it?

CANNOT STAND SILVER.

The Times Herald, the leading democratic paper of Chicago, the property of the late Jas W. Scott, has been purchased by Millionaire Kohlsaat. In a double-headed column editorial he gives the future policy of the paper, which is McKinley and gold-bugism. His reasons for leaving the democratic party are that the free silver question threatens to divide it, and knowing that the republican party never divides no matter what the platform is, he chooses to cast his lot with them.

FORSAKEN DEMOCRACY.

The Topeka Democrat edited by that patron saint of democracy, Cpl. Whoop Tomlinson came out last week, with colors flying as follows:

OUR CANDIDATE.

For president, Joseph C. Sibley, of Pennsylvania. Motto: The hour strikes for the emancipation of the people from the thralldom of the money power.

The Colonel has heretofore been the acknowledged leader of the stalwart democracy of the state.

The republican party is a fraud.

JOHN SHERMAN is a buy-metalist.

WATCH us swat 'em on the chief justice this fall.

"Huddle and fight!" should be the watchword this fall.

16 to 1 in the republican party means, 16 gold bugs to one silver man.

CAN'T we beat Horton's pet, Dave Martin? We can if we stand together.

POPULISTS, we have a state fight again this fall. How are the boys feeling in your township?

The state committee of the people's party will meet next month to issue a call for a state convention to nominate a chief justice to succeed Horton.

"WHEN thieves fall out honest men get their rights." is an old adage, that will doubtless prove true this fall. The "redeemers" are quarreling more every day.

If the people ever get any legislation from a republican Congress they will

have to raise a "slush" fund and buy it through. The republican idea is "to him who hath it shall be given."

THE News of last Saturday reproduced one of Dr. Warner's Safe Kidney and Liver Cure advertisements, leaving out the name of Warner and substituting Beebe, Biggar & Co. for it.

THE republicans are in a quandary as to who to nominate for associate justice. The rank and file are so thoroughly disgusted with Morrill that they do not want Dave Martin nominated. To not nominate him might endanger the chance for another whack at Morrill's barrel.

WHEN Lewelling went out of office he turned over to the state \$6,500 from the contingent fund. Last week when Morrill was hard pushed for money to pay the ex-convicts and prostitutes who had been subpoenaed by the great state of Kansas in the investigation of Dick Chase (?) turned to this fund and used it. Great is redemption.

When the right time comes the true friends of silver will take a hand and matters will come out all right.—News.

When will it come and Sponsor and who are its friends? The republicans had 20 years to restore the silver dollar, and the democrats have had 2 years and the time seems further off than ever. The next congress will attempt to entirely retire the silver dollar as your party tried to retire the greenbacks the last session and if there are enough Blues, and Longs, and Calderheads, and Kirkpatrick's it will be done, too. The News is trying to make it appear that the republican party is in favor of a free coinage of silver. Intelligent people know that more than 90 per cent of the republican members of the last session voted with Cleveland on this question.

WHAT THEY SAY.

Opinions of our exchanges on the president's letter:

RATS.

Newton Journal (dem.): Words of wisdom.

GOOD LAWYER.

St. Louis Republic (cuckoo): Mr. Cleveland's letter to the Chicago committee attacks with most force the weakest point in the silver monometalist case. In so disposing of the emphasis of his criticism he shows the good lawyer's skill in controversy.

MEANS LOWER PRICES.

Hutchinson News (rep.): It is about the thinnest excuse for an argument that we have read for many a day. The sole substance of Cleveland's claim is that a gold standard will make lower prices all around—lower wages, lower prices for farm products and lower prices for merchandise and manufactures.

THE RIGHT TONE.

Omaha Bee (stalwart rep.): The letter of Mr. Cleveland ought to have a good effect. It is in the right tone and is sensible and strong. If it shall conduce to more vigorous action on the part of the friends of a sound and stable currency the action of Chicago business men in expressing their appreciation of Mr. Cleveland's attitude regarding the currency will have borne good fruit and found abundant justification.

MAKES A BID.

Topeka Journal (magwump rep.): In his letter to the Chicago millionaires replying to their invitation to attend a banquet in his honor Mr. Cleveland has sounded the battle cry of the next campaign. He has hoisted the standard of "honest money" and made his bid for the leadership of the gold standard cohorts as their candidate for the presidency. In his declaration that the sentiment in favor of "sound money" must be crystallized and combined in his invitation to the John Sherman element to rally around his standard.

TO COMMIT THE PARTY.

Topeka Press (demo-pop): The president's letter is evidently an attempt to commit the democratic party to the British gold standard. The president assumes the leadership in the furtherance of this policy. The attempt will only intensify the fight between the great majority of the democratic party and the eastern gold standard wing; and in the end the segment of the party now cheering the president will find itself most effectually overthrown and driven into the John Sherman wing of the republican party. This alliance the president anticipates when he says: "Disguise it as we may, the line of battle is drawn between the forces of the safe currency and those of silver monometallism."

The Stalwarts.

J. B. Crouch is in Bolivia, South America; Senator Ed O'Bryan has moved to St. Louis, Mo.; Colonel A.A. Harris lives in Duluth; Billy Mitchell has fallen through himself clean out of sight; "Colonel" Stambaugh, of Atchison has blown clear-out of the state; Frank B. Smith is dead; Joe Rosenthal has left Kansas. Chambers is located in Oklahoma; Jim Orr has abandoned politics and joined the Christian Scientists; Colonel Jones is his pilot of boat on the Neosho, and Dr. Tobey has gone from Salina. Thus have the boys who pulled and tugged at the United States senatorship machine in January 1893, scattered.—Paola Spirit.

Big Four Route.

The "Knickerbocker Special" leaves St. Louis at 12:00, Peoria 12:10 p. m., arrives Indianapolis 6:30 p. m. Buffalo 6:18 a. m. next day, New York 6:00 p. m. and Boston 9:05 p. m. This is the "flyer" especially providing for eastern business.

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DURRANT'S CASE.

The Evidence Against the Young Student Not Very Strong After All.

THE PRISONER VERY COOL.

People Beginning to Think Durrant Either a Consummate Scoundrel or a Cruelly Wronged Man—Efforts to Prove an Alibi.

SAN FRANCISCO, April 21.—Chief of Police Crowley confessed last night at the close of the second day of the preliminary examination of W. H. T. Durrant, the young medical student and assistant superintendent of the Emanuel Baptist church, that the evidence so far presented to connect Durrant with the murder in the church of Miss Minnie Williams, April 12, was decidedly disappointing. It is beginning to be the general fear, in view of the weakening of witnesses for the state under the fire of cross-examination, which could not be expected to be as strong now as on regular trial, that the church murders may yet go down into history as unsolved mysteries of the San Francisco criminal annals. Certain it is that the police have been totally unable to add to their circumstantial evidence in the past three days. They have some twenty-five witnesses yet to be examined, but the public is beginning to believe that these also may not be able to go through the cross-examinations unscathed.

Certain it is that Durrant has not lost his assurance or nerve. His demeanor is such that the conclusion forces itself upon the observers that he is either a most consummate monster or a most cruelly wronged man.

Searchers have found blood stains in the church, showing that the murderer made his way in the dark from the library closet, where lay the mutilated body of Miss Williams, to the wash room back of the pulpit in the rear of the church. The prints of bloody fingers were seen at intervals. The extent of the blood stains in the wash room goes to prove that the murderer had no light while washing his hands, for a judicious person would not have scattered so much blood around if he could have seen what he was doing. And it is evident if he had had a light he would not have left the bloody stains on the wall. This tends to prove that the murderer was familiar with every part of the church building.

Durrant is making strenuous efforts to prove an alibi in the Lamont case by attempting to show that on the day Miss Lamont disappeared he was not her escort from school at 3:30 o'clock in the afternoon. Three young women have identified him as the young man they saw on a car with Miss Lamont at that hour. Durrant will call on his college classmates to prove that he was at a lecture at that hour. It is said that his note book contains no notes of the lecture and that he obtained information of the subject matter of the lecture from another student. This matter is a question of importance to Durrant, and he bases his hopes on the memory of his fellow-students. He was marked present at this lecture, but, as it had been a habit of students to answer for each other, the roll book does not count.

A Free Library for Sedalia.

SEDALIA, Mo., April 21.—Recently the city voted a tax to support a free public library. Last night the library formally turned over everything to the city. There are 3,000 volumes in the library proper and several thousand volumes belonging to the Sedalia Natural History society. The library has an annual income from the city of about \$1,800.

Fourth-Class Western Postmasters.

WASHINGTON, April 21.—These post office appointments were made to-day: In Missouri—At Edith, Camden county, S. Pope; at Mineola, Montgomery county, G. Taylor. In Kansas—At Bancroft, Nemaha county, P. Wolf. In the Indian territory—At Suagee, Cherokee nation, S. Suagee.

Want Carlisle and Blackburn to Meet. LEXINGTON, Ky., April 21.—A strong effort is being made by the chamber of commerce to arrange a joint debate between Secretary of the Treasury Carlisle and Senator Blackburn on the currency question in this city at an early date. Senator Blackburn is said to have agreed to such a meeting.

Fatal Quarrel Over Land.

LIBERAL, Kan., April 21.—William B. Reed, a hay farmer living near Optima, Ok., was shot and killed yesterday by Tom Eskew as the result of a land difficulty. Eskew offered to give himself up to the authorities, but has not yet been taken into custody. Reed was about 50 years old and Eskew only a

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