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NO NEED OF CONFERENCE.

The United States Can Set the Ratio and Other Nations Will Fellow.

Providence, R. I. July 22.—It is a well known fact that President E. Benjamin Andrews of Brown University is a pronounced silver man and that during his stay for several months in Europe, which has but recently terminated, he studied with the mind of a trained student the trend of bimetallism there. Therefore when he have his views on international bimetallism and the proposed international bimetallic conference today, those views embodied the most recent scientific thought and observation upon the subjects from the standpoint of a silver man. Mr. Andrews talked with the utmost freedom upon the question of money and first upon that of the proposed conference. He said:

In the first place there is really no need of a conference in order to establish or re-establish the value of silver in the commercial world. If the United States were to insert into the Bland act the omitted clause providing for the free coinage of silver, international bimetallism would be accomplished, for other nations would follow the lead of this country. England is entirely willing to restore the free coinage of silver in India England's contribution to bimetallism would be much larger than either gold or silver men in this city imagine. In the first place there would be the reopening of the mints of India, which would make a contribution that would be simply enormous. Then there might be coinage of half sovereigns and the bank of England might use silver for 20 per cent of its reserve. These would be contributions the people of this country have not taken into account fully.

Mr. Andrews said that he had observed in an interview which Perry Belmont gave out upon his arrival from England the other day, that Belmont suggested that in case France should agree to international bimetallism it would be with the agreement that she should receive some tariff concessions from the United States. Mr. Andrews thought it probable that in the conference France might make some such demand as this. It was natural for each nation to drive as sharp a bargain as possible in the deal. In answer to a question as to what in his opinion the outcome of a conference would be Mr. Andrews said:

I can hardly answer that question in so general a form. The holding of a conference might be used by the gold republicans merely as a means of putting off action upon bimetallism until the next presidential election. Then they could go before the people and say in answer to arguments of silver men: "But we are doing all that can be done for bimetallism. We have held a conference. There should be no rush about electing a free silver ticket." And then it may be the appointment of this much talked of monetary commission at Washington is to be part of the same plan of delay. I will not make the broad statement that there is such a plot of delay in tha minds of men at Washington, but such is apt to be case. On the other hand I do not feel sure that the holding of an international bimetallic conference might not result in some immediate understanding among the nations. If the United States, England and France were to hold a conference and invite other European nations to come in some of them might make offers that would materially aid bimetallism. Russia, for example, which now holds great quantities of gold, might decide to buy no more gold and to buy large quantities of silver. Holland, a small but rich nation, which has long wanted bimetallism, would be another factor aiding the cause. The only difference today between gold men and silver men of scientific stripe is, the former would have bimetallism by getting other nations to go into the business beforehand while the silver men believe the adoption of bimetallism at a ratio of 16 to 1 in this country would be followed immediately by adoption of the principle in England and France. And from what I have learned while abroad, I know England and France would follow our lead. While the former proposition might seem to be safer, I believe this great and wealthy nation can set the ratio for the world, in view of the fact that France maintained it for years and years by the purchase of silver. If international bimetallism is established as a result of the conference the ratio will undoubtedly be 15½ to 1. That will satisfy the silver men of this country. It will wipe the silver question from politics and new issues will be framed by political parties.

Commenting upon the discoveries of gold in Alaska Mr. Andrews said:

"Instead of there being danger that the price of silver will go down, there is more likelihood that it will go up, in relation to the price of gold, and will be retired from circulation on account of its greater value. If these reports of the finding of gold in Alaska are all that they now appear to be, this may occur. The natural value of silver as compared to gold is about 15 or 16 to 1, because that is about the proportion in which the two metals are mined. But the amount of silver taken out of the mines in proportion to the amount of gold is steadily growing less, so that silver is theoretically and should be actually increasing in value. And all that stands in the way of that increase is legislation, nothing but legislation."

MEXICAN NEWS.

Premium on Exchange—Japanese Minister's Views.

Mexico City, Aug. 2.—New York exchange was today at a premium of $1.20 to $1.22. Little business was done.

The Japanese minister here, Mr. Murota, says Japan would prefer to have Hawaii remain an independent country, for even if the United States should endeavor to maintain its policy of non-interference in Asiatic or European affairs, there might arise a contingency in which the control of Hawaii would tempt the American government to take part in Asiatic politics; for instance, in case of trouble with England, the United States might attempt to seize Hong Kong, expanding the domain of the United States far beyond the present contemplations. But Japan has made no alliance with Spain; rather it considers the United States in a sense its mother country, and Japan would not accept Hawaii, even as a gift from the United States.

BROWN UNIVERSITY PROFESSORS.

Protest Against the Action in President Andrews' Case.

Providence, R. I., Aug. 2.—A remonstrance has been issued by the professors at Brown university and sent to the members of that corporation. It protests against the action of the latter body with reference to President Andrews and asks for a reconsideration of the whole matter. The document lays stress on the importance of freedom of thought and speech, and especially in a university, where there should be no such thing as political prejudice. The fact is emphasized that there has been a remarkable increase in the number of students since Dr. Andrews became president, and the remonstrance is signed by a majority of the professors.

GOING TO HAWAII.

Senators Quay and Morgan Will Make a Study of the Country.

New York. Aug. 2.—United States Senator M S. Quay of Pennsylvania announces his intention of making early a trip to the Hawaiian Islands to make a careful study of the country, its prospects and their advantages or disadvantages which will accrue to this country through annexation. Indirectly he gave the impression that he was going as an informal committee on foreign relations and that on what he saw and learned would be based a voluminous report, which would be read when the Hawaiian annexation treaty comes up for consideration.

When seen Senator Quay said his judgement and vote would entirely depend on the impression he might gain by a personal tour of the islands.

Senator Morgan of Alabama senior Democratic member of the foreign relations committee, is also arranging for an extended visit in September to the Hawaiian Islands. Morgan is in favor of annexation and will visit Hawaii at the same time Senator Quay does.

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MINT STATEMENT.

Coinage Usually Light as Mints Close Part of the Time.

Washington. Aug. 2.—The monthly statement issued by the director of the mint shows that during July, 1897, the coinage executed at the United States mints amounted to $67c.850, as follows: Gold, $377,000; silver, $33,850.

No standard silver dollars were coined. It is stated, however, there is no significance in this fact. All of the mints are closed from 15 to 20 days during July for repairs to machinery and the annual overhauling and in consequence the coinage was unusually light.

In explanation of the fact that no standard silver dollars were coined, it is said the supply on hand is sufficient for all needs and further that the stock of minor coins has run very low. In order to meet the prospective demands of trade, the mints were occupied in coining subsidiary silver and probably will so continue the month of August. In addition there has accumulated a large stock of uncurrent subsidiary silver, which must be recoined as promptly as possible. During the month of August a large accumulation of gold bullion at San Francisco, which now amounts to about $4,500,000, will be worked off as rapibly as the capacity of the mint will permit.

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