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A BLOODY ENCOUNTER

Chinese Are Making a Terrible Struggle to Check the Onward March.

GUNS FROM MANILA.

The Casualties Are Reported Heavy—Pie Tsang Was Battle Ground of the Second Fight—Tuan in Command.

Washington, Aug. 7.—The announcement received through Admiral Remy and Commander Tausig of heavy fighting on the road beyond Tien Tsin was the news of interest in the Chinese situation. Little doubt was expressed in the navy department that the news was substantially correct. It is probable a later report may reduce the list of casualties among the international forces, but it is evident that the move on Pekin is at last fairly under way and that strong opposition has been encountered.

The war department officials, who have been exceedingly reticent for several days as to news from the seat of war, admitted when the naval dispatches were received that the announcement of the battle was not unexpected. Opinion among the various offices now in Washington is somewhat divided as to just what is presaged by today's events.

The more optimistic are inclined to think that such a severe blow as the Chinese must have received at Peking will result in a speedy disintegration of the forces now opposing the march of the international column. In line with this prediction it is prophesied that the Chinese government would find means to send the ministers from Pekin under escort and thus stave off the advance upon the capital.

London, Aug. 7.—"The advance of the allied forces commenced today," cables the British consul at Tien Tsin under date of Aug. 4. This is the first official information received that the attempt to relieve Pekin has begun. It is accepted as correct.

The British consul does not mention any fighting, but the Shanghai correspondent of the Daily Mail, telegraphing Sunday says:

"The Pekin relief column is reported to have suffered a check. The Chinese are said to have adopted Tugela tactics and after several hours of fighting to have retreated."

This is the only message received in London bearing out the reports of Admiral Remy and Commander Tausig regarding an engagement at Pie Tsang. The fact that the advance did not begin until Saturday is taken to strengthen the accounts of a battle Sunday.

The Chinese minister, Chih Chen Lo Feng Lu, communicated to Lord Salisbury a message from the tsungli yamen dated July 31 reiterating the statement that the ministers were safe on that date and recounting the friendly relations between them and the yamen, as well as reporting the sending of supplies to the legations by the yamen. The message contains this important statement:

"A successful termination of the conference with the ministers for their conveyance under escort to Tien Tsin is expected, but on account of the commencement of hostilities at Tien Tsin the code telegrams for transmission to the representatives are considered undesirable."

This appears to confirm the report that the Chinese government will endeavor to stop the march to Pekin using the ministers as hostages.

The Lokal Anzeiger of Berlin publishes an interview with Li Hung Chang, quoting him as declaring emphatically that China must not, in any circumstances, cede any more territory to any power. In reply to a question why the rebellion was not put down, Earl Li is reported as having said:

"I blame Prince Tuan, the empress dowager and the whole Pekin government. But for the lack of energy the situation would never have become so serious."

The St. Petersburg correspondent of the Daily Mail says:

"Active negotiations are proceeding between Russia and the United States, the probable outcome of which will be a resolution to uphold the integrity of China unconditionally."

A Shanghai correspondent of the same paper says the Americans there are urging the appointment of Gen. MacArthur as commander in China of the allied forces.

Week on the Cotton Belt.
Pine Bluff, Ark., Aug. 7.—A disastrous collision occurred on the St. Louis and Northwestern (Cotton Belt) at Aurich, 80 miles north of here, in which five men were killed and two seriously injured.

Aurich is a small station and fast freight No. 15 took the siding so as to allow the southbound passenger train No. 2 to pass. By some means the switch failed to work and the passenger train crashed into the caboose of the freight at regular speed and before the occupants of the caboose could jump they were killed or injured. Conductors Sample lived three hours. The passenger engine and baggage car were turned completely over and are completely wrecked. Four freight cars were demolished.

DEMOCRATIC COMMITTEES.

A Full List of the Subcommittees for the Coming Campaign.

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ANOTHER HOLDUP.

The Union Pacific Passenger Train Held Up and One Man Killed.

HORRIBLE MURDER.

A Nephew Murders His Aunt Because He Said She Had Got Him Into Trouble.

Salina, Kas., Aug. 7.—Union Pacific passenger train No. 4, which left Denver Saturday night was held up by two masked men several miles west of Hugo, Colo., 90 miles this side of Denver. The passengers in the Pullman sleepers were robbed of their money and valuables. An old man, named Fay, a resident of California, who had been visiting Denver, and was on his way to St. Louis, refused to surrender his valuables, and fired a shot at one of the robbers, but missed. Thereupon the robbers fired, one shot entering Fay's mouth and coming out at the back of his head, killing him almost instantly. The robbers stopped the train, jumped off and escaped.

The robbers got on one of the sleepers near Limon and after the train had started the men made a noise at the door. The conductor thinking they were tramps opened the door to put them off. The robbers, who were masked, pointed a pistol at his head and ordered him to lead the way through the coaches. All the passengers were asleep and the conductor was ordered to wake them up one at a time. The frightened passengers were told to keep quiet or they would be killed and at the same time were asked to hand over their money and valuables.

The robbers obtained about \$100 in cash and a number of gold watches and other pieces of jewelry. The robbery took place a few minutes before 1 o'clock Sunday morning. The body of Fay was taken off at Hugo and shipped to Denver. He was 65 years of age and a prominent Odd Fellow of California. The conductor, who was compelled to hold a gun while the robbers relieved the passengers, lost his watch and asked that it be returned to him in order that he might run his train on time. The robbers gave it back.

After ransacking the two coaches the men made the conductor pull the bell cord, but the train was going so rapidly that the robbers were taken to Hugo before it slowed up enough to enable them to jump. They compelled the conductor to get off ahead of them. The robbers then ordered the conductor to return to his train.

Miss Shaw of Denver, a passenger on the train, arrived in Salina. She said that when the men entered the cars every one was asleep and no one knew anything of what was going on until they were awakened by the robbers. When the men came to her berth a pistol was pointed at her and she was told to be quiet and hand over her valuables. With great presence of mind she opened her pocket book, taking a number of bills fall out, and handed the purse, containing some silver to the robbers. She also managed to save her watch, which was pinned to her dress, by placing her arm over it.

Fire in El Paso.
El Paso, Tex., Aug. 7.—The store of the Liberty Supply company, owned by A. M. Dwyer and containing a miscellaneous assortment of chinaware, picture frames, chairs, albums and shoes, was gutted by fire. The flames originated from an overturned lamp. Loss \$7000, insurance \$4000.

Will Visit Washington.
Washington, Aug. 7.—The 1400 Cuban school teachers now receiving a course of instruction in English branches at Harvard university, Cambridge, Mass., will visit this city on Aug. 18 for the purpose of paying their personal respects to the president of the United States and to inspect public institutions and attractions of the national capital.

Surveys of Townsites.
Muskego, I. T., Aug. 7.—H. V. Hinckley, supervisor of the Indian Territory townsites surveys, left here for Chickasaw Nation to place in the field a corps to survey the boundaries of all towns in that nation containing a population of 500 or over. The headquarters of the corps will be at Chickasaw, and it is estimated that it will take six months to complete the work in the Chickasaw Nation, after which the boundaries of the towns in the Choctaw Nation will be surveyed.

PLAQUE IN LONDON.
Four Cases Have Appeared There, Two Proving Fatal.

Washington, Aug. 4.—The marine hospital service has received the following telegram from Past Assistant Surgeon Thomas announcing the outbreak of bubonic plague in London:

"London, Aug. 3.—Surgeon general, marine hospital, Washington.—There have been four cases of bubonic plague and two deaths from plague in London. The diagnosis confirmed bacteriological examination. Do not think there will be any further spread."

NEWS IN BRIEF.
A. F. Beaver, a Collin county farmer, made \$300 off of four acres of berries.

Joseph McCall of Gravis, Tex., was struck by lightning and killed at Taylor, Tex.

The warehouse of the Torrell Milling company collapsed at Terrell, Tex., and several persons narrowly escaped.

Robert Bailey, a negro, was run over and killed by an Aransas Pass freight train at Flatonia, Tex.

Waco, Tex., had 500 gallons of whisky burned by an electric spark.

The residence of J. W. Eblinton at Wills Point, Tex., was destroyed by fire.

Oklahoma City, O. T., Republicans want statehood and not territorial government.

The Populists of Texas will have a big rally at Hillsboro, Tex., on July 11.

A freight and work train on the Houston and Texas Central railway collided near Lardis, Tex., damaging the engine and road. No one was hurt.

Sherman has a large drove of buffaloes for the industrial job here there.

Bonham, Tex., jail was destroyed by fire Saturday night.

Joe Gervo, a section hand at Barton, Tex., jumped from a train and was killed.

Guy Graham, who is charged with the murder of Alice Boswell near Elliot, Tex., was convicted and given a life sentence.

John Dyer, a section foreman at Greenville, Tex., was killed by a hand car jumping off a bridge.

The business men of Muskogee, I. T., object to the Curtis bill and want it modified.

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New London, Mo., Aug. 7.—The question is being discussed by the Chicago and New York papers as to the reasons why Alexander Jester was acquitted of the murder of Gilbert Gates. A correspondent has talked to the jurymen and asked them to give their reasons for acquitting Jester. They say:

- The state failed to prove the corpus delicti—that is, that Gilbert Gates was killed.
- The state failed to prove that Alexander Jester killed Gilbert Gates.
- Some of the witnesses changed their testimony from that given at the preliminary trial in 1871, and the preliminary trial in 1899, at Paris.
- The jurymen did not believe that the testimony of Shewsbury, who said he saw the body in the wagon with blood on the face, and the testimony of Shuck, who said Jester confessed to him in the Paris jail that Gilbert Gates had cut his own throat, was true.
- The presence at the trial and the active work of the Pinkerton detectives.
- The lapse of time and the uncertainty of remembering details of events occurring 30 years ago.
- The free use of the money of John W. Gates in prosecuting Jester.
- The age and feeble appearance of the old prisoner.
- These are the reasons, and they form the basis upon which Jester was acquitted.

The Powers Trial.
Georgetown, Ky., Aug. 7.—The fifth week of the trial of Ex-Secretary of State Caleb Powers for alleged complicity in the Goebel murder conspiracy has begun. Ex-Gov. John Young Brown, chief counsel for Powers, says the defense will conclude their testimony probably on Friday, but possibly not till Saturday. After that the prosecution will consume three or four days in rebuttal. Captain D. B. Walnut, who had charge of the soldiers quartered in the arsenal at Frankfort prior to the assassination and who were called out immediately after the tragedy, was the first witness called.

He testified as to the assemblage of the militia at the arsenal.

E. R. Bullock of Lexington gave some entirely new testimony. Said he was in the adjacent general's building when the shooting occurred and came out and saw Jack Chink walking rapidly away and going into the statehouse. A man was standing behind the fountain in a stooping position. Witness could not tell whether he was white or black and did not know his name.

No Statement from Golden.
Georgetown, Aug. 7.—A conference was held at Frankfort Sunday between Captain B. B. Golden, for the prosecution in the Powers case, Green Golden, who is in jail charged with being an accessory to the Goebel murder, Wharton Golden and Robert Nonkes, principal commonwealth witnesses. Attorney J. C. Mayner and two unknown Knox county men. An effort was made to get a statement from Green Golden, but it is not known what result.

A PITCH BATTLE.
Deputy Marshals and Moonshiners Have a Battle in the Territory.

Pauls Valley, I. T., Aug. 7.—As a result of a pitch battle with moonshiners near Johnson, 20 miles from Pauls Valley, one deputy marshal was slightly wounded and another, Schrimper of Pauls Valley, is missing. The band escaped under cover of darkness. Schrimper is believed to have followed the band and been killed. A second set of reinforcements was sent from here. The outlaws are part of a band that was raided at Center a few days ago, when five of its members together with a still and a quantity of liquor were taken. The leader named Trico, a veteran Arkansas distiller, and other members of the band escaped. After four days pursuit they were located by a posse of deputies in a deep ravine near Johnson. A demand to surrender was answered with a volley of bullets and shots were exchanged for over an hour. The deputies surrounded the outlaws' position to await day break and the latter escaped during the night. They are all armed and their capture will be a dangerous undertaking.

In Memory of Capt. Huston.
Guthrie, O. T., Aug. 7.—Memorial services were held in the Congregational church Sunday afternoon in memory of Capt. R. B. Huston, who died in the Philippines a few weeks ago. Addresses were made by Gov. Barnes, Hon. F. H. Greer, Rev. W. J. Marsh and others, and a large concourse of citizens attended. Captain Huston was colonel of the First regiment of the Territorial militia at the breaking out of the Spanish war. He was appointed captain of a troop of Rough Riders, led by the fight before Santiago, and was in the charge of San Juan Hill. After the fall of Major Brodie, he served for a time as extra paymaster and a year ago was appointed to captaincy in the Thirty-Third United States volunteers.

Moonshining in the Territory.
Ardmore, I. T., Aug. 6.—United States Marshal John S. Hammer, assisted by three deputies, made a successful raid on an illicit distillery, a few miles from the little town of Ada, I. T., in what is known as the Chimney mountain. They captured five men, a 25-gallon copper still and 60 gallons of whisky.

Killing in the Territory.
Comanche, I. T., Aug. 7.—J. R. Gibson of this place was shot and instantly killed eleven miles east of here. His body was brought here for interment. Bud Farris, a stockman, surrendered to the authorities.

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For President,
Wharton Barker, of Penn'a.
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Ignatius Donnelly, of Minn.

HENRY CLEWS, the Wall Street banker, in his weekly circular letter of July 28, defines the best money as that which will purchase the most. That is the theory advocated by the money changers who dominate both old parties. When they get a dollar that will purchase 20 days labor, as it does in India, it will be still better, according to Mr. Clews.

If the populist demand, the referendum, was available the question of retaining the new territory could be settled mighty quick. But the demmies oppose this easy way of settling public questions, so that they may at any time hatch up some false issue to obscure more important ones. Populists four years ago said the democrats were not sincere on the money question and the present confirms the truthfulness of the statement. They are silent everywhere on this as well as the income tax and other reform questions.

The defeat of Marion Butler in North Carolina is no surprise to thinking persons. His recent efforts to turn all populists over to democrats in the national election alienated all recruits to populists from the republicans in that state, while his dicking with republicans in his own state alienated those whom he might have won from the democrats. Straight populism without any tangling alliances is the only honorable course to pursue, and the only course that will inspire confidence in those worth winning.

Since the state administration's action in the cases of the Standard Oil Co. and the San Antonio electric light and gas companies, the anti-trust law is the object of ridicule of many, and even of a number of democrats. Last campaign much was promised the people through this proposed law. But democratic courts have made it a nullity and hold up to ridicule the weakness and inability of a legislature under the manipulation of its masters, the trusts and their subservient judges. No doubt the state convention will make a desperate effort this week to whitewash the state administration and the courts the party has placed in power, but the tax-payers should hold them strictly to account and repudiate them at the polls this fall.

TOWNE has sent in his note of withdrawal from the vice-presidential race, and thus closed the last link of mockery inaugurated by the fusion crowd at Sioux Falls last May. Of course it has been his intention to do so ever since the democrats turned him down at Kansas City, only he has been playing two-faced to pave the way to turning populists as much as possible over to Bryan. And for all Bryan supporters harp upon his frankness he is as deep in this double dealing as is Towne. In fact Bryan is the instigator. And as an evidence of this, we reproduce the following from the Kansas City Times, a democratic paper, as the words of Mr. Towne in an interview July 4 during the democratic convention: "The truth is, in 1896 I should have gone into the Democratic party had it not been for the advice and request of Mr. Bryan and Senator Jones that I aid in forming the silver republican party and maintain my relation with it with the view of ultimately leading it into the Democratic party. It was their opinion that I could thereby best aid the democratic party. They believed many silver republicans would go back into the republican party or to the populists unless I took that course." Such political trickery should drive every honest voter from that party. Of course the so-called populist convention at Sioux Falls empowered the executive committee to fill all vacancies on the ticket, and they will seek to make the delivery of the populists complete by substituting Stevenson's name, but populists refuse to

take the dose and we make the prediction now that Bryan will lose both Kansas and his home state, which will be but his just deserts.

ALL the talk about the reunited democracy, even if they have gone back on the money question, left out the income tax and failed to condemn the gold standard, seems to inspire but little confidence in that party of factions. It is given out from Washington that the party leaders all look upon Croker with suspicion. A Brooklyn Congressman said a few days ago: "All this talk that Hill is crooked and will not support the ticket loyally is one of Croker's calumnies. It is Mr. Croker himself who is not loyal, and the election will bear this statement out. Mr. Croker's anxiety for 16 to 1 at Kansas City was but a piece of clever duplicity to engage the sympathy of Mr. Bryan in order to carry out his contract with Roosevelt, which, in plain terms, is, Roosevelt is to be guaranteed the State on the national ticket, and in return Roosevelt is to drop the prosecution against Mayor Van Wyck for his connection with the ice trust. But for Mr. Croker there would have been a minority report from the platform committee and 16 to 1 would have been defeated by a large majority in the convention. In that event New York would have gone Democratic, just what Mr. Croker did not and does not want. Augustus Van Wick was placed on the platform committee instead of Mr. Hill, who was the real choice of the delegation. A number of us wanted Hill and voted for Van Wyck simply because we could not afford to court political death by opposing Mr. Croker. All the talk about the party in New York being united and certain of victory is untrue and nobody knows it better than Croker. He has possibly convinced Senator Jones that everything is all right, but who we have got to fight for re-election know better. We will not only lose the State, but a number of us Congressmen are going to be beaten. Mr. Croker cares nothing for the national ticket, and very little for the Congressmen, just so long as he is let alone in New York City, which has \$80,000,000 patronage a year for Tammany to distribute, or four times as much as the patronage of the State Government and a seventh of that of the national Government itself."

"That 'Prosperity.'"
When you read in the commercial reports or in republican newspapers that the volume of trade has greatly increased under the present administration, please remember that the volume of trade has been stuffed and padded by trust prices to such an extent that the actual condition of business cannot be correctly judged by comparison with former years. If the merchant sells a keg of nails now at \$5 which he formerly sold at \$2.25, more cash has changed hands, but the amount of nails exchanged is the same. The farmer who bought the nails is \$2.75 poorer and the merchant is no better off because the volume of business is increased, but the nail trust is much better off and can report to the commercial agency a wonderful increase in its earnings and profits. With this illustration for an example, we can readily see how reports are circulated that the volume of business has greatly increased. The profits from this increased volume are being poured into the lap of the trusts and monopolies.—Kansas Commonwealth.

The Texas Populist platform, among its many good planks has the following:
"We demand the abolition of the Railroad Commission, as past experience has proven it to be a snare and a fraud, a useless burden upon the commercial and industrial interests of the people; and in lieu thereof we recommend State ownership and operation of transportation lines to such an extent as may be necessary to regulate freight rates."

Georgia, as many States, is afflicted with a wholly useless and burdensome Railroad Commission. Not one farthing of benefit is this commission to the people of the State, while it is a heavy and continual drain upon their pocket-books.—Dalton, Ga., Herald.

For Sale.
The Baptist parsonage, a house of four rooms, conveniently located, fair sized yard and stable is offered for sale at only \$600. See D. J. Calvary or call at this office.

In the whole democratic platform there is not a word which condemns or opposes the gold standard law—not a word that directly or indirectly opposes the gold standard. The Republican bill gives the Secretary of the Treasury power to maintain the party of gold and silver and he may and doubtless will claim that it is necessary that he redeem silver with gold. This feature of the bill is not mentioned in the Democratic platform. The currency law is denounced as a step forward to discredit the right of the government to issue all money but for no other reason is it denounced. It is not denounced because it established the gold standard, that feature of the bill is practically affirmed by silence. Not a word in the whole Democratic platform that directly or indirectly disapproves of the gold standard unless it is the general terms of endorsement of the Chicago platform and as the new currency law was not in existence when the Chicago platform was adopted a specific disapproval of the gold standard feature of the law was certainly in order. They condemned one feature of the law, why did they not condemn the gold standard feature? The law was before the committee on resolutions for consideration and the committee inserted a plank denouncing one feature of it but it did not denounce the gold standard feature. And so the Democratic party is camping again on Republican ground, it has by silence, purposely so, practically approved the gold standard.—Mo. World.

To Change Title.
Some of the railroads are considering the advisability of abandoning the time-honored title of brakeman on passenger trains and calling him assistant conductor. The brakes on passenger trains are no longer worked by hand, but by air, and therefore it is argued that the old title is a misnomer.
"The name brakeman," said a railroad man, "has been a misnomer ever since brakemen cease to be brakemen; that is, when air brakes came into use. A brakeman nowadays has nothing whatever to do with the brakes. He simply attends to signals, calls names of stations and otherwise assists in conducting the trains. The change to assistant conductor is logical, because these men are frequently promoted to conductors. Besides, it would tend to raise the standard of calling."
This question of a change of title will come up at the next meeting of the Brotherhood of Railway Trainmen, which is made up of brakemen, and all the roads will be asked to adopt this change.

Senator Jones of Arkansas, who has been re-elected chairman of the Democratic national committee, proclaims the silver issue to be a back number. He says, "Of the live, earnest issues of the day, imperialism is foremost because it involves the very life of the nation. Trusts as an issue ranks next in importance, because this question involves the industrial welfare of the people of the nation." Do you want any better evidence that the Democratic leaders have abandoned the free silver question for the "hobby horse" of imperialism, upon which they expect to ride into power. Croker of New York, declares it to be his own personal view, that Congress ought to fix the ratio every four years.—Our Country.

The severed leg of a woman injured by a locomotive at Johnson, Pa., was left lying on the station platform a few minutes, while she was taken to a hospital. A thief secured \$100 in bills from the stocking on the severed leg, says an exchange.

A Mother Tells How She Saved Her Little Daughter's Life.
I am the mother of eight children and have had a great deal of experience with medicines. Last summer my little daughter had the dysentery in its worst form. We thought she would die. I tried everything I could think of, but nothing seemed to do her any good. I saw by an advertisement in our paper that Chamberlain's Colic, Cholera and Diarrhoea Remedy was highly recommended and sent and got a bottle at once. It proved to be one of the very best medicines we ever had in the house. I saved my little daughter's life. I am anxious for every mother to know what an excellent medicine it is. Had I known it at first it would have saved me a great deal of anxiety and my little daughter much suffering.—Yours truly, Mrs. Geo. F. BERDECK, Liberty, R. I. For sale by Ramsey.

Jack county people will this week start a new populist paper.

Summer Excursions.
Summer excursion tickets to eastern and northern points will be on sale by the Fort Worth & Denver R'y from June 1st to Sept. 30th; for further information inquire of F. A. KENNEDY, Agt.

Nails A Falsehood.
It will be remembered a short time since the democratic papers published a report that Eugene Debs had withdrawn from the socialist ticket in favor of Bryan. The following is from Mr. Debs, himself:
"My reported withdrawal in favor of Bryan is absolutely false. It is a pure fabrication of the capitalist press. As a Socialist candidate, I am equally opposed to all capitalist parties of whatever name. The Democratic party, like the Republican party, stands for the capitalist system and wage slavery, and I am uncompromisingly opposed to both. I am in the fight to a finish. All reports to the contrary are false and malicious."
EUGENE V. DEBS."

From Arkansas.
A. W. Files, populist chairman of Arkansas, writes to an exchange as follows:
"Our quiet and unpretentious demeanor has purified (?) Democracy to conclude and proclaim that we have all returned to the fold. Were we not sustained by never-dying principles, the Populists of the South would have been dead several years ago. But if the Peoples party were dead, or to die, it has not existed in vain. It has taught the two dominant parties that Populism is the quintessence of real, pure and unalloyed Democracy. It is the only party that to-day stands for the preservation of the liberties of the people and the perpetuity of our republican form of government.
"In the South the word 'democracy' is the tailman of the ruling oligarchy. It is the modern Democracy that rules and rules by undemocratic means. This modern hybrid organization stands for the loaves and fishes. It is unwilling to stand upon merit. It is ready and willing to appropriate any or all of our principles 'wherever practicable'—anxious to suck all our eggs even though they have declared them rotten, provided they are permitted to hide the shells.
"From the great variety of modern Democrats one is led to believe that some political Jacob (Bryan may be) has been playing the 'striped stick racket' on his Democratic father-in-law Laban (Jefferson). The evidences of the success of the rods of poplar, hazel and chestnut were visible at the late Kansas City convention, where the 'Jacob' corralled the 'cattle.'"
"In this state we are handicapped by an election law which almost disfranchises us. The entire election machinery is controlled by the dominant party."

Extreme hot weather is a great tax upon the digestive power of babies; when puny and feeble they should be given a dose of White's Cream Vermifuge. Price, 25 cents. Sold by H. D. Ramsey.

The government had better own railroads than islands; better own telegraphs than Cannibals; better own telephones than tropical beasts and jungles; better have postal savings banks than yellow fever.—Chicago Record.

For mosquito bites, bites or stings of insects, animals or reptiles, apply Ballard's Snow Liniment. It counteracts the poison in the wound, subdues the inflammation and heals the flesh. Price, 25 and 50 cents. For sale at Ramsey's drug store.

Mrs. Geo. Brooker, a young married woman aged 19 was burned to death at Navasota Saturday through pouring oil on the fire.

The household remedy is Hunt's Lightning Oil. All aches and pains quickly relieved. Satisfaction or money refunded. For sale by Ramsey.

It is said positively that President Kruger is willing and anxious to surrender, provided satisfactory promise is given as to his ultimate destination.

Dr. Simmons' Sarsaparilla invigorates the nervous system, tones and strengthens the digestive organs, and at the same time eradicates disease. 130 doses \$1.00. For sale at Ramsey's.

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T. W. Carroll,
PHYSICIAN & SURGEON.
Graduate of the Medical Department of University of Texas.
Office at Clarendon Hotel,
CLARENDON, TEXAS.

From Hutchinson County.
INDUSTRIAL WEST Correspondence.
ADOBIE WALLS, August 7, 1900.—About two years ago I moved from the friendly and genial neighborhood of Clarendon where lives the most prosperous, the most accommodating people on earth. The reason of my silence has been that I wanted to be acquainted with my new locality and its many sides, as of course every locality has its different opportunities for man. Donley county is a favorable locality for agricultural pursuits, more so in fact than our Hutchinson county. The progress of agriculture here is not very marked, though crops are raised here in variety as in your Donley county, but being as it is, the soil is not adapted for a variety of gardening. Your famous gardener, Graef, could not succeed here. We cannot produce the crop of kaffir-corn that you can, but we can raise the old 'yaller' corn, millet, and alfalfa, as well as you can. Now I talk from own experience. The range is fully as good, if not better, since we have a greater variety of grasses on which stock will do uncommonly well, winter as well as summer. So please note that Hutchinson county is not such a bad place to call one's home.
The state school land they tell me is nearly all taken up by actual settlers; the remaining is not very valuable to anybody. I think this county will poll over two hundred votes on next election. We have not organized as yet, though there is a certain class of citizens who oppose bitterly, they seem to fear a repetition of the Hall and Collingsworth racket where taxes crush the poor settler to the earth, where there are only a few benefitted, so you see we have not organized, though agitation has been kept up by a certain class for two years. You shall hear from me more anon. Respectfully,
OTTO ANDERSON.

Last Saturday seemed to be a pugilistic day for section men. Dan Sullivan, who had been at work on a section of the Denver near Matlock, suffered from a severe cut in the throat. He was attacked Saturday by another section hand named Mike McGinnis, who cut him in the throat by a blow with a sharp shovel, inflicting an ugly wound. Foreman Drake of the Matlock section was also cut on the head. The wounded men took charge of their assailant and carried him to Channing, where they turned him over to an officer. Their wounds were also dressed there, but Sullivan was so badly hurt that it was thought best to send him to the hospital at Fort Worth. The same day near Wichita Falls, Gus Talbot, a rather old man, was attacked with a shovel by a young section man to whom he was giving some instructions about his work. He was cut on the hands and one of his legs, but the wounds were not dangerous. He was sent down on the same train with Sullivan Sunday.

For digestive weakness, nervousness, pains in the side, flatulence, dizziness, wakefulness, headache and other annoying accompaniments of costiveness, Herbine is a prompt and unequalled remedy. Price, 50 cents at Ramsey's.

Those new crop evaporated apples, peaches and apricots at Anderson's are too good to last long at the price he sells them.

The Trust Idea in Dairying.
The consolidation or trust idea has invaded the dairy regions, says the New York Evening Post. The control of upward of 70 Missouri and Kansas creameries and skimming stations, within a radius of 150 miles of Kansas City, has passed into the control of a consolidated company in that city. The creameries are to be used only as receiving and skimming stations, all the cream to be shipped to Kansas City, to be there converted into butter. Fifteen thousand milk cows furnish milk for the company at the start, and this number is to be largely increased, as it is intended to establish creameries in the vicinity wherever available. Like plans of handling dairy products are in operation in Franklin, Vt., and Lincoln, Neb. There is much economy in the plan, as the force required to handle the cream at one central station is much less than the combined forces at several small stations. But the most important result achieved by the consolidation and the concentration of the manufacture of butter under one roof lies in the uniform quality of the product. Much complaint has arisen from the fact that no two creameries in Kansas produce the same quality of butter, and to avoid this feature of the trade the consolidation was decided upon.

When you read this paper, hand it to your neighbor, ask him to read it and send in his subscription.

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The campaign has opened and will be pushed throughout the country, without cessation and with the utmost vigor until election day. Now take off your coats and in the spirit of populism, which knows no defeat, go to work with a will and elect your ticket.
Send your subscriptions to this office.

Populist National Platform, 1900.
The Peoples party of the United States, assembled in National convention this 10th day of May, 1900, affirming our unshaken belief in the cardinal tenets of the People's party, as set forth in the Omaha platform, and pledging ourselves anew to continued advocacy of those grand principles of human liberty until right shall triumph over might, and love over greed, do adopt and proclaim this declaration of faith:
1. We demand the initiative and referendum and the imperative mandate or such changes of existing fundamental and statute law as will enable the people in their sovereign capacity to propose and compel the enactment of such laws as they desire; to reject such as they deem injurious to their interests and to recall unfaithful public servants.
2. We demand the public ownership and operation of those means of communication, transportation and production which the people may elect, such as railroads, telegraph and telephone lines, coal mines, etc.
3. The land, including all natural sources of wealth, is a heritage of the people, and should not be monopolized for speculative purposes, and alien ownership of land should be prohibited. All land now held by railways and other corporations in excess of their actual needs, and all lands now owned by aliens should be reclaimed by the government and held for actual settlers only.
4. A scientific and absolute paper money, based upon the entire wealth and population of the nation, not redeemable in any specific commodity, but made a full legal tender for all debts and receivable for all taxes and public dues, and issued by the government only, without the intervention of banks and of sufficient quantity to meet the demands of commerce, is the best currency that can be devised, but until such a financial system is secured, which we shall press for adoption, we favor the free and unlimited coinage of both silver and gold at the legal ratio of 16 to 1.
5. We demand the levy and collection of a graduated tax on incomes and inheritances, and a constitutional amendment to secure the same if necessary.
6. We demand the election of president, vice president, federal judges and United States senators by direct vote of the people.
7. We are opposed to trusts, and declare the contention between the old parties on the monopoly question is a sham battle, and no solution of this mighty problem is possible without the adoption of the principles of public ownership of public utilities.

TIME TABLE.
Fort Worth & Denver City Railway.

SOUTH BOUND.
No. 2, Mail and Express—Leaves 7:10 p. m. Local, daily except Sunday—Arrives 7:30 p. m. Leaves 6:15 a. m.

NORTH BOUND.
No. 1, Mail and Express—Arrives 7:02 a. m. Leaves 7:11 a. m. Local, daily except Sunday—Arrives 7:30 p. m. Leaves 7:35 a. m.

RELIGIOUS EXERCISES.
Baptist, 2d, 3d and 4th Sundays at 11 a. m. and 7:30 p. m. Rev. L. Tomme, pastor. Sunday school 10 a. m. Prayer meeting every Tuesday night. Sunbeams 4 p. m. every Sunday.

W. E. South, services every Sunday—Rev. J. B. Henson, pastor. Sunday school 10 a. m. Prayer meeting every Wednesday night. Junior Epworth League at 3 p. m. Epworth League at 4 p. m. every Sunday.

Christian, — Elder F. T. Denton, pastor. Services 3rd Sunday and Saturday and Friday night before. Society of Christian Endeavor every Sunday at 8 p. m. Sunday school 10 a. m. First M. E. 2d and 4th Sunday 11 a. m. and 6:30 p. m. — Rev. — pastor. Sunday school 10 a. m. Prayer meeting every Wednesday night.

Presbyterian—Services every Sunday 11 a. m. and 6:30 p. m. Rev. W. P. Dickey, pastor. Sunday school every Sunday 10 a. m. Prayer meeting Wednesday, 8:30 p. m. Meets in the Court House. Every body cordially invited.

Catholic, 3d—Rev. — priest in charge.

SOCIETIES.
I. O. F.—Clarendon Lodge No. 381, meets every Thursday evening in their hall in 2nd story of courthouse. Visiting brothers made welcome. — W. T. Jones, N. G. J. O. K. McKillop, Sec'y.

Evening Star Encampment No. 143 I. O. O. F. Meets 1st Tuesday night in each month. — W. H. Cooke, Sec'y.

Clarendon Chapter No. 216 R. A. M.—Meets the first Friday night in each month at 7:30 o'clock. Visiting companions cordially invited. — J. K. Palmer, H. P. G. F. Morgan, Sec.

W. O. W., Woodlawn Camp No. 47—Meets in Odd Fellows Hall 2d and 4th Friday evenings. Visiting choppers invited. — W. T. Jones, C. C. W. R. Silvey, Clerk.

Clarendon Chapter, Order Eastern Star—Meets every third Friday night in each month at 7:30 o'clock in Masonic Hall over Bank of Clarendon. — Mrs. Mary Anderson, W. M. Mrs. Lida Plankenshult, Sec.

K. of P.—Panhandle Lodge, No. 90, Meets 1st and 3rd Tuesday nights in every month in their Castle Hall. — Geo. Monahan, W. M. Knights cordially invited. — W. H. Cooke, C. C.

Business locals ten cents per line first insertion, five cents for subsequent, and all notices run and are charged for until ordered out. Job work cash on delivery, other bills on first of month.

Announcements.
For Sheriff and Tax Collector, W. H. OLIVER, AL GENTRY, V. S. TERRY.
For County and District Clerk, GEO. F. MORGAN, J. E. MOORE, J. S. TOWNSEND.
For County Treasurer, H. D. RAMSEY.
For Tax Assessor, C. W. BAKER, LEE S. SMITH.

Business Locals.
All kinds of fruit at Anderson's. Pure Kentucky apple cider at Anderson's.
John Townsend is now killing fat, home-grown cattle.
Bargains in all kinds of 2nd hand goods at Hill & Decker's.
Do not fail to try a sack of Anderson's famous B B Flour. Only \$2.20 per cwt.
Don't forget that August Williams keeps ice drinks, ice cream and candies at his new confectionery store.
Barrett strives to please his customers both in shaving and hair-cutting.
Sewing machine for sale or rent at Hill & Decker's, Hartman's old stand.
For delicious cookies, cakes, light-bread and doughnuts go to August Williams.
Anderson's famous B B Flour still holds the lead as the finest flour in the city. Only \$1.10 per sack.
Barrett, the barber, keeps his razors keen and nerves steady and can give you a shave that is a pleasure.
Call on August Williams for fine fruit, candies, nuts, cakes, cold drinks, etc., at the Caldwell building.

LOCAL ITEMS.
Chipped beef at Anderson's.
Mrs. Hilliard will leave in a few days for Pennsylvania.
Hear the lady lecturer at Clarendon College next Thursday night.
Miss Minnie Kelley is visiting Miss Annie Copeland at Memphis this week.
The New York Times says: "Matilda Fletcher is one of the most attractive and eloquent speakers in this country."
Mrs. Elkins came in this morning from Clarendon and left for her home in Snyder.—Colorado Stockman.
A hard dash of rain with heavy thunder and vivid flashes of lightning visited us again Wednesday evening.
Esquire Smith, of Rowe, was a caller the first of the week. He contemplates a visit east soon for himself and family.
W. E. Jones informs us that he will move back to Clarendon in about a month. He says land has really advanced more in price in Armstrong than in Donley.

Fresh barbecued meat on hand at Townsend's meat market.

W. M. Easum's baby is dangerously sick.

Mrs. Caperton, of Dozier, is spending this week in town.

Miss Nannie Adams has returned from a visit to Amarillo.

Mrs. J. W. Kent, of Beverly, is visiting in town this week.

Mrs. Johnston, of Quanah, is visiting her aunt, Mrs. H. Lipsey.

There was a social party at Mr. Bugbee's one evening this week.

The regular term of Commissioners court will be held next week.

Ben Griffin has returned from his visit to relatives in Hardeman county.

Mr. T. N. Naylor presented us with some watermelons this week of fine flavor.

George Morgan will go down to Quanah Monday to lecture the masons at that place.

Clarence Crowe has returned to Clarendon, not being satisfied with job of traveling salesman.

J. B. Lloyd and W. L. Underwood from Childress county spent Monday here on business.

C. W. Ryan has sold a section of land east of town to a man named Matthews from south Texas.

F. M. Oakley, of Denver, representing the Western Newspaper Union, called on us last Wednesday.

Dr. McGee from Cheyenne, Ok., is here prospecting for a ranch. If he is suited he will live in town.

Bishop Garrett, of Dallas, will preach at the Episcopal church Sunday, both morning and evening.

A new boy, the first, has taken up its abode in the home of Jim Capehart, also one at Kid Morford's.

H. B. White and his friend, Judge M. B. Briggs, of Kaufman, spent yesterday at Goodnight looking over the ranch.

J. H. Kelley has sold his 160 acre place south of town to J. M. Bourland for \$2250. He will give possession Sep. 1st and move to town.

J. H. O'Neill, from Alma, Ark., arrived here yesterday and is visiting Dr. T. H. Westbrook. He is prospecting with the view of locating.

Jasper Stephens, of Whitefish, was appointed as county commissioner by Judge White last Monday to succeed Geo. Heald, who resigned some time since.

Mrs. T. A. Babb and daughter, Miss Annie, and Rob returned from their Colorado visit yesterday. Mrs. Cook, mother of Mrs. Babb, came home with them.

John Hoffer and son, Temple, and Ben Chamberlain returned last night from their New York business trip. They visited Washington and a few of the eastern summer resorts also while on the trip.

Matilda Fletcher, a noted lady lecturer will deliver a lecture at Clarendon College next Thursday night Aug. 16th. She is very highly commended by the press and public where she has been and we are sure all who attend will enjoy a rich treat.

Rev. W. L. Skinner, the new pastor of the Baptist church, arrived last night. His daughters came with him and his wife will arrive next week. He will fill the regular appointments at the Baptist church next Sunday and thereafter.

Dr. T. W. Carroll, whose card appears in this issue, comes to Clarendon well recommended by some of the leading physicians of Dallas, is a graduate of the medical department of Texas University, has held positions in both the Sealy hospital at Galveston and the St. Paul Sanitarium, Dallas. His office is at Clarendon Hotel.

Rev. A. M. Sawyer, wife and child, left yesterday morning for Monticello, Ark. Mr. Sawyer is a zealous young Baptist minister and he goes back to enter a theological school at Arkadelphia to better fit himself for what he proposes to make his life work. He intends to return to Clarendon again as soon as his school course is finished.

Last Saturday night the north-bound passenger was derailed between Southard and Goodnight, caused by the rails spreading as a result of rain and rotten ties. One of the big engines was being used. The tender and four cars left the rails, Nobody hurt. As fast as replaced, the cars with the passengers were brought back to Clarendon where they were delayed 24 hours.

Geo. Antrobus is still quite sick. T. B. Loveless spent several days in town this week.

Mrs. Frisbie has returned from a three weeks visit at Amarillo.

Albert Erwin is in Denton this week, his mother being sick there.

Mr. C. M. Kella arrived Sunday night and will spend a few days longer visiting here.

Will Muir had a finger so badly crushed in a windmill a few days ago that it was necessary to have it cut off.

R. C. Thompson bought four sections of John White on Skillet recently and will move to Clarendon from Cheyenne, Ok.

Miss Sara Porter left Monday for Ellis county where she will visit her sister, Mrs. Marshall. She will also purchase her fall goods while away.

Some miscreant cut a quarter of mile of fence several nights ago for Jackson & Collier along a lane, where there was no provocation whatever, unless it be from pure deviltry.

Miss Bessie Chamberlain has been employed by the school board as an additional teacher in the public school, a position for which she is well qualified and one which her many friends are pleased to see her secure.

Rev. L. Tomme and wife left Tuesday for their home in Greer county, where they have a homestead claim. He will, after resting awhile, devote his time mostly to revival work, in which his many friends here wish him success.

The school trustees have purchased the M. E. church building near the court house, four of the five trustees having already signed the transfer, to be used by the public school for a primary school room. This is a good move on the part of the school board, and we believe will meet the approval of all patrons of the school. It furnishes the needed room without going to the expense, at the present, of new and costly building to replace the old one.

Railroad Pickups.
John Bunsite is able to be out on the street again.
Master Mechanic G. K. Jackson, of Ft. Worth, spent Tuesday in Clarendon.
Engineers Martin and Agnew, formerly of the Rock Island, were added to the extra list here this week.
Engines 21 and 33, which have been in service on the 3rd district, have been assigned to the local runs on 2nd district.
Bob Jordan says the dudes who live on pie and cake soon play out when put to shoveling coal into one of the new battleships.
Eng. 22 which had the right main pin broken was sent to Ft. Worth for repairs and will be used as a switch engine in the yard awhile.
Engineer J. W. O'Neil has gone to Wichita Falls, where he will run the switch engine. His family will move there in the near future.
An order has gone into effect abolishing division rights of engine crews. All engines in freight service running into Clarendon will take their regular turn in being sent out, regardless of division.
The south bound passenger was delayed at Vernon last Monday several hours by the spreading of the rails near the stock pens, caused by the breaking of the pine cross ties as the big new engine ran over them.

From J. M. Shelton.
I have but recently returned from the southern part of the state where crops are good, except on the bottom lands that were washed away in the early spring. But they cannot exceed the Panhandle. I predict that our crop will be the finest of any for a number of years past.
Yes, indeed, I was well pleased with my trip. The convention was a grand success, and among the many things that I came in contact with the State Convention at Waco is not to be soon forgotten. There were some grand men there—patriots not tricksters—men who know what we needed and dared to work to that end. Men who were not tainted with fusion, but were in the middle of the road, whose watchword was onward and upward. Never was a platform trimmed closer. There is in it no high-sounding words nor glowing generalities. It is as long as it is broad and as broad as it is long, and yet there is plenty of standing room for every honest reformer. Notable in our convention were many young men, men of power and influence and zeal for the

cause. This would indicate that reform is not dead yet, but in the vigor of life and destined to outlive the storms of plutocracy. Many grand things were said and done, but there was nothing more emphasized than thorough organization, without which the conflict is calculated to be a long one. Every reformer knows that who has ever thought upon the subject.

The old parties are thoroughly organized. It takes organization to meet organization and combination to meet combination. Then our duty is plain, if we are in earnest and desire success.

Many things are thrown in the way of county organization, but they are as absurd as fusion and are intended for the same purpose; defeat and finally destroy the reform movement. Donley county is no exception, there is a place in this work for us. What shall we do? Let me hear from you. Our headquarters are at Waco. House rent and many other expenses to be met. If we cannot preach let us pray; and if we cannot pray let us sing; if we cannot sing then let's quit the field and cumber the party no longer.

J. M. SHELTON.

District Court.
The following cases were disposed of in court up to time of going to press:
Mrs. Lee Howell vs. J. C. Howell, divorce, granted.
Mrs. H. B. Smith vs. J. H. Smith, divorce, granted.
John Grundy vs. Nellie Grundy, col., & divorce, granted.
State vs. G. B. McCrae, assault, \$25 and costs.
State vs. Ed Carbrey, burglary, 2 years in the pen. This is the man who broke open Hill's blacksmith shop and stole some tools some time ago.
The following cases have been continued: Ella White vs. M. T. White, divorce; two suits against W. C. Morgan for taxes; suit of Jeffrey, Beverly & Walsh vs. G. H. Cornell.

Basket Picnic.
The basket picnic to be held on Carrol creek, one mile north of Chas. Graef's farm, is going to be a nice affair, and we hope to see a large crowd present.
The place selected is right on the creek, in a large cotton wood grove and near a nice, cool spring.
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A special invitation is extended to all candidates. Remember the date, Thursday, Aug. 23rd. If convenient, bring your baskets.
Respectfully,
CHAS. GRAEF,
R. B. EDELL.

Mr. Somervall's Funeral.
Mr. A. B. Ewing returned from Fond du Lac, Wis., Saturday night, where he has been to convey the remains of Bob Somervall to their last resting place. We copy the following from the Fond du Lac Daily Reporter of July 30:
"The funeral of Robert F. Somervall was held Sunday afternoon, at 2:30 o'clock, from the residence of his sisters, No. 68 Doty street, Rev. J. H. Chandler officiating. Fountain Lodge No. 26, A. F. & A. M., took charge of the funeral, conducting it for Washington Lodge, No. 21, of Green Bay, of which the deceased was a member. The services at the house included a selection by a quartet consisting of Mrs. Anna Hunter, Miss Kate Sweet, Dr. D. B. Wyatt and Mr. Ralph Sizer.
"Fountain Lodge in uniform, took part in the procession and was escorted by Fond du Lac Commandery, No. 5, Knights Templar, there being nearly 150 in line. At the grave masonic ritualistic services were held, Mr. Sol P. Huntington, master of Washington Lodge, No. 21, of Green Bay, leading.
"There was a large number of floral offerings of beautiful design, including a square and compass and letter 'G' from the Fountain Lodge, a mallet cross from the commandery, and a wreath from Worth Commandery No. 3, Ft. Worth, Tex.
"Among those here, from out of the city, to attend the funeral were Messrs. Huntington and Corbett, of Green Bay, and Mr. A. B. Ewing, of Texas, who accompanied the remains.

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National Bank Permit.
TREASURY DEPARTMENT—OFFICE OF COMPTROLLER OF THE CURRENCY. WASHINGTON, D. C., June 27, 1900.—Whereas, by satisfactory evidence presented to the undersigned, it has been made to appear that "The First National Bank of Clarendon," in the Town of Clarendon in the County of Donley and State of Texas has complied with all the provisions of the Statutes of the United States, required to be complied with before an association shall be authorized to commence the business of Banking:
Now, therefore, I, Thomas P. Kane, Deputy and Acting Comptroller of the Currency, do hereby certify that "The First National Bank of Clarendon" in the Town of Clarendon in the County of Donley and State of Texas, is authorized to commence the business of Banking as provided in Section Fifty one hundred and sixty-nine of the Revised Statutes of the United States.
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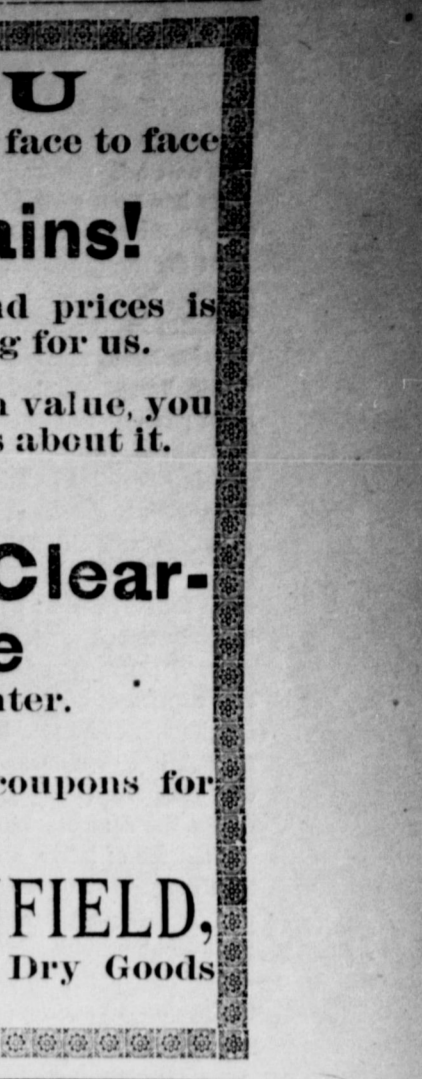
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A Capitalist Party.
The "purified" democratic party is once more "united," and once more a sham battle between the two wings of the capitalistic vulture will take place.

As has been stated repeatedly in these columns, we have some respect for the plutocratic republican party. We know where it stands. It fights in the open, and every warrior has some admiration for a frank, honest enemy. The republican party is the personification of centralized, brutal, tyrannical, exploiting capital. It boldly approves every act that tends to aggrandize wealth at the expense of labor. No workingman has a right to be found in that party unless he is ready to acknowledge himself a slave dependent upon the whim and caprice of his master to provide employment and the latter's extortion ability to guarantee a degree of "prosperity."

But the democratic party is the hidden foe of labor, and, therefore, all the more dangerous. Pretending to safeguard the interests of "the common people," she stands upon the political highway, the harlot of hypocrisy, luring the workers to industrial serfdom and ruin. Pretending to oppose the encroachments of aggregated wealth and oppression, she applauds every infamous act that aids in demoralizing the spirit of democracy.

Trace the history of that party since the rise of modern capitalism, and you find her throwing her protective cloak about the chattel slave power, and singing songs of liberty! Speak of progressive reform parties, and you find that this political process has decoyed into her trap every new movement that has sprung into life and choked it to death. Talk about legislative jobbery and corruption in state and nation, and the old hag has had her hand in all of it—but always wearing a sanctimonious, lying mask of deception.

Now she comes again, having throttled the populist attempt to keep the poor, bankrupt middle class from perishing, arrayed in all her seductive phrases and generalizations with new promises of reform and good behavior.

Four years ago the democratic party damned government by injunction. Yet in not a single state in which that party is in power has it attempted to restrict the capitalistic courts. On the contrary, in some states, notably Massachusetts a stronghold of Bryanism and the home of the demagogical George Fred Williams—the democratic members of the legislature deliberately voted against an anti injunction bill when put to the test.

The democratic hypocrite denounces the coercion of voters by the republican bosses, but the action of the bourbon in the southern states in disfranchising thousands of white and black workingmen is conveniently overlooked.

The democratic party "views with alarm" the centralization of capital into trusts, but its managers and bosses, from Croker, Van Wyck, Whitney, Gorman and Carroll in the north and east to Chairman Jones and Stone and Mills in the south, and Clark, Daly, Thomas and others in the west are owners of shares in dozens of trusts and combines, and only a fool would expect that these men would so far forget their material interests as to approve of genuine anti-trust legislation in state or nation.

The democratic party denounces imperialism abroad, but it is silent regarding Steuneger's imperialistic hell in the state of Idaho, Harrison's rule of clubs in Chicago, Stephens' posse of labor crushers in St. Louis, and the hundreds of other outrages that have been perpetrated against trade unionists.

The democratic party condemns a proposed standing army, and then, despite its great care to cover up its claws, reveals its true character as follows:

The national guard of the United States should ever be cherished in the patriotic hearts of a free people. Such organizations are ever an element of strength and safety.

Stand up, Mr. Workingman! What force in this country has smashed the most strikes, protected scabs and thugs and aided greedy and heartless employers to beat down wages, and checked the march of the working class toward better conditions? Was it the United States troops or the spawn of plutocracy called the National Guard? Let all the great struggles from Homestead to Cleveland or

Croton Dam furnish testimony, and let you judge fairly and without prejudice at the ballot box next November.

The democratic party has once again returned to its old policy of double-dealing, lying, cheating and corrupting. The Hills and Crokers and Whitneys and Gormans and Stevensons are back in the fold, and they know that Bryan is now a safe man—that he will not disturb the rule of the capitalist and shopkeeper—else they would not support him. The 16 to 1 plank is put in the platform, they say, "to prevent its being made an issue." Likely as not, all other planks were put in with the same intent, and "Stevenson and spoils" will yet become the campaign cry. Anti-imperialism is to be shouted in the trust strongholds of the east, anti-trust will be the shibboleth in the imperialistic localities of the west, and anti militarism will be sandwiched in wherever thought advisable.

How any right-thinking workingman can this year or in the future be misled by the vague political questions that have been pushed forward by the bosses' scheme to divide the workingmen into two apparently hostile camps, in order that they will forget their own class interests, is so transparent and so old that all the people will not be fooled this year.—Cleveland Citizen.

Fusionists Now in a Row.

WASHINGTON, Aug. 6.—Open warfare may be declared shortly in the Populist national committee. Only prompt action by the executive committee at its meeting at Chicago next Thursday will avert a rupture between Chairman Butler and Vice Chairman Edmisten each of whom insists upon acting as head of the committee. In fact the Butler-Edmisten row is the chief reason for the hurried calling together of the committee.

When the national committee held its meeting in Lincoln in February, Butler told Edmisten, who was being pushed forward by his friends for the chairmanship, that he would not be a candidate for re-election. Edmisten relied upon this pledge, but when the national convention met at Sioux Falls, Butler came out as a candidate for the place. He told Edmisten that he wanted it merely to help him out in his campaign for re-election in North Carolina and that if he would take second place he should have the actual direction of the campaign. Edmisten agreed, but his friends insisted upon making a fight. Butler won by only a few votes and solely, Edmisten's friends claim, by the use of a large number of proxies from the Southern states.

Edmisten went direct to Lincoln and opened national headquarters there and began actual preparations for the campaign. There he was joined some weeks ago by Secretary Edgerton. A few days ago Butler wired Edgerton to proceed to this city and open national headquarters here. Edgerton replied that national headquarters were already open at Lincoln, and that the Washington office would simply be a branch. He declined to come. Several warm telegrams passed between Edmisten and Butler, but Edmisten would not bow to Butler's authority, and re-invited him of his agreement. Secretary Edgerton went to Chicago and opened headquarters there. It is now said that he, too, is impressed with the idea that he is one of the chairmen, and insists upon staying in Chicago and directing the work there, subject only to Edmisten.

The fight is really between the Southern and Western wings of the Fusion Populists, and Edmisten is understood to be banking upon the fact that the chief work of the organization must be out in the West for ultimate victory. Butler and several Southern members of the executive committee challenge the Nebraskaskan's right to call the executive committee together. Middle of the road Populists think that the row may cause Butler and his adherents to break away from the fusionists.

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To Be A New Republic.

In causing the announcement to be made that Cuba will be evacuated by May 1st, a free and independent government be then inaugurated, President McKinley has taken the wind out of some of the Democratic sails, caused one of their campaign charges to flatten out. For Mr. Bryan himself, if elected, could hardly cause the evacuation of Cuba at an earlier date. By order of the President and through Governor-General Wood, proclamation has been promulgated in Cuba appointing the third Saturday in September for the election of delegates to a Constitutional Convention to assemble in Havana on the 1st of November and form a constitution for the Republic of Cuba. And by the first of May it is expected that everything can be gotten ready for the installation of a government under the constitution said convention shall adopt, and to which we can hand over our authority, the reins of government; that by the first of next May we can haul down our flag from the walls of old Moro Castle of Havana, salute the flag of the Cuban Republic as it is unfurled in the place of the Stars and Stripes, while the last American soldiers of the army of occupation will be ready to sail out of Havana and harbor to the salute of Cuban guns, ever to be remembered as deliverers not conquerors. And by such action, the hauling down of our flag from over Moro, will be disgraced, will be dishonored? Rather will such act be regarded and rightly as one of the proudest of our national career, an act shedding more glory on our name than the conquest of the Philippines. And we will have won the gratitude and love, not the hate of a people.—The American.

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Nashville, Tenn.—National Grand Temple, Mosaic Temples of America, July 23 to 29, 1½ fare, certificate plan.

Gorman Given A Leadership.

Announcement is made at democratic state headquarters in New York that it has been practically decided to have Senator A. P. Gorman share offices with Chairman Jones. Senator Jones will be in and out of the New York branch of national headquarters, but it is understood that the management of the campaign will be entirely in the hands of Senator Gorman.

The people's party state convention which met in Waco on July 24th, was one of the best and most enthusiastic conventions the party has ever held. The attendance was much larger than was expected. The meeting was purely a business one—the delegates got down to work at once, attended to the business they were there for, and then adjourned. The ticket selected is a very strong one—is a ticket of honest, and capable men—and one which will draw many votes to the people's party. The platform is a clear cut and most admirable document. The work over the state was reported in good shape, and it is announced that a very aggressive campaign will be waged in Texas this year for populism.—Pioneer Exponent.

It is reported from Washington that the census returns from Texas are coming in very slowly, but that from what have been received it is safe to conclude that the predictions for a most wonderful increase in population of the state will be verified. The figures are placed at 3,700,000, making Texas fifth in population.—Register.

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