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WILLIAM WHITNEY **SCORES BROKERS**

Angry That His Alleged Opinions Have Been Used to Ruin Credits.

HE DOES NOT GIVE UP NEW YORK

On the Contrary, Is Certain That the State Will Give McKinley 200,000 Majority -- His Name Has Been Used by Brokers for Speculative

Philadelphia, Aug. 7.-The Evening Telegraph this afternoon publishes an interview with Secretary Whitney obtained by a staff correspondent and wired to that paper from New York this afternoon. In the interview Mr. Whitney expresses the belief that Mc-Kinley will carry New York state by 200,000 majority. The interview follows: "Is it true, Mr. Whitney, that you cass New York state as doubtful?"
"True, sir? There is not a word of

truth in it. It is not only false, but it is absolutely false." "Was this statement circulated with the object of placing you in a compromising position, and for a mercehary

purpose? "These people have no object and no power to effect any compromise, in my opinion. Unfortunately, perhaps, I am regarded as aleader of the sound money movement in the Democratic party, and a good many people, whether wisely or not, attach importance to my atterance. When it is alleged that yield New York to the silver people they regard the situation of sound money as perlious. Knowing this to be the effect of what such statement from me on the subject would be, the bear element, which has been raiding stocks for a long time, and which wants some new argument to further depress, has most unwarrantably seized upon my name, and attributed this declaration to me. It is false, wholly false."

"What?" Give up the state of New York on an issue which means repudiation, never. There is nothing, absolutely nothing to justify honest men from yielding an inch of their ground. On the contrary, you may express it as my firm conviction that Mr. Mc-Kinley will carry this state by fully 200,000 majority, and in that majority you will find men of all classes who put patriotism over partisanship in an Issue of this kind. I have no hesitation in expressing this belief. It comes from what I have seen, what I have heard, what I have investigated, and what I know. People who understand as true any such statement as that attributed to me to-day, but there are

"Never. When the Chicago convention turned deaf ears to the Empire state delegation New York was lost to the nominees it selected, and from that day the native honesty of our people has been steadily asserting itself in antagonism to the vicious silver heresy. You may say for me that if I have any utterances to make on the status of the present national contest, it will not be by vague reports coming from a manoeuvering clique of brokers who are trying to ruln credits, and the public may as well take this as a hint towards the truth now."

MR. WRIGHT'S LETTER.

Pennsylvania Democratic Chairman Gives His Reasons for Bolting the Chicago Ticket.

Allentown, Pa., Aug. 7.-Robert E. Wright, chairman of the Democratic State committee, has resigned his leadership of the Democratic party in Pennsylvania. In an open letter dated Aug. to the secretary of the Democratic State central committee, he gives his reasons for resigning. The letter is as follows:

Allentown, Pa., Aug. 10, 1896. Mr. Matt Savage, Secretary Democratic State Committee Clearfield, Pa. Dear Sir: I hand you my resignation of the chairmanship of the state central committee, and authorize you to present it at the meeting which has been called

for August 12. In relinquishing the position I feel that it is due to the committee, from which I have always received the most cordial support, as well as just to myself, that I should freely declare to them the reasons

impelling me to this conclusion.

Entrusted at the Allentown convention with the work of preparing the outline of platform for its consideration, I submitted a financial plank which received the unanimous approval of the delegates assembled, and which was truthfully dechired in the platform itself to be "expres-sive of the sentiments of the united De-

mocracy of Pennsylvania." To that declaration 1 To that declaration I cordially sub-scribed in April, and it accords with my

convictions now.

I believe it expresses the views of a large majority of the Democrats of Penn

sylvania at this time.
I cannot bring myself to believe that the hundreds of Democratic newspapers, and hundreds of thousands of Democratic votages. ers in this state, who in June of this year proclaimed their adherence to the Allen-town platform, were aught but sincere then, nor that they have abandoned their

pinions since. It is aparent on the contraray, that they have but subordinated their own convic-tions to the decree of the Chicago con-

vention. In this submission to that decree I for me cannot own. It was brought about by undemocratic influences and gives expression to doc-trines not only subversive of all that Demorracy has taught on the subject but which I believe will bring dishonor upon

the country, incalculable harm to its peo-ple, and disaster to our party. I am a Democrat because I believe in that code of governmental doctrines that for nearly a century has stood for De-mocracy in this country, Party organization, and a submission

to majorities in duly organized party tri-bunals are doubtless of great importance. Yet they are but instrumentalities to an end. They cearse to be useful when correct principles are abandoned, and become ab-solutely dangerous when false doctrines and unrighteous purposes are proclaimed.

THE GREATEST SHOW ON EARTH

HEGREAT

In Full Rehearsal for an Attempt to Fake the American People.

I conceive that the most dangerous dem-onstration of the past month, is to be found in the apparent ease with which great political party has been suddenly turned from its well settled convictions to views diametrically their opposite, for no other reason than because an accidental and temporary majority in a party convention has so ordered.

When it comes to pass that political parties are mere machines, swayed at will by leaders and conventions, instead of be-"Then you do not give up the state?"

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purpose for good, an evil time will have

ome to the republic Tested by clearly defined, and oft re-peated declarations of Democratic dec-trine, the Chicago platform in my judg-ment is not a Democratic utterance. It is coldly received, or openly opposed by hundreds of thousands of life long Democrats, and by the great leaders in whom the party has trusted; while it is balled with boisterous demonstrations of approval by political organizations with which Democracy has hitherto had no sympathy.

Abandoning the sound money doctrines always upheld by our party, this plut-form proposes to flood the country with a debased silver currency, and compel its circulation at double its intrinsic value. For the first time in the history of civilized countries it is intended that elliver. me would not for an instant accept ized countries it is intended that silver shall be freely coined into money without limit as to quantity, and without refer-

No end to the assortment of loveliness in this prettiest of cheap draperies.

Attributed to me to-day, but there are thousands who do not know me who would readily accept any such report, and this is all the bears want. To start a break it is only necessary to cause a fright."

"You, have never given up New York?"

Ilmit as to quantity, and without reference to its intrinsic worth No aledge is made for its redemption, no provision for maintaining it on a parity with gold. On the contrary, the means that have enabled the present administration to maintain the credit of the government, and to keep the present issues of sliver equal to gold, are now to be taken from it. Its protecting hands are to be fied, while the wage earners and thrifty citizens of the country are left to bear the losses that in my opinion would be inevitable. Not content with burdening the country with this terrible load of depreciated silver, it is proposed to add to it unlimited issues of greenbacks redeemable in this debased coin.

The curse of an irredeemable paper country that ever resorted to it, and against which the Democratic party has ever consistently fought, is to be visited

The power to borrow money to meet its current obligations and maintain its credit, a power inherent in the smallest sub-division of local government, is to be taken from the general government, leav-ing its honor and credit the sport of tresponsible speculators upon national dis-

The best and safest system of banking and of paper money the world has ever seen, is to be stricken down to be re-placed by the worst that the ingenuity of nan has ever devised.

In 1892 a national Democratic conven-tion, at the dictation of the south and extreme west, declared in favor of the freest possible issue of banking currency, and it 1896 at the behest of the same sections is declares against all such is ues

Then we declared that our gold and silver coin metals must be of equal intrinsic value, and that the parity of all issues must be maintained; now we denounce intrinsle equality and make parity of value impossible.

The Chicago blatform attacks the Su-preme court of the country, and makes a covert threat to reorganize it, so that its decisions may be reversed. No act in the history of the Republican party ever received severer condemnation from De mocracy than did its prostitution of the Supreme court in the same way, during the administration of President Grant. It invites anarchy by denouncing Pres-dent Cleveland for following the example of Jackson in enforcing federal laws by

the armed power of government, when riot reigned in Chicago. With thise declarations of principles and policy, and with the influences behind them. I have no sympathy. Much as I love Democracy and revere

its history, I cannot follow those have "stolen its banners while trampling on its principles. Opposition to this platform means fl

delity to Democracy and to country, to liberty, to progress, to all that is worth preserving in American civilization Respectfully yours, Robert E. Wright,

Injunction at Brown Works. Cleveland O., Aug. 7.-The hearing of the injunction proceedings instituted by William Stanley, one of the locked out employes of the Brown Hoisting and Conveying company to prevent Mayor Mc-Kisson from summoning additional min-tary and police to guard the works and streets in remote parts of the city; to com-pel the Brown company to keep the agree-ment made with the employes on July 27; and restrain the company from arming the non-union men, was begun today be-fore Judge Noble.

Crime Caused by Drink.

Ofnaha, Neb., Aug. 7.-Claude H. Hoover who killed his brother-ta-law, Councilman elect Dubois, was hanged here today. The execution was conducted with the greatest privacy allowed by law. Hoover stated that his crime was caused by drink, and warned others against it.

Car Runner Burned.

Wilkes-Barre, Pa., Aug. 7.-Morris Bearash, a miner; Mark Hill, a car runner, and an unknown Hungarian, were se-riously burned at No. 4 shaft in Edwards-ville by an explosion of gas early this morning. They were removed to the hospital in this city,

MEETING OF SOUND MONEY DEMOCRATS

Indianapolis Is Selected as the Place for Holding the Convention.

WILL BE HELD ON SEPTEMBER 2

Delegates Make No Speeches, and Do Not Play at Politics, but Go to Work in Earnest .- General Coxey at Headquarters.

Indianapolis, Aug. 7.—The conference

of the sound money Democrats fully met the expectation of its promoters.

There were thirty-three states repre-

sented and about 200 Democrats from al over the country in attendance. Though the most famous politicians of the party were absent, this fact did not dampen the ardor or determination of those present to go ahead and put in the field a ticket and platform that would represent what they believed to be the real tenents of the Democratic party of the country. The conference reflected in large measure the class of Democrats it represented, that is, the business element. They did not come here to make great speeches or to play at politics and way without waste of time in contests for honor or preliminary manocuvering. An informal conference was held at noon, which was not open to the public, the purpose of which was to bring into line the members from Texas, Georgia Maryland, Pennsylvania and Maine. who came here with the Impression that a third ticket would probably do more harm than good by dividing the sound money forces of the country. At this conference speeches were made by General Buckner, of Kentucky; Mr. Outhwaite, of Ohio; Mr. Wilson, of Indiana, and Mr. Ewing, of Illinois, demonstrating the fact that in their states a third ticket was necessary in order that the sound money Democrats might have some rallying point, something to fight for and to make a campaign for. They declared that in this section of the country where every inch of political ground has been fought over year by year, there is more in a political name than in a political principle with the average voter and large numbers of Democrats who would be inclined to vote for a sound money Democratic ticket would swallow Bryan and the Chicago platform eventually rather than vote the Republican ticket. Before the conference at noon ended, all opposition to the calling of another convention was withdrawn and it was agreed that the meetings of the committees in the afternoon and evening should be public. It was also formally agreed that General John M. Palmer, of Illinois, should be made permanent chairman of the provisional committee.
Talks among the delegates exhibited

much confidence in the success of the sound money movement.

GENERAL COXEY APPEARS. General Coxey of Commonweal fame created a ripple of excitement by appearing at the headquarters hotel during the morning. He is making speeches in the state for the Populist organization and was simply over be-

tween appointments. The action of the committee was harmonious and was quickly taken. The afternoon session which was presided over by W. D. Bynum, lasted but an hour, but in that time it determined to call a convention and chose Indianapolis as the place.

At the evening session the formal call for the convention was adopted and the date fixexd at September 2. The large assembly room of the Commercial club was packed to the door with about 300 people at 2:30 o'clock, the time set for the opening session. Congressman Bynum called the conference to order explaining that he did so in the absence of General Bragg. chairman of the executive committee who had been delayed on his way from the east by a washout near Richmond and did not get in until about 4 o'clock. He announced that General Palmer was also on the road and would arrive shortly. In view of these facts the excutive committee had suggested that the permanent organization of the pro-

of Illinois was made temporary secre-STATES REPRESENTED A roll of the states was called and it was found that thirty-three states were represented by committeemen present either in person or by proxy, as fel-

visional committee be postponed until

this evening at 8:30 o'clock and they

proceeded for the present under the

temporary organization. Mr. Ewing

Haven; Florida, J. L. Gaskins, Starke; Georgia, T. B. Neal, Atlanta; Illinois, J. M. Palmer, Springfield; Indiana, John R. Wilson, Indianapolis; Iowa, L. M. Martin, Marshalltown; Kansas, Eugene Hagag, Topeka; Kentucky, R. T. Tyler, Thompson; Maryland, John E. Semmes, pends for its business on Baltimore; Massachusetts, Nathan and pottery manufactures. Matthews, jr., Boston; Michigan, Thos. A. Wilson, Jackson; Minnesota, F. W. and was against every one of these in-M. Outchen, St. Paul; Missouri, L. C. Krauthoff, Kansas City; Montana, fensible. West Virginia is a great coal Charles A. Conrad, Kalispell; Nebraska, Ecluid Martin, Omaa; New York, Chas. Tracey, Albany; New Hampshire,, Gon- of any man in Congress," don Woodbury, Manchester; North Carolina, Louis D. La Croix, Oxford; miner Ohlo, J. H. Outhwaite, Columbus; Ore-said: Ohlo, J. H. Outhwaite, Columbus; Oregon, C. E. S. Wood, Portland, Pennsylvania, J. C. Bullitt, Philadelphia; by the silver business; they are an intellectual body of men and know on what side their interests lie. They do what side their interests lie. They do ford, Dallas; Vermont, John W. Gordon, Barre; Virginia, Joseph Bryan, Richmond; Washington, Ira M. Krutz,

Alabama, J. M. Faulkner, Montgomery;

Connecticut, Joe A. Sperry, New

B. Usher, LaCrosse. E. B. Pond, of San Francisco, the California committeeman and Edgar S. The Senator expressed himself as con-Wilson, the representative of Missis-fident that the Republicans would win There was prolonged applause Mr. Bynum announced that 33 states were represented, covering the country from Maine to Florida, Washington and Texas. Mr. Bynum named the follow ing committee:

North Yates; West Virginia, Henry U.

H. J Outhwite, of Ohio; Charles Tracey, of New York; J. M. Falkner, of Alabama; L. C. Krauthoff, of Missouri; F. W. M. Cutcheon, of St. Paul, The ommittee retired at once to another room in the building to prepare its call, Mr. Outhwaite inviting any gentleman present who had prepared anything in that line to present it to the committee. The main question of whether or not a convention should be called having been disposed of, the conference proceeded to select a location and in this Indianapolis won right handily, John P. Wilson, the Indiana member of the committee, suggested that they listen to the representatives of such cities as might desire to entertain the convention. This was agreed to and Mr. C. D. Lawley of Minneapolls, extended an invitation for his city in a warm speech. When he mentioned the name of Grover Cleveland a big demonstration of enthusiasm broke out, lasting a ouple of minutes and ending in three cheers. John L. Griffiths and Gov. Pickens presented the invitation of Indianapolis, guaranteeing the expenses of the gathering and pleading for the convention for political reasons, George M. Davies extended an invitation from Louisville, giving promise of a warm C. V Holman, of Maine, suggested that the vote be postponed until evening, but the conference was disposed to vote at once and his suggesttion was withdrawn. The vote resulted in the choice of Indianapolis by a vote of 19 against 6 for Memphis, and 2 for Louisville.

THE NEWS THIS MORNING.

Weather Indications Today;

Fair; Warm Winds

Whitney Scores Prokers. Bryan an Enemy of Coal Interests. Chairman Wright's Resignation. Sound Money Democrats at Indian-

2 Grover Gives Hoke the Cold Hand. Bishop Newman on Free Silver.

3 (Local-Mr. Moran's Scheme Mayor Conflicts with Committee.

The Case of Mexico.

5 (Local)—Petition of Pyne.

6 Doings in Social Circles News of the Churches and Church Sc cieties.
The World of Letters.

(Sports)-Base Ball Games. The Lantern Parade, Dun's Review of Trade,

9 Lively Season at Chautauqua. Hero of Our Common Schools.

Suburban Happenings.

(Story)-"In the Abyes "

Il Fame and Wealth Made in Patents. Dramatic News. Mews Up and Down the Valley.

BRYAN AN ENEMY OF COAL INTERESTS

West Virginia Miners Are Not Carried Away by the Silver Business.

THEY DO NOT WANT FREE COAL

With Moderate Protection and Sound Money Republicans May Carry the State--Senator Etkins Gives an Explanation of the Situation -- Silver Movement on the Wane.

New York, Aug. 7.—Committeeman Wise is running affairs at the National Republican headquarters in the absence of Mr. Hanna. Vice-presidential candidate Hobart is expected this afternoon to assist Mr. Wise in receiving callers and transacting campaign business. Senator Elkins, of West Virginia, vis

ited headquarters this morning and had a conference with Mr. Wise and General Powell Clayton, who was also a caller. Senator Elkins subsequently stated to a reporter of the United Associated Presses: "I came here to pay my respects to headquarters and to see how things were getting along."

With regard to the situation in West

Virginia, the Senator said: thing looks encouraging and favorable for Republican success. I do not think the silver question has affected the Republican party materially, and believe that any Republican loss we may sus tain will be more than offset by Democratic defections. What I state is based upon careful investigation.
"We have been organizing in West

Virginia for the past two months and I have every reason to believe that the silver movement is on the wane in West Virginia

"Every day we are making progress as the people now understand the question, which they did not at first. West Hickman; Maine, C. V. Holman, South Virginia is a protection state. It de-Thompson; Maryland, John E. Semmes, pends for its business on lumber, iron "Bryan is an advanced free trader

> enemy of the interests of West Virginia Speaking of the attitude of the coal miners of West Virginia the Senator

bearing region. Bryan was the worst

not want free coal or free iron ore. I ton, Watertown; Tennessee, John M. want it to be understood that I am for Reynolds, Nashville; Texas, M. L. Craw-moderate protection. With moderate protection and our sound money the issues we will win in West Virginia. "Why the government has lost \$170,-

000,000 through the silver business. By Simms, Huntingdon; Wisconsin, Ellis this I mean if the silver it bought some time ago was on the market now It would be sold at a loss of \$170,000,000" sippl, did not put in an appearance. this campaign. He will remain in this when city until tomorrow when

RAILROADERS ORGANIZE.

Aroused by Aggressiveness of Silverites, They Will Send Sound Money Literature to Employes.

Philadelphia, Aug. 7.-The railroad companies of the country have been aroused by the agressiveness of the silver movement and are bestirring themselves to combat the principles of free coinage among their employes. The companies are distributing sound money literature, but deny that any official influence is intended to be exerted over the men.

President Spencer M. Janny of the Huntingdon and Broad Top road is one of the conspicuous figures in the movement, and when seen to-day said that he deemed it a duty to strive to prosecute the work to successful results for he believed that victory for the silver people meant a sad and disastrous blow to railroad employes, as well as to all legitimate business interests throughout the country, and he thought much could be accomplished by laying a groundwork among the men by sound money literature.

This afternoon President Janney received a batch of replies from the executive heads of a number of railroads with whom he had communicated upon the subject of sending out literature to their emlpoyes. A large number of replies were to the effect that the work had already begun, and others declared their intention to commence it at an early day.

In the number of replies received by President Januey to-day was one from President Ingalls of the Big Four road. stating that his company had already begun the distribution of sound money literature.

BIG BREAKER BURNED.

No. 2 Stockton at Hazleton Is Totally Destroyed.

Pottsville, Pa., Aug. 7 .- No. 2 Stocktis colliery as been burned down. ton breaker located near Hazleton wa ton breaker, located near Hagleton was totally destroyed by fire at a late hour tonight. The breaker was formerly operated by Linderman & Skeer but for the past two months has been idle because of the expiration of the lease, The fire is supposed to be of incendiary

origin. Loss \$60,000. This is the third time the breaker, at this zcolliery has been burned down. Steamship Arrivals.

New York, Aug. 7.—Arrived: Augusta Victoria, from Hamburg, Southampton and Cherbourg: St. Louis, from Southampton; Campania, from Liverpool and Queenstown; Prussia, from Hamburg, Arrived out: Lucania, at Queenstown; Spree, at Bremerhaven; Mississippi, at London. Salled for New York: Furst Bismarck, from Southampton; Welmar, from Bremerhaven; Furnessia, from Glas-

Herald's Weather Forecast. New. York, Aug. 8.—In the middle states, today, partly cloudy to fair and less oppressive weather with slightly lower temperature, fresh to light southwesterly winds, possibly preceded in the morning by rain on the coast. On Sunday, fair and sligtly warmer and sultry with light

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