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Thursday, July 30, 1896.

What Free Coinage Means.

The free coinage movement was originated by the owners of the silver mines. The mine owners desire to take to the mint 53 cents worth of silver and get a dollar for it. Just as well might the farmers of this county ask the government to raise the price of a bushel of wheat from 53 cents to \$1.00. Indeed there is as much logic in the one as there is in the other and if the farmers of Snyder county are willing to allow themselves to be hoodwinked by the delusive arguments of the free silverites they will learn to their sorrow that the free coinage of silver will benefit only a few.

The great cry now is that it will benefit the debtor class. Let us see. If the man who holds a mortgage against your farm learns that we are going to have cheap money the mortgage will be foreclosed or the debtor will be compelled to give a mortgage payable in gold. This very thing occurred in Sunbury last week. A man needed \$600 to pay on his home. He was compelled to give a mortgage payable in gold. The man who loaned the money said he was giving money as good as gold and he wanted the same kind in return. He further stated that if Bryan were elected all the mortgages he held would be foreclosed unless the borrowers were willing to give him mortgages payable in gold. A gang of populists and anarchists stole control of the Chicago convention, forced upon the democratic party the issue of free silver coinage expecting to repudiate almost half of their debts, expecting to pay 53 cent dollars for the 100 cents dollars they received.

The West was developed and built up by Eastern Capital and even now the Building and Loan Associations of the West are seeking Eastern capital to build up their towns and cities, to improve their land, build their barns, stock their farms, buy the machinery for their industries and in fact for everything they need to breathe new life in the industries of the West.

They find fault with the banks and bankers, they say the East is made up of gold bugs and usurers, but they forget that the essence of their thrift is made up of the bone and sinew of Eastern capital and Eastern economy.

To clearly prove to Snyder county farmers the fallacies of the free silverites' arguments we will admit, for argument sake, that the free and unlimited coinage of silver will raise the price of wheat and other products. If the price of the commodities the farmer has to sell is raised the price of the commodities he must buy will rise in the same proportion. But, truly speaking, it will not be a rise in value of these commodities, but it will be a reduc-

tion in the purchasing power of a dollar.

Suppose you are a pensioner getting \$12 a month. Your \$12 is as good as gold and the products you must buy never were so cheap as they are now. If prices double, as the free silverites say they will, you will be able to buy with your \$12 only half as much as you can now. If you are a laboring man you will have to pay twice as much as you do now for the things you need. You may get higher wages, too, but you won't get twice as much. If you are paying money into a Building and Loan Association or a life insurance company you are paying good sound dollars, dollars that are as good as gold. If we get free coinage, you will be paid back with cheap dollars, (53 cents.)

Do the people of Snyder county want the integrity of our money system assailed? We can not be too careful of our credit with other countries and our first duty is to ourselves. We can not afford to fall in line with such anarchists like Tillman, Altgeld and Herr Most. Give us Sound Money.

Last summer one of our grand children was sick with a severe bowel trouble. Our doctor's remedies had failed, then we tried Chamberlain's Colic, Cholera and Diarrhoea Remedy, which gave very speedy relief. We regard it as the best medicine ever put on the market for bowel complaints.—Mrs. E. G. Gregory, Fredericktown, Mo. This certainly is the best medicine ever put on the market for dysentery, summer complaint, colic and cholera infantum in children. It never fails to give prompt relief when used in reasonable time and the plain printed directions are followed. Many mothers have expressed their sincere gratitude for the cures it has effected. For sale by all druggists.

MIDDLE CREEK.

At the present writing our farmers are busy harvesting their oats. The encampment at Lewistown was well attended by our people. By their expressions all seemed delighted with the trip. John Felker and wife of McClure were visiting friends in our section on Sunday.

Miss Nora Knepp of Reedsville was visiting with her father the few last days. Charles Heimbach was visiting a dear friend at Reedsville on Saturday. While coming down on the train from the encampment a Missin county braggart called one of our boys a dumb, dutch Snyder county fool, whereupon he had to pick himself up about a rod from the starting place; but he had taken our side up and if you have to down the other to do so.

Condensed Testimony.

Chas. B. Hood, Broker and Manufacturer's Agent, Columbus, Ohio, certifies that Dr. King's New Discovery has no equal as a cough remedy. J. D. Brown, Prop. St. James Hotel, Ft. Wayne, Ind., testifies that he was cured of a cough of two years standing, caused by La Grippe, by Dr. King's New Discovery. B. F. Merrill, Baldwinville, Mass., says that he has used and recommended it and never knew it to fail and would rather have it than any doctor, because it always cures. Mrs. Hemming, 222 E. 25th St. Chicago, always keeps it at hand and has no fear of Croup, because it instantly relieves. Free Trial Bottles at Graybill, Garman & Co.'s, Richfield, Pa. and all druggists.

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A well-equipped camping party passed through town on Monday on their tour through this section of the state.

Biliousness

Is caused by torpid liver, which prevents digestion and permits food to ferment and putrify in the stomach. Then follow dizziness, headache,

Hood's Pills

Insomnia, nervousness, and, if not relieved, bilious fever or blood poisoning. Hood's Pills stimulate the stomach, rouse the liver, cure headache, dizziness, constipation, etc. 25 cents. Sold by all druggists. The only Pills to take with Hood's Sarsaparilla.

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The Damage Suit Continued.

100 yards from the accident. I was awake before the accident. [Testimony about whistling the same as preceding witnesses.]

Lydia Sauers, Frank Seaman, Mrs. Mollie Seaman were sworn and corroborated the testimony of other witnesses about the whistling.

Mrs. Mary Row, sworn: Heard the train only a few minutes before the crash. The engine whistled then. Heard nothing before. Heard the sled load of people pass. The sled moved slowly.

Charles Herbst, H. K. Snyder, Howard Leitzel and Samuel Rumbaugh were sworn and corroborated preceding witnesses.

Ed. M. Hummel, sworn: This witness corroborated the testimony of A. W. Potter, plaintiff. Court adjourned at 12 M.

TUESDAY AFTERNOON.

Court convened at 1:30 P. M. Ex Judge Williamson, of Huntingdon, and A. A. Leiser, Alfred Hayes, E. M. Beale and J. Merrill Lynn, of Lewisburg and Horace Alleman were called and sworn. They all testified to the high character of Mr. Potter's ability.

Ed. M. Hummel recalled and gave a detailed statement of his injuries. Prof. R. N. Hartman corroborated the former witnesses and detailed his own injuries.

Prof. R. L. Shroyer, sworn: Saw head light and jumped from the sled before the train struck it. Engine did not whistle at post.

Mrs. C. P. Ulrich, sworn: Corroborated other testimony and stated the extent of her injuries.

Mrs. A. W. Potter, Miss Anna Potter and Miss Lottie Eby gave corroborative testimony.

Miss Mollie Burns, sworn: Did not know we were at a railroad, was to Middleburgh only twice. Witness stated the extent of her injuries and affirmed preceding testimony.

The court then adjourned at 5:40. As we go to press Wednesday morning, the further details of the trial must be omitted until next week.

Dr. I. Grier Barber and son Miles of Danville greeted their friends here this week.

Ayer's Sarsaparilla is recommended by physicians as the only sure blood purifier.

Editors Willis, Lumbard and Leshar were at the county seat this week.

THE STUDIOUS GIRL

AN INTERESTING LETTER FROM A YOUNG LADIES' COLLEGE.

Race Between the Sexes for Education Health Impaired by Incessant Study.

The race between the sexes for education is to-day very close. Ambitious girls work incessantly over their studies, and are often brought to a halt, through having sacrificed the physical to the mental.

Then begin those ailments that must be removed at once, or they will produce constant suffering, Headache, dizziness, faintness, slight vertigo, pains in the back and loins, irregularity, loss of sleep and appetite, nervousness and blues, with lack of confidence; these are positive signs that women's arch enemy is at hand.

The following letter was received by Mrs. Pinkham in May, one month after the young lady had first written, giving symptoms, and asking advice. She was ill and in great distress of mind, feeling she would not hold out till graduation, and the doctor had advised her to go home.

You dear Woman:— I should have written to you before, but you said wait a month. We are taught that the days of miracles are past. Pray what is my case? I have taken the Vegetable Compound faithfully, and obeyed you implicitly and, am free from all my ills. I was a very, very sick girl. Am keeping well up in my class, and hope to do you and myself credit at graduation. My gratitude cannot find expression in words. Your sincere friend, MARY P. S. Some of the other girls are now using the Compound. It benefits them all.

Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound is the only safe, sure and effectual remedy in such cases, as it removes the cause, purifies and invigorates the system, and gives energy and vitality.

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CONSUMPTION

EDITORIAL.

VOTE FOR THE UNION.

Now is the time to place patriotism above party.

THERE is nothing binding upon any Democrat to vote for the ticket nominated at Chicago.

CHAIRMAN FAULKNER should not be too hard on his young candidate. It is asking too much of Mr. Bryan that he should "bottle up some of the personal joy he feels." Youthful spirits must out.

It would have been much better for the Democratic party had its platform contained but a single plank, and that plank free silver, as there are many Democrats who could stand free silver much better than they can swallow the Populist rot which constitutes the rest of the platform.

To sound money Democrats one thing is too evident for question; if they would save the country from financial ruin they must first of all make sure, if possible, that the power of the government is not seized upon by the crazy Populists and anarchists that controlled the late Chicago convention.

The Chicago platform is composed of false pretenses. They were framed for the purpose of drawing the attention of the reader away from the dangerous and revolutionary methods and doctrine therein advocated, and no Democrat or Republican who holds honesty and honor in high esteem, no business man who desires to prosper, and has the prosperity of the country at heart can support it.

The Hon. Joe Sibley, of Pennsylvania, "found it absolutely impossible to get to St. Louis" and the Hon. Jonah Jeremiah Mott's silver convention, but sent his best wishes, an easy contribution to make. Since Mr. Sibley escaped from Chicago without having the nomination for vice president thrust upon him, he has made it a rule to keep away from conventions. Writing letters from Pennsylvania is safer and cheaper.

The Republican party is not fighting Democracy in this canvass. There is no Democracy in the Chicago platform except its opening declarations that are immediately defined by the specific measures that it pledges the party to. The platform was made to suit the Populists and it is an expression of Populist opinions except where it is the work of Altgeld, and at those points it declares for that anarchism which he loves so well.

Will Support McKinley and Gold.

The Free Press will bolt the ticket, and support McKinley and gold.—Holyoke (Mass.) Free Press.

Cannot Accept Men or Measures.

The Times will not, cannot, advocate the adoption and acceptance by the American people of the Populist, anarchistic, undemocratic and anti-democratic measures and men presented for endorsement by the Chicago convention.—Louisville (Ky.) Times.

Reputation of Honest Obligations.

The Lewiston Sun will not support the platform and nominees of the silver Democratic convention. The acceptance of a silver platform, the Sun honestly believes, would bring disaster and panic. It means the repudiation of the country's honest obligations.—Lewiston (Me.) Sun.

What the Convention Could Not Do.

The ardent advocates of the white metal can unsent regular sound money Democratic delegates; they can ignore the two-thirds rule; they can, as they did in this state, throttle the voice of the minority and bind them under protest with the unit rule, but there are some things they cannot do. They cannot, thank God, change our honest convictions or compel us to cast our ballot for any candidate.—Alexandria (Va.) Times.

West Virginia's Republican Ticket.

PARKERSBURG, W. Va., July 24.—After being in session two days and two nights, with unusually protracted and hot contests for the nominations, except for the head of the ticket, the Republican state convention late last night adjourned sine die. The ticket chosen is as follows: For governor, George W. Atkinson of Wheeling; auditor, L. M. Lafollette; treasurer, M. A. Kendall, superintendent of schools, J. Russell Trotter; supreme judge, H. C. McWhorter; electors-at-large, J. B. Firsh and S. B. Rathbone.

Eckels on the Situation.

PITTSBURG, July 24.—Comptroller Eckels passed through the city last night en route to Chicago to attend the Democratic gold convention. He said a great many of the most profound thinkers and financiers of the country had made a request for such a convention. The outcome of the gathering, he said, would certainly be the issuing of a call for a national candidate to nominate a ticket on a gold platform and on a plan suited to real Democrats. The new ticket, he is assured, would receive the support of many Democrats who would remain at home on election day rather than vote for Bryan on a silver Populist platform. He thinks the silver idea is being kept at fever heat by oratory which will expend its force long before the four months have expired. He thinks Bryan will suffer defeat, but if he should be elected he could not further his silver plans because of a Republican con-

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