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UTAH'S Republican convention at Salt Lake City Wednesday sent uninstructed delegates to the St. Louis convention, but pledged them to free silver. They are against McKinley and positively for Allison.

AN appreciative critic of Col. Ingersoll declares that owing to his success as a lecturer "he will have dollars to burn." Whereupon the Philadelphia Ledger says how he expects to take them with him is not stated.

BY the aid of the X rays physicians in Pittsburg the other day located a piece of needle in the foot of a child, after the foot had swollen to double its ordinary size, and found just where to cut to remove the needle.

HERE is the way the canvass stood among Republican candidates on 4th as given in the New York Mail and Express, Rep.: McKinley, 235; Reed, 58. Morton, 54; Allison, 34; Quay, 25; unknown or unpledged, 34. McKinley has 64 majority over all others.

A Boston Transcript correspondent says: "I think most of the members of the New England Manufacturers' Association who went to Atlanta last fall were convinced that they could make as much money in the South in ten years as in the North in twenty years."

IF all of Bob Ingersoll's teachings were like the following, his name would be blessed: "Love is the only thing that will pay 10 per cent. to borrower and lender both. Joy is Wealth. Happiness is the legal tender of the soul. I believe in the democracy of the home."

THE gold output of the United States will be materially increased by the reduction made on Saturday in the rates for smelting gold ores from $15 to $9 per ton. This will allow a profit on ores running $20 per ton, which could not be marketed before. The reduction is due to improved methods.

DURING a storm the other day a meteoric stone dropped and buried itself in a yard in Chicago. The owner of the yard, who saw it fall, dug it out. It weighed 11 pounds and was hot.

Perhaps this is only a little forerunner of the red hot things Chicago is to receive in the future.

THAT was good news, if true, that the X ray will absolutely kill the germs of diphtheria and typhoid fever. We are told that the statement is made without reserve and that the decision was reached when the last of the germs which had been exposed to the ray failed to show signs of life under the glass—the deadly bacilli remaining idle and inactive in the midst of the best and most tempting imitation of human tissue.

THE Turkish government is said to have expressed its determination to remove all missionaries who have shown any sympathy with the suffering Armenians. Since no Christian missionary could have witnessed the atrocities to which American men and women have been subjected without an exhibition of sympathy and indignation, it is safe to say that all the missionaries at present in Turkey would come under the contemplated ban.

PRESIDENT CLEVELAND is now engaged in the arbitration of the claim of Italy against Colombia, all the papers in the dispute having finally been presented in accordance with the convention between the disputants.

The case involves damages amounting to nearly $1,500,000 on account of the persecution of Ernesto Cerruti, a wealthy merchant, and Italian consular representative during a revolution in Colombia about ten years ago.

EDITOR HAL W. AYER, of the Caucasian, announces that the Populists will have no further negotiations with the Republicans. Mr. Ayer says that the Populist proposition looking to fusion with the Republicans involved the principles of both parties, whereas the counter proposition insisted upon by the Republicans was for spoils and for spoils alone. Mr. Butler and the other Populist leaders have realized this and propose to repudiate all further overtures by the Republicans. The only thing which the Republicans can now do will be to endorse the action of the Populist convention.

To introduce my large work, I will offer until May 1st, when I will close my gallery here, one dozen cabinet photographs and a 14 x 17 crayon for $5.00.

Call at gallery, above Mr. E. T. Clark's store, and see samples of crayon, pastel and water colors. Don't miss this chance if you want a fine portrait.

Very respectfully,
PAUL M. TAYLOR.

THE war cloud in Africa is looming up in dark and ominous proportions. British troops are being poured into South Africa.

President Kruger has told Governor Robinson that negotiations between the Transvaal and Great Britain will be hopeless if troops are sent to Cape Colony. In the meantime the Boers are arming themselves and getting ready for war.

If anyone is anxious for war they can get their fill of it by going to Cuba, Abyssinia, the Soudan or South Africa.

Who was it that said something about an era of universal peace and an international court of arbitration? Such talk is rather premature.

Men may cry "Peace! peace!" but there are wars and rumors of wars all over the world.

A million and a half Baptists will soon be demanding the release of Rev. A. J. Diaz, the Cuban evangelist imprisoned by General Weyler. Rev. T. F. Tichenor, corresponding secretary of the Southern Baptist convention, has issued an address to the Baptists of the South. He calls on the denomination to raise a fund to defend Diaz and to care for him and his family. Dr. Tichenor says that Diaz will not dare to touch a mouthful of food prepared in the Spanish prison for fear of being poisoned.

Diaz is an American citizen. He was a patriot of the revolution 20 years ago. To escape arrest he threw himself into the sea, hoping to drift back to shore at nightfall. But he floated so far out that he could not get back. A passing ship picked him up and carried him to New York. He was converted in this country joined the Baptist church, and returned to Cuba as an evangelist.

THE New York Press says: Henry Ward Beecher's sermons were stolen all over the country, and many a backwoods parson rode into prominence on them. Once upon a time the famous preacher visited a small town in the western part of this State, and, remaining there over Sunday, of course attended church. He was surprised to hear the preacher deliver in an off hand manner one of his own sermons, preached in Plymouth church about three months previously. After the service he met the gentleman and congratulated him. "It was a most excellent sermon, and splendidly delivered," he said in his deep, hearty voice. "By the way, Brother Blank, how long did it take you to prepare it?" "Oh, er," smiled the delighted parson. "I er I was not more than an hour and a half, I should say—not more." "Indeed! Well, I wrote that sermon, and I remember it took me a month to think it out," Mr. Beecher replied, glueing his heavy eyes on the other. The poor parson gasped, dropped a tear and went off to pray.

ANOTHER week nearer the St. Louis Convention, and there is no break in the McKinley lines. They have been strengthened.

Gen. Alger, of Michigan, has pronounced for McKinley, without reserve. The combine, it is true, is working to break the forces of the Ohio man's boom. The leaders are casting about for some man of the opposition to unite upon.

There was at one time talk of uniting on Senator Quay, and, later on, of taking up ex President Harrison. This talk only shows the desperate straits which the bosses are in.

They are concentrating all their energies now on preventing Mr. McKinley's nomination on the first ballot.

The action of the Republican State Convention of North Dakota makes the Northwest solid for the Napoleon of protection from the lakes to the base of the Rockies.

It is impossible to see how the force of this popular uprising of the Republican masses in favor of Major McKinley can be thwarted or beaten by the great party bosses who have hitherto had a monopoly of making and unmaking Presidential candidates.

THE leaders of the Populist and Republican parties met in Raleigh last week to effect fusion and as both sides were after the spoils the scheme failed to materialize. The Populists demanded that the Republicans take the full silver pledge, and allow them to name the Governor and certain other officers. The Republicans declined and proposed State fusion, they to have the Governor, Senator and other officers. This proposition was rejected by the Populists, and both the Republicans and Populists have issued addresses. Skinner and Cy. Thompson, it is said, will urge Republican and Populist fusion over Butler's head. Butler is joyful over his victory and unless the Republicans accept his terms it is pretty certain that there will be no fusion of Republicans and Populists this year.

The situation grows more interesting each day and even the wisest and most experienced politicians are forced to stop and ask, "Where are we at?"

There are all sorts of rumors afloat, some say the Populists and Republicans will agree on a plan of fusion before the State convention, others think now is the time for Democrats and Populists to pull together, while others say let the silver men of the State stand together in the fight. Things are mightily mixed and there is no doubt about that, but we shall see what we shall see and there is some consolation in that.

Frank E. White, Minneapolis, Minn., writes: Have used two boxes of your Pile Cure and must say it has done wonders for me. I would not know I ever had the Piles only when I stoop low. The itching is all gone. Sample free.

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HIS SKULL CRUSHED.

Roanoke Rapids' Serenity Disturbed by a Fight Which Resulted Fatally—Other News Notes.

Roanoke Rapids has been very much under the influence of the torrid wave which has lately been sweeping over the country and our "oldest inhabitants" say they have never experienced such weather during the long time which they have passed within the city limits. The town has been rather subdued on account of the heat and nothing occurred to disturb its serenity until last Saturday night when a very unfortunate incident took place.

Some young colored boys had been skylarking around during the evening and finally a dispute arose between two of them which culminated in a fight. One of them, Ferry Jones, threw a stone at the other belligerent whose name was Charles Taylor and struck him on the left side of the head just below the ear in the spot where anatomists teach us the skull is very thin. The result was that the boy Charles Taylor dropped as if shot by a gatling gun and when some of his companions went to his assistance he was entirely unconscious and died in a very few moments. This occurred at about eleven o'clock and a message was immediately telephoned to Dr. Gary, the coroner of your city, asking him to come up in the morning and hold an inquest over the remains. The boy, Ferry Jones, who threw the stone made no effort to escape and was arrested and handed over to "Squire Brown" who kept him in custody until the next morning. The Coroner accompained by Dr. I. E. Green of Weldon, were on hand Sunday morning and the inquest was held. Dr. Green very skillfully performed an operation and showed to the jury the exact nature of the wound and a verdict was soon rendered to the effect that the boy came to his death on account of a blow from a stone thrown by Ferry Jones. There were several witnesses who saw the whole occurrence and Jones did not deny that he threw the stone, so it was plain sailing. After the verdict was rendered Jones was sent to the jail at Halifax where he now is and his trial will come off in May.

The boys around here have been careless in using stones as missiles and "Squire" Brown has warned them that they must give up that amusement.

On Sunday we were fortunate in having the Rev. Mr. Wilcox to preach at the new Baptist church, and Rev. Mr. Tillery preached at the school house which is "en route" from its former location to the corner of Second and Hamilton streets. Notwithstanding the inconvenience of having to get through the scaffolding, which has been built around the school house, Mr. Tillery had a large congregation and the same may be said of Brother Wilcox's gathering.

Major Emry who has been a little unwell in Richmond, has returned home and we are glad to state is very much better. He spends his time between Weldon and the Rapids and is a great favorite in both towns. We are pleased to say there is a prospect of Mrs. Emry returning here soon as she is very popular here.

Mr. Chanler is not in town at present but we hope it will not be long before he returns.

The brick yard has started and in a short time the building of the cottages for the use of the operatives of the Roanoke Mills Co. will be under way.

The contract for the extension of the canal has not been let as yet but will be in a few days and before long we expect to have a busy town.

Nearly every one of the trees planted last winter is living and now that they are beginning to put out leaves they add a great deal to the appearance of the town.

Mr. Wrenn, the popular contractor from Lynchburg is still here, or least he is in the vicinity, but Dame Rumor has it that he spends a good portion of his time in your town. He was one of the favored guests at the very pleasant german given in Weldon last Thursday, and reports that he spent a most enjoyable evening.

The water in the Roanoke is very low now a fact which the disciples of Sir Isaac Walton deplore, as they say that if there is not a rise in the water that the fish will not be able to get over the falls near Weldon and so will not get up here.

Mr. Burton, of the firm of Chesterman & Co., of Richmond, reports the new mill practically finished as he is only putting on a few finishing touches. The water wheel has been placed in position and is a fine piece of work.

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STATE CULLINGS.

Newsy Notes as Culled from Our State Exchanges.

Shelby had a $3,000 fire last Thursday.

The Henderson cotton mill is nearly ready to begin operations.

Fire at Goldsboro Friday destroyed $20,000 worth of property.

The Kinston Free Press is now issued semi-weekly. Success to it.

Shelby will probably have a new cotton factory in the near future.

Nine divorce cases are set for hearing this week in Wake Superior court.

In Wake county more tobacco is being raised this year than ever before.

The sixth Congressional district sends McKinley delegates to St. Louis.

A chapter of Daughters of the Confederacy has been formed at Raleigh.

An alligator 15 feet long has been killed in a little creek in Robeson county.

The telephone line between Henderson and Louisburg was completed last Thursday.

Chatham county Republicans will hold their convention at Pittsboro, April 30th.

In a radius of 100 miles from Charlotte there are no less than 193 cotton mills in operation.

The Sampson Democrat and Sanford Express are for Dr. Chas. D. McIver for Governor.

The stables of A. B. Shaw at Laurinburg were burned with one horse and nine mules.

Burlington is to have a large furniture factory in which considerable capital is being placed.

Thus far $11,000 has been raised and expended on the Baptist Female University at Raleigh.

A nugget of gold weighing over 22 pounds was found at the Reed mine in Cabarrus county.

The Southern Railway company is trying to get to Southern Pines via the Aberdeen Railway.

It is now claimed that the recently discovered gold mines near Oxford will yield $30 to each ton of ore.

The Battery Park hotel at Asheville was damaged $30,000 by fire last Thursday. Covered by insurance.

Governor Carr has appointed 100 delegates to the Southern Settler's convention at Southern Pines, May 5.

John Tillman, a whisky distiller, who lived near Roxboro, committed suicide last week by taking strychnine.

The Hickory Press would like to see Zeb. Vance Walser made Attorney-General. Barkis is willin', no doubt.

Secretary Barnes of the State Farmers' alliance, says good progress is being made on the alliance tannery at Hillsboro.

Julian S. Carr will have fifteen horses, all of fine pedigree, at the great horse sale at Lexington, Ky., April 21 25.

At Caraleigh cotton mills at Raleigh an assistant engineer nearly disemboweled a man with whom he had quarreled.

Mrs. Pattie Arrington is after Spier Whitaker again. She has instituted suit against him for $1,300 damages.

Dr. Kilgore, says the Durham Sun, preached at Hickory last Sunday and raised $2,500 to help build a new church at that place.

Mr. Chas. N. Vance, son of the late Senator Vance, is a candidate for the Democratic Congressional nomination in the Ninth district.

The estate of the late ex-Governor Holt is said to be worth $750,000. In his great cotton mills at Haw river there are 1,500 employees.

Guilford county contributes two professional ball players to league clubs again this year, Bob Stafford to Milwaukee and Lucien Smith to New Orleans.

Robert Butler, colored, is jailed at Fayetteville, charged with the burning of the house, barns, stables and cattle of George McMillan, in Cumberland county.

A forest fire in Cumberland county, swept over a territory of five miles, destroying over two million feet of timber on an area of 10,000 acres. Loss over $100,000.

The Landmark says that Dr. H. F. Long, of Statesville, has invented an operating table which will prove a great convenience to physicians. It can be doubled up and carried in a doctor's buggy.

Dr. Mott thinks that the results of the fusion conference means a coming together of the silver men in North Carolina, and a prominent Democrat, discussing the situation, advocates such a step.

The highest compliment ever paid a College comes from the Forum which selects the North Carolina College of Agriculture and Mechanics as one of the best fifteen technical schools in the United States.

Rev. Arthur Eldridge and another colored man, named Mitchell, got into a row at Rural Hall, Forsyth county, Wednesday when the latter struck the former with a rock, inflicting a wound which resulted in Eldridge's death. There was a woman in the case.

The bluebirds are chirping now, and the mockingbirds sing all night long. Spring is here, indeed, and there are a good many fine frills to her dresses.

WILL GO ALONE.

That is the Program of Both Butler and Pritchard.

Since the failure of fusion Butler and Pritchard have decided to play lone hands.

The Washington correspondent of the News and Observer sends the following brief interviews with the fusion Senators:

"Now that the Populists and Republicans have failed to fuse, what is your plan?" was the question I asked Senator Butler and Senator Pritchard separately to day.

Senator Pritchard replied: "The Republicans will just go along as if nothing had happened."

When asked to define the meaning of this, he said he believed that fusion would take place in the counties practically as it had done before, and he had no fear of not being returned to the Senate, nor did he have any ides of running for Governor. Senator Pritchard said that "nine tenths of the counties wanted to co-operate and they know what they are talking about and Mr. Butler can't deliver them to the Democratic party."

I called Mr. Pritchard's attention to a statement made to me by Senator Butler, namely, that "every proposition adopted by the Populist committee had been adopted unanimously." Mr. Pritchard said that was strange because Skinner had told him that the proposition of the Republicans had been rejected by only one majority in the Populist committee.

Mr. Butler asked me to make the statement given above formally and in the exact words used. In answer to the question what was his plan, Mr. Butler said that there were 70,000 (The Progressive Farmer claims 150,000. How is that, Mr. Butler?—ED. NEWS.) Populists in North Carolina, if there were one, and they proposed to stand together and fight it out alone until November, unless some one came to help them. I asked him did he think the Democrats would give up their name to join the Populists. He said people were going to vote for silver in North Carolina this year irrespective of names. He said he would be unwilling to endorse any silver man put up at Chicago, because such silver man could only be nominated with the connivance and consent of the gold men who would thus connive for the purpose of dividing and thus defeating the silver forces. He said he thought, however, the gold men would wink at a silver man being put up, it being, as they thought, a sure way of beating the silver man."

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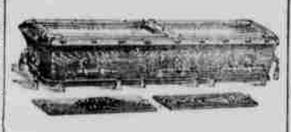

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L. H. Cook, 1 a. land, Home tract, 1 27
Richard Crowell ½ acre land on Weldon road, 3 30
Lela Dickens, 5 a. land near Halifax 1 04
David Ellbeck, 67 a. land Richards tract 3 06.
Sallie Eppes, 1 a. land, House tract 8 48
W. D. Faucett, dec. 6 a. land, residence 3 76.
Mrs. Mary A. Fenter, 1 a. land, residence, 1 37.
Jos. Golumbeck, 180 a. land Browning, tract, 5 16.
William Hill, 6 a. land, near Halifax, 1 20.
Davy Hilliard, 387 a. land, Chantill tract, 15 60.
Louis Hilliard & Co., ½ a. near Halifax, 100 a. Slashes, 1 a. Ousby tract, 5 72
Henry Johnson, 133 a. Tyler tract 3 36
P. Lincham, 144 a. land Eppes Grove, 10 03.
Charley Merritt, 109 a. land Slash tract 7 03.
Mrs. Anna C. Moseley, 76 a land, Glen Ivey tract 10 60
Mrs. John A. Moore, 145 a. land and 1 town lot, 7 58.
W. B. Neville, 1 town lot, 3 04.
W. B. Neville, 1 town lot, 3 76
Mrs. G. W. Pittman, 375 a. land, part of the Crowell tract, 9 70.
Mrs. Annie Purnell, ½ acre, near railroad 1 04
Edmond Roberson, 1 town lot near court house 3 20.
Ed Shields, 70 a. land, old Shield's place, 2 28.
N Tillery, ½ a. land, near Halifax 80c.
Willie Tilley, 70 a. Slash land, 1 86.
Mrs. W. H. Vick, 340 a. Ousby place, 15 54.
S. White, 1 town lot 3 04.

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WELDON TOWNSHIP.

Names.	Acres.	Tax & Cost.
W H Alsbrook,	220	$10 44
Mrs W H Arrington, 1 lot		4 03
Bowzer, Wright	20	3 60
Carter, Tom	80	1 60
Carpenter, B. F.	84	1 54
Capell, W H 2 lots		15 27
Falcon, Wade	50	4 00
Gatling, Walter, 1 lot		4 36
Herring, W. T.,	150	6 24
Herring, Mrs. M. R.	125	3 25
Hannon, Major, 1 lot		5 26
Heptinstall, J O	744	20 54
Hockaday, Anthony	85	2 70
Harris, R. D., 1 lot		6 10
Ivey, Robt.	41	3 72
Ivey, Rhoda, 1 lot		1 10
Jenkins, J C.	20	3 50
Keeter, O. P., 1 lot		4 03
Leigh, J. H. P. 2 lots		11 37
Love, I. W.,	28½	4 03
Long, Ivey	10	3 04
Liggins, Isaac, 1 lot		4 03
Lewis, Geo W., 4 lots		9 50
Moore, F. M., 1 lot,		6 80
Mabry, Mrs. M. E. 1 lot		11 37
Matthewson, Clinton, 2 lots,		14 40
Pierce, R. B.,	45	1 60
Pearson, Mrs. M. A	264	9 00
Richards, W. A.,	77	4 96
Rainey, Geo.	30	3 50
Richards, S A W,	98	5 44
Ridley, Wm, 1 lot,		6 03
R N & W P Co. 1 canal		200 68
Rooke, Jno W.	210	6 86
Richards, L D	120	5 34
Richards, Edmond 1 lot		9 38
Reid, Davie, 1 lot		5 70
Snow, Wm 1 lot,		4 36
Smith, Green, 1 lot		2 70
Shearin, Dock	2	2 96
Sherron, Ridley,	56	4 40
Short, B. L.	54	2 64
Speed, Sandy, 1 lot		6 74
Thorpe, Pompey, 1 lot		4 36
Zollicofier, Major, 1 lot		3 37

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