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Champ Clark's Letter

The Globe-Democrat's Open Confession—Missouri Women Make Unpleasant Wives

[Special Washington Letter.] WHEN Senator Aldrich considers the opposition of Lyman J. Gage to his financial bill through his mind there must run the famous "Et tu, Brute!" The prospect for what Uncle Joe Cannon denominated "rubber currency" do not seem particularly bright at this writing.

When the Republican state convention meets it must be with a purpose to select the best men for candidates and to prove the principles for whose advancement the party exists. A state convention is a gathering of the people, and it is better than any other assembly that can be trusted to do the right thing in choosing candidates.

Attention is called particularly to the fact that the Missouri River has been played too often in the past. Most assuredly, but the G-D. is very late in confessing it. Better late than never, however. Of course, if jumped about the confession, the G-D. will probably undertake to write off the Missouri Democrats and not to the Missouri Republicans, but the context shows that in an unguarded moment the G-D. actually told a truth about its partners in political sin.

That Hon. Joseph G. Cannon of Illinois, affectionately called Uncle Joe, is destined to be the next speaker if he lives is known to all men. He appears to be in high good humor with all the world. Recently he was in Omaha. A dispatch from that city runs in this wise: Congressman Joseph Cannon was in Omaha today, and when asked regarding legislation at the coming session of Congress replied: "That's something I'm saying little about. Besides we're not sure of just what is happening and what is needed. It's a lot of the eastern folks think they are in a bad way and need currency legislation to help them out, but I notice that stocks are not down to a good investment basis even now. You see, they've got everything way too high and that's the trouble back to normal."

Why, thank it, I'm an optimist about this. This question will right itself by the uprising of a healthy public sentiment. The American people are fitted for self government. They've proved it on many another day. They'll prove it now. More violence will be wiped out in this country. It is possible that our judges that there are too many opportunities for hoodlums to flourish. It is the old English system never-the-less. It is the old English system. It is the old English system that one innocent man is punished and it is steadily approximating the point where men who are innocent are safe and men who are guilty may expect punishment. I think in the main the people have confidence in our courts. Such a solid, rock-precious confidence is the like that excites to mob violence do not imply that the public is to grow the cause for mob violence. The public sentiment against it increases, and thus the evil may be depended on to right itself. Nobody with much experience in observation of criminal trials will in-

AN APPEAL TO THE FARMERS OF THE STATE.

A condition and not a theory now confronts the tobacco farmer—a condition that is largely due to the lack of intelligent organization and co-operation. We had as well look the situation squarely in the face and govern ourselves accordingly. It is well known that the American and foreign tobacco companies, after they pooled resources last fall, gave the farmer a forecast of what they might expect the season in the way of low prices, which cannot be borne more generally to advise planting a small crop for 1903.

Had there been active organization and co-operation among the farmers at that time and a full and free discussion of the situation and a plan of action, the tobacco crop for the year would, in all probability, have been even smaller than last year. Instead, the farmer has been left to the mercy of the tobacco companies, who have been able to get tobacco for less than the cost of production. As it was, the farmer's warning and advice were given in a haphazard way. These are the conditions which are now being met by the farmer. The farmer is now being met by the tobacco companies, who have been able to get tobacco for less than the cost of production.

The Alliance is not the program bringing only with theory, officers and defensive, but with a great, grand and good one. While the Alliance should be ready to assist the attack of the oppressor, it also follows the steps leading toward and the farmer's own betterment, co-organizing its members to higher ends and better methods in whatever they undertake. It stands for better schools, better roads, better irrigation and irrigation, and more effective. It wants the farmer to know their business, to study it from a business-like standpoint; that they may "cultivate" and sell to the very best advantage. These things can be accomplished only through co-operation; hence the advantages of the Alliance should appeal to the thinking farmer of the State. His doors are wide open to all good people who are eligible to membership therein and to such a hearty and hearty welcome and helping hand.

This truly is a day of organization and the farmer should not be an exception to the rule, thereby leaving themselves exposed to the tender mercies of organized greed. The present time for organization is an exceptional time for organization; the people are ready. Wherever there is an organized Alliance let its members better themselves and get their neighbors to come in and be one with them. Where there is no Alliance let the neighbors co-operate in mass-organizing and organizing. I trust progressive farmers in each neighborhood will take the matter in hand and push the work to completion. The writer will gladly and any information at his command to any one interested. Do not delay, but take up the work at once. For further information, address: T. E. PARKER, Sec., Raleigh, N. C.

General Frederick Dent Grant, commander of the Department of Texas, has many desiderata which are important if true—(1) that we should hasten to fortify our Mexican border because, as he alleges, the Mexicans are fortifying; (2) that the contest ought to be restored to the highest temperance measure. This latter suggestion is respectfully referred to the professional temperance folks with the statement that General Grant is himself a teetotaler. As to the necessity for fortifying our Mexican border, that is all moonshine. We can't have a war with Mexico unless we are the aggressors, and unless we lose our senses we never will have a war with her if she is fortifying against us. It is because our new-fangled jingo policy has caused her to fear that we have sinister designs on her northern states.

One of my commitments, Frank N. Frost, editor of the Vandalia Leader, reports: Postmaster General Payne is said to have informed his friends that he will resign his position as soon as he is compelled to resign by the post office law. Paula, what a job he's got! Leaving a Great Opportunity. The bill-boards of Columbus promise to lose for her the benefit of the great opportunity that has been knocked impatiently at her doors. The result will probably be that Nicaragua will get the canal and leave Columbus forever just a little to one side of what will become the greatest of maritime highways. Property, life, traffic and trade will mark the terminal points of this canal. Civilization and progress, both infectious, will go with it. Columbus, just outside the scope of the riveting industries, will continue to sleep in comparative seclusion from the busy world so near to it. It is stippled only on her part.

Do you enjoy going to the theater? "Very much," answered Mr. Currier. "The only thing that worries me in connection with the drama is the fact of finding something I really enjoy. I'm not a high priced, to put it out of people under an unjust law is sufficient proof that he is a past master in his profession. He should receive

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NOTICE OF LAND SALE. By virtue of the power of sale contained in a mortgage made by John P. Brown, et al., on the 15th day of October, 1902, and recorded in the register of Franklin County, Va., I will on the 15th day of October, 1903, at 10 o'clock in the forenoon, sell to the highest bidder in cash, the land and premises therein described, to-wit: A certain tract of land in the County of Franklin, State of Virginia, containing about 100 acres, more or less, and bounded as follows: On the north by the land of John P. Brown, et al.; on the south by the land of John P. Brown, et al.; on the east by the land of John P. Brown, et al.; on the west by the land of John P. Brown, et al.

NOTICE. Having qualified as executor of the estate of John P. Brown, et al., deceased, I will on the 15th day of October, 1903, at 10 o'clock in the forenoon, sell to the highest bidder in cash, the land and premises therein described, to-wit: A certain tract of land in the County of Franklin, State of Virginia, containing about 100 acres, more or less, and bounded as follows: On the north by the land of John P. Brown, et al.; on the south by the land of John P. Brown, et al.; on the east by the land of John P. Brown, et al.; on the west by the land of John P. Brown, et al.

NOTICE. The defendant above named, E. H. Parker, et al., will take notice that a special hearing will be held on the 15th day of October, 1903, at 10 o'clock in the forenoon, in the Superior Court of Franklin County, Va., for the purpose of settling the accounts of the estate of John P. Brown, et al., deceased, and for the purpose of distributing the assets of said estate to the heirs and next of kin of said deceased. The said hearing will be held at the Court House in Louisa, Va., and all persons interested in the estate of said deceased are hereby notified to appear at said hearing and to bring with them all vouchers and accounts in their possession or control, and to be ready to swear to the same. The said hearing will be held at the Court House in Louisa, Va., on the 15th day of October, 1903, at 10 o'clock in the forenoon.

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