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THE NEW CONGRESS.

As the time approaches for the meeting of the new Congress, much interest naturally attaches to the formation of several of the most important committees.

Notwithstanding the Republican party leaders are attempting to divert public attention from their oppressive tariff laws, by attributing all the trouble to silver and the so-called "dishonest dollar," yet it is believed that they are likely to be suddenly awakened to a realization of the fact that the Democrats have not forgotten to prepare the way for looking after other important things—tariff and pension reform.

Elsewhere we publish Senator Vance's views on the silver question, in which the honest old statesman sheds some light as to the cause of the trouble and why the bankers and money brokers want the white metal demonetized.

It is announced from Raleigh that the Populists are going to begin an early campaign in this State, preparatory for the political fight of '94. It is stated that Gen. Weaver, their leader, will speak at Lilesville, Anson county, August the 9th, and that Congressman Watson, of Georgia, will harangue at Aulander, August 3rd.

The Silver Dollar.

The following is from Washington City: The attention of the treasury department has been called to the fact that small tradesmen in different parts of the country have refused to accept silver dollars in exchange for commodities except on a basis of 50 to 75 cents of value.

Last week Collector Kope Elias appointed J. P. Burke deputy at Statesville, F. A. Watts deputy collector for Iredell, F. M. Williams deputy collector for various counties of Catawba, Alexander and Lincoln, and H. H. Smith deputy collector for Cabarrus, Union and Anson counties.

All About Silver and Gold.

Mr. F. A. Meredith, in the Colorado Magazine, strongly favors the remonetization of silver. He thinks there is not enough money per capita. He says wheat has been lowered in price in England because the London merchants could pay for it in silver rupees "of a debased value," and that this has robbed American farmers for fifteen years.

He stands for unlimited free coinage of both metals at a ratio of 15 1/2 to 1, because the Latin Union uses this ratio and because, in the products of the metals, this ratio exists the world over. There are 15 1/2 times more silver in the world than there is gold.

Our able contemporary, the Atlanta Constitution, has a striking editorial on "Waiting for Information." It stands properly by the Democratic platform, as the Messenger stands, and, therefore favors the repeal of the Sherman act.

The money lending combination falsely holds the law responsible for the gold shipments to Europe, the real cause of which is the greater demand for gold there than here and its consequent higher price there than here. It is less than a year since the banking influence of Europe, led by the Rothschilds, forced Austria-Hungary on a gold basis, thus creating an additional demand of vast proportions for gold.

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Is there not something of an objective lesson in all this? We see in this reported condition in England and India after the suspension of the free coinage of silver what for aught the wisest man may know may occur on this side the "great pond" where silver coinage is suspended and monetized is established. This is the idea of the Constitution which says: "It is to be observed here that England has already done what our

pretended bimetalist friends have threatened to drive her to by the repeal of the Sherman law. With her customary courage she has taken the bull by the horns and suspended the free coinage of silver in India; but the horns of this particular bull are sharp; and the wounds inflicted on values and on an exchange are to go deeper than the British gold idolaters had any idea of.

When to this collapse the United States adds the unconditional repeal of the Sherman law, can any business man, any financier, or any banker tell us what the result will be? In this connection we would say that it is a mistake to suppose that the figures and assertions in Northern gold bug organs concerning silver are to be received without examination or upon their full face value. They very often misrepresent and are ignorant.

The London Times, in a recent issue, says that the British government is preparing to send a mission to Siam to urge the Siamese government to return a guarantee of assistance; that the British navy should defend the Chinese coast in case of a French attack, and co-operation against Russia in Pamir. England is unwilling to commit herself to such a course.

The South Tiding the Storm.

NORFOLK, Va., July 21.—The banks of Norfolk and Portsmouth are said to be in as good condition as any banks in the country and have ample money to accommodate their customers as usual. A few days ago one of the banks here found itself with more money on hand than it could possibly use and the officials thought they might make a good trade in loaning it at the North.

The Southern bank then wrote another letter insisting that it had money to loan, did not want to borrow, and then the answer came quick: "We will take the entire amount on your own terms. Can't you let us have some more?"

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Children Cry for Pitcher's Castoria.

Preparing for War in the East.—Siam Asks for Help.

Dispatches from London state that Great Britain to help her to resist French demands for her withdrawal from Siam. Siam has unconditionally refused, but she is actively preparing to grant the prayer in an indirect way, for before many hours have passed another great power, perhaps more, will be involved in the dispute. It is not too much to say that in the four capitals, London, Paris, St. Petersburg and Peking, the situation is regarded as presenting greater dangers than any with which diplomacy has had to deal with in several years.

It is reported that England urged China to send a fleet to Siam and openly oppose the Siamese cause. China is said to have demanded in return a guarantee of assistance; that the British navy should defend the Chinese coast in case of a French attack, and co-operation against Russia in Pamir.

GETTING READY TO FIGHT. LONDON, July 24.—A dispatch from Paris to the Central News says that Siam's reply to France's ultimatum is unsatisfactory to the French government and that Mr. Pavie, French minister resident in Bangkok, is preparing to leave the city.

PARIS, July 24.—M. Develle had a long conference with Premier Dupuy all yesterday. Only at the last minute was it decided to impart to the press the Siamese reply and the government's decision. It stated that M. Develle has notified Admiral Hamann to proceed at once to declare blockade.

The Bangkok correspondent of the Daily Chronicle telegraphs yesterday: "The Siamese warships anchored one mile from the French, are crowded with men ready for action. Their intention is, in case the French commence hostilities to steam down, ram the French gun boats and attempt to board them in force and attack the crews with the bayonets. The German gun boat, Wolf, has arrived here."

The Railroads Are to Pay \$96,000 Taxes. The railroad commission's assessment of the railroads in this State is this year of practical interest. The following facts and figures are from the great mass of tables which Clerk Brown has been most industriously preparing for several weeks.

During the year one railroad track was taken up, that of the Maxton, Alma & Rowland, 16 miles. The State taxes on railroads, general and school, are \$96,000, just twice that which were when the commission began its work in 1891.

A Denver man who has been to Washington gives it out that during personal talks with Secretary Carlisle and President Cleveland they assured him that they will not try for the unconditional repeal of the Sherman law. He says they have substituted under consideration as follows: First, for free coinage at an increased rate and the retirement of all paper money under \$5. Second, free coinage of 4,000,000 ounces monthly with signature for coining foreign bullion.

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Helping Themselves.

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It has been only a few years since nearly all the representatives of the South in congress were rampant for the Blair bill. The aid promised was tempting, but the price to be paid was too high. Disguised as it was, the tendency of such legislation undoubtedly was in the direction of federal control of the common schools. Fortunately, the Blair bill was defeated. It is so dead now that there is no fear of its ever kicking again.

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