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The county Convention held here Saturday did the nice thing by indorsing Hon. Lee S. Overman for United States Senator to succeed the late Senator Z. B. Vance. Mr. Overman is well known to the Democratic voters of the State and needs no introduction at our hands, but we will at the proper time have more to say in commendation of this able and worthy man. Mr. Overman is a young man, experienced in legislative halls, with the ability to cope with any man in the Senate, thoroughly Democratic, and if elected would make a record that no one in the State should have cause to be ashamed of. Mr. Overmans' candidacy will cause enthusiasm among the young Democracy of the State.

If primaries and conventions are not carried out more in accordance with the laws of the plan of organization there is trouble ahead. As we understand it a primary convention is for the purpose of ascertaining who is the strongest man in the county or district. In either case if the law of the party is followed to the letter it is easily decided. Let primaries be held in each township in the county and there the Democrats vote for each candidate and send delegates to the county convention instructed to vote the full strength each candidate commanded at the ballot box of the primary, and by this way the county convention can easily ascertain the strength of the different candidates and elect delegates to the district conventions representing just what strength the candidates commanded at the primaries. This is a year when no trickery or deviation from the party law should be tolerated. Just so certain as ill feeling is allowed to brew in the party just so certain will the party loose. The Watchman has no candidates but wants the men who can command the largest number of Democratic votes to be nominated.

Tennessee is about to enter upon a peculiarly hot campaign for governor and other officers. Already the judicial nominations have been made and there has been a fusion of the populists and republicans as to the supreme court positions. But from the best information at hand it is scarcely doubtful that the democrats will win in the August fight. That will be a sort of trial of strength between the democrats and the fusion party preliminary to the gubernatorial fight in November. If the fusionists should win in August or the democratic majority be narrow then Tennessee will enter upon a campaign that will be memorable in the state's history.

One of the chief ends in view with the fusionists is to secure a majority on joint ballot in the legislature. If that can be secured they will take profound pleasure in sending Senator Isham G. Harris into private life and substituting for him some "great unknown" whom the fusionists may meanwhile discover in their combined ranks.

The Raleigh New-Observer has the following to say of Wm. R. Allen who will succeed Spier Whitaker as Superior court Judge:

Along about 1858 Mr. William Allen, a prominent member of a influential family of Wake county moved to Duplin county, where he was held in high esteem. There his son William R. Allen was born March 26th, 1860. In 1881 Mr. Allen moved to Goldsboro, and his sons, O. H. Allen, who is now the Solicitor of the Sixth District, and W. R. Allen occompanied him. The lattar was educated at Trinity College and received his license to practice law in 1881, and located at Goldsboro where he formed a partnership with Mr. Dortch. He was a candidate for Judge of this district before the Democratic Convention four years ago, and two years ago was elected to the House from Wayne county. In the proceedings of that body he took a leading part, and soon gained the confidence and esteem of his fellow members of an unusual degree. He is an excellent lawyer and without doubt will adorn the bench. He will be nominated for the full term at the approaching convention.

At the county counvention of Iredell Saturday all old county officers were renominated and J. B. Holman endorsed for State Senator. In the congressional race Turner received 53 votes and Henderson 35⅞ and Overman ⅛. The ballot for Judge resulted in 61⅞ for Armfield and 24⅛ for Long. L. C. Caldwell was unanimously endorsed for Solicitor, but as Mr. Means had received a few votes in the county Mr. Caldwell asked that Mr. Means be given credit for these votes in the district convention.

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A Talk About Money.

From the Cincinatti Enquirer.

The motive for dissevering the relation of silver and gold in Great Britain is perfectly well understood and has never been questioned. All the rest of the world was indebted to England, and to make all money obligations payable in the scarcer and dearer metal practically doubled the value of the obligations she held agaisnt the balance of mankind. This today is the confessed and avowed reason for her refusal to join in our international conference to establish the coinage of both metals at an agreed ratio.

In 1873 silver was stealthily demonetized in the United States at the instance of the holders of American securities abroad and at home. The result of this rascally act was to appreciate the purchasing and debt-paying power of gold. Bondholders and bankers enjoyed a rich harvest, while the debtor class and the wealth producing classes have had a harvest of disasters, which have not yet been fully gathered in. To prevent a return to the old order of things and to make a divergence between silver and gold in their coinage value as wide as possible, and render the gulf impassable congress was induced to authorize and sanction contracts made payable only in gold, repudiating all other kinds of legal tender.

This is a good place to say that the repeal of that gold contract law will go very far toward bridging the gulf between the coinage value of the two money metals. What a spectacle for the civilized world to see a great nation authorizing by law its subjects to make a distincition in the legal tender function of its money! No respectable court, from that of a justice of the peace to that of chief justice of the United States will ever sanction the constitutionality of that law. A judgment on a gold mortgage or promissory note can be constitutionally discharged by offering in paymentany legal tender coin of the United States. Will a court say to a judgment creditor, if you pay in silver you must hand over two dollars for one, or whatever may be the difference between the Wall street value of the two coins?

Will any court understand to say that the lessee of a ninety-nine year lease, renewable forever, executed and delivered in 1860, in consideration of the quarterly payment of $100 must pay $200 quarterly if silver is tendered? The payment was to be made in dollars, and the legal dollar was in silver. The grantor and gratee run the risk of appreciation or depreciation in the value of the land and the purchasing power of the land and the purchasing power of the silver dollar down to the time of the expiration of the lease. But neither runs the risk of receiving a less or greater number of dollars.

Any considerable divergence in the value of two substances at an established ratio must be the result of unfriendly legislation. The coinage value of the two substances, silver and gold, is purely a creation of law.

Invested with the attributes of money the effect of a rise and fall of the precious metals is peculiar to themselves. The price of money metals remains the same. Other articles rise and fall according to their abundance or scarcity. Money metals as compared with themselves never vary in price. Twenty-five and eight-tenths gains of gold is worth a dollar, coined or uncoined, adding, of course, the cost of coining. Three hundred and seventy-one and a quarter grains of pure silver, adding the cost of coinage, is a dollar without regard in either case to the abundance or scarcity of the metal.

If the metal is abundant or scarce it may affect the price of all other articles, theprice of land or of labor. We simply mean to say that the price of silver or gold in reference to themselves is always the same. If a gold mountain was discovered as large as Mont Blanc, 25. 8 grains would still be a dollar. It would affect the price of everything except itself. What money will buy depends upon two considerations: first, its abundance or scarcity and second, the supply and demand of the objets of desire have seek.

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Negroes on Railroads.

The Supreme Court of the United States will have to settle a new question as to the rights of negroes on railroad trains.

Nearly all the Southern States have laws providing separate cars for white people and negroes and requiring the races to be kept separate on passenger trains.

The Supreme Court has affirmed the right of State to enforce laws of this sort within their own limits.

A case has come up recently which involves the question whether a State can apply such a regulation to inter-state commerce.

A negro and his wife started from an Indiana town to a point in Kentucky. Their tickets called for first class passage and they took seats in "the ladies' car."

When they reached Kentucky they were told that they must move into the car provided for negroes. They refused to do so and were put off the train. They brought suit against the railroad and the case was tried before Judge Barr, of the United States court for Kentucky.

The court held that while Kentucky might enact and enforce such a law regarding people traveling only over lines within the limits of that State, it interferes with inter-state commerce when it dictates to people coming from another State. The case will be carried to the Supreme Court and the final decision will be awaited with interest.

The Dispensaries to Open August 1.

Charlotte News.

These who seem to have the inside facts, say that on August 1st, Tillman's dispensary law will be again in operation in South Carolina. This will be brought about by a change in the Supreme court bench. A new man is to be put on, about July 28th, and the former decision of the court will be reversed. Tillman has all the dispensaries stocked and still retains the old officers, and can resume business on a day's notice. It is said that when the dispensaries open up, they will not interfere with the sale of beer. That malt product is being freely and openly dispensed all over the State.

A Weekly Weather Crop Bulletin.

The reports of Weekly Weather Crop Bulletin, issued by the North Carolina State Weather Service, for the week ending Monday July 9th, 1894, indicate that another unusually favorable week has passed. The temperature has been slightly below the normal, with three cool nights towards the latter part of the week, but days have been sfficiently warm. The amount of sunshine has been below the normal. The rain-fall has been very abundant and in the shape of gentle showers without hail or wind. The rains have been excessive only over a few of the coast counties. Crops were just in the right condition to be benefited by rains, and their growth and present condition is gratifying.

WESTERN DISTRICT.—Less rain has fallen in this district than in others but there has been sufficient for the requirements of crops and improvement continues in all directions. Cotton now blooming. Corn mostly laid by, large crop of late corn planted. Large crop of field-peas being planted. Some spring oats cut, but largest part remaining to be cut. Threshing wheat going on: yield poor as before reported. Irish potatoes good, and sweet potatoes growing well. Rains reported: Maiden, 1.25 inches; Salisbury, 0.82; Edneyville, 1.30 Smith's Ford, 1.05; Charlotte, 1.27; Saxon, 0.85; Davidson, 0.99; Mt. Pleasant, 0.96; Oak Forest, 2.40; Mocksville, 2.08; Helton, 1.20; Lynn, 0.93; Concorn, 0.12.

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The Atlanta Constitution publishes an interview with Mr. Samuel Spencer the president of the new Southern Railway Company, in which he says that there will be two main divisions of the new system. The old Richmond & Danville system will constitute the eastern division with Capt. W. H. Greene as general manager and the old East Tennessee, Virginia & Georgia system will be the western division with Mr. Henderson, of Knoxville, Tenn., as general manager. He states that all headquarters will remain as they are for the present, that the law requires that the headquarters of the eastern division (The R. & D.) shall remain at Richmond but that the road will still be operated from Washington. All old officers will be retained and given positions as far as is practicable but that by the consolidation the force will be materially reduced. The Georgia Central cannot be incorporated with the new system for the present on account of complications.—Charlotte Observer.

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IS DEBS DEMENTED?

New York World.

Is Eugene V. Debs responsible for his actions, or, indeed, is any man who once suffered from dipsomania a competent leader of his fellowman?

This is a question now agitating some people in this city who are acquainted with the president of the American railway Union and leader of the Western strikers.

Debs came to New York a few months ago to be treated for alcoholism. He was at that time a physical wreck, and when under the influence of liquor a victim of hallucinations. He came with a letter of introduction from Col Robert G. Ingersoll to Dr. T. S. Robertson of No. 28 East Twentieth street, the specialist in disorders of the nervous system, who was at that time devoting most of his attention to diseases resulting from the excessive use of stimulants. What Dr. Robertson thinks of Debs' attitude in the present situation may be judged from the following telegram, which he sent last Thursday evening to his former patient:

"As your friend and physician, I emplore you to stop where you are. The condition of your nervous system and the great strain upon it make you irresponsible for your own orders. Yours, in friendship,

T. S. R."

To this telegram Dr. Robertson has received no reply. He said yesterday that Debs had been treated for neurasthenia—nerve weakness—and dipsomania, and that he was practically a physical wreck when he came here from the West for treatment. At that time Debs had visited a brother-in-law living somewhere on Lexington avenue, and had been accompanied by his wife, whom Dr. Robertson described as a charming woman.

Dr. Robertson, while loth to speak of a former patient, said that he had sent the telegram not only in the interest of Debs, but believing that it would hasten the end of the present excitement.

"The continuous strain to which he is subjected," said Dr. Robertson yesterday, "cannot but affect hinervous system and the soundness of his judgment. In moments of excitement he is liable to be carried away by his own enthusiasm; and his judgment of men and affairs necessarily must be mistaken."

"What was his condition when he came to New York?"

"He was all broken down," replied Dr. Robertson. "He was suffering from nervous prostration as a result of excessive use of stimulants. He was earnestly desirous of reforming, and he cheerfully submitted to treatment. At the end of a month he appeared to be cured, and he returned to the West. Some months ago I received a letter from him saying the cure had been permanent up to that time. Debs struck me as a man of very high intelligence in his lucid moments. He was, however, filled with enthusiasm for the cause of labor, and he had the most optimistic views of the future. He told me all about his work in editing a labor paper, and he appeared to belong to any number of societies. Unquestionably the man was sincere in all he said and did, but his sanguine temperament and the amount of work he put upon himself finally led to the use of stimulants, and these taken in excess brought on nervous prostration."

"Is he a man of sound judgement?"

"In ordinary times, yes, but he is likely to be carried away by excitement and enthusiasm. The present strike cannot but collapse. The sooner it is over the better it will be for Debs. He ought to know himself well enough to understond that excitement of this kind is bad for him. I telegraphed him in the hope that he might be made stop where he was.

"I do not know that he had ever had any return of the nervous disorder for which he was treated here, but when he went back to Terre Hante I cautioned him against any undue excitement as well as abstention from liquor I think he told me he was an Alsatian by descent. He was a great admirer of Col. Ingersoll, whom I think he knew in the West. He used to rail against monopolies, and declare that a time of reckoning would soon be at hand. I do not know that he was ever in New York before he came to me."

"What is neurosthenia?"

"Neurasthenia may be defined as a condition of nervous debility suppose to be dependent upon impairment in the functions of the spinal cord.

Col. Ingersoll was at his summer home in Dobbs Ferry yesterday Debs made the acquaintance of very few local labor leaders when under treatment by Dr. Robertson. He devoted his time while here to getting cured of his nervous trouble, avoiding excitement of all kinds, and when he was discharged by his physician he returned to the West

Terre Haute, Ind., July 8.—President Eugene V. Debs, of the American Railway Union, is a graduate of the Keeley Bichloride of Gold Institute, of Dwight, Ill., and is president of one of the associations formed of graduates for union purposes. He presided at a re-union of graduates at Chicago a year or so ago, and his speech was printed in the Chicago newspapers at the time, in which he paid a glowing tribute to the work of the institute in reclaiming those addicted to drink. He had in years past indulged in occasional sprees here at home, and it was to cure himself of this weakness that he went to Dwight.

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