

NATIONAL DEMOCRATIC TICKET.

FOR PRESIDENT: WILLIAM J. BRYAN, of Nebraska.

STATE DEMOCRATIC TICKET.

FOR GOVERNOR: CYRUS B. WATSON, of Forsyth.

CONGRESSIONAL TICKET.

1st District—W. H. Lucas, of Hyde.

of the Atlantic, said in a letter published some time ago that being a European, although a bimetalist, he was opposed to the free and unlimited coinage of silver by this country, but if he were an American, and viewing the question from an American standpoint, he would favor it.

Here are the opinions of three distinguished European financiers, all admitted to be good authority and quoted as such even by gold standard advocates in this country, declaring that if they were Americans they would be now found battling for the restoration of silver, which was demonetized in 1873, and expressing the full conviction that we can not only maintain our silver at a parity with gold, but can force other nations to follow our example, all of which we and others who contend for free silver firmly believe.

BIMON MENTION.

The McKinley Aid Society closed its business at Indianapolis with the nomination of Senator John M. Palmer, of Illinois, for President, and Gen. Simon Bolivar Buckner, of Kentucky, for Vice President. Gen. Bragg, one of the few aspirants to fame, was conspicuous mainly for the weakness he showed when the balloting took place. But this will not have the effect of lessening Gen. Bragg's high estimate of himself. It may be incidentally remarked here that Kentucky captured the Aid Society, but whether this was due to the fascinating Col. W. C. P. Breckinridge, who has recently recovered his "conscience," and who used to be known as "the silver-tongued" orator, or through the imposing name of Simon Bolivar Buckner, we do not know, but Kentucky was in it and carried off the doubtful honor of the nomination of two Kentuckians, for Senator Palmer was born and reared in Kentucky. Senator Palmer is a gentleman who, by the way, like the distinguished candidate Guthrie of our State, has been long in turn to all the parties. Before the war he was a Democrat, during the war he was what was known as a war Democrat, after the war he became a Republican and then he relapsed into Democracy, now he is variegating his Democracy again and posing as a "sound money" Democrat with saffron decorations. He is the same gentleman who was elected to the United States Senate with the aid of the two Populist votes in the Legislature which gave him votes enough to elect him, on the understanding that he was for silver, and now he thinks he is doing himself honor in opposing what he then favored, and denouncing the party which he then courted and whose votes sent him to the Senate, for he never could have got there without those votes. Gen. Buckner is chiefly conspicuous in this connection for his opposition to free silver in the last campaign in Kentucky, and for being driven out of the race for the U. S. Senatorship by Joe Blackburn. These are the two gentlemen who were put up as victims by the Indianapolis McKinley Aid Society.

SPIRITS TURPENTINE.

Williamston News: Died in Williamston, at the home of her daughter, Mrs. Geo. Blount, on the 27th inst., Mariet Gainer, in the 80th year of her age.

Goldboro Argus: A fire at Warsaw Tuesday night destroyed the business houses of Mr. L. P. Best and Mr. C. B. Hussey. The loss could not be ascertained or the amount of insurance.

Monroe Enquirer: Farmers are justly incensed at the cotton tie trust. The trust has advanced the price of ties and now the farmers in some sections of the country are suffering from the loss of their ties. There have been more cases of petty larceny tried at this term of court than at any other term within our memory. All that was stolen by the dozen rogues tried was not worth more than fifteen dollars. The county was put to near one hundred dollars cost to convict a colored boy for stealing a lemon.

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TWINKLINGS.

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PUBLIC SPEAKING.

HON. THOMAS J. JARVIS. Hon. Thomas J. Jarvis will address the people at the following times and places: Lumberton, Saturday, Sept. 5.

APPOINTMENTS WILMINGTON DISTRICT.

W. S. Bone, Presiding Elder. Clinton circuit, Kendall's, September 5.

WATER NOT POPULAR.

A Medical View of Its Use Three Centuries Ago. It needed a very long man to resist the medical testimony of three centuries ago against water drinking. Few writers can be found to give a good word for it. One or two who were concerned to maintain the status quo when in early life, it may be pretty freely drunk with impunity, and they quote the curious instance given by Sir Thomas Elyot in his "Castle of Health," 1541, of the Cornish men, "many of the poorer sort, which never, or very seldom, drink any other drink, but without stinting of body and like and well will they be of great age."

But the most formal indictment against water is that of Yonon, who writing in 1623, ponderously pronounces "to dwellers in cold countries it doth very greatly do their appetites, destroy the natural heat and quickness of the blood, and consequently confounding the concoction is the cause of crudities, flatulencies and windiness in the body."

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Cholly—"I say, Harry, d'you think your sister knows that I am here?" Harry—"I'm sure she does, 'ens she gave me a penny to wait about and tell her that the drawing process is finished."

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Wholesale Prices Current.

Table listing various commodities and their prices, including flour, sugar, and other goods.

COMMERCIAL.

WILMINGTON MARKET. STAR OFFICE, September 4. SPIRITS TURPENTINE.—Market quiet at 2 1/2 cents per gallon for malted.

CRUDE TURPENTINE.—Quiet. Hard 1.30, Yellow Dip 1.55, Virgin 1.65 per barrel.

RECEIPTS. Spirit Turpentine..... 185 Rosin..... 287 Crude Turpentine..... 413

COTTON.

Market firm. Quotations: Ordinary..... 6 1/2 cts @ 10 Good Ordinary..... 6 1/2 " " Low Middling..... 7 1/2 " " Good Middling..... 7 13-16 " "

COTTON AND NAVAL STORES.

WEEKLY STATEMENT. For week ended Sept. 4, 1896. Cotton, Spirits, Rosin, Turp. Crude.

DOMESTIC MARKETS.

NEW YORK, September 4.—Evening.—Money on call today was steady at 3 1/2 cents; last loan at 3, closing offered at 3 per cent.

ARRIVED.

ITALY. Genoa, 404 tons, Arqua-mata, Banca. Sch. Anna L. Lockwood, 321 tons, Clark, Boston, Geo. Harris, Son & Co.

COTTON MARKETS.

September 4.—Galveston, Sept. 4, receipts 5,729 bales. Norfolk, firm at 7 1/2; net receipts 1,194 bales.

FOREIGN MARKETS.

LIVERPOOL, Sept. 4.—19.30 P. M.—Cotton market quiet and price firm. American middling 4 1/16, 4 1/16, 4 1/16.

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MARINE DIRECTORY.

List of Vessels in Port of Wilmington, N. C., Sept. 5, 1896. Thomas N. Stone, 375 tons, Newcomb, Geo. Harris, Son & Co.

BRIGS.

James Brown, 385 tons, Chase, Geo. Harris, Son & Co.

MAXTON BUILDING.

Attention of investors in Wilmington is called to the fact that the mortgage portfolio on Six Series of Stock in this Association has been over Fourteen Per Cent.

LOAN ASSOCIATION.

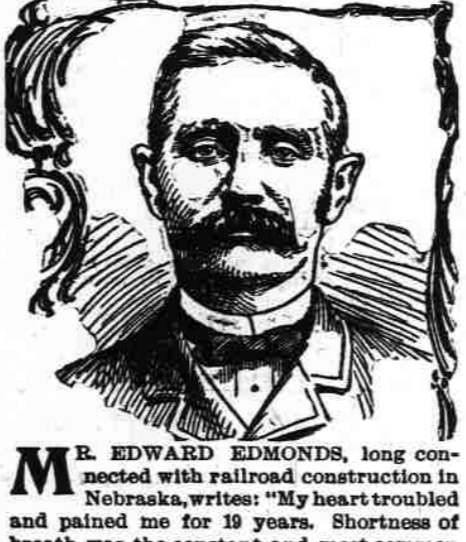
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A SPLENDID MEETING.

Yesterday we referred in a brief editorial to the splendid work being done by Democratic speakers in this campaign, and the great interest shown by the people in attending Democratic meetings in such large numbers, although we are only on the threshold of the campaign.

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