TOM SETTLE ON SILVER

BABY CONGRESSMAN MAKES FUN OF THE NON-PARTISAN CONVENTION.

AND TALKS FRANKLY ABOUT FUSION

He Says he Believes it Would be a Most Disastrous Thing for the Republicans to Co-Operate With the Populists on the Silver Question or in Support of a Fusion Electoral Ticket--Says Republicans Only Combined With Populists to get a New Election Law.

Special to the News and Observer.

WASHINGTON, D. C., Sept. 27.

Mr. Thomas Settle, who was elected to Congress last November by the Fusionists in the Fifth District, has been making a great deal of fun of the Silver Convention in Raleigh. He was interviewed yestderday by the Washington correspondent of the New York Tribune. He spoke with great frankness about the fusion movement in the State. The interview in full is as follows:

"What about the political situation in North Carolina?" asked a Tribune correspondent to-day in conversation with Representative Settle, of that State, who had just arrived in Washington.

"Well, it is somewhat peculiar and not altogether satisfactory," was the reply. Mr. Settle continued: "There are some men in the State who have been strong Republicans in the past—men like Dr. Mott, formerly chairman of the Republican State Committee, for example—who have allied themselves with the Populists so closely that they have virtually espoused the doctrines of that party, and they are active participants in the so-called non-partisan free silver movement, whose leaders have called a 'convention,' which assembled in Raleigh Wednesday. The movement was initiated by two ex-chairmen of the Democratic State Committee, and one of the men who signed the call was Governor Carr. Ex Governor Jarvis is also actively interested. A call was also issued by Senator Marion Butler in behalf of the Populists, and when I left home the prospect was that the Populists would control the 'convention.' I do not believe that many Republicans of prominence or influence will take part in or openly approve the proceedings of the 'convention' it the result should be a declaration in favor of the free and unlimited coinage, but there are others whose sympathies are strongly in favor of it."

"How is the convention constituted? Will it be composed of delegates regularly chosen?"

"Oh, no; no credentials are required; the delegates are self chosen—'non partisan volunteers,' so to speak—and yet they represent the Populist party, a majority of the Democratic party and a small fraction of the Republican party of the State. The Populists have two strings to their bow. If they can swallow the Democratic party almost bodily their political appetite will probably be satisfied. If they fail to do that, they will be eager enough to swallow as much of the Republican party as possible. One of their schemes is to have the Republicans divide the electoral ticket with them next year. Senator Pritchard, who has recently been making free silver speeches from the same platfrom with Senator Butler and other Populist leaders at meetings called by Populists, is in favor of the scheme. So is ex-Congressman Russell, who is a free silver Republican, and who desires to be a fusion candidate for Governor. Ex-Congressman Dockery, who also wants to be nominated for Governor, is noncommittal and anxious not to do anything that might provoke the opposition of the Populists and the free silver men in the Republican party."

"How do the Republican Representatives-elect stand?" asked the correspondent.

"Well, I, of course, am strongly opposed to free and unlimited coinage, and I am quite as strongly opposed to any and every proposition to divide the electoral ticket between the Republicans and Populists. Mr. Pearson, of the ninth district, and Mr. Linney, of the eighth district, are both opposed to a division of the electoral ticket, and are not as yet committed in favor of free silver coinage, as I understand. Chairman Holton, of the Republican State Committee, and Messrs. Boyd, Keogh and other prominent and influential members of the party, are strongly opposed to both propositions."

"How does the Republican State Committee stand in regard to these questions?"

"Well, a number of the members are favorably disposed towards free silver, but I presume that the majority are opposed to it—or if not, they will not declare themselves in advance of some official expression by the National organization. Mr. Cowles, the North Carolina member of the Republican National committee, is as strongly opposed to the free and unlimited coinage of silver and to a fusion on the National ticket as I am. It was one thing for the Republicans of North Carolina to co-operate with the Populists in order to enact laws that would give us fair and honest elections and to carry out certain other necessary reforms within the State. It would be a very different thing, and I believe a most disastrous thing for the Republicans of that State to co operate or ally themselves with the Populists on the silver question or in the support of a fusion electoral ticket. Why, for twenty years we have been fighting for a reform of the election laws, and saying that that was all the Republican party in North Carolina needed to set it on its feet and enable it to win political victories. Now we have succeeded in enacting election legislation which was designed to give all parties an equal chance, and which we believe will accomplish that object. The Republicans and Populists worked together to make that legislation possible, and to enact it. That was a measure in support of which Republicans could well afford to join hands with Populists, Democrats and everybody else who favored honest and fair elections. Nay, it was their duty to do so.

"But what is now proposed by the Republican and ex-Republican advocates of free silver coinage and a fusion electoral ticket is something that seems to me every true Republican in North Carolina ought to oppose with all his power and influence. Such a policy, if successful, would virtually destroy our party organization in the State. It would, in fact, be to sink it in the Populist party organization. Moreover, such a course would inevitably deprive the struggling Republican party of North Carolina of the sympathy and encouragement of that party in other parts of the country—a loss which we could by no means afford. I am a Republican because I believe in the principles and doctrines of my party. I do not believe that the party, as a National party, is in favor of free and unlimited silver coinage under present circumstances and conditions, nor do I believe that it would approve or countenance an alliance or fusion with the Populists of North Carolina on that or any other question to the extent of consenting to a division of the electoral ticket, as some of our friends propose."

"Do you think there is any danger that such a policy will be adopted by the Republicans of North Carolina?"

"Well, I hope not; perhaps I can say I believe not, but it seems to me that the facts in regard to the situation in that State as many of us believe and know them to be, should be made known."

HIS BOND WAS TOO SMALL.

Jail Was the Place for Thomas—Can a Town Tax Local Drummers?

Special to the News and Observer.

WINSTON-SALEM, N. C., Sept. 27.

Mr. Howard E. Rondthaler, son of Bishop Rondthaler, of Salem, left yesterday for the Moravian Theological Seminary at Bethlehem, Pa. He will complete his course this session. Upon his return here he will be ordained into the ministry. Mr. Rondthaler is a bright young man and an active Christian worker.

A man by the name of Thomas, living near Haystack, Surry county, was sent to jail a few days ago in default of $1,000 bond. The charge against him is a criminal assault on the wife of Esquire G. L. Atkins, of Stewart Creek township.

Joshua Tucker, aged 83 years, and Highly Johnson, aged 77, were united in marriage this week. The colored couple live in Surry county, and the old man hobbled into the court house on two crutches when he called for his license.

Mr. Geo. R. Quincy, of West Point, Va., who formerly conducted the Buford Hotel, in Charlotte, has leased the Blue Ridge Inn, at Mt. Airy, and will take charge of it in the near future.

Rev. T. M. Johnson, of Henderson, president of the Christian Endeavor Union of the North Carolina Methodist Protestant Church, addressed a rally at the church of the denomination here last night. Other young people's societies were in attendance.

The next term of the Superior Court here will be asked to say whether this city has the power or right to tax local drummers or agents. A young Winston man, representing a Greensboro tailor, was up before Mayor Gray last evening on the charge of doing business without license. He declined to accept the decision of His Honor and appealed to the higher court.

The marriage of Miss Louie Fisher and Mr. T. F. Alexander, of Salem, will be celebrated in the Moravian church next Tuesday at 7:15 p. m.

THE A. & N. C. RAILROAD.

The 41st Annual Meeting of the Stockholders at Morehead.

Newbern Journal.

The 41st annual meeting of the stockholders of the Atlantic and North Carolina Railroad Company was held at Morehead Thursday Sept. 32.h, it being the fourth Thursday of the month, the regular time for the meeting.

The proxy committee reported that there were 3,631 shares, a majority of the individual stock and more than ten individual stockholders and the State proxy present.

The proxies were, Dempsey Wood, 307 votes; L. H Cutler, 170 votes; J. M. Morehead, 152 votes; W. S Chadwick, 420 votes; S L. Dill, one vote. Total 1,050.

The Governor, reposing confidence in the old Board of Directors, had reappointed the same members on behalf of the State. One, however, Mr. W. T. Cabo, declining to serve again, his place was filled by Mr. C. H. Fowler, of Pamlico county, making the list of directors on the part of the State stand now as follows: W. S. Chadwick, C. H. Fowler, Enoch Wordsworth, Samuel W. Latham, C. E Foy, Charles Dewey, W. L Kennedy and W. W Carraway.

The secretary, on motion, cast the ballot of the meeting for the directors on the part of the stockholders, as follows: L. H. Cutler, John M. Morehead, T. D. Webb and Dempsey Wood.

The secretary likewise cast the ballot for Thomas Daniels, S. S. Wooten and E. B. Hackburn as the members of the Finance Committee.

He also cast the ballot for the Proxy Committee, the same as before, as follows: Arnold Borden, L. Harvey, B. F. Aycock, J. W. Grainger and J. H. Davis.

The next annual meeting will be held at Morehead City a year from now.

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JOE SMITH VS. THE BIBLE.

The Doings of the Mormons in Wake and Harnett Counties.

Special to the News and Observer.

VARINA, N. C., Sept. 27.

About the first of the year two Mormon elders made their appearance in the vicinity of Varina, Wake county, who went from house to house among the poorer and the more ignorant classes, distributing their literature and preaching in school houses and at other places where they were permitted, for some time. They made Durham Smith's, in Middle Creek township, their headquarters and spent much of their time there. Their number increased from two to seven, and as many as six or seven have frequently been there at the same time. They held a protracted meeting at Rawls' school house, in Harnett county, last week, preaching two sermons a day for six days, and yesterday they baptized into the Mormon faith nine who formerly belonged to the Baptist church.

These Elders claim the powers of the Apostles of old and claim that by the laying on of hands they can cure diseases and cause the Holy Christ to descend upon the subject. They declare that all of the present age who do not "Come up out of the dust, and be baptised in the faith of the latter days saints, and have hands laid on their heads, and receive the Holy Ghost will surely go to hell." They preach that immersion is essential to salvation and that the ministers of no other church, have ever been commissioned to administer the ordinance. They say the thief on the cross never went to Heaven and only those who accept their system of religion will be saved and that the book of James Smith is the word of God. Strange as it may seem they have a following here that is astonishing.

Governor Carr as a Preacher.

When Gov. Carr of North Carolina was a boy he used to go to preaching Sunday mornings and in the afternoon the negroes on his father's plantation would assemble in a grove near the house and young Carr would repeat the sermon he had heard in the morning, much to the edification and comfort of the darkies.—Danville Register.

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