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THE MARKET.

RUMOR LEE'S REPORT WILL NECESSITATE EXTRA SESSION OF CONGRESS.

Prices Broke Sharply on Account of the Scare.—Rumor of a War-Like Message from Cleveland.

NEW YORK, Oct. 27.—Wall Street was badly frightened this afternoon by a rumor that the report of Consul General Fitzhugh Lee, regarding the conditions of affairs in Cuba, is of such a character that if the recommendations are adopted will necessitate an extra session of Congress. Consul General Lee will soon return from Cuba, it is supposed to make a special report to President Cleveland.

The rumor said that President Cleveland would call an extra session of Congress to consider Cuban affairs and would send to the extra session a ringing war-like message.

The market broke strongly on these reports, and prices in a number of stocks fell sharply.

Sugar was the principal loser.

NEGROES NOW WAIST HIGH.

And in Two More Years Will be On Top—What Leary is Reported to Have Said.

It is reported that J. S. Leary, the colored lawyer of Charlotte, told the negroes Friday night at W. C. Black's place in Morning Star township that the negroes of Crab Orchard had agreed to whip any negro in that township that voted the Democratic ticket, and he wanted the negroes of Morning Star to make the same agreement.

He is reported also to have said that the negroes are waist-high now, and in two years more would be on top.

HUNTING THE EGG THROWER.

Insult to Bryan the Theme of Conversation in Chicago.

CHICAGO, Ill., Oct. 28.—The chief theme of discussion among all classes here today is the throwing of eggs at Mr. and Mrs. Bryan during the parade last night. The insult is universally condemned.

Mr. Powers, the owner of the building from which the eggs were thrown is profuse in his apologies and offers his aid in every way to find the culprit.

ODDS CHANGED IN A DAY.

Betting Even on Bryan To-Day—Even That He Will Carry New York.

NEW YORK, Oct. 26.—The betting about the Hoffman House and Gilsey House which has been generally two and three to one on McKinley, has changed in favor of Bryan, who is now bringing even money. Bets were also placed even today that he will now carry New York. The odds have been as high as five to one against him.

RUN ON SUB-TREASURY.

Gold in San Francisco Treasury Saved Only by Aid from Chicago.

SAN FRANCISCO, Oct. 27.—The Sub-Treasury here has just pulled through a serious run, which threatened to annihilate its gold reserve, and leave it without a dollar with which to redeem the greenbacks that poured in over the counters.

Timely aid came from Chicago and saved the outpouring of the twelve millions of a few months ago which is now reduced to four millions.

Stevenson Overcome by Heat.

CHICAGO, Oct. 28.—Vice President Stevenson, who was overcome by the heat and compelled to withdraw from the stage at the Bryan meeting last night, was assisted to his hotel by a policeman. No physician was summoned and this morning he is greatly improved.

CHAIRMAN MANLY'S PREDICTION.

"I have received reports from nearly all the counties in the State. There is the largest registration ever had in North Carolina, and the vote, if cast, will be in excess of 300,000. The gain in the white vote has exceeded that in the black vote, even as the registration now stands. From almost every county comes the news of strong Democratic organization, and if I can rely on the reports of several of the leading Democrats from different sections who have been at the headquarters this week, our folks are waking up to splendid work. Especially is this activity noticed in the plain Democratic workers and the young men.

"Bryan will carry this State by over 30,000. Our State ticket is as certain to be elected as it is that November will come, if the fraudulent registration of negroes is prevented being voted against us, and the Democrats, who are now registered, will vote."

VOTE FOR NO GOLD BUGS.

Maj. Guthrie's Ringing Address to the People's Party Voters.

Maj. William A. Guthrie, Populist candidate for governor, has issued the following address to the People's party voters of North Carolina:

Will you now, the eve of the election, desert your party flag and the principles you profess to love? Will you be allured into the camp of Mark Hanna and politically slaughtered? I refuse to believe it, and will not be convinced to the contrary until your votes shall be counted and returned. Will you take the earnest advice, and listen to this last appeal, of him whom you honored with your confidence at our last State convention by nominating as your choice for the office of Governor? Will you fail to vote for each and every elector on the Bryan presidential ticket? Will you vote for a gold bug to represent you in the next Congress of the United States? Will you throw away your votes for a Congressman upon Populist "decoys" in the fifth and ninth congressional districts and thereby help to elect gold bugs instead of free silver Congressmen in those districts? Will you vote for members of the General Assembly pledged to support Senator Pritchard or any other gold bug Republican for a seat in the Senate of the United States? These are questions of vital importance to us as a political party which you can only answer with your ballots and your personal influence. I beg, I beseech, I implore you, as you love your party and the principles you profess, and which we have taught the people are based upon the sound principles of patriotic constitutional government, stand in the crisis by the principles and teachings of the People's party, or else prepare yourselves to see your party go to pieces and become a by word and a reproach among men.

Have you forgotten so soon the principle laid down at our State convention only two years ago? Are you mindful of the fact that if you vote for Col. Douglas for a Supreme Court judge you will do so in direct violation of that principle, and give to the Republican party three members out of five of the Supreme Court justices? Will you do it? If by your votes you elect Col. Douglas, a Republican, instead of Hon. A. C. Avery, the sitting member of the Supreme Court, and thereby give the Republicans a majority of the Supreme Court, then let every People's party man in North Carolina hang his head in shame and never again advocate a non-partisan judiciary. There is only one Superior Court judge to be voted for at this election, and he is to fill a vacancy in the fifth judicial district, where I myself reside. No People's party lawyer has been nominated for that office. My neighbor, friend and fellow townsman, Mr. James S. Manning, of Durham, is the Democratic candidate for that office. I know Mr. Manning to be a learned lawyer of many years' practice, and a gentleman of integrity and high personal character. His opponent is the Republican clerk of Caswell county. Unless you are prepared to renounce the wholesome principle of a non-partisan judiciary, I ask you to vote for Mr. Manning and see to it that his name is on your ticket, or if not, scratch Mr. Spencer Adams and put it there. Let me caution you to be careful to read the names on your tickets before they are put into the ballot boxes. My People's party friends, think

on these things, and before it is too late ask yourselves the question. What is right? have the manhood to go to the polls next Tuesday and do the right thing, honestly and fearlessly. I beg to assure you that as to my personal candidacy for Governor it gives me little concern what the result is to my own election or defeat may be; but the future status of the People's party in North Carolina and the right decision of the vital questions of government policy, State and National, involved in this political contest, cause me the deepest anxiety. As you love your country, your neighbors, your families and your dearest interests, and would restore prosperity and happiness to the whole people, show yourselves as patriotic at the polls next Tuesday as all true Populists have heretofore professed to be. Let us show to the world that we are not a gang of professional office-seekers, but a band of political patriots, moved to action by love of country and a proper conception of the duties and responsibilities, as well as the privileges of American citizenship. Holy Writ and human experience both alike teach us that "a tree is known by its fruit," and "a man's acts speak louder than words." Let us prove our political faith by our political acts.

EGGS THROWN AT BRYAN.

Chicago Hoodlums Try to Insult the Champion of Silver.

CHICAGO, Oct. 27.—A conquering hero returning home from victories galore could not have been more royally welcomed than was William J. Bryan on his arrival in Chicago this afternoon. The enthusiasm was remarkable.

It was just before Mr. Bryan reached the armory building on the lake front that the only incident that marred the demonstration occurred. A number of eggs were thrown in the direction of his carriage from the Metropolitan Business college on the fourth floor of a building situated on the north side of Monroe street, near the corner of Michigan avenue. None of the missiles reached the candidate or his wife, but several members of the reception committee marching beside them suffered. Daniel J. McMahon, a lawyer; Sol Van Praag, a well-known ward politician; James Traynor and J. R. Payne were among those who exhibited yellow stains on their clothing to a reporter of the Southern Associated Press.

MRS. CLEVELAND'S NARROW ESCAPE

Her Carriage Horses Fell While She Was Out Driving.

WASHINGTON, Oct. 29.—Mrs. Cleveland and an unknown lady had a narrow escape from serious accident while out driving yesterday. One of the horses attached to the carriage fell, and after recovering plunged frightfully and ran away. With great difficulty the coachman held them down. Mrs. Cleveland sat calmly in the carriage while the horses plunged and reared.

Mr. Beattie's Barn Burned.

The barn of S. W. Beattie in Paw Creek township was burned at midnight last night, and seven cows and five horses were burned to death. He thinks it was the work of an incendiary.

THE CLOSING RALLY.

CAMPAIGN TO END IN A BLAZE OF ENTHUSIASM.

Committees at Work Arranging for the Speaking and Torchlight Procession Monday Night.—All Democrats Invited.

It is said that one feature of the big Democratic rally here Monday night will be the reading of the famous Bryan speech that swept the Chicago convention.

Subscriptions to the fund for the torchlight procession, that will be one of the features of the evening, are now being received.

The closing rally of the campaign is under the auspices of the Workingmen's Democratic Club.

The Workingmen's Club held an enthusiastic meeting at the court house Tuesday night. The room was crowded, and the speakers liberally applauded.

Mr. Heriot Clarkson, Democratic candidate for the House, spoke to the club, devoting most of his speech to county issues. He said if Mecklenburg sent this fusion ticket to the Legislature it had just as well not send any, for two were for gold and two professed to be for silver.

He denounced the local Populist politicians for consorting with negroes and drawing the color line. The present election law favors the negro and discriminates against the poor white man, he claimed, and denounced Judge Russell for the hand he had in the making of the new law. Mr. Clarkson announced his intention of supporting the fusion electoral ticket in North Carolina as the only means of carrying the State for Bryan.

"After November 3d," said he, "we can say that Cy Watson has slain his thousands and William J. Bryan his tens of thousands."

He was followed by Mr. William E. Griffin, a commercial traveler, who proceeded to skin Tom Dixon and the preachers who are meddling with politics, and incidentally sneered up Hi Gudger. He is a most earnest advocate of free coinage and made a stirring appeal for Bryan and the white metal.

The Workingmen's Club holds a rally somewhere in the city almost every night, and there is no doubt that the wage-earners of Charlotte are the most enthusiastic workers for Bryan and Democracy.

The committees appointed to arrange for the rally Monday night are at work and the campaign will close in a blaze of Democratic enthusiasm.

To the Voters of Mecklenburg County, N. C.

The Workingmen's League of Charlotte, N. C., invite all the friends of Bryan and free silver to be with us in a great horseback torchlight procession in the city of Charlotte, N. C., on November 2nd. Procession starts at 8 o'clock p. m. Come one, come all.

E. A. McGahey, Chief Marshal. W. F. Elliott, Almer Moody, Henry Culp, S. W. Kirkpatrick, Walter Daniels, assistant marshals. First Ward, Almer Moody; second Ward, W. F. Elliott; third Ward, Henry Culp; fourth Ward, S. W. Kirkpatrick, Chief Marshals for each Ward.

All Democratic papers will please copy.

MR. WALTER HENRY'S SPEECH.

What He is Reported to Have Said. Rebuked by a 90-Year-Old Democrat.

A gentleman who said he heard Mr. Walter R. Henry at the bridge on C. street, near the Gingham Mills, reported that he said he had rather the blackest negro in the State would count his vote at the ballot box than the dishonest white Democrats.

About this time Mr. Jerry Mills, the oldest Democrat in the city, raised his stick and said, "Cleveland wouldn't give you an office, and that's what's the matter with you."

Some of the younger men present yelled at him, "Take your hand out of Mark Hanna's barrel and take Fisher Correll from around you, and we'll think you are a Populist."

Speaking of Our Strawberry Blonde.

What's ailing Walter Sorrel Top Henry? We haven't seen anything in the newspapers over his signature in two whole days, nor has he been nominated for any office this whole blessed week. Are all the constable and magistrate places taken?—Monroe Journal.

CHAIRMAN BOGGS TO AYER.

The Honest Silver Populists of the Mountains Will Not Be Driven Like Dumb Animals.

WAYNESVILLE, N. C., Oct. 23, '96.

Hon. Hal W. Ayer, Chairman, Raleigh, North Carolina:

Dear Sir: I notice in the list of candidates of our party published in the Caucasian the name of Hon. Richmond Pearson as candidate for Congress from this district. I do not know by whose authority it was put there. Certainly not with the knowledge or consent of the Populists of this district, who alone have the right to authorize such a statement. The fact that it appears in this paper, the organ of our party in this State, which you manage and the further fact that you are, as I am credibly informed, writing letters to parties in this district urging that the Populists support Mr. Pearson, shows conclusively that it was done with your consent and presumably with that of the committee also.

The Populists of this district deny to any person or persons outside of this district the right to endorse or nominate any person as their representative.

In this case there is another objection and one that is insurmountable. To support Mr. Pearson is to trample on our principles. Our first allegiance is due to principle and we cannot abandon this at the persuasion or dictation of others, no matter what may be their position or authority without surrendering our consciences to the will of others which would degrade us to the level of "dumb driven cattle."

Rebellion do you say? So let it be. All men have an inalienable right to rebel against unjust and dangerous usurpation of authority in party, church or State. To do this is not of necessity to abandon them, but often it is the very best way to preserve and defend them. Resistance to wrong is obedience to God.

Let us take a plain common sense view of this matter. Is it consistent to try to elect Mr. Bryan President and then try to send men to Congress who would antagonize him?

It is only too true that the Democratic party has in the past not only abused us but sometimes persecuted us and is at present acting selfishly and foolishly in some respects, and in some instances not doing justice by the Populists, but let us rise above prejudices and passion and above any spirit of revenge and stand by our principles and do what is best for our distressed country.

I am very happy to be able to say that Mr. Adams has always disapproved and does now disapprove of such misconduct of his party as I have referred to. Shall he be punished for the sins of others?

Yours sincerely,
Geo. E. Boggs,
Chairman Ex. Com. People's Party of the Ninth District

Senator Teller's Re-election Certain.

DENVER, Colo., Oct. 22.—Colorado will not change the complexion of its delegation to Congress at this election unless through some unforeseen cause there should be an overwhelming revulsion of feeling. For the Senate all partisans claim that there is an attempt to be made to secure the defeat of Teller, but this assertion does not seem to have any foundation in fact, and may be set down as a simple canard for the advancement of local ambitions in the State election where the parties are so badly split that their best friends will not be able to vote intelligently without a protracted study of the blanket ballot. They have fused and blended to such an extent that all party lines have been practically wiped out, and the names assumed by the backers of tickets have very little to guide the voter.—Washington Post.

What London Thinks of the Situation in Wheat.

LONDON, Oct. 27.—The Telegraph says, regarding the demand for and supply of wheat: "The stocks of foreign wheat, at the principal British ports are stated to be insufficient to feed the country a fortnight. The slight fall on American Exchanges, Saturday gave the English market a downward tendency, but the opinion of one of the best known corn factors, Mark Lane, is that American wheat will speedily rise with a bang, and the Christmas price be much further enhanced."