NOT CAN BE PLAYED.

It is believed by many that at Morehead, N. C., last summer a trade was made—one of these political kind; handing over certain goods about November next, one year.

It is believed that all this independent movement about silver on the part of Democrats and the continued rumor of fusion of Democrats and Populists and the call inviting silver men, regardless of the political party they belong to, is just the outcome of plans made in the summer. It is further said the candidate of this silver movement for Governor is Col. Jule S Carr; that Ex-Senator Jarvis and some Populists high up in circles will it this way.

Why else should Mr. Jarvis say he would attend the convention if it was a good thing? Why did he advise his Morganton audience to go do what he said? Why? Why?

THE STANDARD don't care if the Populists come back and fuse with Democracy; but if Democracy goes off to fuse with Populists, then it will go without one voter, sure.

THE STANDARD has said it would be glad to see Col. Carr Governor; but he is monkeying around with the silver question, as the reports declare, then THE STANDARD withdraws all its former utterances.

In leaving this subject, has not the Democratic party done enough for Mr. Jarvis to secure his faithful, open, genuine devotion forevermore?

THE ALABAMA PRESS.

The Mobile Register, a very reliable newspaper, says the statement that a majority of the Alabama newspapers favor the free, unlimited and independent coinage of silver is a gross misrepresentation.

There are in Alabama eighty-one Democratic newspapers which stand squarely on the Chicago platform. That is, they favor the use of gold and silver at a parity. They oppose the free and independent coinage of silver at the ratio of 16 to 1 because they believe it would result in silver monometallism.

The Register counts fifty-one Democratic newspapers in Alabama in favor of the immediate free and independent coinage of silver and in this count are included six papers about whose position on the question there is some doubt.

There are twelve Populist papers favoring free coinage at 16 to 1, six independent papers, two labor papers and one Republican paper.

Counting together all the Alabama papers of every description which favor the free and unlimited coinage of silver, the list shows only seventy-seven, or four less than the number of Democratic papers which oppose that policy.

It is quite as probable that public opinion in Alabama is represented by these eighty-one Democratic newspapers as by the free silver politicians in that state.—Atlanta Journal.

IS THE OFFICE UNLUCKY?

The Wilmington Review recalls the interesting fact that every Secretary of State since the Democrats gained North Carolina in 1876 died in office—Englehard, Saunders and Coke. Having this in mind an old friend of Capt. Cook called and said: "I congratulate you upon the appointment, but am sorry that you were not appointed to some other office. Every Secretary of State for twenty years has died in office." This friend might have said that all except Englehard lived to be re-elected, Saunders twice. Capt Cooke will run the risk upon a guarantee of re-election.

KNOW WHEN THEY HAVE ENOUGH

The Philadelphia Ledger, a protectionist paper, lately remarked that the best thing that could happen to the manufacturers just now would be to take the tariff out of politics. There is at least one manufacturing concern that agrees with the Ledger. In answer to a circular of the Proctective Tariff League to ascertain what changes the manufacturers desired to have made in the tariff, the Doe River Woollen Mills answered:

"Gentlemen: In answer to your circular and cards, we will say we are paying the same price to the same amount of hands that we did in 1890—that is, in dollars and cents—and at the same time our hands are buying 40 per cent. more with the same money than they did in 1890

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YOU DON'T HEAR GOOD.

Dr. Kingsbury has more religious editorial in his Sunday Messenger than most church papers have in a month—decidedly more religion and more than is found in the New York Independent.—Concord Standard.

We had not heard the New York Independent accused of having very much of either—certainly not of the latter.—Henderson Gold Leaf.

The Independent is regarded a non-denominational church paper, and as such is circulated more among ministers than other people. Being such it is expected to have religious editorials and contributions. Bro. Manning, you yourself have religious editorials at times, or words to that effect.

THE SOUTH AND THE NEGRO.

The following card appears in Tuesday's New York Sun:

To the Editor of the Sun: Sir—When has the north recognized the negro in a way that the Atlanta Exposition directors have done?

At the regular meeting of the directors last week, by a unanimous vote, an invitation was extended to the negro liberator and leader, Booker T Washington, of Tuskeegee, Alabama, to deliver a formal address at the opening of the exposition Sept. 10. Atlantan.

Atlanta, Ga., August 30.

This is only one evidence of the consideration the negro has received from the exposition management.

One of the great buildings has been set apart for the negro exhibits and that race has shown considerable pride and enterprise in preparing to make there a showing of its progress and achievements. Hundreds of negroes have been employed on the buildings and grounds of the exposition and have received the same wages as white men who did similar work. In any northern city negroes would have had no chance for such employment. They have better chances of success and far more opportunities for profitable employment in the south than they can find in the north. Negroes who have lived in both sections realize the difference.—Atlanta Journal.

Look at the two men: Kope Elias and W R Henry. The former deserved an appointment, got it, was hounded by indiriduals in his own party and the Senate refused to confirm the appointment. The latter begged and prayed for an appointment; his friends did all they could for him; he got one—just as big as he is, too—he declined it. The former, who is a Democrat from principle, remains one; the latter, a Democrat for office, puked and then went and made a dance of himself. Beheld the two men.

The Silver call lets down the bars, It may be composed like a jelly cake. Will Senator Jarvis regard this a good thing? All parties with a mind for silver may come in—a streaked affair.

What is without doubt the smallest clock in the world was lately on exhibition in the shop window of a Goettinger jeweler. The dial measures less than one-third of an inch in diameter, and the weight which furnishes the motive power is suspended from a human hair.

Boston claims to be the "hub," and we expect she is. According to a late census the State of Massachusetts is given an increase of 553,204 in population, of which all but 53,200 was in the cities, and of the whole 270,000 was in towns within ten miles of Boston.

It is claimed that the shipment of horse meat from this country is injuring the meat business abroad, and therefore Secretary Morton has ordered that meat for shipment be inspected, and that horsemeat shall be so marked as to show what it is without biting.

Bernhardt is out against knickerbockers for cyclists of her sex, and she bases her objections wholly on moral grounds. She says that she has seen too much in America and in England of the result of giving indiscriminate liberty to girls who wish to see French madiens subject to similar influences.

Perhaps the most wonderful specimen of cutler's craft in the world is the knife to be seen in the showrooms of Joseph Rodgers & Son's, Sheffield, England. This extraordinary knife is provided with one blade for every year since the commencement of the Christian era, the number of blades, of course being 1895. Blades are inserted five at a itme at the lapse of every five years.

Electricians say that there is no safer place during a thunder storm than a trolley car. This is undoubtedly true. The wires and car poles make the best kind of lightning rods. Although the country is pretty well run over with electric cars now, we have yet to hear of a case where any passenger has been injured by lightning.

The University is climbing: Winston said a day or so ago that in 1890 they had 193 students; 1891, 248; 1892, 316; 1893, 402; 1894, 471 (8 more than ever before); and that this year they would have 563 if they held out as to classes.

Princess Pauline Metternich, niece of the famous Ambassador to Paris and the more famous Princess Pauline, his wife, has just made her first appearance a violinist at a charity concert at Marienbad. She is only 15 years old.

The Smithsonian Institute at Wasaington has appointed Dr. J M Spainhour, of Lenoir, N. C., a delegate to the Eleventh Congress, Historical, Ethnological, Archæological and Geographical, of the Americans, to be held in the City of Mexico, October 15 to 20, 1895.

An Australian youth showed that he had the knack of "getting there." He was undergoing an examination for a position in the civil service, and the examiner had written: "What is the distance from the earth to the sun?" Not having the exact number of miles with him, he wrote: "I am unable to state accurately, but I don't think the sun is near enough to interfere with the proper performance of my duties if I get this clerkship." He got it.

The San Francisco Star speakes of Justice Walter Clark, of the Supreme court of North Carolina, as having "acquired a national reputation outside his profession by his articles on a postal telegraph," and remarked further that "North Carolina lawyers and jurists have always borne a high reputation for ability and integrity."

"Mortgage the farm, if necessary to send the boy to college" says the Religious Herald. "Mortgage the farm for nothing on earth" says the Biblical Recorder.

TRADES UNION CONGRESS.

Samuel Gompers and P. J. Maguire Represent the United States.

CARDIFF, Sept. 5.—Messrs. Samuel Gompers and P J Maguire, who represent the United States in the congress were given a hearty reception at this afternoon's session. President Jenkins in welcoming the American delegates said that although geographically divided, the workers of America, Great Britain and Ireland were united on all the important questions pertaining to the elevation of their class.

Mr. Gompers, in replying to the address of President Jenkins, spoke of the solidarity of feeling and sympathy that existed among the trades unions of the countries represented in this congress, who, he said, were of one blood and had a common heritage. He looked forward to the day when all workers speaking the English language would unite with the workers of all countries who are struggling onward for the attainment of that end for which the whole past has been a perpetual endeavor, with an intensity of purpose that would ensure the accomplishment of great results. Mr. Gompers said that he believed that the British Trades Union Congress and the American Federation of Labor would compare favorably with the British Parliament or with the American Congress.

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The Proposed Silver Convention.

Ed Chambers Smith was asked Thursday by Col F A Olds how the Democratic silver convention was coming on. He replied: "I can't say just when it will be held, but probably the first week in October. A great many letter are coming We are having to fight the administration men, also those who profess to be friends of silver but really are not and some newspapers wich work on the same line and which declare they are for free silver and yet are not."

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SHANGHAI, Sept. 5.—Inquiry into the recent outrages at Kucheng is proceeding to the satisfaction of the British and American consuls, who are receiving the facilities they demanded in their connection with the examination. Several additional convictions of importance have been secured, including some of the ring-leaders in the attacks upon the missions.

The Blue Invited by the Gray.

RECKFORD, Ill., Sept. 5.—The following was issued from the national headquarters of the Grand Army of the Republic today:

"The commander-in-chief of the Grand Army of the Republic is in receipt of an invitation to the comrades of the organization to be present at the Cotton States and International Exposition at Atlanta on 'Blue and Gray Day,' September 21st. This invitation comes too late to promulgate from headquarters, but the commander-in-chief is anxious that the comrades should know that they are invited to be present with those who wore the gray from 1861 to 1865 and he trusts that a large number of the veterans will be present. C C. JONES,

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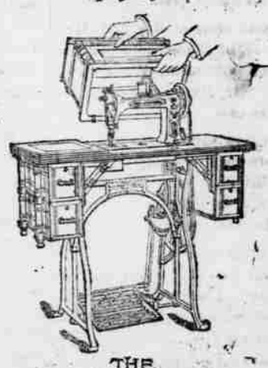

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