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COPES ALL DISEASE
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TRADE MARK
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MARRIAGE.
[Marion Wilcox, in the Cosmopolitan.]
All day the sun was looking on our plain
While we toiled upward, upward to this
height.
A jostling throng, and eager to attain
Some rest at last before the fall of night—
The sunset colors wave across the sky.
And she who toiled beside me, gentler far,
More tender and more hopeful seemed
Than I.
In the hot day we met; and still we are
together; but the sun has left the sky—
The sunset colors wave across the sky.
In the hot day we met, the glaring day
That searched our weakness out to make
us strong.
Perhaps some pitfalls in the rugged way
She escaped through me—for there had I
gone wrong—
At least she should be safe where I'd gone
wrong.
Now flare bright sunset banners in the
west!
All-giving day, that gave to me my wife,
Life-giver to my mortals! I who rest
Have only what thou gavest; that one life—
But still her life that may redeem my life.

TWO IMPORTANT STEPS TAKEN.
North Carolina's Tobacco Exhibit at Chicago—Seeking to Have our State Receive the Credit it is Entitled to.

One of the most important things discussed was North Carolina's tobacco exhibit at Chicago. It was decided that the State would make a tobacco exhibit and we doubt not but that it will be a credit to our State and our one great staple. Mr. Bruner, one of the Commissioners of the World's Fair from North Carolina, fully explained in what shape the exhibit must be made—the amount of space we could have and the probable cost. To aid in this work the Association advised that appointments be made from each Board of Trade in the State to assist in collecting and forwarding material for exhibition. If North Carolina does herself and her tobacco credit at Chicago—and she will—then this can be placed to the credit of the State Association. The matter was first discussed in the meeting last year, and the appointment of Mr. J. S. Carr secured to look after the tobacco display.

Another great work of the 1892 meeting was the adoption of the memorial paper to the tobacco trades of the world, calling attention to the fact that North Carolina should have recognition for her tobacco. Copies of this memorial will be mailed direct to every Tobacco Board of Trade in foreign countries, to all leaf brokers and manufacturers in England and Scotland and will be printed in all the tobacco papers of the world. This is a long step forward and it was carried through the convention with great enthusiasm. It is getting at the root of this evil at one stroke. In addition to the above publicity which will be given it, all of our exporters will be supplied with copies of the memorial which will enclose them in their letters to their foreign customers.

The action taken in regard to a trip to Chicago next year in a body was a happy afterthought and will do much to further interest in the Association. It is the aim of the Association to go to the great fair in a special train of Pullman cars which will be appropriately decorated. It is estimated that not less than 500 tobacco men will go on this trip flying a train of from 12 to 15 Pullmans. If North Carolina carries out this idea her tobacco men will deserve and win recognition for their enterprise.

WHYS AND WHEREFORES.

[New York World.]
Every Democrat in the country should do his utmost to elect Grover Cleveland this year because—
The election of Cleveland means the restoration of Democratic principles in national affairs, not for a term but permanently.

Because the election of Cleveland will put an end to Billion-Dollarism. Because his election will bury the Force Bill idea with no hope or chance of a resurrection.

Because his election will be the first step towards the breaking down of that kind of tariff taxation which aims to enrich the few at the expense of the many.

Because it will put a final end to the policy of centralization in which the republic's greatest danger lies.

Because it will free the country from the scandal of Raum, Elkins, Woods, Wamaker and the rest of the personal shams that have blotted its fair name.

Because it will restore the Democratic idea of government by the people instead of government by a favored class for gain.

Every independent should do all he can for the election of Grover Cleveland, because his election will go further than anything else could to restore that purity and honesty of government which independents seek.

CLEVELAND STEVE.
THE DEMOCRATIC STANDARD BEARERS.

Receive the Official Notification of Their Honors Conferred upon them by the Chicago Convention—A Noble Event at Madison Square Garden, New York—Twenty Thousand Persons Present—Speeches of the Candidates.

New York, July 20.—Ex-President Cleveland, Mr. Adlai Stevenson and their seats in the carriage a large crowd on the Fall river boat Pilgrim and were received at the dock in a true Democratic manner. Ex-Assemblyman James Oliver who had been deputed to receive the Cleveland party welcomed their arrival and conducted them to Mr. Whitney's private carriage which was in waiting. The party was composed of the ex-President, Mr. Stevenson, Mr. Ewing and Mr. Obrien, Mr. Cleveland's private secretary. As the gentlemen took their seats in the carriage a large crowd had collected on the docks crowded around it to get a glimpse of the distinguished party and striving to grasp the hand of Mr. Cleveland. That gentleman however maintained a calm, placid demeanor, containing himself by bowing and smiling to the patriotic assemblage. As the carriage drove away three loud cheers were given for "Cleveland." Mr. Cleveland was driven to the Fifth avenue hotel, while Mr. Stevenson was taken to the Hoffman House.

AT MADISON SQUARE GARDEN.

New York, July 20.—The first decisive gun of the Democratic campaign of 1892 was touched off to-night in Madison Square Garden in the presence of a vast assemblage. The huge auditorium was packed from pit to dome, and as the place holds ten thousand persons comfortably, it is estimated that almost twice that number were present. The occasion that brought this vast throng together was the notification ceremonies of the two great leaders of the Democratic party—Grover Cleveland and Adlai E. Stevenson. As early as 6 o'clock the crowd began gathering about the doors and at 7:30 p. m., when they were opened, the streets about the Garden were filled with a pushing, struggling mob which flowed into the auditorium with the roaring sound of a cataract. Never had the Garden held such a crowd nor has more enthusiasm been displayed. The space room was economized to the utmost degree, the enthusiastic Democrats, standing after the seats were filled, in lines so dense that breathing became difficult. The Garden was profusely decorated with flags and bunting, the colors of which were brought into strong relief by the brilliant light from 3,000 electric lamps. This with the sea of bobbing heads and upturned faces presented a memorable scene and one never to be forgotten. Previous to the exercises Cappa's band dispensed strains of sweet music to which the huge, perspiring crowd listened in a philosophic manner, at the same time endeavoring to keep cool by swinging fans and handkerchiefs. The platform was placed at the Fourth avenue end of the building. Over it was an immense sounding board. In the centre of this were two national flags, placed transverse, and over these, written in incandescent lamps, were the words "Cleveland and Stevenson." The platform had a seating capacity of 650 persons, but it had a thousand on it before the central figures in one of the most brilliant tableaux New York has seen in many months, appeared. The crowd was a patient one, despite the heat, relieving its feelings every few minutes by rounds of applause as some familiar figure appeared on the platform. At first glance, during these periods of enthusiasm, one would imagine the whole audience was composed of men, but after the troubled sea had somewhat settled the fair sex seemed to emerge from it in bewildering costumes, smiles and the inevitable fans.

CLEVELAND APPEARS.

The concert pitch of enthusiasm was struck at 8:15 o'clock. At this time the chief figure in this memorable meeting came upon the scene. Surrounded by a group of notable men the leader of Democracy and of tariff reform made his way to the front of the platform. Col. Wm. L. Wilson, of West Virginia, approached the rostrum and Grover Cleveland arose to listen to the speech of notification.

MR. WILSON NOTIFIES HIM.

In notifying Mr. Cleveland, of his nomination, Mr. Wilson said: "We bring you to-night a message from the Democratic party. We come as a committee from its National convention, representing every Democratic constituency in the country, to give you an official notification that you have been chosen as its candidate for the office of President of the United States. We are also charged with the duty of presenting you with the platform of principles adopted by that convention. This platform contains a full and explicit declaration of the principles adopted by it at convention. This platform contains a full and explicit declaration of the position of the National Democratic party on the great political issues of the day; but

in all its utterances it is merely a development of the one great principle, that whatever governments and laws can do for a people must be done for all the people, without precedence of section or grades of citizenship." Mr. Wilson spoke at length on the duty of the Democratic party and the issues of the campaign. In conclusion he said: "Now, sir, we put into your hands the commission of which we are bearers. It is the highest honor your party can bestow. It is the gravest call to duty your fellow Democrats can make. But we believe we can assure you that there are no 'weak, weary or despondent Democrats' in the ranks of our party to-day, and that with the peoples' cause as our cause we doubt not you will lead us to a victory in which the principles of the party shall gloriously triumph, and the welfare of our country shall be righteously promoted."

MR. CLEVELAND'S REPLY.

Mr. Cleveland responded as follows: "Mr. Chairman and Gentlemen—The message you delivered from the National Democracy arouses within me emotions which would be well-nigh overwhelming, if I did not recognize here assembled the representatives of a great party who must share with me the responsibility your mission invites. I find much relief in the reflection that I have been selected merely to stand for the principles and purposes to which my party is pledged, and for the enforcement and supremacy of which, all who have any right to claim Democratic fellowship, must constantly and persistently toil. My party responsibility is indeed great. We assume a momentous obligation to our countrymen when, in return for their trust and confidence, we promise them a rectification of their wrongs and a better realization of the advantages which are due to them under our free and beneficent institutions. But if our responsibility is great, our party is strong. It is strong in its sympathy with the needs of the people, in its insistence upon the exercise of governmental powers strictly within the constitutional permission the people granted, and its willingness to risk its life and hope in the people's intelligence and patriotism. Never has a great party, intent upon a decisive issue of right and justice, had better incentive for effort than is now presented to us. Turning our eyes to the plain people of the land, we see them burdened as consumers with a tariff system that unjustly and licentiously draws from them in their purchase of the necessities of life an amount scarcely met by the wages of hard and steady toil, while the exactions thus wrung from them, build up and increase the fortunes of those for whose benefit this injustice is perpetrated. We see the farmer's mind with visions of advantage while his pocket is robbed by the stealthy hand of high protection. Our working men are still toiled the tale, oft repeated, in spite of this demonstrated falsity, that the existing protective tariff is a boon to them, and that under its beneficent operations their wages must increase—while, as they listen, scenes are enacted in the very abiding place of high protection, that mock the hopes of toil and attest the tender mercy the working man receives from those made selfish and sordid by unjust governmental favoritism. We oppose earnestly and stubbornly the theory upon which our opponents seek to justify and uphold existing tariff laws. We need not base our attack upon questions of constitutional permission or legislative power. We denounce this theory upon the highest possible grounds when we contend that in present conditions, its operation is unjust and that laws enacted in accordance with it are inequitable and unfair. Ours is not a destructive party. We are not at enmity with the rights of any of our citizens. All are our countrymen. We are not recklessly heedless of any American interests, nor will we abandon our regard for them; but invoking the love and fairness and justice which belong to true Americanism, and upon which our constitution rests, we insist that no plan of tariff legislation shall be tolerated which has for its object and purpose a forced contribution from the earnings and income of the mass of our citizens, to swell directly the accumulations of a favored few; nor will we permit a pretended solicitude for American labor, or any other pretext of benevolent care for others, to blind the eyes of the people to the selfish laws, to gain unearned and unreasonable advantages at the expense of their fellows. We have also assumed in our covenant with those whose support we invite, the duty of opposing to the death another avowed scheme of our adversaries, which, under the guise of protecting the suffrage, covers but does not conceal a design thereby to perpetuate the power of a party afraid to trust its continuance to the untrammelled and intelligent votes of the American people. We are pledged to resist the legislation intended to complete this scheme, because we have not forgotten the saturation of theft and brutal control which followed upon the Federal regulation of State suffrage; because we know that the managers of a party which did not scruple to rob the people of a President, would not hesitate

to use the machinery created by such legislation to revive corrupt instrumentalities for partisan purposes; because an attempt to force such legislation would rekindle animosities where peace and hopefulness now prevails; because such an attempt would replace prosperous activity with discouragement and dread throughout a large section of our country, and would menace, everywhere in the land the rights reserved to the States and to the people, which underlie the safeguards of American liberty. I shall not attempt to specify at this time other objects and aims of Democratic endeavor which add inspiration to our mission. True to its history and its creed our party will respond to the wants of the people within safe limits and be guided by enlightened statesmanship. To the troubled and impatient within our membership we commend continued, unswerving allegiance to the party whose principles, in all times past, have been found sufficient for them, and whose aggregate wisdom and patriotism, their experience teaches, can always be trusted. In a tone of partisanship which befits the occasion, let me say to you as equal partners in the campaign upon which we enter to-day, that the personal fortunes of those to whom you have entrusted your banners are only important as they are related to the fate of the principles they represent and to the party which they lead. I cannot, therefore, forbear reminding you and all those attached to the Democratic party or supporting the principles which we profess, that defeat in the pending campaign, followed by the consummation of the legislative schemes our opponents contemplate and accompanied by such other incidents of their success as might more firmly fix their power, would present a most discouraging outlook for future Democratic supremacy and for the accomplishment of the objects we have at heart. Moreover, every sincere Democrat must believe that the interests of his country are deeply involved in the victory of our party in the struggle that awaits us. This patriotic solicitude axalts the hope of the partisanship and should intensify our determination to win success. This success can only be achieved by the most systematic and intelligent effort on the part of all enlisted in our cause. Let us tell the people plainly and honestly what we believe and how we propose to serve the interests of the entire country, and then let us, after the manner of true Democracy, rely upon the thoughtful and patrioticism of our fellow countrymen. It only remains for me to say to you, in advance of a more formal response to your message, that I obey the demand of my party and confidently anticipate that an intelligent and earnest presentation of our case will insure a popular endorsement of the action of the body you represent."

MR. STEVENSON ACCEPTS.

Mr. Chairman Gentlemen of the Committee—I cannot too earnestly express my appreciation of the honor conferred upon me by the great delegate assembly which you officially represent. To have been selected by the National Democratic convention as its candidate for high office is a distinction of which any citizen might well be proud. I would do violence to the manly feelings of the Democratic success by affiliating with the enemies of this section since any party opposed to the Democratic is, either openly or indirectly, a friend of the Republicans, and therefore inimical to the South? He has nothing in the world to gain by such a course and every thing in the world to lose. It is incredible, therefore, that any Southern State should be so madly blinded to its own interests as to fight against the Democracy. In this fight there can be only two parties—one the Democratic and the other the Republican and whoever is not for the one is for the other. Let every Southern white voter remember this and reflect upon what Democratic defeat would mean to him. If he will there can be no doubt that Colonel O'Ferrall will prove a true prophet.—Richmond Times.

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that a high protective tariff affords no protection; and tends in no way to better the condition of those who earn their bread by daily toil. Believing in the right of every voter to cast his ballot unswayed by power, the Democratic party will steadily oppose all legislation which threatens to imperil that right by the interposition of Federal bayonets at the polls. In a more formal manner, hereafter, Mr. Chairman, I will indicate by letter, my acceptance of the nomination tendered me by the National Democratic convention and will give expression to my views touching the important questions enunciated in its platform.

FEW PLAIN WORDS TO THIRD PARTIES.

Colonel Charles T. O'Ferrall, according to a Washington dispatch, is reported as saying that the South will not vote for the People's candidate. We do not know on what authority Colonel O'Ferrall bases his opinion, but certainly a little plain common sense reflection would lead him or any one else to such a conclusion. For what has any Southern man to gain by voting against Democracy and for "a third party"? The causes which led to the formation of the Farmers organization were felt by the farmers and other classes felt that they were poorer than they ought to be, and that they could not get such relief as they wanted from either of the old parties, and for this reason some of them joined what they call the People's party. But is there a single sensible white man, be he farmer or be he anything else, in the South who does not know with absolute certainty that there is no possible chance for the success of any Third party this year, and that if the Democrats do not win the Republicans will?

EXPECTS TO BE HANGED.

The Fate Awaiting a man of Wealth and Position.
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and begging all good citizens not to sign the petition asking executive clemency.
It is almost certain that Gov. Buchanan will not interfere. King does not expect it; the people want to see the law enforced, and there is little doubt that Col. King will be hanged on August 12 in which case he will be the most distinguished victim of the gallows in this country since the case of Dr. Webster, of Boston, over forty years ago.
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