

The Merest Claptrap.

When Mr. Cleveland wrote his anti-free coinage letter Col. Polk, President of the National Farmers' Alliance and Industrial Union, at once declared that that killed him as dead as Hector...

Was Col. Polk honest in this? Was this the reason why he was so opposed to the nomination of Cleveland that he would take the stamp against him? If he was candid and honest then, he is not candid and honest now...

It will not be worth the snap of the finger. Of course we favor free silver coinage, but not upon the idea that it affords any relief to the people. It will, according to Mr. Bland himself, only add about 30 cents per capita to the circulating medium...

About the practical benefit to be derived from the passage of the Bland bill, Col. Polk may be right, but this is a very radical change of sentiment in the views of a man, one who aspires to mould public opinion on public questions...

But aside from this, this is a very peculiar utterance from one who stands in the vanguard of this great new party which is going to revolutionize things and "sweep the country." They favor free coinage, although the talk of benefitting the people is "mere claptrap." They favor it, but "not with any expectation that it will afford any relief to the people..."

But we do not close our eyes to facts because they are disagreeable, and the fact is patent that an indefinite number of the Democratic people are preparing to leave the party. Men who propose to leave should not be allowed to enter our primaries or our conventions...

opinion so quickly on a question which a short while ago they pronounced vital and now pronounce "claptrap." "not worth the snap of the finger?" Are they the kind of pilots to lead a distressed and struggling people in the efforts they are making to better their condition...

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Butler on Railroad Commissions.

Mr. Marion Butler's statement in his speech at Concord Wednesday, that railroad commissioners are failures, in that they are generally owned by the railroads, was characteristic. It has been the history of the Alliance leaders that whenever one of their demands has been acceded to they have said at once that that was not the thing they wanted at all...

The awakening has come. The evidences of it are in the press and in the declarations of the people. The Raleigh News and Observer says: The Observer is right. The line is to be drawn between Democrats and those who are not Democrats at some stage of the proceedings...

Mr. Butler's statement that railroad commissions are no good, would be quite remarkable, seeing that he was the author of the railroad commission bill which passed the last Legislature, except for the fact that he, a newspaper editor, has recently said that the people do not believe anything they see in the papers...

By the way, wouldn't a government run by Polk and Butler be a hummer? -Charlotte Observer.

Preventing Potato Rot. In a report to the Pennsylvania Horticultural Association C. T. Fox told of an interesting experiment made with a view of checking the potato rot. One-half of the potatoes devoted to this experiment had the tops cut off and removed as soon as they showed any signs of the rot, and the other half remained uncut...

and are uncertain of our reconing. In this emergency what is the course to pursue? Is it to try some temporary expedient? Is it to ask untrained sailors to save us? Is it to trust to any ideal life preserver which has never been dampened? No; safety and happiness and good government are not to be found in any of the new-fangled inventions of the orator and untried statesman...

And thus the Winston Sentinel: If there is not a separate organization before the State convention the third party element will attempt to run the show. In the event of failure they will bolt. The Sentinel sometime ago favored meeting the issue squarely and without fear.

The game is beginning to be everywhere understood and resolution is taking the place of cowardice. An avalanche is gathering and woe unto him who undertakes to stand before it. -Charlotte Observer.

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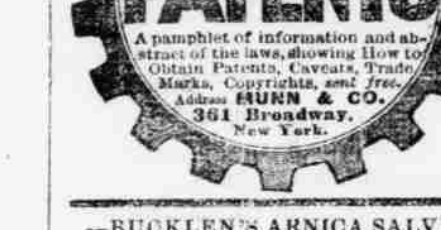
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