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THE LEADER IN THE NEWS AND IN CITY CIRCULATION.

PRESS ON CONVENTION.

Few of the exchanges received this morning had comments editorially on the Democratic convention, but here are some of the expressions on the subject: Asheville Citizen (Dem.): "Here's to the health of the Silver Knight, William Jennings Bryan. May his rout of the Hanna gang be complete."

Greensboro Telegram (Dem.): "There is vast difference between the Democratic conventions of 1896 and of 1900. In Chicago, the silver delegate frantic in their triumph for the silver, gleefully turned their back upon David B. Hill and his kind. This year the enthusiasm for Hill is exceeded only by that for Bryan himself. And while silver was put in the platform, it was put there against the protest of nearly half the convention. While a large part of the party has learned the lesson of 1896, Mr. Bryan himself has not. It seems. But this convention is one of extreme conservatism, compared with that of 1896. Things are hopeful."

Philadelphia Record (Dem.): "Mr. Bryan was right in insisting that if he were to be the Democratic candidate the platform should be made to suit him. He has not changed his mind since 1896 on the silver question, and he does not desire to deceive the voters by any pretended change. The reaffirmation of the Chicago convention would have been a poor dodge, tantamount to a renewed declaration in favor of free coinage of gold and silver at the ratio of 16 to 1, though a weak attempt to disguise the fact. If the party no longer be in favor of 16 to 1 Bryan is not a suitable candidate. The contention over the silver plank has demonstrated clearly that the break in the Democratic party that existed when Bryan was nominated in 1896 still continues and still makes it impossible to maintain the position of 1896 and elect the Democratic candidate. The Record does not agree with Mr. Bryan and the Chicago platform, but it admires his courage and consistency and his unwillingness to make a pretense of being the thing he is not."

Durham Sun (Dem.): "Isn't it wonderful that Mr. Bryan, who was practically unknown four years ago, should to-day be the head of the great Democratic party, and should have proved his right to that post by four years of untiring and unsparring effort, meeting and solving every problem submitted to him in a way that left him stronger than before? Is there another case like his in the history of the country?"

Greensboro Record (Dem.): "Notwithstanding the great hurrah in Kansas City yesterday by a few delegates that a fight would be made on the 16 to 1 plank in the platform when it came up in the convention, the platform as reported by the committee, was adopted by acclamation, and without a word of dissent, amid a shout which made the big convention hall ring from one end to the other."

Richmond News (Dem.): "So let us do the best we can this year, take whatever comes and meet the party disaster most of us in our hearts expect with cheerful faces and hopeful hearts. There is no need to lie and say we expect victory while we do not and no excuse for trying to deceive the people. Let us swallow the ticket whether it tastes well or not. There is no law to require us to pretend to like it. And let us make up our minds that after this campaign the party organization shall express and do the real will of the white people of the State of Virginia and be afraid of nobody. This Commonwealth is the home and cradle of Democracy and should be its leader and inspiration. The Commonwealth of Virginia forgets her own place and power and name and rights when she lamely in the lead of Kansas and Utah and Nebraska and Dick Croker. Mr. Croker is a good man to work the tenement district of New York city; but he is not the style or type or build of man to be feared that they will accept his challenge, as in 1896, and oppose his election to the bitter end. Mr. Bryan had it in his power to secure the support of the Virginians are born and trained to be led by."

Baltimore Sun (Ind. Dem.): "For the second time in four years William J.

Bryan, of Nebraska, has been chosen as the standard bearer of the national Democracy. The convention at Kansas City yesterday adopted a platform and nominated him as the candidate of the Democratic party for the highest honor within the gift of the people. The platform is admirable in its anti-imperial and anti-trust declarations, but sadly, perhaps fatally, defective in its advocacy of free silver coinage at 16 to 1. If Mr. Bryan is defeated in November he will be held responsible for the disaster to his party. A few months ago the outlook for Democratic success in the Presidential contest this year was most encouraging. Candor compels the admission that the overthrow of McKinleyism and Hannaism is less probable now than it was before the Kansas City platform was adopted.

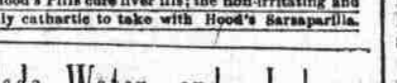
"The Sun does not believe that Mr. Bryan could bring about a radical change in our financial system if he should be elected President. It believes that the Republican majority in the Senate could maintain the good standard against any assaults which Mr. Bryan might be tempted to make upon it. Put it is idle to deny that there are voters who are not inclined to take any risks, and while Mr. Bryan might have secured their support upon a conservative platform, it is large element in his party which he alienated four years ago, but he has been unwilling to make any of the concessions which ordinary prudence and political sagacity should have dictated without abandonment of principles. Apparently he has been more concerned about his own "vindication" than reuniting and solidifying the party. That he has succeeded in dominating the Kansas City Convention as no Democratic convention

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**B. D. HONEYCUTT,**  
Administrator.

**Wanted—An Idea**  
Who can think of some thing to do in the city of Raleigh, N. C., for the purpose of perfecting the agreement in regard to the issuance of preferred stock, and for the consideration of any other matters that may come before it.  
**B. D. HONEYCUTT,**  
Administrator.