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the duties of an office to which he is appointed, will resign; the shrewd rascal who has passed a first class examination before the Civil Service Commission will not resign but hold fast until he is kicked out.  
The Civil Service law distrusts the common people, and for this reason it ought to be repealed. The people know whom they want in office; Senators and Representatives will not appoint to office a man objectionable to their constituents. Senator VANCE is on the right track and nine-tenths of his constituents are with him.

**THE SILVER QUESTION IN CONGRESS.**  
No Prospect of a Change—The Question Not One of Party.  
WASHINGTON, Jan. 11, 1886.—There is no chance for the suspension of silver coinage by the present Congress. It is useless for the financiers of the East to cherish delusive hopes. The real facts of the situation may as well be recognized. All the speculation about the composition of the Committee on Coinage is secondary. It will make little difference what that committee may do. The House itself is strongly against the suspension of the coinage. The probabilities are that when Congress adjourns next August the situation will be precisely the same as it is today. All the agitation of the question in the interval, whether in Congress or out, will be without avail. The chances of a free coinage bill being pushed through the House are greater than the chances of a suspension of the present coinage. Such a bill would, of course, be vetoed by the President, and that would leave matters just as they are.

ly divided. Nor, as I have said, is it strictly speaking a sectional question. Only eight States, and most of those comparatively small ones, in the northeast corner of the country, are pronounced in their opposition to silver, while of the thirty other States, constituting the greater part of the country, some are divided on the question, but most of them strongly in favor of silver. This widespread silver feeling is largely the outgrowth of a prejudice or suspicion that the money centres of the East are endeavoring to control the Government for selfish ends, an unfounded suspicion perhaps, but yet one that exists in this rural Republic and it must be taken into consideration.  
8. It is certainly desirable that the business men of the East, as well as the West, should recognize the facts of the situation and not deceive themselves with wrong conclusions. No bill suspending silver coinage can pass the House. Any bill providing for free or more extended coinage, if passed, would certainly be killed by the President's veto. Therefore, it is far from probability that during the present session of Congress there will be any change in the law regarding the coinage of silver.—N. Y. World.

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**Best Goods, Latest Styles and Neatest Fits,**  
AT TWENTY-FIVE PER CENT LOWER THAN THE LOWEST,  
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GRAIN AND COTTON  
COMMISSION MERCHANTS,  
NEW BERNE, N. C.

My reasons for the opinion are as follows:  
1. New York, New Jersey and New England are emphatically in favor of the suspension of silver coinage; but outside of this section the feeling is either divided or strongly in favor of silver. The idea seems to have spread throughout the West and South that the anti-silver movement is engineered by the Wall street financiers; that it is in the interests of the capitalists as against the debtor classes.  
2. It is a mistake to suppose that the question is, strictly speaking, sectional. Even Pennsylvania is no longer united; I have every reason to believe that there are both Democratic and Republican members of Congress from that State who will vote against suspension.  
3. The sentiment is also divided in the four great Middle States—Ohio, Indiana, Illinois and Missouri. Ohio is certainly closely akin to the East in her commercial, industrial and educational development; yet there are among her Representatives both Democrats and Republicans who are against suspension of the present silver coinage. The feeling for silver grows stronger as one advances westward through Indiana and Illinois, and reaching Missouri every one of the fourteen Representatives and two Senators is found arrayed against suspension and many of them advocate unlimited coinage.  
4. There is probably not a Republican member from Kansas, Nebraska, Iowa, Minnesota, Colorado, Nevada, Oregon or California who is not a silver man. One of the leaders of the Republican minority, who knows the men well, assures me positively that such is the case. The Democracy west of the Mississippi is absolutely solid in favor of the silver dollar.  
5. A careful canvass of the House fully justifies these statements, and leaves no reasonable doubt that about one-third of the Republican members with at least two-thirds of the Democratic members will vote against suspension, having a majority of at least sixty votes against suspension.  
6. The situation in the Senate is not very different. Mr. Evans appears to be on the fence, if not already committed against suspension. Mr. Sherman also is believed to be uncertain as to his course. The Republican Senators from Kansas, Nebraska, Iowa, Minnesota, California, Colorado and Nevada are solid against suspension, and there are strong indications that Logan and Oulom, of Illinois, and several of the Republican Senators from Michigan and Wisconsin, will side with them. The great majority of the Democratic Senators from the South, including Mr. Lamar's successor from Mississippi and Mr. Garland's successor from Arkansas, are opposed to suspension. In the Senate the least majority against suspension is estimated at six. Even the majority of the Senate Finance Committee is said by anti-silver Senators to be against them or to be at least doubtful.  
7. The silver question is not a party question. Neither party is united upon it. A Democratic Administration strongly advocates suspension. Two-thirds of the Democratic Representatives and Senators are strongly opposed to it. The Republicans are also clear-

At a military dinner the following was on the toast list as the toast of a veteran's health: "May this hero, who has lost one eye in the glorious service of his beloved country, never see distress with the other!" But the person whose duty it was to read the toast completely changed the sentiment, and caused no end of merriment by accidentally omitting the word "distress," so that the toast read: "And may he never see with the other!"

**A TOLERABLY SAFE BET.**—A gentleman of this city who was "short" on a certain railroad stock, was yesterday advised by his broker in New York to close his deal, as the appointment of an honest receiver for the road would advance quotations five points and make him a loser instead of a gainer. He replied by telegraph: "I'm betting that the receiver to be appointed will not be an honest man. Sell a hundred more shares for me."—St. Louis Globe-Democrat.

**JUST WAIT A BIT.**—"Queen Natalie of Serbia has bought forty American sewing machines. This is all very well; but wait till the sewing machine agents begin to yank at the door-bell of the palace every day to know whether she doesn't want to trade her machines for some other kind," remarks an experienced housekeeper.

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STATE OF NORTH CAROLINA,  
Craven County.  
Eli Barrow,  
Margaret Barrow, the above named defendant, is hereby notified that a certain deed was issued in the above named action from the office of the Clerk of the Superior Court of Craven County, South Carolina, on the 21st day of July, 1885, and the same is returned to the office of the Clerk of the Superior Court of Craven County, South Carolina, on the 1st day of September, 1885, and the said defendant is hereby notified that she is required to appear before the Judge of said Superior Court, to be held on the 1st day of October, 1885, at the Court House in March, and answer or deny to the complaint.  
E. W. CAMPBELL,  
Clerk Superior Court.

**SENATOR VANCE AND A FEW PAPERS.**  
A few papers in the State, and they are very few, take issue with Senator VANCE on the "Civil Service Hambug." Some of their arguments are extremely futile and without foundation in fact. For instance, the Lenoir Topic in arraying itself against the Senator's position says:  
Here is the old spoils system in its workings: All the Federal offices in the States and a good many others besides are parcelled out among the two State Senators and the Congressmen and no man who is not a henchman or a lick-spittle of one or the other of them has a chance at a single office, no matter if he has grown gray as a "wheel horse" in the dominant party. If Senator Smith or Congressman Jones has an office within his gift private citizen Brown has no show for it—however much outside "influence" he may have—unless he bows the suppliant knee to the Senator or Congressman who dispenses the patronage, and swears allegiance to him. It is a demoralizing system and Senator Vance cannot prove that it is not.  
Now the very fact that Senator Smith or Congressman Jones wants to appoint a man to office that will aid him in retaining their positions is proof positive that they will endeavor to have the man appointed that the people want. And who are better judges of the qualifications and fitness of a man for an office than the people among whom he lives? The Civil Service Commission may put him through a rigid examination to prove his intellectual qualifications; but how about his honesty, morality and integrity, the very first requisites of a man for a public office? An honest man, finding himself incompetent to discharge