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of Cod-liver Oil with Hypophosphites, can be taken as easily in summer as in winter. Unlike the plain oil it is palatable, and the hypophosphites that are in it aid in digestion and at the same time tone up the system.

For sickly, delicate children, and for those whose lungs are affected, it is a mistake to leave it off in the summer months. The dose may be reduced if necessary.

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Bryan and the Sons of Toil.

The Hanna organs and orators are developing the deepest concern for the workingman. For the first time in four years he has become the idol of their hearts, the center and source of all their solicitude.

From their coupon clipping, their money-shaving, their bond-jobbing operations, these Hannaites are turning aside daily in order to warn the man who labors on the railroad, in the store, the mine, the factory, the shop, that if Bryan is elected his wages will be cut in two and that his dinner pail will go empty. How much effect the eleventh hour sympathy is having on the men whom it is intended to gull is shown by the fact that of all the labor papers of the United States not one is for Hanna and McKinley. There is not a single labor leader of national influence who does not speak for the cause of democracy as the hope of the wage-workers.

The New York Journal, which has thoroughly examined the attitude of the labor papers and labor leaders toward the gold standard crowd, says:

"Some labor papers have thus far remained non-committal, as it is the avowed policy of a few such journals and of certain labor organizations to reserve political action to the individual. But all of the other labor papers, except these few, are openly for the democratic candidates and the democratic platform."

The utterances of the masses of these papers are extremely hostile to the McKinley ticket and platform. The following extract from the Knights of Labor Journal, the official organ of the order, will serve to show the general trend of opinion among the workmen on these matters:

"Bryan is the man of the hour, brought forth by the necessities of the occasion. Bryan's whole course as a politician has been clean, consistent, forceful manly. There are no dubious utterances of his to explain away; his position upon the chief issues has been long and definitely established, and in their defense he had already won his spurs before his name was dreamed of in connection with the presidency.

All the powers of wealth and the influence it brings, are already at work to compass his defeat. Every legal robber in the United States regardless of his former politics, every man whose interest lies in the continued subjugation of the wage-earner and farmer, every sheet which has prospered and grown upon the subsidies to be obtained for treachery; all this tremendous force is already moving to prevent the coming triumph of the plain people."

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Are you Bilious, constipated or troubled with Jaundice, Sick Headache, bad taste in the mouth, foul breath, coated tongue, dyspepsia, indigestion, hot dry skin, pain in the back and between the shoulders, chills and fever, &c. If you have any of these symptoms, your liver is out of order and your blood is slowly being poisoned because your liver does not act properly. Herbine will cure all disorder of the liver, Stomach or bowels. It has no equal as a liver medicine. Price 75 cents. Free trial bottles at H. L. Tuckers drugst. re.

A Little Sunbeam Passed Away.

Walter Burner, son of Mr. and Mrs. John Herrell of Adrian, Mo., was born June 28th, 1895, died July 22nd, 1897. The remains were interred in the Oak Hill cemetery at Butler.

Little Walter has gone from among us, His spirit obeyed God's will; And a vacant place is left in our hearts, This world can never fill.

His clothes are gently laid away, In his buggy by his chair, Sadly we miss the little form, And his prattle upon our ears.

We gather to eat our daily meals, But cannot see him there; We turn to the door to the open air, His voice we cannot hear.

We go to his bed for a good night kiss, But turn in deep despair, We ask of Jesus on benched knees, He points to Heaven—you'll find him there.

Grieve not for little Walter, Though he is sadly missed; He is anchored safe in a better world, Far happier than this.

He has past away from this sinful world To that happy land so fair, He will never more feel sickness nor pain, And death cannot enter there.

Joyous little sunbeam, Has slipped from our tender care, It has gone to shine in heaven's pure light, And dwell with Jesus there.

May we sometime meet our darling, In our constant prayer to-day, Then we shall dwell in angel form, And not this house of clay.

A lovely little angel, At the peary gates so fair, Says father, mother, sister, brother, Through Christ you can meet me there.

Joyful, sweet will the meeting be, When from this sinful world we flee, And join the loved ones in heaven above, Where God reigns forever with purest love.

—[Mrs. G. M. Crow.]

FOR FREE SILVER.

Republicans Leaving the Gold Standard Party by Scores and Hundreds

These are some of the republicans who are opposed to McKinley and the gold standard:

Dr. W. H. King of Carthage, Mo. He says:

"The financial plank of the St. Louis platform is a complete face about on the principles, traditions, policy and sentiments of the republican party as they were in the days of its usefulness and its glory. Instead of exhibiting the bravery of independence, and reflecting the glory of the great republic, it is cowardly, reduces the American eagle to the semblance of a sick hen, frightened by the British lion, and the American citizen to the attitude of a fawning suppliant."

In Laclede county, Amos E. Miller, a leading republican and a nominee two years ago. Col. M. W. Johnson, son-in-law of ex Gov. Joseph W. McClurg, J. L. Strain and Wm. Spohn, two leading republicans and formerly strict partisans. W. C. Johnson, farmer and stock dealer and two sons, all out and out republicans. Others are George B. King, G. W. Elam, James Davis, A. L. Broyles, James Chastain, W. F. Martin, Spencer Gustin, Charles Gilbertson and R. A. Hogue, elected republican constable in 1892, and many other farmers and life long republicans.

A Bryan republican club of 75 members was organized at Greenfield, Iowa, August 1st.

Judge Wm. Ballantine, of Commerce, a leader and one of Grant's famous 306, in the republican convention of 1880.

Judge James A. Ray, chairman of the executive committee of the new silver party of Kansas, has received estimates during the past week from every county which indicates that 30,000 republicans will vote for Bryan.

From West Virginia comes the word that free silver is sweeping the state. The free silver republicans are coming over en masse. A dispatch says:

The trades Union of this city, [Charleston] whose members have generally been high protectionists and voted the republican ticket, are now nearly all solid for Bryan and Sewall.

It is about the same with the farmer element. It is difficult to find a farmer who has not signified his intention to vote for Bryan and free silver, no matter what his former party affiliations have been.

The defection from the party of McKinley and the gold standard is by no means confined to the ordinary voters. Men of influence and leadership in the republican party are coming over to Bryan and Sewall standard. Among these may be mentioned Judge J. H. Brown, a life long republican and at one time a candidate for congress on the republican ticket in this district; Judge J. C. Drew, a prominent republican leader; Hon. Andrew Burlew, all influential republicans of this city. Col. J. W. Davis, of Greenbrier, another prominent leader and at one time the republican candidate for congress in this district, has announced himself a free silver man and will vote for Bryan and Sewall. A. C. Fuller, an influential republican of the same county has announced himself the same way.

If the free silver and Bryan sentiment continues to grow as it has within the last two weeks, it will be almost unanimous by the third of November.

In the third congressional district

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Greeting to all Cash Buyers of Groceries, Hardware, Stoves, &c.

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or infact anything that you have for sale and we will give you as much for it as the market will bear, in justice to ourselves as well as you.

OUR LINE OF HARDWARE

is complete in everything, from a sewing awl to a cook stove. Our line of dried fruit were bought in San Francisco, shipped direct to us and are strictly fancy. Our coffees are the best in the City, come and try them and you will be convinced, we tell the truth "so with all our lines." Only try them and you will be satisfied.

We Guarantee everything we sell to be as Represented

Suffice it to say we will duplicate any legitimate price quoted. We do not blow our horn but will leave the matter with our customers to determine whether we do a legitimate business or not. Come in and be convinced.

A. L. McBRIDE & Co.

North side square, Butler Missouri.

J. H. Huling could have been nominated for congress by acclamation, but after the adjournment of congress he came home looked over the field, and declared the situation hopeless, if the republicans declared against free silver. He accordingly refused to allow the use of his name. He was elected by 4,018 in 1894, but he declared that the silver sentiment had drawn so many votes from the party since then that he could not accept the nomination. Huling is not alone in this belief, for no republican in the district could be induced to make the race, and the nomination was given to C. P. Darr, a man who left the democracy in 1892, and who has no standing in the republican party.

From St. Charles, Mo., comes the word that republicans all over the county are coming out for Bryan and free silver. Capt. John P. Collins, a leader is one. At Hamburg a free silver club of 65, has 40 members who have always voted the republican ticket. The work is going on rapidly among the Germans.

In Taney county, Mo., the Taney County Republican has abandoned Wall street and come out for free silver. One sixth of the republican party has gone over to silver, including A. C. Kisse, mill proprietor, R. D. Henderson, real estate dealer, J. S. Williams, bank director, J. C. Kelsebeck, hotel proprietor.

At Chillicothe, Mo. Judge James M. Davis, twice elected circuit judge by the republicans, and his son, W. W. Davis, a prominent attorney has come out for Bryan. Other republican losses are Hon. H. E. Gumbo, ex-member of the Missouri house of representatives, and his two sons, P. Randolph, Wabash railroad agent Alonzo Wills, prominent farmer, Wm. Harrold, a large stock feeder, James R. Wilson, a country merchant who has helped many republican offices, Prof. Allen Moore, president of the Chillicothe Normal school, Aaron Price, farmer.

The Randolph County Republicans, having persuaded the colored candidate for Representative to withdraw, have beautifully

Resolved, That we recognize in Rev. W. P. Brooks the elements of true manhood and congratulate him upon his ability to rise above the selfish sentiment of personal aggrandizement, and sacrifice the honors bestowed upon this convention, in order that good may accrue and the best interest of the party is subserved.

This is a very pretty way of disposing of the honest ambition of a capable colored man. The Rev. Brooks has a right to murmur, however, if he has received nothing more substantial than this.—Post Dispatch.

No Joint Debate for McKinley.

Washington, D. C., Aug. 13.—Chairman Babcock of the Republican Congressional committee to-day denied a report that a joint debate would be arranged between Major McKinley and Mr. Bryan. While he says he has no authority for saying what Major McKinley will do, he is satisfied that the Bryan speaking tour will not bring about any change of the plans on the part of McKinley and certainly nothing like a joint debate.

S. SMALL TO STUMP FOR BRYAN

The Evangelist Offers His Services to the Democratic Committee.

Washington, D. C., Aug. 13.—Chairman Faulkner of the Democratic national committee returned today from New York, where he took part in the Bryan meeting last night. "It was the most remarkable outpouring I have ever seen," said he. "The people were not drawn by fireworks or any of the accessories which usually attract a crowd. They came to hear Bryan and his cause. It was noticeable that when the candidate laid aside his manuscript and addressed the open air meeting there was a wave of that same enthusiasm shown at Chicago. The speech of acceptance is an able and scholarly treatment of the subject and it will prove one of the most valuable of campaign documents. It is a document which circulates itself and does not need a frank, for the press of the entire country prints it. The demand for the Bryan Chicago speech is unprecedented. I received a telegraphic request from San Francisco for 300,000 copies. It was impossible to supply them, so I sent a revised copy of the speech and notified them to print the 300,000 in San Francisco saving the freight. I anticipate quite as heavy a demand for the speech of last night."

The Rev. Sam Small, the evangelist, was one of Mr. Faulkner's callers today, and he offered his services for Bryan speeches during October. Mr. Small has been through Kansas, Nebraska and Illinois, and declares there is a veritable silver tidal wave in those sections. On August 21 Mr. Small will have a joint debate with Wm. E. Mason of Chicago. Mr. Faulkner received word from W. T. Hardin, through Mr. Small, that Kentucky could be depended upon to give the "old time-majority for the Democratic ticket."

Chairman Faulkner is not so sanguine since his visit to New York that the national committee headquarters will be located there. He says Mr. Bryan is strongly in favor of Chicago, and that there is in course, a disposition to follow the views of the candidate. The view that the national committee would not rent Wormley's hotel and move here was strengthened today when Mr. Faulkner took possession of a part of the hotel for the use of the Congressional committee and gave certain orders for improvements. The dining-room will be turned into a shipping department, and Mr. Faulkner says that the men will be set to work there on Monday. Thus far the shipping force for campaign literature has not exceed a half dozen men.

Dr. Talmage's Keen Observations.

"If the silver people win, I believe there will be such a revival in business, such a booming in industries, which are now inactive, and such a shaking up of commercial interests that the country will be sure to prosper."

These words were spoken by Dr. Talmage at East Hampton, L. I., after a long tour of the Southern States. The reverend gentleman is a keen observer and can see which way the wind blows as quickly and with as

much certainty as the shrewdest of politicians. He does not only preach to the people, but he mingles with them feeling the popular pulse and searches the hearts of his countrymen. Dr. Talmage arrived at East Hampton from Chataqua, where he had attended an educational convention. Not only in the big cities did the doctor mingle with the residents, but in remote and sparsely populated districts and in minor townships and villages.

"During my entire trip," he said, "I did not find more than one or two men who were not silverites. The unanimity was astounding. The sentiment down South is universally for the white metal. Bryan and Sewall will get a large vote from that section of the country."

Dr. Talmage is too little or too much of a politician to come out flatfooted for free silver, but his utterances are perhaps sufficiently significant to show the tendency of his personal feelings.

"My associations and trainings and my political affiliation of the past place me on the side of a single standard," he cautiously said, and then as a twinkle came into his eye, he added:

"But I certainly believe that instead of disaster and ruin following in the wake of the silver movement, the opposite will be the result."

"I am not advocating that side of the political question," said the diplomatic divine, "but I do not believe with a good many of my Christian friends, that in the success of that movement that the country will greatly suffer."

"This is a strong nation," he added. "We are engaged in a great political campaign and it will ill benefit me to be a strong partisan on either side. There are honest Christians, patriotic men on both sides, and the life of the country and welfare of its interests will be a great incentive to lead men in the right direction. I have great faith in the people of this country, and it is a fact that the people of a vast southern and western tract are vehemently in favor of silver."

Free Pills.

Send your address to H. E. Bucklen & Co., Chicago, and get a sample box of Dr. King's New Life pills. A trial will convince you of their merits. These pills are easy in action and are particularly effective in the cure constipation and sick headache. For Malaria and liver troubles they have proved invaluable. They are guaranteed to be perfectly free from every deleterious substance and to be purely vegetable. They don't weaken by their action, by giving tone to the stomach and bowels greatly invigorate the system. Regular size 25c. per box. Sold by H. L. Tucker druggist. 37 ft.

SHOT HIS WIFE

Because she Would Not Live With Him

Ava, Mo., Aug. 12.—The citizens of Ava are again intensely excited over the probably fatal shooting of Mrs. Mahala Harris by Annias Harris, her divorced husband, six miles south of town.

Harris went to the home of Elder Durham, father of the wounded woman, and after she refused to again live with him, pulled a revolver from his pocket and shot her over the left nipple, producing what is thought to be a fatal wound.

Crowds of men, assisting the sheriff, are out hunting for the murderer and as excitement is high a lynching bee may be expected. Harris' two barns were burned recently and his dwelling has been set on fire, and the people now believe that he is temporarily insane and the fires are the result of his own acts.

A Good Omen for Bryan.

Carthage, Mo., Aug. 13.—During a windstorm in this city this afternoon a large oil painting of McKinley, near the First National Bank, was blown from its moorings, while the picture of Bryan, close by, was unmolested. This incident is regarded by the admirers of Bryan as ominous of the stability of the silver standard bearer in this county. Here hundreds of Republicans will refuse to support McKinley on the gold standard platform. Bryan's speech of yesterday is the chief topic of discussion, and its beauty of diction and clearness of expression charms all.

Mr. Stephens' Campaign Plans.

St. Louis, Mo., Aug. 13.—Lon V. Stephens and probably Frank Pitts, S. M. Seibert and other of the Democratic candidates for State offices will attend the picnic at Lone Jack Saturday. Sunday Mr. Stephens will leave for a ten days' trip to the Northern lakes, and will then return and open his campaign at Booneville, after which time he expects to make at least one speech a day until election.

NATURE'S REMEDY FOR LIVER COMPLAINT

SCHENCK'S MANDRAKE LIVER PILLS

Earth Sinking.

Mansfield, Mo., Aug. 6.—The people throughout this section of the country are becoming much alarmed over what appears to be the gradual sinking of the earth in certain localities. It has been little more than a year ago since a whole field fell an average of little more than two feet.

Another evidence of this inexplicable phenomena occurred in Texas County a day or two ago, when a sudden sagging of the earth swallowed up a horse while hitched to a plow, and it was with difficulty that the driver saved himself.

The negroes have become so wrought up over the matter that many of them are leaving the county. They declare that it is an indication of the early arrival of the judgment day.

For your Protection.—Catarrh "cures" in liquid form to be taken internally, usually contain either Mercury or Iodine or Potassa, or both, which are injurious if too long taken. Catarrh is a local, not a blood disease, caused by sudden change to cold and damp weather. It starts in the nasal passages. Cold in the head causes excessive flow of mucus and, if repeatedly neglected, the results of catarrh will follow, and sometimes an offensive discharge. Ely's Cream Balm is the acknowledged cure for these troubles and contains no mercury nor any injurious drug.

Portland, Oregon, Aug. 9.—Mrs. Mary S. Albertson, living at Columbia Slough, has just recovered from a trance which lasted a week, during which she would have been buried alive had not a friend noticed what he thought were signs of life and prevented the burial. As it was, the woman was prepared for the tomb and put in a casket. Then at her friend's solicitation, she was taken out, and in a week, partly through natural and partly by artificial means, she was restored to consciousness. Everything was a perfect blank to her, except the placing of her body in the casket. She says she was conscious that she was to be buried alive, but was unable to give any sign to prevent that horrible fate.

Little Rock, Ark., Aug. 12.—Probably the largest judgment ever recovered against a railroad company in the State of Arkansas for personal injuries was the one rendered by a jury in Brady County in the case of Esther Warren against the St. Louis, Iron Mountain and Southern Railway Company, which was for \$40,000. The plaintiff in the case was a small child which was run over and had both legs and both arms mangled by one of the company's trains.

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Cleanses the Nasal Passages, Allays Inflammation, Heals the Sores, Protects the Membrane from Cold, Restores the Senses of Taste and Smell.

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Manufacturing Chemists, New York.

A book on kidney trouble and its treatment will be mailed free to anyone who will write for it, addressing the Buker Kidney Pills Co., Bangor, Maine, or patient may enclose 50 cents in Postal Note or cash in a registered letter; and one box of Buker's Pills will be mailed together with the book, post paid to the address given.

Buker's Kidney Pills is a new and marvellous remedy assisting nature to relieve clogged and diseased kidneys; will also relieve bladder diseases, urinary troubles, backache and little aches and pains throughout the body. Back-ache and kidney-ache are very often the same and these pills will remove the kidney trouble cure the aching back, and purify the blood. Safe in all cases.

Being a new discovery, Buker's Kidney pills are not yet on sale at all drug stores. In enquiring, be sure you get Buker's (price 50c) or address Buker Kidney Pills Co., as above, and mention this paper.

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