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WHEAT AS MONEY.

Inventor Edison's Great Monetary Scheme Explained.

ADVANTAGES CLAIMED FOR IT.

Populists Refuse to Endorse the Proposition Favoring the Wizard in Not Serious.

WASHINGTON, April 17.—Inventor Edison has a monetary scheme which rests the fathers, the silverites and the soldier all native. Somebody has been calling the attention of the treasury department to it. Mr. Edison proposes to make wheat the money of the future. He will compress it into cakes of the right size and have it made the right denomination by weight. There will no longer be a question of wheat being depreciated in its intrinsic value because of its being the mere equivalent of silver, being worth only half as much as gold and silver value. Wheat would be the medium of exchange and therefore the true measure of value. The volume of currency would vary with the needs of the world as the case might be. There would be no chance for middlemen to make profits out of the variations of exchange and barter and sale would be reduced to the first principles. The great advantage which the wizard claims for this scheme is that treasury notes could be issued. It would not depend as was the case during last monetary crisis, that people should convert their wealth to the hundred thousands would barely be able to get money to pay for a meal at the restaurant. There would be no need to people piling up their commodities in the safest or best guarded vaults, or rather the warehouses, for fear of the failure of banks, and it would not be impossible to get a loan of a few thousand wheat cakes except at maximum duties. Inventor Edison is not to have a new process for manufacturing the wheat without destroying any of its nutritive qualities and its use as money would not interfere with its usefulness as food. It is one parts of Scotland oatmeal cake is good as a capital staple food, but as he knows this is the only attempt practically to apply the Edison principle in Kansas.

The Populists in Congress see a little chance of getting their amendment to the law of wheat money and unless they make a thorough examination of its merits. They seem to think that Inventor Edison is poking fun at them, and it is asserted that he is not, for he has elaborated this scheme with much patience.

A Street Car Strike.

MILWAUKEE, Wis., April 17.—All the employes of the Milwaukee Street Railway company, 150 in number, will go on a strike today, and, unless the company is able to recruit new men, people for the first time in many years will be compelled to walk down town. The street car employes had a long week last night. The meeting resulted in the unanimous vote for a strike. When it was announced a few days ago that wages would be reduced 20 per cent on the first of May the men contributed to strike rather than suffer any reduction. The railway company, however, placed 100 new cars on trial with the intention of breaking them in. The employes seized the preliminaries for a boycott and bulletins were sent out to the men requesting them to attend a meeting last evening.

A strike was decided upon and some of the 150 motormen and conductors will report for duty this morning. Also 2½ of the nine-cent men employed by the company, it is asserted, has no such agreement pledging themselves not to go to work until the affair is satisfactorily settled.

OLD GLORY ALONE.

The Stars and Stripes Good Enough for the Peace Union.

PHILADELPHIA, Pa., April 17.—Mayor Stuart has sent a letter to the secretary of the Universal Peace union declining to allow that organization to float its flag from Independence hall in place of the national ensign on Wednesday, when it holds its celebration in the historic building, to commemorate the signing of the arbitration treaty at Washington, on April 18, 1892. The mayor is the union's legal Mayor Stuart adds:

"I have always refused to fly any flag other than the American flag to be used over Independence hall and must decline to grant your request. No flag excepting our national ensign has ever been permitted to fly over that building and I feel that you and your union, upon reflection, cannot but agree with me that under no circumstances whatever should the American flag, which floats here throughout the entire year, be permitted to be thrown down to be replaced by any other, no matter what that other may be or represent."

THE COURSE FINISHED.

Ex-President Harrison's Sixth Lecture.

CHICAGO, Ill., April 17.—Ex-President Harrison delivered his sixth and concluding lecture on constitutional law before the students of Stanford university yesterday. The chapel surrounded with students and visitors. General Harrison spoke feelingly and was appreciative of his reports and the manner of his treatment at the university. Mr. Harrison was entitled "State Institution."

A UNIQUE CELEBRATION.

The Side of Paul Revere to Be Decorated.

DENVER, April 17.—A unique celebration of the new holiday (April 19) is been arranged by the towns of Medford, Arlington and Lexington, to the story of a reproduction of the ride of Paul Revere. It will take place on Wednesday night and will adhere as closely to national accuracy as will be consistent with pictures. A horseman with the fine Medford to Lexington, attired in the costume of a century ago and will do his best to arouse the inhabitants of every house on the route. Lanterns as the light was the signal for the alarm of which Revere really sounded warning, it has been deemed advisable not to begin the ride from Charlestown.

The mission Paul Revere will manifestly start at a point near middle of Medford, and along he will carry the alarm to the old Royal house, where the people will be waiting already to be awakened. From this point the signals will be given for the beginning of the celebration. Along the route bonfires and fireworks will light up the road to Arlington, where Cooperative tavern was stationed also Revere and the Medford program will be substantially duplicated.

From Arlington to Lexington the road is for the most part heavy and there will probably be not little excitement, but in Lexington an entirely new scene will welcome the rider.

The ride will come at the old Buckman house, where Dedford rose, and a fitting ending to the scene of 119 years ago will be represented—the challenge and salute of the city and the reading of the Declaration. A young lady of Lexington will assume the part of Dorothy Quincy, and there will probably be a dance in the Academy.

It is understood Mr. George A. Dorr will select the role of Paul, so as to without conflict with the new order governing in the United States.

Members of a Suicide Club.

PHILADELPHIA, Pa., April 17.—Gustav Swain and Stephen Gibbs, members of a suicide club at Atlantic City, Pa., had both their heads blown off by a shotgun held between the teeth of Swain as he expired. The wound struck them but did not injure the face. They began when drivers off. Near they had their heads on the Lehigh Valley railroad tracks and were almost cut up by wagons.

Both men are living in the world. They are respectable citizens and neither were regarded as cranks.

An Exhibition in Japan.

WASHINGTON, April 17.—Japan is to have an exposition in 1896 at Hiogo. It will cover twenty-nine, five acres, agriculture, education, science, water production, mines, mining and machinery. Foreign goods will be exhibited for the purpose of comparison.

Wages Advanced.

JOLIET, Ill., April 17.—The Lassiter & Bishop mill of the Illinois Steel Steel & Wire company, has in not a million of an advance in the wage dispute pay of 10 per cent. The steel furnace of the Illinois steel mill that has been closed for a year will start up Wednesday. The Illinois Steel mill will have 2,000 men on the pay roll.

The Quorum Counting Rule.

WASHINGTON, April 17.—The Democrats of the committee on rules hope to be able to report the quorum counting rule to the House today. The members of the committee on rules have been industriously studying the phraseology of the measure, but refuse to give any information as to the language upon which they have decided. Speaker Crisp said last night, however, "You may say the rule will be reported to the House today and we will have a quorum." The inference is therefore that a quorum is to be counted by the House through billets.

Bill Denounced.

OMAHA, Neb., April 17.—The Sixth district, the leading Democratic organization of the state, which has not hitherto given any sign of its endorsement of the President and his course, last night adopted a resolution heartily commending Mr. Cleveland and the effort being made to revise the tariff.

It was denounced Senator Hill as "a traitor, who, having hitherto skulked behind the watchword 'I am a Democrat,' has dealt a treacherous blow at the vitals of his party at the time of its greatest peril."

NO LACK OF MONEY.

$15,000,000 Lying Idle in San Francisco Banks.

SAN FRANCISCO, Cal., April 17.—There is $15,000,000 lying idle in the vaults of San Francisco commercial institutions for which the bankers can find no use. This is said to be the largest surplus that has been known for many years, and it is still growing. The banks do not like it as they prefer to hold gold, interchanging securities instead of gold coin which does not pay rent for the vaults it occupies. This money is offered for loan as low as four per cent on first class security, but all collateral is scrutinized more closely than ever before. Money is paid out without it is pledged, the money is barely loaned at any rate.

THE LADIES APPRECIATIVE

Have Send Roses and Compliments to Judge Jere Wilson.

WASHINGTON, April 17.—Judge Jere Wilson, whose eloquent plea for the advancement of women in the closing speech for Madeline Pollard, gained for himself a due bouquet of the Frances roses from Miss Mary Hunter, sister of Col. Hunter, Washington's late aide. Mrs. Dan Waugh, Miss Nellie L. Wells, Mrs. Louise Lowell and others have sent the following letter of acknowledgement:

WASHINGTON, April 16, 1894.

"My Dear Mr. Wilson:—I beg that you will receive for and communicate to the twenty-one ladies whose names are appended the hearty thanks of the flowers, and I beg you also to assure them that hearing back over a long professional career, some, to be sure, there is nothing in all that will so more gratifying to me than to have it said that I have be well, that I have contributed to the advancement of women and the establishment of a more and a more equitable law will visit upon the offending men the same measure of condemnation that it visits upon the offending women.

"Let me say I give the name of these kind ladies I have addressed to them notes of acknowledgment which I hand you herewith, and which I ask you to do me the favor to cause to that they will reach their intended destination. Very respectfully,

J. J. WILSON."

The note which accompanied the flowers and to which the above is a reply, is as follows:

"WASHINGTON, April 14, 1894.

Dear Mr. Wilson:—These flowers are sent you as a mark of appreciation of your eloquent and powerful plea for the rights of women for that and women, and also for the new evidence of woman fair to strive. It is the world to which we all have a equal interest, by twenty-eight women.

"With respect and gratitude, most sincerely,

"ROSETTA LOUISA WHITE."

The Silver Interest.

WASHINGTON, April 17.—Legislation in behalf of silver, the interest Congress, looking to the abolition of the office of comptroller of currency at a number of the smaller posts, increasing the business in the larger ones, among the items taken into account (Eureka) Owyhee, Southern Oregon (Cour d'Alene) Virginia, Oregon Secretary Hamlin counts to the present change. The assistant secretary hopes with some measure of success to consolidate the offices in the interest of economy.

IN COSTA RICA.

The New of the President is in Danger.

HOUSTON, April 17.—A dispatch from Colombia says the son of President Rodriguez of Costa Rica, became involved in a quarrel with another named Rafael Alfaro. The former is a Knife and killed Alfaro. Mr. Alfaro's dangerous wound. Rodriguez was arrested.

MORE ABOUT THE ARMY.

The Spokane Branch Ready to Start.

SPOKANE, Wash., April 17.—The Spokane branch of the Coxey army now numbers 200 recruits. Recruits have been made out of an old church building. It is expected that the men will stay in camp here until the Pacific Road regiment arrive and proceed east with them.

THE ARRAIGNED.

SEATTLE, Wash., April 17.—A new feature has been added to the northwest industrial army by the population of a women's auxiliary, composed principally of the wives of the members. About forty women attended the first meeting and Mrs. Paul Mohr, wife of one of the men arrested on the main army, was elected president. The announcement was made that 5 in the male and female auxiliaries would move on to Washington in a few days.

COXEY AND BROWN HAVE RECONCILED.

CUMBERLAND, N. D. April 17.—The army of the commonweal was sent at national, preparing for a large trip to Washington. The army plunged down into the deep canyon through which the Pike runs into Cumberland, and through the cold rain and the marchers sang the opening stanza of "The Battle Hymn of the Republic." Prominent members of the town turned out to fill them dry speed. Both Carl Brown and Coxey made short farewell addresses, thanking the people for the kindness shown the army and promising to march back over better roads than Cumberland had over them, all of which was the result of the road bone bills the commonwealth is urging to have passed by Congress.

KELLY FOOLED.

OMAHA, Neb., April 17.—Kelly's army found to his care as promised. They had very little against the Council Bluffs officials. The army is still camped five miles east of Council Bluffs, and the provisions are running low.

EQUIP ARMED.

OMAHA, Neb., April 17.—The only trouble to the army was caused by men from Black Hills where the Mormons tried to get off. Conductor Brown was struck by an insulator and had his skull fractured. The Dakota men were armed and had control at Plattsmouth.

THE SEVENTH CENSUS.

It is to Be a Purely Statistical Work.

WASHINGTON, D. C., April 17.—Census officers are confident that a thoroughly safe safety adjustment of the work of the seventh census will result from the carrying into effect of the bill which has just passed Congress, providing for an extension of the time for the completion of the work to March 4 next.

Superintendent of Census Wright said today: "The extension of time is for the purpose of allowing professional to be done by those most familiar with the census volumes. The statements that the census reports are being delayed is absurd. The reports are being brought out in all integrity according to Mr. Porter's plans. Whatever the matter has been, or will be eliminated, it is, or will be, because in accordance with his approved ideas. No facts collected for the eleventh census have been in any way suppressed or changed. As they expected incident originally declared officially, that was to be a purely statistical census, and the present administration is trying to conform with that declaration."

Set Back Chosen.

MEXICO CITY, April 17.—The supreme court of Mexico is proceeding to take action in the case of Edward Adams, of New Orleans, charged with the murder of Carlos Lizarda, this city, in 1891. This is the last step in the course of justice, and if the supreme judiciary does not see fit to set aside the ruling of the lower court, Adams will be shot.

New York Markets.

NEW YORK, April 17.—Stocks opened firm and then dropped, sugar losing 1½, lost gained 1 1-8 gold will probably be shipped on Saturday, but now lost lost Saturday.

Trading in lower tale. Union Pacific losing more 1½ or 2.

A School Collapses.

MONTREAL, April 17.—The ceiling of Hochelaga school in Point St. Charles collapsed today. Three children were crushed to death and several injured.

Epworth Spring Meeting.

LEHIGH, April 17.—The Epworth spring meeting was held today. The crowd was the metropolitan report. The handsome, intelligent, intelligent, intelligent