

GOLD PLANK ASSURED

Convention Will Declare for Soundest Kind of Money.

THE SILVER MEN WILL BOLT

They Will Probably Put Up Teller for President and Fight for Democratic Endorsement.

St. Louis, June 14.—When Hon. Charles W. Fairbanks, the temporary chairman, arrived this morning from Indianapolis, Mr. Hanna and others had a long conference with him over the keynote speech, and later, this keynote speech was submitted to a conference of McKinley leaders. It is understood the keynote speech will be in the line of the Indiana platform, which specially shows opposition to the free coinage of silver at the ratio of 16 to 1.

Senator Dubois, of Idaho, and Representative Hartman, of Montana, joined Teller here tonight. There is no longer any doubt of the purpose of these radical silver men to bolt the action of the convention unless they can have their way about the financial plank. They realize that they are in a hopeless minority, and they have carefully laid their plans to walk out of the convention. The programme they have arranged will probably furnish the most dramatic and sensational incident of the convention. They intend, as a preliminary, to marshal all the strength they can in the committee on resolutions for silver. They know they will fail, but instead of their attempting to secure a compromise, it will be their plan to throw their strength in the committee as to force, if possible, the adoption of a straight-out gold plank, believing that an emphatic gold declaration will put them in a more advantageous position for what is to follow.

HAS VOTES TO SPARE

McKinley Claims Six Hundred and Forty Delegates.

St. Louis, June 13.—Mr. McKinley's headquarters have been crowded all day, and tonight access to them was almost impossible. Mark Hanna and General Grosvenor, after tonight's session of the national committee, said McKinley had 640 votes, as the contest now stands. Major Charles Dick, who is doing the tabulating as the committee proceeds with temporary consideration of the contests, puts the McKinley vote on the first ballot at 633, with 460 necessary to nominate. The opposition is keeping up the fight, especially the Reed, Morton and Quay men, and Platt is not disposed to make any overtures.

The Grasshopper Plague.

SOUTH BEND, Ind., June 13.—Grasshoppers are doing immense damage in portions of this county. Alexander Smith, of Center township, has 80 acres of wheat from which every blade has been eaten. Another 80 acres is being eaten up entire, as well as 15 acres of potatoes and a large field of oats.

Quay's Name Will Be Presented.

INDIANAPOLIS, June 13.—Governor Hastings of Pennsylvania and party passed through this city, en route to St. Louis, this morning.

When Hastings was informed that the morning dispatches stated that Quay's name would not go before the convention he said:

"It is a mistake, for I am to present his name myself. He has 60 out of 84 Pennsylvania delegates. Surely a candidate could not complain of that. These delegates will vote for him to the last."

"If McKinley is nominated, will Quay accept second place?"

"I am not authorized to say anything on that point. We are going there to nominate him for president, and not to make any compromises."

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THE ASTORIA STRIKERS.

Attempts to Commit Murder Continue—Firing from Ambush.

The fishermen around Astoria are still pursuing their bloody work.

Sheriff Hare of Astoria received a telegram from Clifton Saturday evening stating that masked men had boarded a fishing boat at Woody island, five miles below Clifton, and were throwing 150 salmon overboard. So many boats are now engaged in fishing up the river in the neighborhood of Clifton that one patrol boat is insufficient to protect them. Arrangements were accordingly made this evening to put on a second patrol boat. Sheriff Hare in speaking of the affair, said this evening:

"Just as quickly as fishermen ask for protection they shall have it, even if it is necessary to cover the entire Columbia river within my jurisdiction with patrol boats."

An attempt was also made to murder a fisherman named Sam Brown, who was fired on from shore by parties in ambush. Sheriff Hare's patrol boat immediately steamed for the spot where the shot had been heard, and found Brown some distance up the sloughs, daring the men in ambush to come out and give him fair fight. "You cowardly scoundrel," Brown was heard to say, "you dare not show your heads and give a man a fair show." The would-be murderers refused to come out, however, and Brown finally resumed fishing operations. The following private dispatch was received from Clifton tonight by The Oregonian correspondent here:

"This morning one of the Cook's most successful fishermen, while on his way to the cannery, was attacked by 25 men, some of whom were masked. After disarming him, the attacking party threw 150 salmon, valued at \$150, overboard. This afternoon another of Cook's men was attacked and disarmed, and 80 salmon were thrown in the river. Other fishermen have been fired upon within the last 24 hours. One brave fellow was fired upon from the shore and made for his assailant, who took to the woods. Sheriff Hare has placed a posse of deputies, above Clifton, but this is not sufficient. We desire more protection, and, to the credit of Sheriff Hare, he has promised it."

All efforts to settle the fishermen's strike through mediation of the Chamber of Commerce and the committee of citizens have proved unavailing, and the movement was entirely abandoned this afternoon, leaving the union complete master of the situation, and stronger than ever.

Two Lives Saved.

Mrs. Phoebe Thomas, of Junction City Ill. was told by her doctors she had Consumption and that there was no hope for her, but two bottles of Dr. King's New Discovery completely cured her and she says it saved her life. Mr. Thos. Eggers, 139 Florida St. San Francisco, suffered from a dreadful cold, approaching Consumption, tried without result everything else then bought one bottle of Dr. King's New Discovery and in two weeks was cured. He is naturally thankful. It is such results, of which there are samples, that prove the wonderful efficacy of this medicine in Coughs and colds. Free trial bottles at Blakeley & Houghton's Drug Store. Regular size 50 cents and \$1.00.

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A QUESTION OF VISION.

Incidents Which Go to Show That Mind and Not Eye Sees.

It is an admitted fact that the eye is the "organ of vision," yet there is but little doubt, even in the minds of opticians and physiologists, that the phenomenon of "seeing" is chiefly mental—in other words, that it is the mind and not the eye that "sees."

How often have you seen a friend who, seemingly, was engaged in looking intently on some object on the table, at the opposite side of the room, or at some picture, who, on being aroused from his day dream, would confess that he was "looking at nothing in particular." The explanation of the fact that he saw "nothing in particular" is plain enough if properly set forth. It was because his mind was busy with other times and scenes.

Faces, bits of wayside scenery, and the like, were being presented to view in the panorama of the mind, and the "mind's eye"—or mental vision—was engaged in eagerly scanning of impressions made thereon years or scores of years before. Again, if you want to know whether your companion looked at his watch with his brain or his eyes, ask him the time of day after he puts the timepiece in his pocket.

PREPARED FOR EMERGENCIES.

Young Man Who Got a Clerkship in Anticipation of His Prodigality.

Here is a story that one of the southern members vouches for, according to the Washington Post. A young man, one of his constituents, applied to him for a \$1,000 clerkship. The member secured the appointment, but the day before the constituent was to be sworn in he came to his representative in a troubled state of mind and said:

"Colonel, I have had \$125,000 left me by an aunt, and, my God! just think what I have to go through again."

"Let me congratulate you," said the representative.

"No, don't do that," said the constituent: "you don't know what you're congratulating me on."

"Yes, I do," said the member, "for now you can live without working."

"Colonel," said the distressed young man, "I may as well tell you. Several years ago I had \$100,000 left me by another aunt and it took me nearly a year to spend it. After I got through I had to go to the hospital for six months to get over the effects of my dissipation. The reason I came to see you to-day was to ask you to keep that place for me until I can spend this money."

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