

SATURDAY, AUGUST 1, 1896.

Anything may be framed into a statute, the very government itself might be overturned by some ridiculous provision and long years pass before the deplorable fact is discovered, at in the case of the bill de-monetizing silver. That case alone is a warning. Nothing more revolutionary was ever done with such insidious quiet. No one knew of it outside the three or four engaged in it.—Salem Statesman editorial May 27, 1895.

FREE SILVER PROTECTION.

The greatest question that has moved the masses of our nation since Abraham Lincoln signed that immortal document, the Emancipation Proclamation, is upon us, the question of finances, which is today causing us to loose the political bonds that bind us as partisans of one or the other of the great political parties and forcing us as American citizens to act independently of past relations and to unite in one grand patriotic movement, for the interests of the plain people.

When we, who have seen prosperity in our nation, see the misery and want that now surround us upon every hand, our active, patriotic and American minds are led to turn the searchlight of investigation upon the pathway of the causes that lead down to the quicksands of financial and commercial ruin.

What do we find? We find that the manipulators of the great political parties that have dominated in the affairs of our government for the past twenty-three years, have been robbing and deceiving us, undermining our freedom and leading us blindfolded to the precipice of destruction.

We tear aside the hoodwink at an opportune moment and the pages of history reveal to our gaze some of the deplorable causes of our present crisis; among them the most glaring fraud ever perpetrated by mortal man upon his fellows, viz: the invalidation and demonization of our constitutional money metal.

Further investigation shows us that we are the greatest silver producing nation in the world.

There are fully 500,000 idle men, who heretofore have been receiving, on an average, \$2.50 per day, placing in the hands of the bread-winners of the far west a daily income of one and a quarter millions of dollars.

Then did we have good times, then was the ladder of the laborer well filled, then did the farmer get a fair price for his ducts: the west was flush with success and her children were prosperous and happy.

From the silver mines of the west went the shining silver and its inseparable companion, gold, to gladden the hearts of the manufacturer of the east. Pennsylvania sent us back manufactured machinery for our silver and Massachusetts, New York and the other manufacturing portions of the east sent us shoes and clothing and all this while the miner was digging out more silver and with it more gold to send for a new consignment of the eastern products.

Why the sudden change? Where today is the daily income to the laborers of the west of the one and a quarter millions of dollars?

"Who has caused the children of freedom to be clothed in rags and their offsprings to cry for bread?"

I answer: They who conspired to rob this nation of her freedom, and with a contraction of her currency and a bonded indebtedness seek to reduce her to a subjugation that British guineas and internal strife, fostered by foreign mercenaries failed to accomplish.

Shall we protect our American interests or shall we succumb to the powers that would be? I have been a Republican all my life and am by nature a protectionist, yet I find what is sometimes called the Republican party, in its convention at St. Louis, declared in its platform for the single gold standard and for protection. How inconsistent!

Protection should be for the many and not for the few, the monopolists. What does protection mean? Why it means to us a shielding of our American interests and not a multiplication of interest on bonds.

Well, you say, what has the free coinage of silver to do with protection? Let us see: the object of a protective tariff is to foster and build up American industries is it not? Very well. You want a market for American goods and products, it may be manufactured goods or products of the soil.

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Silver is one of our greatest products and should be protected. How can we protect it? By finding or producing a market for it.

Silver is used now only in the arts and its commercial value is far below what it formerly was, because when we had free coinage of silver the amount placed in a dollar had a commercial value of \$1.00 but now the same amount or quantity has a commercial value of about 68 cents. Why?

Because when we had free coinage of silver, what is now worth, in the arts, 68 cents could be taken to the mint and coined and as soon as coined it would be worth \$1, hence there was no necessity of selling your bullion or disposing of it for 68 cents when you could get 100 cents for the same quantity when coined.

But you say: Are you not mistaken about silver being used only in arts are there not now silver coins? I answer you yes, there are silver coins but the act of coining is an art, the free coinage art, however, is denied us and we demand the restoration of that privilege, a fostered protection.

Give us free coinage and silver has a protection. Its protective influence will not stop west of the Rocky mountains. Fully one-half of the thirty millions yearly produced by the miners of the west would be sent east to the factories of Pennsylvania, Massachusetts and New York and other manufacturing portions of the east.

Therein you have protected the eastern manufacturer to the amount of \$15,000,000 a year by remonetizing silver and the remaining \$15,000,000 would be paid out by the vast products of the Pacific coast, and there are none better, yet we are compelled to go begging a market, reached only by long carriage and at great expense.

Let us look to our own mutual interests as a people and the farmer and the mechanic, the miner and the laborer will each receive protection, a heretofore much used but dastardly abused expression.

Then would our homes be beautified and the inhabitants thereof better clothed and more plentifully fed.

American freemen! Do you want protection of life, liberty and home? If you do, exercise the prerogative that God has given you as an American citizen and step up to the ballot box in November and help yourself. The time has come for us to vote with our heads and not make ourselves the instruments of monopolists or traditional prejudices.

Many west of the Rocky mountains and states adjacent thereto have, doubtless wondered why we have not so much money in the west as we formerly had. That is easily explained: We are not a manufacturing district consequently we must send our money into the eastern or manufacturing districts like Pennsylvania, Massachusetts and New York.

But why at this time do we feel more keenly the monetary depression? Because since the demonization of silver in 1873, the mining interests have declined with the decline of silver and our miners have ceased to earn money as they did previous to the fall in the price of our silver products, while in the meantime we have been compelled to send what money could be realized from the agricultural products, to the east for manufactured articles and there being nothing to bring money into this vicinity but the agricultural products, money has become continually scarcer and scarcer until we have not, at this time a sufficient circulating medium to perform the necessary functions of commerce.

What is your remedy? Open the mines. How can this be done? Go to the election next November with a freer silver ballot in your hand, a patriotic purpose in your mind and freedom throbbing in your heart, deposit your ballot in the box and the God of plenty will smile approvingly upon your act.

We do not now need so much more Americans as we need better Americans.

The strength and perpetuity of our republic depends upon an educated ballot. Do not vote for any party. Think for yourself and vote for a principal and the noble deed performed by the deposit of a carefully molded, thoughtful ballot will go on and on down through the endless ages, blessing and benefitting humanity "until the volume of human history shall be sealed forever and delivered to the Omniscient Judge."

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Woodburn, Or., July 30, 1896.

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JOURNAL "X" RAYS.

Directed Upon Persons and Things by the Good Natured Man.

One 50-cent dollar is better than no 20-cent dollar.

Credit is a good thing to have, but it is a bad thing to use.

The Salem water system is now the best in Oregon, but it can't produce rain.

God bless the gentle Oregon mist, say all but the harvesters and threshers.

Less debts is what the voter wants, what the city, county, state and nation want.

It is reported that Dolph has gone to joking, and Mitchell to the single gold standard.

It is patriotism to legislate value out of an article, but a disgrace to legislate value into anything, say the gold men.

Street Commissioner Gobalet can win the undying gratitude of Salem's people by remonetizing the sidewalks of the city.

Tilford will make some Republican speeches in Eastern Oregon on protection—that is to protect every product but silver.

If the 8 cent tariff was taken off the hop crop of Oregon what would our farmers do? They are now getting nearly half that for their hops.

Tom Reed says if McKinley is elected we can borrow five hundred millions on two minutes' notice. What the people want is a president who will make it possible to pay, not to borrow. We owe too much now.

The Statesman speaks of a Republican paper that was formerly for free silver. In the past neither a paper nor an individual could be a Republican without being for silver. Such are still Republicans, and the only true Republicans.

With Bankrupt McKinley at the head of a bankrupt government, and \$12,000,000 of national, state, county, municipal and corporate debts to be doubled in gold, the outlook for the next four years might be electrolyzed, as a topographical map of hell with the lid off.—Uthman.

Notice.
In pursuance of the requirements of the law approved February 25, 1889, notice is hereby given that the following list of county warrants issued seven years prior to July 1, 1896, have not been presented for payment and those enclosed in parenthesis having been uncalled for and still remaining in my hand and custody, and unless so presented for payment at the office of the county treasurer, of Marion county, Oregon, on or before August 29, 1896, said warrants will be cancelled and payment thereon will be refused, all in accordance with the requirements of said law.

5080, Capital Adventure Co., July, 1888, \$6.70.
6129, S. W. Morgan, July, 1888, \$8.40.
7279, Wilson D. McNary, December, 1888, \$5.
7491, W. B. Simpson, January, 1889, \$5.
7718, B. Phelps, January, 1889, \$30.
7784, J. W. Thomas, February, 1889, \$5.
8540, D. W. Yoder, May, 1889, \$2.75.
(WARRANTS UNCALLED FOR.)
(81 9, L. A. Verneche, March 18, 1889 \$5.40.)
(7835, W. H. Trullinger, February 7, 1889, \$1.)
(7539, Dan Rogers, January 11, 1889, 28.70.)
(6607, Oscar Runnels, October 5, 1888, \$1.)
(6547, L. D. Pitman, October 5, 1888, \$1.)
(8004, Alice A. Omeg, May 13, 1889 \$2.90.)
(6161, John A. McIntire, August 8, 1888, \$2.)
(6558, Gad Miller, September 7, 1888, \$1.)
(7389, Henrietta Late, December 8, 1888, \$1.70.)
(6120, B. F. Holliday, July 9, 1888, \$1.70.)
(8222, E. N. Girard, March 9, 1889, \$1.50.)
(8631, G. N. Fischer, May 13, 1889, \$1.70.)
(6555, John Flynn, October 5, 1888, \$1.)
(6337, A. Eder, September 7, 1888, \$1.)
(6419, Chas. Caulfield, September 10, 1888, \$1.)
(7843, Lewis Burtman, February 8, 1889, \$1.50.)
(7540, Wm. Brown, January 11, 1889, \$1.70.)
(6351, Barnard Burtonshaw, September 7, 1888, \$1.70.)
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From the Livestock Monitor, An Able, Mich.

The publisher of this paper having some business to transact at Prescott, Ogemaw Co., Michigan, Monday last, repaired to that hamlet. While there he chanced to learn of a remarkable recovery from an illness of thirty-four years standing, the fortunate person being Thomas F. Galvin. The writer hunted that gentleman up, introduced himself, and requested Mr. Galvin to give a brief history of his terrible disease and some history of himself. Mr. Galvin's trouble culminated three or four years since in three diseases—Rheumatism, affecting the general system; Locomotor ataxia, affecting the legs, rendering him unable to direct his course in walking; and paralysis, rendering him unable to use lips, throat or palate.

In giving a history of his trouble, Mr. Galvin said: "In 1861 I enlisted in the army and was made captain of Co. H, 4th Illinois Infantry. I was stationed at Paducah, Ky.; in September of that year and while there caught cold and contracted rheumatism. I was in the hospital three months; when I recovered sufficiently to report for duty, although far from well. Previous to this time I had never been sick a day in my life and I weighed 195 pounds. Continued in the service during the war, although suffering all the time from rheumatism. At the close of the war, I was discharged and a few months afterwards granted a pension of \$9 per month for my disabilities. I was never free from pain for thirty-three long years until late last fall or early in the winter. I continued to grow worse all the time during the entire period until last November. I was then in a pitiable condition. I had been stricken with paralysis and locomotor ataxia in addition to my rheumatism. For three years I was helpless. I could not talk because of paralysis. I could not walk because of the locomotor ataxia, and my hands, arms and legs were all out of shape, withered and drawn, from rheumatism. You see my knees now. Just as I was in your. Last summer I could not move my knees, nor could I get them together within six inches. You see my fingers, straight and nearly covered from their stiffness. At that time, if I attempted to walk, I was as liable to go backwards or sideways or fall down as I was to go forwards, because of the lack of power of locomotion. My God, how I prayed for years to die and be relieved of my sufferings.

"Had it not been that our Government was fit to increase my pension from \$9 to \$17 per month and pay me \$1.40 back pension, I should have suffered for the necessities of life.

"Before this time I had treated with the best medical men of Detroit, Cleveland, Milwaukee, Chicago and several other northern cities, but, as I said, grew gradually worse until I would not have given \$1 for my chances of life last November, and in fact, would rather have been dead than alive. I only weighed 132 pounds. You see me to-day. I weigh 175 and am free from pain entirely, am slowly but surely gaining strength.

You see I was so long unable to take a step that I do not feel likely safe in my pins yet, although I have not fallen down in several months. I am learning the use of my legs, hands, arms and tongue again. I guess you will think I have recovered the use of the latter if I keep on, but I want to

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