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Correspondence.

FROM WASHINGTON.

An Interesting Batch of News From the Capitol.

From our Regular Correspondent.

Washington, Oct. 12, 1894.

Two distinguished officials have, during the present week, made statements on the same subject that are difficult to reconcile. Senator Faulkner, of West Virginia, who is chairman of the Democratic Congressional Campaign Committee, said that there never was a time when it was so difficult to get contributions from federal officials, and that about the only ones who had contributed what might be considered their quota were the employees at the capitol. There is quite an interesting little story about the manner in which the contributions of the capitol employees, some 1,800 in number, were secured. It is said that each of them agreed to chip in \$10, and that the money was paid with the understanding that a joint resolution would be put through Congress allowing them an extra month's pay. The resolution was introduced all right enough, but owing to opposition in unexpected quarters it failed to pass. But to return to those opposite statements; it is gathered from that of Senator Faulkner that the government employees are not contributing. Now, look at the other side. Civil Service Commissioner Roosevelt said, in a published interview, that the commission was having no end of trouble because of the political assessment of government employees and that he did not recall any non-presidential election year in which the commission had had so much trouble from that source. One or the other must be either badly misinformed or have wrongly summed up the facts.

The Populists are, as the saying is, "just tickled to death" over Hoke Smith's explanation of the falling off of the democratic majority in Georgia. They say that if Mr. Smith will only do a little more explaining of the same sort he will make Populists out of thousands of Democrats in the Southern States. He says in effect that the vote in Georgia has convinced him of the necessity of the Democratic party standing up squarely for the Cleveland silver policy. Mr. Smith is being roundly abused by the silver Democrats for what they call his "impolitic utterances against silver" in the midst of a campaign in which that party expects to elect two-thirds of the members it will have in the next house with the votes of men who believe in the free and unlimited coinage of silver. It is hinted that it was the indiscreet nature of Secretary Smith's speeches that caused President Cleveland to order that members of the administration should not take active part in the campaign.

A quorum of the cabinet have gone to Batavia, N. Y., ostensibly only to hear Secretary Carlisle deliver a carefully prepared address on the life and character of his distinguished predecessor of revolutionary fame, Robert Morris, but it is regarded as altogether probable that they will take advantage of the opportunity to put in a few looks that will help along the campaign, now just getting on a full head of steam.

The Mexican minister to the United States is in a state of mind because of a publication stating that Mexico was plotting to annex all the rest of the Central American republics. He denies the story and says there was no foundation whatever therefor. If the minister is cor-

rect the man who furnished the details with which the annexation story abounded is gifted with an extraordinary imagination.

A gentleman who visited the Democratic and Republican Congressional committee headquarters says that he received substantially the same answer at both places to his question as to the present outlook and that stripped of all verbiage it was: "We are certain to control the next house, if the Populists do not elect enough members to hold the balance of power." Odd, wasn't it?

Those politicians who thought that Senator Cameron was only making believe that he intended to enter the field as a candidate for the Presidential nomination of his party, basing his claims for the nomination on his favoring the free coinage of silver, are slowly getting their eyes opened to the fact that whatever others may mean, Cameron means business and is really out for that nomination. Thousands of free silver documents are being daily sent out from Washington under Senator Cameron's frank. Senator Cameron cannot compete with the orators of his party who are seeking the Presidential nomination, but he has a long head, and a longer purse, and will be heard from when the delegates to the national convention are rounded up.

The general impression in Washington is that the independent Democratic candidate for governor of New York will not get enough support to make him a factor in the fight. Both Democrats and Republicans seem to be of the opinion that he will only get the votes of those who would not, under any circumstances have voted for either Hill or Morton.

GILLAM.

BY SHORTY.

Miss Rilda Ginn was married last week to Mr. Daniels, of Bradley township.

Frank Faris has returned home from Valparaiso where he has been attending school.

Mrs. Mary Query, of Medaryville, has sold her farm in Gillam to some Illinois men.

Several young people went to Barkley to church last Sunday evening to hear the new minister.

Mr. and Mrs. John Hanley, of Lafayette, are visiting relatives in Gillam.

Mrs. Len Hollett, of Francesville, visited relatives in Gillam over Sunday.

Mrs. Catherine Odom has returned home from Elwood, Ind., where she has been visiting.

Mr. and Mrs. Downey, Lou and Emma Robinson attended the Sunday School Convention at Francesville last week.

Frank Tillett has gone to Kansas to visit friends and take a look at the country. He will visit the Cherokee strip before he returns.

The People's Party has nominated R. L. P. Massey for trustee, and Elmer Pullins for assessor.

Ollie Query, daughter of John Query, of Hildreth, Ill., died last week of typhoid fever, and her remains were brought here for interment.

SOUTH WEST MARION.

BY TOPSEY TURKEY.

Weather fine and health good. There is quite a number of dwellings building in this part of the country.

Mr. Polard has his new house about completed.

Mr. Huston, the gentleman who bought the Creston land is erecting a new house.

Mr. George Havens has added to his farm's appearance by building a new barn.

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At the
WORLD'S FAIR.

Land in this quarter has taken quite a boom and a number of sales are reported.

Our corn we think can not be beat anywhere for quantity and quality.

Some of our schools were closed Tuesday, for the republican—balloon—goat show, at Rensselaer.

Mr. and Mrs. Daly visited Mr. George Sigman, Sunday.

BLACKFORD.

BY BESSIE.

Health is very good at present.

Mrs. Michaels and daughter, Mrs. Reed, have gone to Illinois to visit relatives and friends.

Miss Nancy Price was on Nubbin Ridge Sunday.

Misses Emma and Ruth Shroer have returned from Ohio, where they have been visiting relatives.

Mr. Thomas Herron and family will move to their future home at Brookston in a few weeks.

Mr. and Mrs. Theodore Hurley are happy—it is a big boy.

A Populist speaking at the Sandridge school house Friday evening.

Mr. Alex Hurley and family were the guests of Mrs. Burgett Sunday.

Preaching at the Dunkard church Sunday.

Public Sale.

The undersigned will offer at public sale, 1½ miles north of Mt. Ayer, Jackson township, Newton county, Ind., on

Thursday, October 25, 1894,

The following described property to-wit:

7 head of milch cows, 3 cows with calves by side; five yearling heifers; 4 2-year-old steers; 3 yearling steers; 2 calves; 20 head of stock hogs; 2 brood sows with pigs by side; 17 head; 5 head of horses, 1 wagon, 1 good boat sled; mowing machine; hay rake; 1 riding plow, 2 stubble plows; 1 spring tooth cultivator; 1 cultivator; 2 harrows, and other farming implements too numerous to mention. 8 stands of bees; 10 tons of tame hay in stack.

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SAMUEL LONG.

SIMON PHILLIPS, Auctioneer.

Notice of Final Settlement of Estate.

In the Jasper Circuit Court, October term. In the matter of the estate of Kinley Bennett, deceased.

Notice is hereby given that the undersigned, as administrator of the estate of Kinley Bennett, deceased, has presented and filed his account and vouchers in final settlement of said estate, and that the same will come up for the examination and action of said Circuit Court, on the 25th day of October, 1894, at which time all persons interested in said estate are required to appear in said court and show cause, if any there be, why said account and vouchers should not be approved.

And the heirs of said estate, and all others interested therein, are also hereby required, at the time and place aforesaid, to appear and make proof of their relationship or claim to any part of said estate. NELSON HANDEL, MORDECAI F. CHILCOTE, Administrator. Attorney for Administrator.

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Sam Thurston having imbibed too freely of fighting fluid Tuesday, fancied himself insulted when requested to stand back from the balloon. Drawing a huge knife he began cutting right and left. Old Mr. Minicus received a severe cut across the back of the right hand, from his too free use of the weapon. The marshal, Burgess Dillen, finally succeeded in arresting him, after having knocked him down twice with his cane. When overpowered he was lodged in jail, where he made a raid on the windows, knocking out a sash or two, smashing lighted lamps and in a general way turned things up side down. His father, who was on the street and interferred in his behalf, was arrested and fined \$10.

The McClure series of Napoleon papers and portraits will open in the November number of McClure's Magazine. There will be fifteen of the earliest portraits of Napoleon, some of them very rare, and seven of persons intimately associated with his career, accompanying the first installment of an anecdotal study of Napoleon by Miss Ida M. Tarbell. This installment deals especially with Napoleon's boyhood and youth. With this series of papers there will be in all seventy-five portraits of Napoleon.

Married.—At the home of the officiating minister, Rev. R. D. Utter, in Rensselaer, Oct. 13, 1894, Mr. George Vorhis, of Fowler, Ind., and Miss Jessie F. Gray, of Remington, Ind.

The W. C. T. U. will meet at the Christian church, Saturday, Oct. 20, at 3 p. m. promptly. Every member is earnestly requested to be present as there is important business to be attended to.