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Congressional Convention.

Pursuant to instruction from the State Central Committee, I hereby call a convention of the People's Party of the Tenth Congressional District of Indiana to meet at Rensselaer at one o'clock sharp, on Saturday, July 16, 1896, to elect two delegates and two alternates to the People's Party National convention to be held at St. Louis, Mo., July 22, 1896, said Congressional Convention to be composed of delegates, one delegate from each township and one additional delegate for each fifty and major fraction thereof of the votes cast for Dr. Robinson for secretary of state, which will entitle the several counties to delegates as follows: Warren 13, Tippecanoe 16, White 16, Benton 12, Newton 13, Jasper 24, Lake 15, Porter 15, La Porte 25.

The several county chairmen are requested to call once assembly county conventions to select delegates as above. Counties that are unorganized will meet in mass convention and besides naming delegates perfect organization.

Arrangements have been made for half fare rates on the Monon and a large popular gathering is assured as speakers of national reputation will address the people in the afternoon and evening on the Free Coinage of Silver and Money Question. Hon. H. S. P. (Stump) Ashby of Texas has been engaged and negotiations are in progress to also secure Senator Stewart of Nevada. These speakers are so well known and such able orators that no pains should be spared to make this inaugural event in the campaign of this district productive of great good. Half rates good going on Wednesday and Thursday and returning on Saturday. The call for convention to meet on the 20th of June, 1896, is hereby withdrawn.

F. D. CRAIG, Chairman.

Year Six Begun.

With this issue of the People's Pilot it begins the sixth year of its existence, and as has been customary in the past, a little enlivenment of color is given to commemorate the event. It is thought fitting to print one side of the white paper in red and the other side in blue, thus symbolizing the patriotic course the paper espouses.

The editor desires to thank the many friends who have so liberally patronized the paper during past months severely hard times. Times are still hard and there are many subscribers who are delinquent, but though we do not complain, we ask all those who can to kindly bear us in mind. There are many whose time expires with this issue, and it will be a great favor to receive their renewal soon.

Positively going to quit the clothing business. All goods are going at cost at The Model.

Lemonade from the Old Oaken Bucket at the lawn social at C. W. Cowens next Tuesday evening; cake and cream.

The B. Y. P. U. held their annual convention in Goodland yesterday. A number were in attendance from Rensselaer.

Isaac Hemphill and family were guests at the country home of Wai Porter last Sunday.

Dr. Horton has supplied his dental office with an electric fan. The rooms are comfortably cool on the warmest days.

A lawn social will be given at the home of C. W. Coen, Tuesday evening June 30; a Fourth of July celebration in advance; come and see the fire works.

Mrs. J. M. Kean and daughters, Gertrude and Edna of Wheaton Ill., arrived in the city Wednesday to make a two weeks' visit with friends.

John M. Hood of Mexico, N. Y., and niece Miss Ora Hood of LaPorte, Ind., made a visit Saturday and Sunday with the family of W. A. Huff. Mrs. Huff is a niece of Mr. Hood.

Will A. Mossler left to-day for Richmond, Virginia, to spend a month for the benefit of his health. The Pilot hopes he will return greatly improved for he is a most genial gentleman and an excellent merchant.

The Women's Relief Corps requests a full attendance of the members next Monday night, June 29th, as there is business of importance to attend to.

LULA HUFF, Secretary.

Miss Holbrook, who has just left for her home in Warsaw, has made many friends during her stay here, and being a tasteful milliner she will probably find employment here again next fall.

Marriage Licenses.

BRIDE. GROOM.
Emma O. Gray Dominic V. McGlynn
Hattie Leota Alter Harry G. Nowels.

Advertised Letters.

Mrs. Martin Coan; Jacob Day.

Bids on Courthouse.

Bids were opened to-day and the following are the several propositions with reservations varying somewhat:

T. Nicholson & Son, Chicago, \$102,000.

Jno Sulzer, Ft. Wayne \$97,533.
J. W. Crocker & Bro. Cold Water, Mich., \$107,400.

J. L. Fatout, Indianapolis, \$105,900.

C. M. Thayer & Co., Chicago, \$92,300.

Heinsman & Bro., Nobelsville, Ind., \$89,182.

S. Sigler, Chicago, \$99,990.
J. E. Gibson, Logansport, \$99,900.

C. Boseker & Son, Ft. Wayne \$94,587.40.

C. A. Moses, Chicago, \$93,600.

The bonds are to be sold tomorrow, and a number of gentlemen are in town looking after them.

An injunction was filed last night by O. P. Tabor and George Besse against each of the three commissioners and Consolidated Stone Co., of Chicago.

Frazier and Isham of Fowler are the attorneys for Messrs. Tabor and Besse. It is understood that a temporary injunction will be asked of Judge Wiley to-day and if granted, the trial will take place at the next term of court here.

Mrs. Honan Entertains.

Mrs. E. P. Honan, was at home to about sixty of her friends yesterday afternoon. An "Art Exhibit" was the diversion provided for her guests, and it was pronounced a success. The usual refreshments were served. The following were present.

Mrs. M. L. Spitler, C. G. Spitler, Powell of Washington city, Parker, Stockton, Moss, J. Williams, Edward English, H. L. Brown, Brown, of Danville, Ill., Frank Ross, C. G. Sears, Hardman, Long, Murry, Sanders, Craig, Meyers, C. W. Duvall, E. D. Rhoades, C. W. Rhoades, W. A. Rhinehart, of Buffalo, T. J. McCoy, Alfred McCoy, W. B. Anstin, S. P. Thompson, C. C. Starr, John Eger, C. A. Roberts, Will Huff, Wm. Mosler, G. K. Hollingsworth, Geo. Marshal, Martha Wasson, A. S. Nowels, Robert Randle, D. B. Nowels, Wal Robinson, C. W. Coen, R. B. Harris, J. S. H. Ellis, Warren, Wishard, Cole, Mary Kannal, H. J. Kannal, Dr. Alter, Grant Warner, Lizzie Hitchcock, M. B. Warner, Delos Thompson, Haugherst, of Battle Creek, Mich., C. C. Sigler, Misses Maud Spitler, Susie Parker, Nellie Moss, Mamie Williams, Miss Maud Spitler, 1st prize; Mrs. W. A. Rhinehart, 2nd prize; Mrs. D. B. Nowels Booby.

Council Proceedings.

The City Council met in regular session on last Monday night. The rules relative to the order of business were at once suspended on motion, and the assembly proceeded to the adoption and rejection of the various ordinances that had been prepared by the City Attorney and submitted to them.

It seems to be the intent to completely re-enact all provisions of a legislative character for the government of our City and consign all of those which were handed down from the Town Board to the lumbered past.

While the spirit of most of the members seems to keep a watchful eye on the pecuniary interests, that may be derived from proper enactments; most of the ordinances which have been passed thus far are either of a penal nature; or are an exercise of the police powers lodged in such bodies for the protection of the safety of individuals.

The ordinances that have been past, and are yet pending before the body are so numerous that particular mention cannot be accorded to any; suffice it to say, however, that while there are some changes which are necessitated by the re-incorporation, the general spirit of all of the others is found in the ordinances we have been obeying for many a day under the old regime.

The Council has been holding adjourned sessions every night this week, and will continue to do so until all that is necessary for municipal growth shall have found encouragement in ordinance or resolution.

Epworth League Entertainment.

The literary and social departments of the Epworth League will give a literary and musical entertainment at the M. E. church, Wednesday evening, July 1st, at 7:45 p. m.; admission 10c.

PROGRAM.

Music.....Healey Bros.
Paper.....Albert Overton.
Instrumental Solo.....Mamie Williams.
Vocal Solo.....Dr. Brown.
Music.....Lessie Warren, Bessie Moody and Wood Bros.
Recitation.....Carmen Penn.
Vocal Solo.....Earnest Wishard
Instrumental Solo.....May Enslin
Recitation.....Hattie Dowler.
Song.....Mabel Huff
Vocal Solo.....Mrs. Penn.
Instrumental Solo.....Ora Duval.
Song.....Edna Kean.
Instrumental Duet.....May Enslin and Bertha Nowels.
Vocal Solo.....Mrs. English.
Recitation.....Sylvia Robinson.
Vocal Solo.....Nora Morgan.
Instrumental Solo.....May Dart.
Music.....

BEFORE
INVENTORY
SALE.

THE MODEL

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SALE.

We Begin in a few Weeks to count up stock.

Before that time every overloaded department must get rid of a sufficient quantity of goods to invoice at the right figures. Quite a few of our departments have surplus stocks. THE PRICE CUTTER GOES TO WORK. The bargain hunter rejoices. Today we start the ball rolling with many selected specimens of good merchandise that tell the whole story. Shrewd shoppers will come at once. We start invoicing Aug. 1. Also we will paper and paint to get ready for grand fall opening.

It is always expected at this season of the year to have lots of odds and ends and we have got them and the knife goes deep. So the people who need can come and buy and get the benefit of the reduction. All goes in this sale. In order to be convinced you must come and inspect our stock and we will show you that we really have no competitors.

This Sale Strictly for cash. Everything as advertised. For your own good don't miss this Sale. The price cutter goes to work. The bargain hunter rejoices. Sale lasts till August 1st. MUST REDUCE.

Table linen

Our \$1.25 bleached table linen sale price.....89
Our 75c bleached table linen sale price.....50
Our 40c red check sale price.....31
Our 30c red table linen sale price.....18
NAPKINS, 50c, 75c, \$1.125.

Torchon laces

12 yds Torchon lace all widths.....12c
Shirt waist sale
All \$1.50 waists 20 at.....\$1
All \$1 waists 20 at.....75
All 75c waists 20 at.....50
All 50c waists 20 at.....39

Umbrella sale

All \$1.75 umbrellas 20 at.....\$1.38
All \$1.25 umbrellas 20 at.....98
All \$1.00 umbrellas 20 at.....69
All 50c umbrellas 20 at.....61

Thread

Eight spools Clark's O. N. T.....25
Nine spools Merricks.....25

Dress goods

\$1 all wool Henrietta black.....63
\$1 all wool Henrietta, all colors, sale price.....63
75c all wool Henrietta, all colors, sale price.....37
35c cashmere, all colors, sale price.....19
10c delaine, in tan and black sale price.....8
15c plaid dress goods for children sale price.....12

CLOTHING
10 Per Cent
15 Per Cent
25 Per Cent
35 Per Cent
50 Per Cent
Off

During
this
SALE

We can't help it, competitors, but we are bound to quit the clothing business, and will give the people of Jasper county the benefit of low prices. If our competitor would see how he copy from us he would do as the Model did last Saturday; we were so busy we had to employ twelve salespeople. Low prices does it. Everything goes at cost in our clothing department. Don't fail to call and see our bargains before buying in clothing, gent's furnishing goods, boots and shoes, hats and caps.

CARPET SALE

All wool Lowell extra super carpet worth 65c sale price.....42c
Half wool Ingrain carpet worth 45c sale price.....31c
Matting worth 15c sale price.....9c
Carpet and lace curtains must go. Don't fail to see us.

Silk at closing
out prices

\$1.25 fancy silk sale price.....85
\$1 fancy silk sale price.....75
75c fancy silk sale price.....50
50c surah silk sale price.....39
All summer dress goods at great reduction. All goods marked in plain figures and at one price.

Corset sale

Our 50c Featherbone.....39
Our \$1 featherbone and C. B. La Spirit.....82c

Ribbon Sale

No. 3 all satin best quality ribbon.....5c
No. 5 all satin best quality ribbon.....9c
No. 7 all satin best quality ribbon.....11c
No. 9 all satin best quality ribbon.....13c
No. 12 all satin best quality ribbon.....19c
We are overstocked in ribbon and these prices will make them go. Ask to see them.

SHOE SALE

All \$1.25 ladies' slippers.....89c
All \$1.25 ladies' shoes.....98c
Our 75c ladies' slippers.....50c
Our 35c children's shoes.....21c
Our \$3 and \$4 ladies' shoes.....\$2.25
Our \$2.50 ladies' shoes.....\$1.75
Our \$2 men's lace and congress shoes sale price.....\$1.25
Our \$1.50 men's lace or congress shoes sale price.....\$1.00

Domestic

Calico.....2c
Best Calicoes.....4, 5
Lawrence L. L. Muslin.....4
Fruit of the loom bleached muslin.....7
Lonsdale Green Ticket bleached muslin.....7
Challie.....3c
Shirting calico.....4
Bleached muslin.....5
Tennis flannel.....5
Shirting.....3c
Ladies' and children's black cotton hose, per pair.....5
Ladies' vest.....4
Pine per paper.....1

Ladies' silk
mitts

All 15c ladies' mitts.....9
All 25c ladies' mitts.....24
All 50c ladies' mitts.....39

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000 votes. But it must obtain 4,000,000 more somewhere. Who will supply them? They must come from the populists and republicans. How can they be obtained, is the serious and important question which the Chicago convention must solve and solve rightly, or the gold standard party will be victorious. A serious error at Chicago will inevitably divide the silver army. We may regret it as we will, but human nature is the same to-day as yesterday, and the same this year as in former presidential years.

Men of opposite political views who are flouted, or whose wishes are treated with indifference by those who need their support, are not likely to suppress political bitterness, whether of the long past or recent creation, and replace it with feelings that will lead to affiliation and support at the polls.

Postmaster Honan, David Shields, Wm. M. Hoover, N. S. Bates and A. K. Yeoman were in attendance at the democratic state convention yesterday, that nominated Hon. B. F. Shively for governor on a free silver platform.

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urers can bring them prosperity. So, until we restore bimetalism protection must be a mere sham, for only by restoring bimetalism can we raise the price of silver, and deprive our silver-using competitors of the bounty they now enjoy in the shape of a premium on gold, raise the price at which they can lay down their products in competition with our producers, thus raise the prices our farmers get for their products and bring to them renewed prosperity.

Declaring unreservedly for sound money—which has come to mean the dearest money and a two-hundred-cent dollar—the republican convention has earned the plaudits of the money cliques; for it has declared its policy to be to enrich the few at the expense of the many. The reference to international bimetalism is puerile. We are under tribute to the creditor classes of Europe; we are greatly their debtors. The further gold appreciates, the more cotton and wheat and other produce will they get in payment of interest and principal, and the heavier will be our tribute. To free ourselves from such tribute we must do nothing—nothing save wait for the nations enjoying such tribute and profiting from our impoverishment to voluntarily relinquish such tribute. Such is the meaning of the declaration of the republican convention that we

are opposed to the free coinage of silver except by international agreement with the leading commercial nations of the world, which we pledge ourselves to promote, and, until such agreement can be obtained, the existing gold standard must be preserved."

Imports into Great Britain exceeded exports last year by £130,547,693, and net imports of gold amounted to £14,736,715—a total of £145,284,408. This is the tribute the rest of the world is under to Great Britain. This represents the interest on the sums the British creditor classes have loaned to foreigners and the interest on the capital invested in her marine. Over \$700,000,000 is the tribute of the world to England, and the further prices fall, the more wheat, the more cotton, and other produce will she receive in payment. Yet we are to wait for the creditor classes of Great Britain to join hands with us in restoring bimetalism, raising prices and cutting down this tribute. Truly, it is folly to wait for international bimetalism. Twenty years we have waited in vain, and so long as we remain supinely inactive, we will continue to wait. By opening our mints to silver, we can force bimetalism; but by begging we will never achieve it.