

BUNKO THE GAME POPULISTS PLAN

How the Democrats Have Fixed the State for Fusion.

THEY GRAB EVERYTHING

Having Provided for Sewall, They Help Themselves to Congress.

RAILROAD INFLUENCE FELT

Monteith, McGlashan, Rogers, Maguire and Barlow to Be Turned Down in the N.W. Deal.

The Populist leaders are finding it a rather difficult matter to deliver the goods of their party to their Democratic masters.

That the Populists of this State have been bunkoed by the Democracy either with or without the consent of their leaders is apparent.

The silver portion of the joint committee on conference was called into existence by George W. Baker, chairman of the Bimetallic League.

Colonel Taylor Rogers, People's party candidate in the Fifth, has resigned, in obedience to the plan of action, and the Democrats have turned down and James H. Barry, a Democrat, will get his place.

In the matter of George W. Monteith's candidacy for Congress in the First District, it is understood that Humboldt County is one of that gentleman's strongholds.

It was proposed, in the first place, that in case Monteith refused to commit political suicide, he should be assassinated by the Democracy.

The Tulare County News prints the following resolution: Resolved, That we, the central committee of the People's party of Tulare County, demand that our State executive committee provide for fusion with the Democratic party in this State, only Bryan and Watson electors be accepted.

The Tulare Valley Citizen, edited by the staunch Middle-of-the-Roader, W. H. Gistrap, publishes an editorial, of which the following is an extract: We believe that, though ridiculous as our present position may at first blush appear, as a political party we have a decided advantage over our State ally, the Democracy.

Let Populists quit worrying about what Democracy will do for us, but let them rather get down to business and make the best of the situation, roll up as many million votes for Bryan and Watson as they can, never neglecting an opportunity to convert the hosts of Democrats who are "coming our way."

In the Fourth District the programme is said to be to scratch Maguire to please the Southern Pacific and to put up another Democrat in his place.

In the Fifth District Taylor Rogers will be turned down and Barry, a Democrat, will be put up in his stead.

C. A. Barlow, the People's Party candidate in the Sixth, refused at first to hand in his resignation, as he suspected foul play, but the managers promised to support all the double cross known to sporting men.

Castle (Populist) will be allowed to stand in the Seventh. The Democrats have no hope of carrying that district and they will present it to Mr. Castle on a free sinner.

As the slate now stands the fusion will look something like this: First District—A Democrat. Second District—A Democrat. Third District—A Democrat. Fourth District—A Democrat. Fifth District—A Democrat. Sixth District—A Democrat. Seventh District—A Populist.

This is the silver brick which the Democracy is asking the Populists to purchase.

POPULIST SENTIMENT. What Leading People's Party Organs Say of the Treason.

Equity of Santa Barbara, published by Melvin Snow and D. F. Hunt, heads its ticket thus: PEOPLE'S PARTY TICKET. FOR VICE-PRESIDENT, THOMAS E. WATSON, OF Georgia.

The editors being middle-of-the-road Populists have refused to endorse the Democratic nominee for President. The significant fact about their position is that they have not lost any subscribers by reason thereof; but, on the contrary, have gained many.

WHEREAS, The Populist and Democratic State committees have signified their intention to appoint sub-committees for the purpose of conferring with each other in order to arrange some plan of joint action for the election of Populist and Democratic Congressmen from this State, the basis of said arrangement being the giving of one district for another; that is, by combining our forces in the several districts for either a Populist or a Democratic candidate, according to the terms to be settled by the conference committee; and whereas, we are informed that certain members of the State committee have already expressed themselves to the effect that the Third Congressional district is to be given to the Democrats; and whereas, the County of Alameda, numerically considered, comprises about one-half of said Third Congressional district; and whereas, this Congressional district has a most favorable chance to elect a Populist to Congress; be it, therefore, Resolved, That we are unalterably opposed to any arrangement or such conference committee which shall give or assign this Third Congressional District to a Democrat, and that a copy of this resolution be forwarded to the State Central Committee.

THE GOLDEN STATE NATIVE DAUGHTERS

Mutual Improvement and Benefit the Order's Object.

ITS GRAND OFFICERS.

First Parlor Instituted in Amador County in September, 1886, by Mrs. T. L. Kane.

MRS. MARY E. TILLMAN

Grand President, With Sixty-five Parlors and 2500 Members Under Her Jurisdiction.

The order of the Native Daughters of the Golden West is among the most powerful women's organizations on the Pacific Coast.

The first parlor was organized in Jackson, Amador County, in September, 1886, order to the memory of departed members, being their memorial day. This pretty, tender custom might well be imitated by other associations, and some appropriate memorial ceremonies be given them.

Miss Mariana Bartola, the grand president, is a resident of Martinez, where she holds the foremost place among the most prominent women of that town. She is a young woman endowed with fine educational acquirements and is principal of the Martinez school. She is a member of Ramona Parlor No. 21.

Mrs. George Ryan is the grand secretary and is a very able and efficient officer. Her office is in the Merchants' Exchange and all the business of the order of the Native Daughters is conducted there. Mrs. Ryan is a member of Buena Vista Parlor No. 68.

Mrs. Inge Petersen Faure is the grand treasurer and performs the arduous duties of her position with ability and conscientiousness. She is an active member of Alta Parlor No. 3.

Mrs. Mary Tillman, the grand president, is a thoroughly experienced and able officer, who has been long acquainted with the work of the order. Minerva Parlor No. 2 claims her as a member.

Besides these officers there are five grand trustees, who assist in carrying on the business of the order.

The qualification for membership in the Native Daughters of the Golden West is limited to white women born within the State of California, and the candidate must be of good moral character and at least 18 years of age.

The intending member must also be recommended by two members in good standing in the parlor she proposes to enter.

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RIGHT OF FREE SPEECH.

Light Sentence Passed Upon William Costley, the Socialist.

His Attorney Gives Notice of Appeal, and the Other Cases Continued for Thirty Days.

William Costley, the socialist, who was convicted by a jury in Judge Conlan's court on Tuesday on the charge of disturbing the peace at Seventh and Market streets on Saturday night, August 15, appeared for sentence yesterday.

Attorney Guilfoyle, on behalf of the defendant, moved for a new trial and arrest of judgment on the usual statutory grounds. He contended that the defendant never entered a plea to the complaint; the complaint was not read to the jury, and it had not been shown by the evidence that a public offense had been committed. The defendants were simply exercising their right under the constitution to peacefully assemble and discuss their grievances.

Attorney J. J. Coffey replied, and Justice of the Peace Carroll, who presided in the court during Judge Conlan's absence, overruled the motion for a new trial and arrest of judgment. He showed by the records that a plea of not guilty had been entered by the defendant when a jury was empaneled.

Reuben H. Lloyd said on behalf of the Old Fellows' Association that he had no desire for a heavy penalty being inflicted. His clients did not oppose free speech, but they asked that the socialists should keep away from that corner and not interfere with people's business. There were plenty of places in the City where they could assemble without interfering with the business of storekeepers.

Justice Carroll then fined the defendant \$5 or twenty-four hours in the County Jail. Attorney Guilfoyle gave notice of appeal, and the defendant was released on his own recognizance until the appeal papers could be filed.

The cases against the other seven defendants were continued for thirty days, and it was intimated that each would demand a separate jury trial.

Near the Head of the Ticket. The officers of the Citizens' Charter Association yesterday sent to the Board of Election Commissioners a copy of the resolution recently adopted by the association. The latter body, by the resolution, requested the election officers to place the Charter question at the head of the electoral ballot instead of at the foot.

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