

Today

The Circus Starts. Florida's Press Agent. Religious Issue Rules. "Coolidge Luck" Again. By ARTHUR BRISBANE

New York, June 23.—Today the big circus starts. Sit by any candidate and hear him gradually eliminate all the others, leaving himself alone surviving. That's as amusing as anything here.

Mr. Bryan shows his extraordinarily rugged constitution now as he did years ago in St. Louis. He is up at 2 in the morning talking to men from every corner of the land, and is up again at 6, ready to see anybody.

When asked how he stands it, his reply is: "Spend the winter in Florida and you can stand anything for the rest of the year. Go to that wonderful climate and get rid of 20 years."

Florida never had a better spokesman than she has in Bryan, here delegate-at-large, elected by a vote 100 per cent greater than that of any man on his ticket.

Every delegate probably regrets it, every candidate certainly regrets it—the conventions seem degenerating into a religious fight. McAdoo attended service at St. George's Protestant Episcopal church yesterday. Al Smith, his strongest rival for nomination, attended mass at St. Agnes' Roman Catholic church. "Klan and rum" now overshadow the league of nations, that had been the third issue, in a convention that apparently thinks little about things that interest the average American.

Sam Small, evangelist, tells a revival meeting in Brooklyn that Al Smith can never be nominated or elected, "never as long as America is in the United States! And I am a regular, rip-roaring, tiger-nailed democrat from the south, too!" He does not conceal his religious bias.

On the other hand at Patchogue, on Long Island, a few miles away, while Rev. Sam Small was denouncing Al Smith, 20,000 to 30,000 members of the Holy Name society of the diocese of Brooklyn and Long Island held their annual gathering.

For every vote against Al Smith in Sam Small's revival there were 10 votes for Smith in that gathering of the Holy Name society.

The charge that he is too friendly to the "invisible empire" of the Ku Klux Klan is answered indignantly by McAdoo with the statement that he is really fighting the "invisible government of Wall street."

The Ku Klux Klan calls itself an "invisible empire," but everybody knows it doesn't govern the United States—not yet.

The "invisible government" of finance is real. And if its brand were visible, those that faithfully serve it in the democratic convention would be afraid to take their shirts off.

The leaders of the Ku Klux Klan

declared that they will bitterly fight any plank "mentioning the Ku Klux Klan by name." Why? Do not the kleagles and others that direct the Klan know the value of being attacked and advertised?

One thing is certain—and it's important, for it will settle the coming election.

If Al Smith is beaten, as he probably will be, that makes impossible the election of any other democrat. Millions of Catholics will believe that Al Smith was defeated because he was a Catholic, and whether that's so or not, they will vote for Coolidge, by way of saying to the democratic party:

"If our religion isn't good enough for you, we aren't good enough for you."

Therefore, the "religious issue" is a bad thing for every candidate, no matter what his religion or lack of religion.

A Philadelphia man, successful publisher of a commercial journal by day, is obliged by order of court to return every night to the insane asylum. The court indicates that he is sane enough for business by day, but insane at night and must spend the night hours under restraint.

Ninety of a hundred presidential candidates here can sympathize with that unfortunate Philadelphia man. Many of them are approximately sane, in ordinary months of the year. But during convention and a few weeks before, the March hare at his maddest is sanity itself, compared with them.

Postmaster General New plans to send mail across the continent before the rising and setting of the sun—and he'll do it.

When a boy you read the old ballad about "King John and the Abbot of Canterbury," the king tells the abbot he must answer some questions or forfeit his lands. One question was, "How long will it take me to ride around the world?"

The abbot, really the humble shepherd disguised as the abbot, replies, "You must rise with the sun and ride with the same." By this process the king will ride around the world in 24 hours.

When you read that, you did not expect to see a man in a flying machine start with the sun and ride with the sun overhead, crossing from the Atlantic ocean to the Pacific ocean, all within the daylight of one day.

Callaway.—The Callaway Chautauqua will open July 20.

Parisian Dressing. Avoid monotony in salad dressings—try this as a pleasant change for green salads. To one cup of French dressing add three finely chopped stuffed olives, a tablespoonful of chopped chives and 1 tablespoonful of lemon juice.

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Editor of Lions Club Magazine Here Recalls Days of Gold Rush

Tells How Police Reporters on Denver Paper Carried Guns for Protection.



Charles Lee Bryson

Days of the gold rush days of Cripple Creek and later newspaper days in Denver, when reporters and editors who later acquired journalistic fame were gathered on the Denver Times, are recalled by Charles Lee Bryson, editor of the Lions Club Magazine. He is here from Chicago.

Bryson called on Col. T. W. McCullough, associate editor of The Omaha Bee, who was city editor of the Denver Times in 1893. They recalled old days in Colorado.

The Times was then under the administration of Earl E. Cox. When Bryson arrived he discarded his six-shooter, high boots and big hat, but was made police reporter, and the first necessity was to equip himself with another gun.

Harry Hunter, who died five years ago while managing editor of the Minneapolis Tribune, was managing editor. Will C. Shepherd, now managing editor of the Denver Post, was just out of high school and began work as a cub reporter. Roy Burns Mantle, now one of the big dramatic critics of New York, was a linotype operator on the paper, and Bryson helped to "break him in" as a reporter.

Peter D. Vroom, who later was associated with H. L. Doherty, the oil magnate, and who is now writing for magazines, was also on the staff.

Bryson, since leaving Denver, has been with Hearst publications, principally in Chicago. He is president of the Chicago Press club. He is a contributor to many magazines.

Bryson is managing editor of the Lions Club Magazine, which has a circulation of 40,000. The publication includes 52 pages of news of international Lions and is published monthly. In his office in Chicago Bryson writes, edits and plans all articles for the magazine. He is the staff of the magazine, with only a few stenographers under his supervision.

Melville Jones, secretary general, is editor-in-chief of the magazine.

Three Bands in Concert. Franklin, Neb., June 24.—The band concert held at the grandstand of the speedway Sunday was well attended. Franklin band of 42 pieces, Upland band of 32 pieces and the Thornburg band of 26 pieces, making a total of 100 pieces, combined their efforts to furnish the public with several selections of light standard and sacred music.

Pump Used 33 Years. Newcastle, Neb., June 24.—At the city water pumping station in Ponca is a pump which has been in operation for the past 33 years, and the city council there has decided to buy a new pump.

Small Twister Tears Off Roofs at Duncan, Neb.

Lower Loup and Upper Platte Valleys Swept by Terrific Storm—Streams Again Overflow Lowlands.

Special Dispatch to The Omaha Bee. Columbus, Neb., June 24.—Wire communication was demoralized, tree limbs scattered along all streets and roads, shingles were torn from roofs, corn and grain flattened in the fields, when a storm of almost cyclonic intensity, accompanied by 55-100 inches of rain, an 85-mile an hour wind and violent electric disturbances swept over the lower Loup and upper Platte valleys at 3 this morning.

At Duncan, Neb., seven miles west of here, a small twister was reported, uprooting trees, tearing off roofs of barns and farm outbuildings. Tourists in camps here and in nearby towns awoke during the storm to find tents and auto tops blown entirely away, leaving them unprotected from a deluge of rain and hail.

Streams Out of Banks. Swollen waters of smaller streams are again covering meadows and lowlands. Chickens, small pigs and other livestock losses are heavy. Today's temperatures, reaching 90 degrees, in wake of the storm may result in burning of corn acreage. Incessant rains which record 12 inches precipitation here since June 1 keep farmers from cultivating the fields. Hail damages from the early morning storm are reported at Creston, Platte Center, Humphrey and near Spalding.

Two tourists narrowly escaped instant death here last night, when a bolt of lightning struck radio antenna on top of their car, partly burning the upper body of the car and dazing two occupants sleeping inside in one of the tourist camps shortly after 3 a. m. today. The couple were H. C. Cafson and wife, Minneapolis, en route to Denver, traveling in a house car auto equipped with a \$300 radio receiving set, which was destroyed.

A lightning bolt striking the home of Peter Dittmer, farmer, west of Havens, Neb., lifted an iron bed occupied by the family's 17-year-old twin boys several feet in the air, brought it back with a crash that sent all four of the beds legs through the floor, melting the iron framework of the bed, but leaving the young people to rush downstairs dazed, but uninjured by the bolt which failed to do further damage.

Four Inches of Rain. Wymore, Neb., June 24.—A total of four inches of rain has fallen in Wymore and southern Gage county and Washington county, Kansas, during the past five days, and all fields are thoroughly soaked and corn cultivation is being delayed. Pastures and alfalfa are looking the best in years.

Winds Damage Apple Orchards

Growers Report Loss of Quarter to Third of Crop by Wind and Hail.

Shubert, Neb., June 24.—Estimates from fruit growers in this vicinity show a loss of from 25 to 35 per cent in the apple orchards, the damage being done during the past two weeks by winds which blew off or bruised the growing apples. There have been no hail storms in this vicinity, J. M. Gilmore, J. O. Fashburn, John Howard, Shubert brothers and King and Riggs of Shubert, report losses averaging one-third of their crops. Apples remaining on the trees are said to be inferior to last year's quality on account of bruises, and it is feared that they will not ripen well. Unusually severe winds have prevailed here during the last two weeks.

Very little small fruit is raised here. What remains in the patches is too soft to ship and the berry season here is closed. The hot, wet weather has caused some loss.

Apple shipments from this station will be 100 carloads short compared with last year.

Nemaha, Neb., June 24.—It is estimated that 25 per cent damage to the apple crop in this vicinity has been done by hail and wind during the last two weeks. One veteran grower, E. E. Moore, reports a loss of as high as 40 per cent to his apples. He has an orchard of slightly over 40 acres, which always bears heavily. Last week a hail storm in this vicinity cut many small apples from the trees on the Moore orchard and badly bruised nearly half of what remained on the trees. Wind on several occasions did considerable damage to this orchard and several others in the vicinity. The shipment of carload apples from here this fall will be curtailed at least 50 cars according to the best information.

Congress has emphatically revised any estimates of President Coolidge as a man who does not say much.—Washington Star.

See the Newest Light Six

See Want Ads produce results.

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