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WILLIAM JENNINGS BRYAN SPEAKS ELOQUENTLY AT THE PARMELE

Powerful and Logical Arraignment of the Republican Party for Its Betrayal of the People's Interest, Election of the Democratic State Ticket Urged to Show Rebuke to Trusts.

From Tuesday's Daily.

Hon. W. J. Bryan spoke for two hours last night to a crowded opera house, and from the time he began his speech until its close he received the closest attention of the audience, of which the greater part were voters. His address was delivered in a cool and dispassionate manner and appealed to the reason and calm judgment of his audience. Mr. Bryan's voice was clear, not the least hoarseness being manifest, although he has been making three and four speeches a day since the opening of the campaign.

In his party were two candidates for the supreme court, Judge Dean and Judge Stark, ex-congressman from his district, and Mr. Harman, candidate for the railway commission, who, with the candidates on the county ticket, occupied the platform during the speech.

Mr. Bryan was introduced by Colonel Bates, who briefly stated to the waiting throng that Mr. Bryan was with us this evening, that he had been here often before and needed no introduction. The distinguished orator was given an ovation as he quickly took his position before the audience, and his remarks were frequently interrupted with applause.

The speaker spoke of the fitness of the candidates on the state ticket and paused to introduce Judges Stark and Dean and Mr. Harman to the audience, so the voters might see for whom they would vote today. He stated that he had opened the campaign in this county at Elmwood and that now he was here in the closing hours of the battle to address the voters of Plattsmouth. That this was what was formerly known as an off year, but that he deemed the election to be held at this time a most important one. There were four candidates on the state ticket beside the regents of the university, which it is important to have men of the right character and fitness for the positions. The three candidates for the supreme court, Judges Dean, Stark and Oldham, were discussed separately and their special qualifications dwelt upon, each one being well qualified for the responsible positions to which he aspired.

Mr. Harman for the railway commission was highly spoken of by Mr. Bryan, and Mr. Miller and Mr. Knapp also commended for the office of regents of the university. Mr. Knapp, as a graduate of the university, had a deep interest in the welfare of the school, while of Mr. Miller it was said by the speaker that he is already the author of an idea which had been enacted into federal law—that of campaign publicity before the election.

Mr. Bryan then took up the cudgel for the success of the democratic ticket at the polls in this election, and stated that he would address himself first to the democrats, second to the populists, third to the progressive republicans and then to the citizens of all parties. He referred to the advanced grounds of progressive thought and governmental ideas long advanced by the democrats of Nebraska. He was proud of the position the Nebraska democracy had held in the three previous national campaigns, and the speaker believed that the populist voters were as proud of the success of the progressive element in the democratic party as the democrats themselves.

The progressive movement had taken hold of the republican party of Nebraska, and the speaker could not estimate the number of progressives in the republican party in Nebraska; the governor had placed the number at 90 per cent of the party, while Congressman Norris had placed it at 75 per cent. Mr. Bryan then spoke of the effect on the government and the policies at Washington should

this state be lost to the democrats this fall. It would mean the disapproval of the action of the progressive element in congress at the last sessions, where democrats and progressive republicans worked together to obtain just measures of reform for the benefit of the whole people.

The speaker then said that he supposed that Governor Aldrich would advise the support of the republican ticket in Nebraska from a biased motive. He then said that very little was known outside of the state as to what the governor of Nebraska thought or did. Mr. Bryan proved his statement by naming over the six states which join Nebraska, and then asked any person in the house who could name the governors of these states to stand up. After pausing a moment for someone to arise and none did so, he then drew the conclusion that if people in Nebraska took so little interest in the affairs of neighboring states, then what would the state of New York know about Governor Aldrich of Nebraska? He then urged that, as this is the last time the people have a chance to speak before a national election, it was important that they vote for progressive ideas.

Mr. Bryan spoke of La Follette and the gallant fight he had made for progressive legislation in the senate; the speaker had seen him stand alone while addressing the senate when the standpat senators arose and wanted their seats when La Follette began to speak, and heard the doughty senator inform the senate that the seats now voluntarily vacated by the gentlemen would be filled with men of progressive ideas, and such had come to pass. The advocates of predatory wealth have been retired from the senate and their seats now occupied by progressive men.

Progressive democratic ideas advocated in this state had brought us the 2-cent fare and the bank guaranty law, with other reform legislation, and in the legislative branch of the national congress the last sessions had seen three epoch-making reforms, and Taft was found against all of these. The income tax and the publicty before campaign; the former President Taft said could be managed by a federal statute if the same was desirable, while the democrats, fearing the delays of the courts in constraining such a statute, were in favor of a constitutional amendment.

Mr. Bryan referred to the attitude of the federal court on the Standard Oil decision and ridiculed the phrase injected into the Sherman anti-trust law, in which the court had nullified a criminal statute by saying that it meant that trade should not be "unreasonably" restrained. He asked what the people would think of the ten commandments if they stated that man should not "kill to an unreasonable" extent, or "thou shalt not steal to an unreasonable amount," and the speaker noted also that the judges appointed by the president took the trust side of all questions passed upon, and in discussing the leaning of President Taft to the side of predatory wealth, Mr. Bryan cited his support now of a national incorporation law, which would place the corporations above the jurisdiction of the state courts. In closing, Mr. Bryan appealed to all classes of voters to rally to the support of the democratic principles.

Judges Stark and Dean and Mr. Harman had to leave when Mr. Bryan was about half through talking in order to catch No. 44 so that they could reach their homes in the western part of the state in time to vote today.

James and Frank Stander departed from Louisville this morning for Houston and Galveston, Texas, where they have real estate possessions to look after.

Injured at the Shops.

From Tuesday's Daily.
O. H. Tower had the misfortune this morning to have his hand badly mashed. The accident occurred about 11 o'clock while Mr. Tower was at work on the repair track. He, with several other men, were lifting a heavy iron sill over a pair of trucks expecting to let it down on the opposite side, but from cause his helpers let go before Mr. Tower was aware that the signal had been given and his left hand was caught between the sill and the car wheel. He walked to Dr. Livingston's office and had the injury dressed, and will be laid off for a few days at least.

HUNTER SAFELY LANDED IN THE MILLS COUNTY JAIL

Deputy Sheriff Edwards Captures Supposed Murderer at Craig, Missouri.

Alex Hunter, charged with the murder of John Wagner on the night of October 14, in Mills county, Iowa, and who has been at large since that time, and his whereabouts unknown for the last week, was arrested at Craig, Mo., Monday morning, a few miles north of St. Joseph. The capture was made by Deputy Sheriff Edwards of Mills county, Iowa, who took Hunter to Glenwood last night. The officers received a tip Sunday that Hunter was at Craig, and Sheriff Bushnell, suffering from an attack of pleurisy, did not participate in the capture, but sent his deputy, who went to Craig Sunday evening and phoned up Monday about noon that he had his man.

Deputy Sheriff Edwards was in Plattsmouth last week and secured a picture of Hunter, in order to have something by which to identify him when he was apprehended. The deputy at that time denied that he or the sheriff had made any attempt to arrest Hunter at Clarinda at the time Hunter fled from the public works. But the following clipping from the Glenwood Tribune of Monday, quoting from the Clarinda paper, hardly corroborates the deputy's statement:

"A Clarinda paper has the following to say about the 'bobble' made by their officers in failing to arrest Alex Hunter, charged with the murder of John Wagner:

"There was quite a sensation created in Clarinda when a telephone message came from the sheriff of Mills county to Sheriff Whitmore inquiring if there was a man here working with the street paving crew by the name of Alex Hunter. If so, arrest him on the charge of murder, and described him as wearing a tattooed mark on one wrist or fore arm. Deputy J. D. Jones went up West Main street and interviewed the crew and was told there was no such man on the job. He finally returned and afterwards asked the gentlemen in charge of the contract work, and he told Mr. Jones there was a man by that name on his pay-roll.

"Following this there was an effort made to search for Alex Hunter again, but arriving at the scene it was found that the matter had been talked of among the workmen, and shortly the said Alex Hunter very quietly asked the foreman to let him off a short time as he was deathly sick. Alex went apparently unconcerned—and is undoubtedly going yet. He was shortly after at his boarding house for his overcoat and remarked to the lady he would be back in the evening or next day. He hustled away with other articles and left an unpaid board bill. The officers are wondering if it was good detective work. The deputy sheriff up at Glenwood came down—just too late also.

"Whether this Alex Hunter who had been here a couple of weeks is the man wanted is a mystery as they failed to get a look at that tattoo mark. However the 'symptoms' appear all right."

P. C. Nielson of Omaha, who has been visiting his son, Julius Nielson and family, for a short time, returned to his home this afternoon.

THE BASKET BALL GAME SATURDAY

Account of the Game Between the Different Classes of the High School.

The games Saturday night were called at 8 o'clock by Referee Larson, before a full house, with hall resounding with the yells of the various classes.

The first game was a contest between the Juniors and Freshmen, with the Juniors the winners by a score of 35 to 7. The Freshmen were outclassed in all points of the game, making many fouls, while the Juniors showed good team work and ability to throw baskets at their will.

The second game was between the Seniors and Sophomores, the Seniors winning by a score of 48 to 13. The Sophomores, although outclassed, played a good game, Noble at center starring for them.

The third game was for the championship of the school between the Juniors and Seniors. It was most stubbornly fought and alone was worth the price of admission. At the end of the first half the Juniors had the lead, the score being 10 to 8 in their favor. In the last half the Seniors made one of the best rallies ever seen in Coates' hall, coming up from behind in the last few minutes of play, with the whole house except a few Senior rooters against them, won the game with good straight basketball. M. Arries for the Seniors was sent in in the last half of the game, and it was largely owing to his playing that the Seniors were able to win.

The next game will be played at Coates' hall November 18, and it will be between the P. H. S. squad and Union.

FINDS HER LONG LOST PARENTS, IN IOWA

After Long Separation Ada Moore Will Meet Her Parents and Brothers and Sisters.

From Tuesday's Daily.

Miss Ada Moore, who has been employed at the Riley for the past four months, has quite a romantic story regarding the finding of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Geo. R. Moore, whom she has not seen for twelve years. Miss Moore is a young lady of 48, and for the past six years she has been a resident of Plattsmouth, a large part of this time she has been employed at William Barclay's restaurant, but last spring while visiting a friend at Rockford, Neb., began to make an effort to locate her parents.

When Miss Moore was a little tot of 6 years, her parents having a large family, consisting of five boys and four girls, and the mother being in poor health, Miss Moore was given to the Christian Children's Home society of Council Bluffs to find a home for the little girl. She was not long in the custody of the home until William Nessen and wife of Cedar Creek, in this county, desiring a child in their family, adopted her. She lived in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Nessen for six years, or until 12 years of age, when she began making her own living. She had a very faint recollection of her parents and brothers and sisters, but finally resolved to try to locate them.

She secured the names of the town where her parents resided at that time and wrote to the postmaster there regarding them. Her sisters and parents had been endeavoring to locate her during the years that she resided here. The home to whom Mr. and Mrs. Moore had given their daughter would give them no information regarding her whereabouts. Her sisters and parents had been endeavoring to locate her during the years that she resided here. Her sister finally wrote to Governor Aldrich of this state, who assisted in bringing the sisters in touch with each other. Last Tuesday Miss Moore received the first letter from her sister, who did not inform her parents of her success in locating Miss Ada until last Saturday afternoon. Tomorrow Miss Moore will go to Centerville, Iowa,

TUESDAY'S BALLOTS MAKE BUT ONE CHANGE IN COURT HOUSE OFFICIALS

W. K. Fox, Treasurer; James Robertson Succeeds Himself for District Clerk, D. C. Morgan for County Clerk, C. D. Quinton for Sheriff, and Miss Mary Foster as Superintendent

give a tabulated statement of the vote by precincts for a few days and herewith append the official vote of the whole county given to each candidate, as it appears at the present time, and the majority each one received. As will be seen, the democrats retain all the offices they previously had and the republicans did the same, so there is no cause for crowing on either side.

County Clerk.
Mayfield (rep.) 1,630
Morgan (dem.) 2,172

Majority for Morgan.... 542

Clerk of the District Court.
Robertson (rep.) 2,061
Reynolds (dem.) 1,707

Majority for Robertson... 354

County Treasurer.
Egenberger (rep.) 1,821
Fox (dem.) 1,976

Majority for Fox..... 155

Sheriff.
Quinton (rep.) 2,274
Rhoden (dem.) 1,545

Majority for Quinton.... 729

County Superintendent.
Evans (rep.) 1,874
Foster (dem.) 1,920

Majority for Miss Foster 48

Coroner
Clements (rep.) 1,926
Ratnour (dem.) 1,775

Majority for Clements... 151

County Commissioner
Heebner (rep.) 1,990
Seybert (dem.) 1,752

Majority for Heebner.... 244

The election returns, as is usually the case, brought some surprises to the participants in the contest for votes in Cass county. The day was an ideal one and a much larger vote was polled than was expected, while not so large as a year ago. The fight among the various candidates seemed to have centralized here in the city of Plattsmouth and Plattsmouth precinct, where political issues waxed very warm during the day, and the returns as they came in from the various wards and precincts were eagerly watched by the anxious candidates. Many rumors were set afloat by men who ought to have been in better business, regarding this candidate or that candidate, and not only put them in circulation here in the city, but sent them broadcast over the county in the hope of defeating certain candidates. But they were doomed, in a great measure, to disappointment. Otherwise the election was one of the most quiet and peaceful ever held, and while the successful candidates feel good over the result, it must be conceded to the defeated candidates the right to feel somewhat downhearted if they feel so disposed. We will be unable to

and for the first time in twelve years see and converse with her father and mother and brothers and sister. She is looking forward to the meeting with much anticipation.

German St. Paul's Church.
On next Sunday we will have our Mission day in connection with the "Harvest Home Festival." The services are as follows:
Sunday school at 9:30 a. m.
Morning service at 10:30, held by Rev. F. Rasche of Hamburg, Iowa, who will speak on "Home Mission."
The service in the afternoon begins at 2:30. Rev. H. F. Kern of Griswold, Iowa, will speak on "The Foreign Mission Work."
The choir of St. John's church of Omaha will be present again, as in former years, and the members of the choir are hoped to be the guests of their Plattsmouth friends.

We hope also that the members in town will show their hospitality to the friends outside of town by being present at both services. The offering of the day are, as usual, for the mission work of our synod. Everybody who understands German is invited.

Improves Slowly.
Mrs. August Roessler went to Omaha this morning to visit her husband at Immanuel hospital. The physicians took the splints from Mr. Roessler's injured hip last Sunday and he is on the road to recovery, though the healing process is very slow. Mr. Roessler will be confined to the hospital for three weeks yet.

Consults Dr. Allison.
From Wednesday's Daily.
L. H. Young, who had his leg broken two years ago by having a mule fall upon him, has been having trouble with the injured leg recently, and went to Omaha this morning to consult Dr. Allison. At the time the injury was received Mr. Young was in the hospital for some weeks, and then carefully nursed his wound for months and it finally healed and he thought a permanent cure was in process. A few weeks ago it broke, puss having formed about the injured tissues, and the doctor then put something on it to draw the puss out. This has made the limb very sensitive and painful and Mr. Young goes to have this treated.

Might Have Done Better.
One of the conservative merchants of the city, in remarking on the result of the election, believes that the political machinery should operate much as the educational positions are taken care of by law. And that after an officer has filled the position twice satisfactorily and elected a third time, that the certificate for life should be issued and no more elections held for such office until incumbent dies, thus saving the expense of the election and a great deal of worry.

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