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NAILS CAMPAIGN LIES

RICHARD L. METCALFE SHOWS UP REPUBLICAN YARNS.

EULOGIZES LATE JUDGE BROADY

Declares That Some Fitting Memorial Should Be Adopted by University Democratic Club for This Good Citizen.

Before an audience of one hundred enthusiastic investigators of the questions which are paramount in the present presidential campaign, Richard L. Metcalfe, associate editor of the Commoner, last evening delivered an address on "Campaign Yarns" at the Temple building.

Mr. Metcalfe spoke under the auspices of the University Bryan and Kern club. He enlarged his topic to include a variety of subjects of interest to students of present-day political drama and concluded with an eloquent eulogy of the sterling citizenship of the late Judge Broady, whom he recalled had been one of his audience when he addressed the university democratic club last year.

"One year ago," said Mr. Metcalfe, "I addressed your club and there was in the audience one who possessed unusual qualities of good citizenship. He was Judge Broady. He died last week. In Judge Broady, Nebraska democrats and the democrats of Lincoln in particular lost one of their most valued members. Judge Broady was full of the sterling characteristics which make up all-round good citizenship. He was always interested in the affairs of democracy; he never missed a meeting. Especially was he interested in the affairs of the young men, and he was a frequent listener at the meetings of the university political clubs.

Loss of Judge Broady.

"I knew Judge Broady intimately, and his loss is a great one. It would be fitting, I think, if this club should take some action expressing its respect and admiration for the character of this great and good citizen. Thus far no other democratic organization has recognized his services to party and fellowmen. I hope that this club will do so."

In pursuance of the suggestion of Mr. Metcalfe, President Adams of the university club appointed a committee to draft appropriate resolutions, of which Sid Evans is chairman. The committee will report next Thursday evening.

Introduced by President Adams, Mr. Metcalfe opened his talk by referring at once to his subject. He said in part:

"My subject is a wide one and applies to both parties. It treats of incidents amusing as well as productive of wrath. One of the most noticeable cases of campaign buncombe that has ever been perpetrated was the recent mistake of the Omaha Bee in attacking a part of the republican tariff plank under the impression that it was assailing an utterance of Mr. Bryan. The incident brought a good laugh all round. A more recent piece of buncombe was the letter of Mr. Stewart in today's State Journal. Mr. Stewart says, among other things, that the depositor should not seek security from the banker since the banker does not do likewise towards him when a loan is being negotiated. But I venture to say that no banker ever negotiates a loan without being assured of the responsibility of the borrower. On the other hand the depositor knows nothing of the responsibility of the bank. Mr. Stewart's plea in this case is mere buncombe.

Shows Up Pollard.

"Congressman Pollard in speaking at the recent Hughes meeting declared that Judge Gray declared an

anti-railroad law unconstitutional. In saying this Mr. Pollard was guilty of a deliberate attempt to deceive an intelligent audience, since, in fact, the opinion was rendered by two judges out of three and the other of the two was a republican. In the same speech he accused the democrats of voting against the publicity bill in the national house. But he did not say that they did so because of the odious amendments tacked onto it by the republicans for this very purpose. Yet Pollard used this argument against the democrats when the presidential candidate of his own party has declared himself against any publicity that is worth while.

"Governor Hughes indulged in a yarn about the evil of the democratic regulation of the trusts by limiting their product. Yet he himself was at the head of the administration in New York which put through a law having a very similar effect on the writing of insurance policies by the big companies.

"The biggest yarn of all, however, is the panic talk. This has been thrown up and rehashed every election for several times past. If Roosevelt can successfully threaten a panic for Taft, then Taft can do it for Nicholas Longworth, and Longworth can do it for the next in the line of descent and so on to other members of the family. One class which is not howling about the panic is the bankers. They had enough of a republican panic last fall.

Buncombe in It.

"The candidates ought to be able to stand forth and tell the people where they stand and the people ought then to choose. But this is not so. Buncombe must have its part, so it seems. At the present time I cannot but call attention to the dodging which is being done so energetically by the republican speakers and the straightforwardness with which Mr. Bryan is meeting the issues presented. It is for that reason that he possesses so much of the confidence of the people today.

"The question this year is not of parties so much as it is of the stand of individuals on the great questions before the people. The republicans sneer at Mr. Bryan's question, 'Shall the people rule?' They say that the people do. But I ask you: Do the people rule in the city municipalities, in the election of senators, in the acts of legislatures? On this question Mr. Bryan is fighting—has fought for twelve years—as man has never fought before. He is fighting alone against all that money can buy. He is putting the whole of his great strength into this campaign for the people, and it is for the people to say whether they believe in him."

WHITES OF Y. W. C. A. IN LEAD.

Contest for New Members Brings Good Results.

All this month the Y. W. C. A. girls have been carrying on a very quiet campaign for new members. Miss Marguerite Guthrie is leading the blue side and has succeeded in obtaining forty-nine new members; while the white side, under the leadership of Miss Vera Barger, has reported fifty-four new members. The campaign will close on October 31, when the entire association will gather in the Y. W. C. A. rooms to welcome the new members. At this time an old maids' convention will be held under the direction of Miss Helen Day and Miss Ann Watt. This promises to be one of the most exciting stunts given by the Y. W. C. A. girls this year.

E. P. Brown and Fred B. Humphrey, two University of Nebraska graduates, are running for the legislature in this county. Brown is a candidate on the republican ticket and Humphrey on the democratic.

Pies like mother tried to make. Baked fresh every day by an expert woman pie baker at The Boston Lunch.

KERSPACHER GETS IT

GRAND ISLAND MAN THE VICTOR ON THE THIRD BALLOT.

ROWEN RUNS A CLOSE SECOND

Clark Withdraws on the Third Ballot After Running a Close Third—No Interference by Upper Classmen.

With ringing cheers R. H. Kerspacher of Grand Island was proclaimed president of the freshman class after a most exciting session of the first-year men in Memorial hall yesterday at 11:30, the successful candidate receiving 163 votes while his nearest competitor, Paul Rowen of Grand Island, was but three votes behind him, with 160.

As had been expected, the upper classmen attempted no interference with the meeting and aside from a good natured scuffle at the door, entrance to the hall was unblocked. In spite of the vigilance of the juniors in charge of the meeting, about twenty sophomores gained entrance to the meeting and cast their ballot with the freshmen. The lack of demonstration outside of the hall was fully made up for inside. Cheering enthusiastically for their favorites, some four hundred freshmen filled the lower part of the hall and kept the meeting in such disorder as to make the election of a president difficult.

Good Speeches.

Absence from the city prevented the chancellor from attending the meeting, his place being filled by Deans Fordyce and Costigan. President Byerts of the Juniors presided, appointing Clarence Rubendohl, Nels Nelson and Robert Ferguson as tellers. In order to prevent any stuffing of the ballot box colored ballots were used. Following a call for nominations A. G. Spaulding, in a clever speech, placed the name of Kerspacher in nomination. He urged that his candidate had every requirement necessary for a successful president. The conclusion of Spaulding's speech was a signal for a wild outburst from the Grand Island man's supporters. Believing that enough time had been taken up in speeches, R. W. Rensen of Manning, Iowa, placed Wayne Carroll before the class without referring to his previous record. Clarence L. Clark of Lincoln was nominated by James Freelan in a well worded speech. The nomination of Rowen also called forth rousing cheers from his constituents. While waiting upon the first ballot the candidates were called to the front by the class, somewhat to the embarrassment of all four.

Were Well Organized.

From the start it was evident that the class was well organized into factions, each one working actively for their candidate. Through the organization some very effective cheering was done, the Rowan and Kerspacher supporters vying with one another in the amount of noise which they could make.

The first ballot resulted: Clark, 90; Rowen, 103; Kerspacher, 114; Carroll, 5. With the announcement of the first ballot a motion was made to vote on the two highest. President Byerts correctly left the matter of withdrawing with Clark, who took the platform and asked the class whether he ought to withdraw. Cries of "Do" and "Stay in" greeted his query. He decided to stay in the race to the end, and a second ballot was ordered, resulting: Kerspacher, 136; Rowen, 114; Clark, 70. The Lincoln candidate withdrew, urging his supporters to vote for whichever man they thought best.

Prior to the taking of the third ballot a number attempted to leave the hall as the hour was getting late,

and it became necessary to lock the doors to keep the class at the meeting. The third ballot resulted: Kerspacher, 163; Rowan, 160, Kerspacher being declared elected by President Byerts. The final vote was so close that it was impossible to tell who had been elected, until a second count of the ballot had been made. With the announcement of the result friends of the successful candidate swarmed on the platform, making the room ring with cheers.

R. H. Kerspacher, the newly elected president, is a graduate of the Grand Island high school, class of 1908. While in the high school he was prominent in athletics, representing his class in track, basket ball and football work. He was a debater, speaking in the state inter-scholastic.

TIME FAST DRAWING TO CLOSE.

Contestants Register for Dramatic Club Tryouts.

The time for the Dramatic club tryouts is rapidly drawing to a close. Much interest is being manifested in the approaching trials and the contestants are rapidly rounding into shape. Last year there were nearly sixty Thespians who tried out, and it is thought that that number will be increased at the coming event. This is caused by the successful advertisement which the club enjoyed by its excellent productions last season and by the fact also that there will be but one tryout this year. At present thirty have registered and many more are expected in the next few days. There is a tendency for students to wait, before registering, until they have their pieces prepared and are sure of their success. It is hoped by the committee in charge that more selections will be given this time in costume. Room U 106 will be in stage setting and costumes would add greatly to the effectiveness of the production. Selections this year will be limited to dialogues and character sketches taken from prominent plays. So far Shakespeare and Sheridan seem to be the most favorite playwrights. Miss Ester Bailey, the secretary of the Dramatic club, will be in U 106 each day between 11 and noon to register contestants.

MOVE FOR GIRL ROOTING SQUAD.

Co-Eds Will Meet at 5:30 This Afternoon to Organize.

A meeting of the girls of the university who are interested in forming a girls' rooting section for the Haskell Indian game tomorrow, and the other home contests of the present season, has been called for U 107 at 5:30 o'clock this afternoon. At that time those who are promoting the organization of the co-eds into a crowd to support the Cornhuskers will explain the plans that have been made and give details of the way in which it is expected to make the innovation a great success.

Manager Eager has reserved a special section at the east end of the grand stand for the girls who are to root, and will decorate it in colors for them. Other schemes planned to give more college atmosphere to the games have been devised and will be announced at the meeting this afternoon. It is hoped by those in charge of the meeting that as many girls as are able will be present in U 107 at 5:30 o'clock.

An examination to remove conditions obtained in chemistry 2 in the spring of 1908 will be given in the chemistry lecture room at 10 o'clock Saturday morning, October 24. Benton Dales.

At a meeting of the English club with Miss Louise Pound, 1632 L street, this evening at 8 o'clock Professor H. B. Alexander will read some of his verse. There will also be one or two short story and musical numbers.

VARSITY IS CRIPPLED

TEAM IN POOR CONDITION TO MEET INDIANS TOMORROW.

BOTH KROGER AND BELTZER OUT

The Result of Saturday's Contest With the Haskell Indians is the Subject of Much Speculation. Red Men Are Strong.

The squad appeared at Antelope park again yesterday afternoon and put in a few more good ticks toward getting in shape for the Redskins Saturday. It is generally conceded that, with the string of cripples which the varsity now has, the Haskell Indians will prove to be formidable adversaries tomorrow and the Nebraska rooters are none too sanguine over the result.

In former years the Indians have come to Lincoln without having made much of a showing previously and have sprung a great surprise on the Cornhuskers. The last time Haskell and Nebraska met was in Kansas City in 1904, and on that occasion the Redskins were victorious by 14 to 6.

This year again the red men come to Lincoln as more or less of an uncertain quantity. Nothing very definite is known of their strength, and among those who know, the husky Indians are pretty generally feared.

Last Saturday they were defeated by Washburn by a score of 11 to 4, Washburn securing two touchdowns and Haskell getting only four points by a field goal. This would indicate that the Indians were not particularly strong, but dopsters have long since learned that comparative scores, in the absence of more detailed information, is not a safe way to judge a team's capabilities.

Veterans Out of Game.

The possible strength of the Haskell aggregation is not the only thing which creates a fear for the safety of the Cornhuskers. Coach Cole will be compelled to put a team in the field which is made up partially of substitutes. Kroger was so severely injured at Minneapolis last Saturday that the possibility of his being able to play tomorrow is no longer considered. In fact the rooters will rejoice if he is able to round into shape in time for the Ames game next week.

In addition to this misfortune, it is also probable that Buck Beltzer will not be able to play. His shoulder is still in bad shape and even if he does play, which will be for only a few moments if at all, he will not be able to do any forward passing. Minor was out at practice for the first time this week last evening and he will probably hold down Beltzer's position at half back against the Redskins. Temple is out of town for a day or two but will return today and will doubtless be used at full back. Louis Harte held down that position last night and made an excellent showing. A possible solution of the back field problem in case any more men are put out of the game would be to put Shonka in at right guard and shift Harte to full back. Harte displayed remarkable speed last night, surprising the onlookers considerably, and it is realized that he would make an excellent back field man.

Sturtznegger was called upon to do the forward passing last evening in practice. He has displayed particular strength in this department and on that account may be tried out in tomorrow's game.

The registrar will give employment to twelve men Saturday, October 24. Report today before 5:30 p. m.

A. M. Smith, law '09, who has been out of school so far this year, has returned from the western part of Nebraska and taken up his work again with his class.