

RESUMES CAMPAIGN WORK

Hon. George D. Meiklejohn Ready to Take Up His Interrupted Tour.

BRINGS FRESH NEWS FROM THE FILIPINOS

Positive Proof that Aguinaldo ordered Renewal of Hostilities in Hope of Aiding the Election of William J. Bryan.

Assistant Secretary of War Meiklejohn came in from Washington yesterday to resume his campaigning in Nebraska, opening at Falls City tonight. His itinerary extends up to the day of election and is as follows: Auburn, October 16; Nebraska City, 17; Aurora, 18; Wahoo, afternoon, 19; Stromsburg, afternoon, 20; Clay County, 21; Orleans, afternoon, 22; Arapahoe, 23; McCook, 24; Loup City or Arapahoe, 25; Broken Bow, 26; Schuyler, 27; Crawford, 28; Chadron, 29; Seward county, 31; Pender, November 1; Minden, November 2 and closing on the evening before election of his home Fullerton.

Mr. Meiklejohn in reply to a question said that nothing was more encouraging for the republicans in the east and that the eyes of the east are now upon Nebraska, the one great desire of the republican people seemingly being that Nebraska should cast its electoral vote for McKinley and get back into the ranks of republicans again. He said that Chairman Hanna is looking forward with much interest to his coming visit to the Antelope state and that he believed that the visit of the national chairman would do an immense amount of good.

Encouraged by American Auties.

Talking about matters connected with the War department, he said that just as he was coming away a communication had been sent from the military governor of the Philippines containing several letters from a distinguished Filipino stating what had been done toward the pacification of the islands and preliminary to giving certain extracts from the communication of the military governor, Mr. Meiklejohn said: "The insurrection in the Philippine Islands would have been ended long ago had it not been for the Tagalogs of the United States advocating Aguinaldo's neutrality." In support of this contention he authorized the use of the following extracts from the letter to the military governor and which is signed by a very distinguished Filipino, whose name for state reasons is withheld. Speaking of the conference had with Senator Smith on July 16, he said:

"This conference seems to me a sample of the sentiment everywhere. We are republicans, we are sound money men," he said, "but we have always been democrats and we always will be because the republicans have no organization among the whites." Even as it is Alabama is going to count the negro vote this year and if it wins so will go Alabama. The same feeling prevails in Texas."

Why Davidson Withdraws.

TECHSEH, Nov. 10.—Hon. H. C. Lindsey, Chairman Republican State Central Committee, Dear Sir: The question has been raised as to whether a national bank director is eligible for the position of presidential elector and as I am and for several years have been a national bank director and do not wish this question to cause any sort of embarrassment to your committee at any stage of the present campaign, I hereby resign and withdraw from the position of candidate for presidential elector and decline to continue as such candidate, for the reason above indicated. But in this withdrawing as a candidate for presidential elector I heartily and earnestly hope for the success of the republican national and state tickets at the coming election. I fully endorse the republican national and state platforms and the loyal and distinguished statesmen who have been nominated as the standard-bearers of the party. Their Americanism and loyalty to the flag have been tested. They have, by their wise statesmanship and lofty patriotism, demonstrated that the interests of this mighty nation are safe in their hands.

Command me if at any time I can be of service in this campaign. Very truly your obedient servant,

SAMUEL P. DAVIDSON.

Bennington Rally a Frost.

Although the democratic rally scheduled for Bennington yesterday afternoon had been liberally advertised for ten days previous a crowd of sixty-seven by actual count assembled in the hall where the meeting was to take place. This number included three women and ten boys who had sacrificed their Sunday afternoon's rest to listen to the democratic speakers.

The list of orators that had been provided for the occasion included such lights as Edgar Howard, Frank Ransom, Messrs. Shields, Riddell, Webb, Johnson and Ed P. Smith. Rather than face the stigma that attaches to giving no show Mr. Ransom made an extended talk while Mr. Ransom and the others sat by and looked disgusted.

Action to Aid Bryan.

General Trias was not present at this second conference, only General San Miguel and an officer of his staff, the latter having written him a letter announcing the peace movement as traitorous for that reason Trias, although he did not believe the statement, was present, pushing them and the representation of those who opposed the peace movement.

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Condolence for Dietrich.

Following is a copy of a telegram sent Hon. C. H. Dietrich:

AURORA, ILL., Oct. 12.—Hon. Charles H. Dietrich, Hastings, Neb.: At a mass meeting held here last night, Mr. Bryan, who was not present, adopted a resolution expressing the deepest sympathy over the death of your father was unanimously adopted.

PETER KLEIN, Chairman.

I opposed all such reasons as absurd, assuring them that Mr. Bryan was elected for the sake of the people, not for the protection unless all resistance had ceased. I also told them that they should bear in mind that at the end of the ninety days' grace given to him he would be forced to meet his fate. That he would not be permitted to enter that their goods would be confiscated and that he who was caught would be hanged.

They responded that they had learned all this from another source, but that in view of the letters that had recently been written to me in which Mr. Bryan, to effect the aggressive, oratorical should be entered upon with the object of being in the election of Bryan.

With End with McKinley's Election.

"It will be a few months after Mr. McKinley's re-election till the Philippine Insurrection will be a thing of the past. The fighting has been sharp recently and there is no question but that it is inspired by the talk of the anti-expansionists. In my opinion, said the assistant secretary of war, "the trouble will die out suddenly after Mr. McKinley is elected, as much as the civil war ceased after Lincoln's election."

"There is absolutely no foundation for the claims the democrats are making concerning their great gains in New York, Maryland and Indiana. All three of these states are safely within the republican ranks. Maryland will go for McKinley by at least 14,000," said Mr. Meiklejohn. "The republican majority in New York may be slightly less than it was four years ago, but will be a great surprise to the democratic leaders who are making such extravagant statements."

In discussing his candidacy for United States senator, the assistant secretary of war said that he expects to let the matter rest for the present and will devote all his energy from now until election day to carrying Nebraska for McKinley. In case a



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PORTO RICO AND ITS PEOPLE

Consul Hanna Tells of Conditions There Since the War.

ADVANCE MADE UNDER AMERICAN CONTROL

Citizens Are Getting Out from Under a Load of Spanish Debt and Commerce to Enjoy Real Freedom.

American corporations which bought up the crops in the fields.

Mr. Bryan talks of the tree insurance which the island once enjoyed with the mother country. The fact is that the tariff was simply prohibitory; the tobacco was sent to France and the tobacco American. Another Bryan argument is that the island was allowed seven representatives in the Spanish Congress. The truth on that point is that the queen appointed seven Spaniards from different parts of the peninsula who had never seen Porto Rico to act as his representatives and that was less than 50 representation at all.

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The people are contented and doing well and if they only give them time they'll develop into one of the most enlightened and prosperous territories some day that has ever been under the protection of the American flag.

Known About Free Silver.

Previous to his location in Porto Rico Mr. Hanna was counsel through the Harrison and Cleveland terms in various South American countries and has left the evils of free silver at first hand. Free silver is all right for the corporations and money men who have wages to pay in depreciated currency, but it's not to the workingman. The smelters of Monteiro are a sample of the sentiment everywhere. We are republicans, we are sound money men," he said, "but we have always been democrats and we always will be because the republicans have no organization among the whites." Even as it is Alabama is going to count the negro vote this year and if it wins so will go Alabama. The same feeling prevails in Texas."

Salvation for Porto Rico.

Mr. Hanna is undoubtedly a good authority on the condition of Porto Rico as any man living. Until last fall he was possessed of every inside fact regarding the island since the year before the outbreak of the Spanish war. His secret service agency operated during the war from the neutral Spanish Isle of St. Thomas, within site of Porto Rico, was of inestimable value to the government. Not a coal barge left a harbor not a war ship entered a port that he was not instantly apprised of it nor a gun was ever along the coast but he knew its caliber. After the cessation of hostilities he organized the chairman of the national committee who will arrive later in the week.

Make Mother's Milk Mildly Purative.

Mama takes a Castile, baby gets the benefit. Don't common sense prove this the only safe laxative for babies-in-arms? All druggists, 10c, 25c, 50c.

Vontey's Condition unchanged.

GEORGETOWN, R. I., Oct. 14.—The condition of Vontey's is unchanged. Yesterday he came to that state to vote after twenty years absence. He is a distant relative of the chairman of the national committee who will arrive later in the week.

LOCAL BREVIETIES

An establishment in the rear of the Spanish Twenty-first street owned by Melchor L. Sanchez, was damaged by fire to the extent of \$200 early Sunday morning.

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TOOL BOX HIS TROUBLE.

William S. Davis, a carpenter who served from month to month in Court House for the theft of a bicycle, was carrying a bicycle tool bag which did not belong to him when he was arrested.

He was about to load his bicycle when he was seized by the police and charged with larceny. As Willy was led away to a cell amidst the laughter of the jailors he said he could not eat his dinner.

The jailor who took him to his cell said:

"I got a tool box this morning."

Burglar Alarm Seeds Placing.

This alarm device, which is placed in the public library, has gotten into the hands of a burglar who is going off without cause or provocation. Sunday night the police made several arrests, but none of them was connected with the breaking and entering of the library.

The burglar who was arrested was a man named John G. Goings, who was a member of the company of the Omaha Fire Department.

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