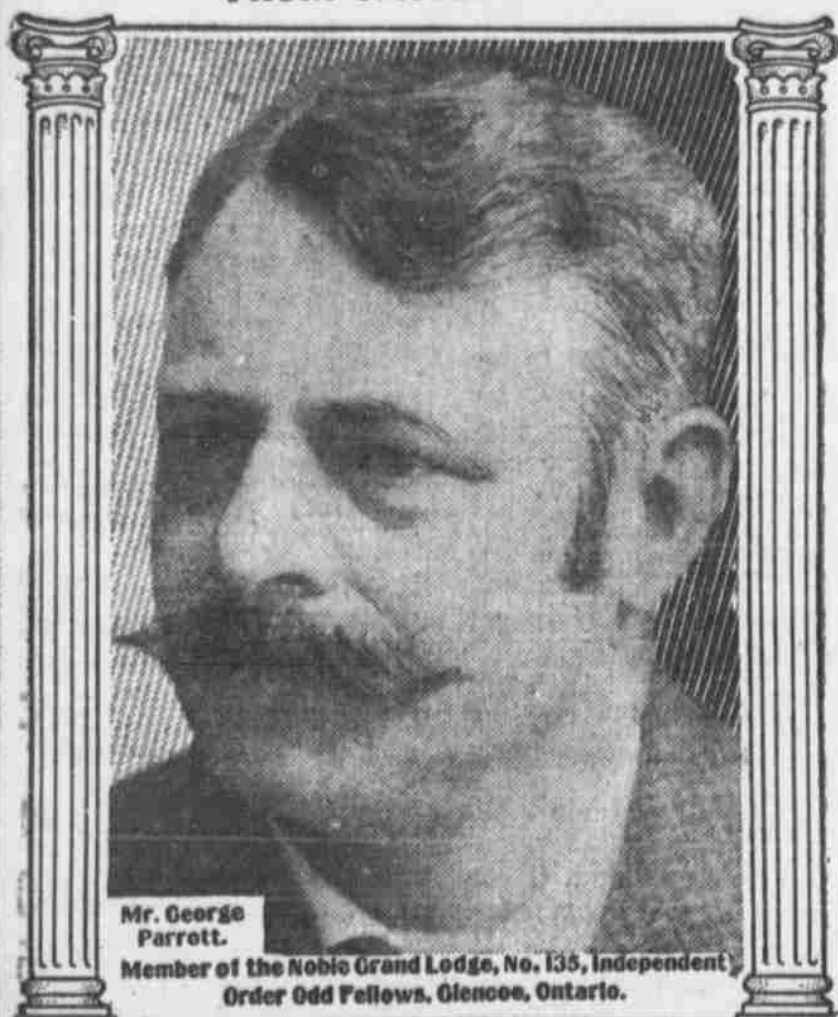


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Voting for Democrats Will Not Help La Follette in Nebraska—Why Republicans Should Win in State.

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of Colonel Bryan that we keep this bench as at present constituted, free from lascivious habits, loose morals and boozing fighters; in other words we want no man upon the bench who for years and years has been addicted to the use of intoxicating liquor. I do not care what any man's belief or views may be upon the control of the liquor traffic, one thing is certain, whether a litigant be a brewer or saloon keeper, he nevertheless wants his interests when they are before this court to be decided by a court composed of able and conscientious lawyers.

So when it comes to giving Colonel Bryan's advice in the matter of the supreme court serious consideration, investigate the ability of the three men he has on exhibition with him, three times a day in the various towns of this state. These men up to date have had nothing to say in their own behalf, but we must excuse this for they are traveling with Mr. Bryan.

One of Mr. Bryan's exhibits whom he is advising the people to place upon the bench of the supreme court is an old gentleman, mental and personally correct in his habits and morals, but it may be said in all truth that he never conducted a large or important case through the district and supreme courts of this state.

Records of the Republicans.

The republican nominees have for years been upon the district and supreme bench in this state and have a record that any court anywhere can justly feel proud of. Men of large experience and wide learning they will bring to the supreme court distinguished legal ability and attainments that would be of assistance and benefit generally to the litigants of Nebraska.

In this show that Mr. Bryan is traveling with I am most astonished of all in his performer for railway commissioner. It will be conceded on every hand that the most important office in the state of Nebraska is a railway commissioner. Not even the supreme court itself passes upon things so important and of such wide special and universal interest to the people of Nebraska as does our railway commissioner. This office constituting as it does the people's court, the poor man's court, the rich man's court, wherein all meet on a common basis, should be kept in the hands of the people and out of the hands of the special interest. I say to you that the leading demagogue in the state of Nebraska, who has in point of industry, energy and ability to Mr. Bryan himself, has said and said it again that Mr. Harman, the democratic candidate for railway commissioner is in the hands of the common carriers of this state. His position and influence will be used whenever necessary in an important case or any matter before the commission to render a decision in favor of the railroads, the express companies, the telephone companies and telegraph companies, and thus rob the people of their just rights.

Harrington and Harman. I am unacquainted with Mr. Harman. I know nothing about his personal worthiness or his ability, but I have a right to take my choice in this matter from democratic sources, and I say to you that Mike F. Harrington, one of the big demagogues of this state and nation, is laying a better foundation for his charges against Mr. Harman than is Colonel Bryan for his praises and qualifications of Mr. Harman.

The fact is that Colonel Bryan knows very little about Nebraska issues and Nebraska political history of recent years. This may sound strange, but nevertheless it is true. It is true because he says so many things that are contrary to the recorded political events as they appear in the last three legislatures in the state of Nebraska.

A great deal of political history, or economical history, or legislative history, or whatever you may term it, has happened and occurred and been recorded while Mr. Bryan was in China or South America or some other foreign seaport, and he has been so busy advising and prophesying ever since that he has never taken time to post himself accurately upon what has taken place in the last four or five years in Nebraska. He only hears it in the form of gossip or irresponsible assertions. I say this because of the strange and inexplicable advice that Mr. Bryan is giving to the republicans of the state of Nebraska.

Bryan and the Progressives. Mr. Bryan says to the progressive republicans of the state. Come and vote the democratic ticket; leave your own party. Vote for Senator La Follette, the republican. But here we call a halt and ask why, for what reason should we do this? What is there in the record or the history of the democratic party that would lead a progressive republican to forsake his own organization and join forces with a party that both in the state and in the nation has been a failure in constructive statesmanship—that has fallen down in carrying forward any progressive principle of government in the last half century? A party that is today, both in this state and in the nation, reactionary, nonprogressive and hopelessly divided on every great economical question.

In the last two decades the opponents of republicanism in Nebraska have held the executive office one-half the time, have controlled as many legislatures as has the republican party. Tell me, what particular piece of progressive legislation has been put through and signed by a democratic executive independent of the aid of the republican party. Mr. Bryan tells you that the democracy of Nebraska is the progressive political organization of the state, is the organization that you must go to for development and good government, but never does he give us any details, or any circumstances, or tell us of any legislation that his party has placed upon the statute books.

Democracy and Bryan's Issues. Colonel Bryan for years has been advocating the initiative and referendum, a measure which, both in principle and practice is absolutely right, and that the people ought to have it. Mr. Bryan has been boasting that this is one of the tenets of democracy, and as being one of the proud embellishments that has marked his party's progress and developments. But what are the facts? Three years ago, with a democratic executive and a democratic senate, the initiative and referendum measure came up in the form of the Eustache bill, and under the

leadership of an able democrat, for years Colonel Bryan's boon companion, the initiative and referendum was defeated in a democratic legislature, and that only three years ago. The initiative and referendum, as originally proposed, was bitterly opposed by the democratic majority and never could have been submitted to the people only by reason of the progressive republicans in the democratic legislature. And when you come to the consideration of some moral legislation, I am here to say to you that the 8 o'clock law that this legislature of three years ago boasts so much about, was placed upon the statute books of this state against the will of a democratic majority, signed under duress by a democratic executive who promised he would not, but did, and because he did, was retired by the democratic party to private life.

Mr. Bryan in giving his disinterested advice to the progressive republicans of the state fails to mention these cold facts; fails to point out wherein or in what way the progressive republicans of Nebraska or the nation could have greater influence than they have in the republican party.

Democrats Are Reactionaries. Mr. Bryan is, undoubtedly, a progressive democrat; is a genuine patriot, and nobody has higher personal regard for him than has your humble servant, but in order to be accurate Mr. Bryan should say open and above board, Mr. Progressive Republican, come join my standard, let me be your leader, mine is the only leadership which can ever successfully give to the state or nation a true progressive policy. Mr. Bryan might with some consistency say this, and if he did say this, he would speak more correctly than he does when he advises a wholesale switching to the democratic standard because the democratic party is reactionary; it cannot be progressive, because Mr. Bryan, the progressive, is without the pale of his party organization. He is compelled to make a campaign to be a delegate to the democratic national convention, in face of the fact that every precedent and every courtesy entitles him to this position without even asking for it. So little faith and so little regard has Colonel Bryan in the democratic party, and so far from the distance from his teachings and his standards, that he deems the only safe and proper thing to do is to take a chattel mortgage upon every democratic voter, putting him under bond over his own signature that he will support the initiative and referendum, and, between the lines, Colonel Bryan as a delegate to the national convention. I say to you that in pursuing this course, Colonel Bryan seems it necessary to do so because the democratic organization of the state is against the initiative and referendum; is against these progressive measures that he stands for, and will defeat them if possible to do so.

Leaders of Democracy. Let me call the distinguished gentleman's attention to the fact that when he is giving advice for the sole and only purpose of disrupting the republican party, that he better look well to his own laurels, for at the present time in the state of Nebraska a powerful organization is being formed and completed to deliver the Nebraska delegation to Governor Harmon of Ohio, candidate for president, and the democratic organization of Nebraska is in favor of Governor Harmon. The Dahman democracy is for him, and allow me to say further that the democratic organization, with John C. Byrnes, the corporation lobbyist, as the state chairman, is lending his influence to the candidacy of Governor Harmon, and so I say as I said a moment ago, that Mr. Bryan is certainly inconsistent when he tells the progressive republicans to join the democratic standard. But this advice of Colonel Bryan's is wholly impractical and political history of recent times, and former times, bears out my statement. Mr. Bryan is advising the progressive republicans to leave their party, while if they stay in the ranks of the republican party they will be and are the controlling force in the organization; if they leave the republican party and join the democratic ranks they will be in the same situation that the one day, all flourishing and powerful populist party are now; that political party that was the pioneer in progressive legislation, lost its influence, lost its identity, lost all of its power for good when it was absorbed into the democratic party, and so recalcitrant, and so nonpermeating and impervious to progressive measure was the democratic party that not even the all-powerful populist party could afford to leave. The democratic party is today back to its old way and its old tricks, stumbling and blundering along, ignoring progressive elements like Mr. Bryan following within its ranks, and I say to you, Mr. Bryan, with all sincerity, if you want to give real, practical advice, advise your followers to join the ranks of progressive republicanism and under its banners to march through to victory, which means good government, representative government and proper government in the choicest and best sense.

La Follette's Interest in Campaign. You advise the nomination of Senator La Follette, which is wise and good, but where will Senator La Follette be if his followers accept your advice and vote the democratic ticket? Do you really want the republican La Follette nominated by the republican party? If you do, advise your followers to vote for Senator La Follette at the primaries, to get into the progressive republican organization and see to it that many delegates go to the national convention and that they vote at the primaries in these several states that are to declare for a preferential choice for president. If you will advise your followers to do this, my dear sir, you will be giving sincere and practical advice and Senator La Follette can be nominated.

Mr. Bryan, if Senator La Follette was nominated, would you vote for him? If you are a progressive, why did you advocate Parker for president—the very incarnation of reactionarism—the arch-standardbearer—and advise democrats everywhere throughout this nation to vote for Parker and against Theodore Roosevelt, the king of progressives?

Had Mr. Bryan been living back in the days of Abraham Lincoln and Stephen A. Douglas he would have advised the Lincoln republicans to support Douglas and he could have done it for the same reason and with the same consistency that he is now advising progressive republicans to vote the democratic ticket and desert the standard of La Follette.

What Republicans Did. But Mr. Bryan being abroad, as I said a little while ago, will ask me, "What record can you point to, or legislation can you show me that the republican party of Nebraska has put upon the statute books?" In answer let me say to the learned gentleman that the legislature of 1907, overwhelmingly republican, with a republican governor, did more

for the people of the state of Nebraska than all the legislatures up to the present time of whatever political affiliation or party ever did. "As I now remember it, there was in that senate of 1907 only five democrats; there was in the house only about thirty democrats; out of a possible 121 or 122 members of the legislature there was only

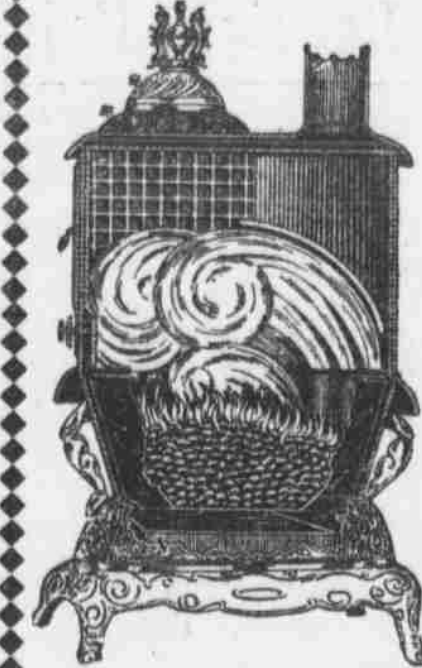
about thirty democrats. The record of this legislature shows that the republican membership of both houses stood to the front and that they voted for every progressive measure that was put upon the statute books that winter. "Every platform pledge of the republican party was redeemed. There was not a single pledge that it was necessary to

have a democrat vote to carry it through. There was not a single piece of important legislation put through the winter that it was necessary to have on democratic vote to put it through, while in the legislature just adjourned there was not a single decent or moral measure.

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