

NEW SPIRIT FOR GOOD OF ALL

Bainbridge Colby So Characterizes Twentieth Century Democracy.

SPEAKS AT COMMERCIAL CLUB

Declares that Humanity is Past the Stage When Bulk of It is to Be Preyed Upon by the Few.

"The keynote of the twentieth century democracy is a new spirit of sympathy between well disposed and honest men for the good of the people as a whole," declared Bainbridge Colby of New York, in his speech at the Commercial club luncheon.

"We have passed that stage which relied for its power on the mass of people being considered as a manipulable mass of humanity which could be controlled through a machine and hence for the private good of a few. The new spirit of democracy is a joint spirit of action, in which men are in accordance. It threatens the old time party subservience to party and party emblem. It was concerning this old spirit that James Bryce referred when he said there was no other cause for such a gigantic governmental mischief as was wrought in the United States, and from which we have suffered so long.

"I believe that we are now passing through an era of political chaos such as we experienced during the decade from 1890 to 1900, which marked the downfall of the old whig and democratic parties. I believe that we will emerge from the present situation into an era which will have for its watchword 'efficiency' and will be characterized by honesty of representation of the people in our various branches of government. It will show a marked spirit of direct accountability of the elective representatives to the people as a whole whom they represent, and will bear the higher stamp of honest conduct on the part of public officers.

"I agree with Roosevelt when he said that civilization moves from west to east. In the east we are now looking for that fine example of this spirit which originated in this longitude and we are in a measure applying that spirit to our own local problems. The overthrow of Tammany this year marks one of the results of the application of this spirit. That organization which had for its aim the diverting of public funds into private purses, was one of the most corrupt and malodorous political organizations ever effected. It was conducted along highly scientific lines. Yet it was only when we had reached the height of our combined effort to work together for the public good that we were able to defeat that organization. The fact that it has existed so long is an appalling arraignment of our citizenship.

"While I believe that the constitution is a sacred document, I do believe that it is too inflexible for our modern needs. The public sentiment was overwhelmingly in favor of the income tax for twenty years, yet it was not made effective as a law until nearly eighteen years after the general public was overwhelmingly in favor of it. For nearly 100 years there was no amendment to the constitution, without warfare, and the cost of an amendment to the constitution was 100,000 lives. On the other hand, I do not mean to say that the constitution should be changed with every whim and caprice of the people. I believe that it should be amended only after careful, mature, deliberate thought. The old maxim, 'let justice be done though the heavens fall,' is applicable and American in its sentiment."

Many Societies and Lodges Are Busy in M. and M. Contest

Lodges and societies entered in the M. & M. contest are adopting some very effective methods for collecting votes. Several of them have organized "label clubs." These clubs meet once a week. At each meeting the members bring the labels they have collected. The women classify the labels, cartons and wrappers for each product. He then in separate bundles and then turn them over to a specially appointed committee with instructions to vote them for the organization for which the club is working. In this way there are very few labels and voting coupons that are allowed to go to waste. The efforts of the club members cover thoroughly the district canvassed.

Yesterday a woman who is interested in welfare work, called on the contest manager. She said that she would be glad to use her efforts to assist some worthy organization to secure one of the cash prizes. She was handed a list of the organizations entered in the contest. After reading it carefully she selected the society for which she thought her aid would be the most useful.

Every day inquiries come to the contest department from people who want to know which would be the best organization to assist. The contest manager cannot show any partiality. Every organization is worthy of support. The organization that interests you most is the organization to which you should lend your aid.

The standing of the contestants, which will be published in Sunday's Bee, will be computed up to 12 o'clock, noon, Friday, January 9. Nominees are urged to get in all the votes they can up to that

A Happy Bald Headed Man

Well-Known Politician Nearly Bald Now Has Heavy Growth of Hair.

Tells How He Did It.

A western politician, well known on account of his baldness and ready wit, surprised his friends by appearing with a heavy growth of hair; many of his old friends did not know him and others thought he had a wig. On being asked how he did it, he made the following statement: "I attribute the remarkable growth of my hair to the use of the following simple recipe, which any lady or gentleman can mix at home: To a half pint of water add 1 oz. of bay rum, a small box of Barbo Compound and 1/4 oz. of glycerine. Apply to the scalp two or three times a week with the finger tips. It not only promotes the growth of the hair, but removes dandruff, scalp humors and prevents the hair from falling out. It darkens streaked, faded, gray hair and makes the hair soft and glossy. These ingredients can be purchased at any drug store at very little cost and mixed at home."-Advertisement.

MARRIED AT ST. JOHN'S WITH IMPRESSIVE CEREMONY.



MRS. T. J. DWYER. Nee Miss Susan Flanagan.

time, so that they may make the best showing possible.

The voting for the second series of bonus prizes will close at noon, January 21. The winners will be announced on the 22d and the prizes awarded on the 23d. Contestants should remember that these bonus prizes in no way affect the collecting of votes for the big premiums awarded March 25. The votes that win the bonus prizes also apply on the final prizes.

While the plan of the M. & M. contest is very simple there are some details that may not be clear to many. To those who are at all in doubt about voting values, M. & M. coupons or anything else pertaining to the contest, The Bee contest manager will be glad to explain that which is not understood. It is no trouble to do so. Call and talk the matter over. Room 224 Bee building, Telephone Douglas 2113.

RAILROADS ARE CUTTING ANNUAL CROP OF ICE

While the ice is not up to the usual standard of thickness, anticipating a short spell of zero weather, if any this winter, the railroads have commenced the annual harvest out along the lines in Nebraska. The Northwestern is cutting eight-inch ice at Valentine and the Union Pacific and Burlington six-inch ice at North Platte and McCook, respectively. As a rule at this season of the year the railroads are cutting twelve and fifteen-inch ice at these points.

Further west the railroads are finding ice that is from eighteen to twenty-four inches in thickness. On all three roads in Wyoming the ice crop is about up to the normal in condition, but all through Nebraska it is short.

Women and Wet Feet.

Cold and wet feet are a dangerous combination especially to women, who are more prone to kidney diseases than men. Congested kidneys come from cold and backache, rheumatism urinary irregularities and rheumatic forms are not unusual results. Foley Kidney Pills restore the regular and normal action of the kidneys and bladder, and so remove the cause of the trouble. It is an honest and curative medicine that always gives results. For sale by all dealers everywhere.-Advertisement.

One Dose Relieves a Cold—No Quinine

"Pape's Cold Compound" makes you feel fine at once—Don't stay stuffed-up! Take it now.

Relief comes instantly. A dose taken every two hours until three doses are taken will end gripe misery and break up a severe cold either in the head, chest, body or limbs. It promptly opens clogged-up nostrils and air passages in the head, stops nasty discharge or nose running, relieves sick headache, dullness, feverishness, sore throat, sneezing, soreness and stiffness. Don't stay stuffed-up! Quit blowing and snuffing! Ease your throbbing head! Nothing else in the world gives such prompt relief as "Pape's Cold Compound," which costs only 25 cents at any drug store. It acts without assistance, tastes nice, causes no inconvenience. Be sure you get the genuine.—Advertisement.

Realty Men to Help Secure a Regional Bank for This City

George Wallace, John L. McCague and F. H. Myers were elected as members of a committee representing the Real Estate exchange at a meeting at noon at the Commercial club to take some action in collaboration with the clearing house and the Commercial club of Omaha with regard to securing a regional bank in Omaha. The committee was authorized to act as it saw fit, just so that some influential procedure was followed.

The exchange went on record as of the opinion that Omaha should be given a regional bank in preference to either Kansas City, Lincoln or Denver. The bank at Kansas City would be useless, according to the members of the exchange, because the bank at St. Louis could easily cover the territory a Kansas City bank would cover and the north central west would then be left without a bank closer than Chicago. Members of the exchange believed that Omaha is in a propitious location for a regional bank and that some action should be taken because a bank would give employment to a couple of hundred persons and would thus benefit Omaha. An effort will be made to have the committee of investigation for the government visit Omaha, but if that fails the next best measure will be attempted.

S. Arion Lewis gave a talk during which he attempted to refute the arguments advocating single tax against all land which were advanced by L. J. Quinby, W. F. Baxter and Frank Odell at a previous meeting. Mr. Lewis also broached on the subject of moving immigrants into the west and onto the farm land as preferable to permitting them to remain in the congested cities of the west.

COMMERCE SCHOOL WILL ADD SOME NEW STUDIES

Some new commercial subjects are going to be added to the High School of Commerce curriculum with the beginning of the new semester. There will be classes in commercial German, applied physics, advanced bookkeeping, accounting and salesmanship. Several new teachers have been engaged to meet the demand, and these additional classes are sure to make the commercial course much more complete and extensive.

Mr. Durand, who is at the head of the telegraph department at the school, has posted a bulletin at that school specifying the amounts paid to beginning telegraph operators. The advisability of taking a telegraph course and the advantages for advancement therein were previously explained to the students at an assembly.

Advertisement for The Nebraska Clothing Co. featuring 'The "I Will" Man, Smashes Prices' and listing various clothing items like suits, overcoats, neckwear, and sweaters at reduced prices.

Graff Says that Manual Training is Quite Essential

"Manual training is one of the essentials of education," declared Prof. E. J. Graff, superintendent of public schools, at a meeting of the Southeast Improvement club in the new Bancroft school Tuesday night. "Of course, it is not essential to every student, but there is a large class of students who are greatly benefited by manual training while they would be uninterested and therefore unwilling to learn bookish subjects."

J. R. Cain Seeks Home for Family Here

James R. Cain has arrived from Stella, Neb., and taken up the duties of vice president of the State Bank of Omaha. He will make this city his home, moving his family here as soon as he can secure a residence that is to his liking.

M'VANN SEEKS EVIDENCE FOR RAILROAD HEARING

The Interstate Commerce commission will have a hearing in Washington, January 15, on the subject of the four months' limitation clause on railroad claims. E. J. McVann, manager traffic bureau of the Omaha Commercial club, expects to be present at the hearing and wants all the evidence he can possibly get of the extent and importance of this four months' rule.

CHURCH HAS OPTION ON SOME ADJOINING LOTS

Options have been secured by the First Presbyterian church on two more lots adjoining their recently purchased property at the northwest corner of Thirty-fourth and Farnam streets. The question of buying the additional ground will be submitted to the congregational meeting. It is understood that the options may indicate an intention to erect a larger church there than has heretofore been considered. So far plans for the new edifice have contemplated the expenditure of from \$125,000 to \$150,000. The church building now used is at Seventeenth and Dodge streets, and has been occupied for over fifty years.

Large advertisement for Victrola records and players, featuring the slogan 'Every home can enjoy the world's best music in this day of the Victrola.' Includes logos for Victor and Schmoller & Mueller, and lists various dealers like A. Hospe Co., Orkin Bros., and Brandeis Stores.