

BRYAN IS STILL FOR BIMETALISM

He Believes the Restoration of
Free Silver Would Bring
Further Prosperity.

AT PRESENT NO SILVER ISSUE

When He Returns Will Discuss Trust,
Tariff, Railroad and Labor
Questions.

London, July 12.—William J. Bryan having had the opportunity of reading the American newspapers, consented today to discuss some of the questions which have been raised since he has again become prominent as a presidential possibility. He said:

"I notice that I am not regarded by some as conservative, and in order that there may be no misunderstanding on the subject, permit me to say that in my sense I always have been a conservative. The Democratic policies are conservative in that they embody old principles applied to new conditions. There was nothing new in principle in either of the platforms on which I stood. We were accused of attacking property when in fact the Democratic party is the defender of property because it endeavors to draw the line between honest accumulation by honest methods on the one side and predatory wealth and immoral methods on the other. It is to the interest of every honest man that dishonesty should be exposed and punished; otherwise, the deserving are apt to suffer for the undeserving. If, however, by the word conservative they mean that I have changed my position on any public question or moderated my opposition to corporate aggrandizement, they have a surprise waiting for them. I am more radical than I was in 1896, and have nothing to withdraw on economic questions which have been under discussion.

The only question we discussed in the campaign which there has been an apparent change in the silver question, and there has not yet been a change in advocates of bimetalism, but in conditions. We contended for more money and urged the free coinage of silver as the only means then in sight of securing it. The increased production of gold has brought in part the benefit we expected to secure from the restoration of silver. The per capita volume of money in the United States is almost 50 per cent greater now than it was in 1896, and the benefits brought by this increase have not only vindicated the quantitative theory of money, but have proven the benefits of the larger amount of money. No advocate of the gold standard can claim the triumph of his logic.

"I believe in bimetalism, and I believe that the restoration of silver would bring still further prosperity, besides restoring par in exchange between gold and silver using countries; but I recognize, as do all other bimetalists whom I have met abroad, that the unexpected and unprecedented increase in gold production has for the present removed the silver question as an issue.

"While the money question has waned in importance, other questions have been forging to the front, and to these questions we must apply the same principles we applied to the money question, and seek to secure the greatest good to the greatest number by legislation which conforms to the doctrine of equal rights for all and special privileges for none.

"On the new questions many will act with us who were against us on the money question, for, notwithstanding the discussion of that question, millions did not understand it and were frightened into opposition. We cannot expect the support of any one who is interested in taking advantage of the people, either through trusts or through any other illegitimate form of business. Our efforts should be to distinguish between those corporations which are legitimate and those aggregations of wealth which are organized for purposes of public plunder, and appeal for support to those only who are willing to have the government protect each person in the enjoyment of his own earnings.

"The newspapers have been trying to create friction between what they call 'old friends' and 'new friends' in politics. Those are friends who are working toward a common end, and each campaign brings to some extent a new alignment. In 1896 the party lost many Democrats and was recruited by a great many who had been Republicans up to that time, and we welcomed them. In 1900 some came back who were against us in 1896, and we did not shut the door against them. I have no idea

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that the party will require tickets of admission in the coming campaign. Usually parties are so anxious to secure recruits that past differences are not emphasized. If there is a sincere agreement on political issues, I do not know that we can find a better plan than the Bible plan, which admits the eleventh-hour comer to a place in the vineyard and to share the reward with those who began earlier. I think this sound policy, as well as sound religion, provided the new recruit comes to work and not to interfere with the other laborers. But, of course, when an overseer has to be selected, experience cannot be left out of consideration.

"The worker who came late, if honest, would be too modest to assume an attitude of superiority over those who had toiled during the earlier hours. While the question is one of purpose, a man who recognizes the dangers that threaten our country and is anxious to avert them will not find it difficult to establish friendly relations with those who saw the dangers at an earlier date.

"If the differences between the sincere and the pretended friends of reform cannot be discovered before, they will become apparent when the platform is written: for, if present indications count for anything, that platform is likely to be so plain that no one can mistake it, and so strong that no enemy of Democratic principles will be drawn to the party."

Mr. Bryan added that he would discuss the trust, tariff, railroad and labor questions, imperialism and other issues at length when he reached America.

NORTH DAKOTA REPUBLICANS.

Jamestown, N. D., July 12.—The Republican state convention here today was dominated by the stalwart faction of the party. A full state ticket was nominated, headed by E. Y. Searles, who was renominated for governor.

The resolutions adopted endorsed President Roosevelt, Congressmen Crona and Marshall, Gov. Searles and the other state officials. Senator McCumber in an address to the delegates said the pressing problem of the Republican party in the future is that of controlling the trusts and securing an equitable distribution of wealth.

ALEXANDER AND THE MONEY HAVE DISAPPEARED

Augusta, Ga., July 12.—Revelation of the financial embarrassment of Alexander & Alexander, one of the largest firms of cotton factors in this state, today developed discrepancies of about \$145,000, following the disappearance of Thomas W. Alexander, head of the firm and member of one of the most prominent families in Georgia. The Georgia State bank loses \$115,000.

CRANKY WOMAN INSISTS ON SEEING MRS. ROOSEVELT.

Oyster Bay, July 12.—Mrs. Ari L. Esac, who has written Secy. Loeb, that her name is Case, spelled backwards, has arrived on Oyster Bay and taken a room adjoining the executive offices where she says she will wait until she can interview Mrs. Roosevelt on a matter of life and death.

"If I cannot see Mrs. Roosevelt," she added, "I can send her an express package, and a big one, too."

Secy. Loeb, who has received several letters from Mrs. Esac in times gone by, will make an investigation of her case at once. She says her mission is purely a family affair and relates to females. She says she is a relative on her mother's side to a brigadier general in the army.

Mrs. Esac walked from Oyster Bay to Sagamore Hill this afternoon and argued with the secret service men there for an hour. She was very insistent about seeing Mrs. Roosevelt, but was finally induced to walk back, escorted by a member of the secret service corps, although she was not placed under restraint.

PLANING MILL BURNED.

Moab, Wash., July 12.—Fire wiped out the big planing mill of the Newman Lake Lumber company yesterday afternoon. The loss is estimated at \$18,000, partly covered by insurance. The mill is said to have cost \$18,000 and the stock destroyed, which included a large quantity of the millings, is said to be valued at \$8,000. The mill was splendidly equipped and was running full blast to fill accumulated orders.

SEVEN CHILDREN ARE DROWNED.

Smallest One Slipped Into Deep
Hole. Others Lost Lives Trying
to Save It.

ON PICNIC NEAR THEIR HOMES

Were Wading on Shelf in River Bottom When Little Girl Slipped Off.

Cedar Rapids, Ia., July 12.—Eight children at a picnic on a river bank only three blocks from home went wading this afternoon. The smallest one slipped into a deep hole, and in trying to rescue her six others were drowned.

DEAD.

Lucille Sweeding, aged 7.
Hazel Sweeding, aged 14.
Gladys Sweeding, aged 19.
Josie Sweeding, aged 12.
Ruth Coyle, aged 11, Sioux City.
Cora Coyle, aged 8, Sioux City.
Clara Usher, aged 16.

Ruth Kiersey, the only survivor, said they were wading when Lucille Sweeding slipped off a shelf in the river bottom into a deep hole. Hazel Sweeding rushed after her, slipped into a hole, then the next girl rushed after her, and so they kept trying to save each other until all of the girls, except Ruth Kiersey, had been drowned. She then ran home and gave the alarm. Four of the bodies were quickly removed from the water, but it was too late to resuscitate them. At 7 o'clock all the bodies had been recovered except that of Clara Usher.

ADMIRAL BRADFORD RETIRES.

Washington, July 12.—Orders issued from the navy department today detach from duty as commander of the third squadron United States Atlantic fleet, on July 22, Rear Admiral Royal H. Bradford, and orders him home to be placed on the retired list. He is at present in command of the training squadron, which was last reported at Payal, Azores. Admiral Bradford's retirement will promote to the rank of rear admiral Capt. William P. Swinburn, at present a member of the general board.

J. A. McCALL'S ESTATE.

Late President of N. Y. Life Left Only \$10,835.

New York, July 12.—The net value of the estate left by the late John A. McCall, former president of the New York Life Insurance company, was \$10,835, according to the report of the appraisers of the estate, which was filed in the surrogate's office today. This shows that Mr. McCall died possessed of property valued at \$74,000, but this has been reduced in the payments of debt, administrative expenses and other disbursements to the extent of \$63,165.

A. T. & S. F. ROAD FINED FOR GRANTING REBATES.

Las Vegas, N. M., July 12.—On the ground that their violation of the law in granting rebates on coal shipments was technical and not willful, and that, therefore, only a moderate penalty should be imposed, Chief Justice William J. Miller, in the United States court here today, imposed a fine of \$2,000 on each count of the indictment against the Atchison, Topeka & Santa Fe Railway company and the Colorado Fuel & Iron company. A total fine of \$10,000 and costs was imposed on each of the defendant companies.

When the cases were called up for hearing today, a plea of not guilty was entered on behalf of the defendant companies, following which an agreed stipulation of the facts in the case was submitted and filed. Maj. W. H. Llewellyn, United States district attorney for New Mexico, represented the government in the prosecution of the rebate cases, which were instituted upon instructions from Atty.-Gen. Moody.

AMERICANS CRUELLY TREATED BY RUSSIANS.

Victoria, B. C., July 12.—Capt. T. B. Thompson and Joe Knapp, American citizens, Edward McNeill, George McCannish, Canadians, Jose Yllion, a Spaniard, who reached Kobe after being released from prison in Siberia after serving two years, were cruelly treated, according to letters received here. The prisoners were seal hunters, employed

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on the Japanese sealer Kyoichi Maru, formerly the Diana of San Francisco, and were captured by the cruiser Groenland, in August, 1904, and taken to Nicoliefsk and thence to Khabarovsk. Capt. Thompson, navigating officer of the sealer, whose home is in San Francisco, was suspected of being a spy because of some drawings found in a notebook. He was loaded with chains, and confined for six months in a small, unlit cell, built of wood and swarming with vermin. When brought out for trial he was unable to walk and was practically dragged to the court along the snow. The trial had been concluded when the prisoners were brought in, and each had been sentenced to 15 months' imprisonment. They were better treated after being sentenced, though almost starved, and when liberated were destitute at Khabarovsk. They were finally given passage to Vladivostok, securing food through the kindness of an English and German traveler, and were sent to Kobe as destitute seamen on a Japanese steamer from Vladivostok. The 20 seal skins taken by the sealer and everything of value on board was taken by the Russians, and the schooner sunk.

LANCET'S COMMISSIONER ON CHICAGO PACKINGHOUSES

London, July 12.—"Why should officials appear before the public as if they held a brief on behalf of the Chicago packers and seem desirous of defending the packers rather than the cause of hygiene, which it is their business as health officials to enforce?" The LANCET asks the LANCET's special sanitary commissioner, in answering the United States department of agriculture's report, in which his description of the Chicago stockyards is criticized. Commenting on the statement that "the many instances of sanitary features such as light and air have been sacrificed to increase the capacity of the plants," the writer says:

"This practically is the truth. My principal contention is that though more animals are killed at the Chicago stockyards than at any other place in the world, there is not there a slaughterhouse or abattoir in the technical sense of the term.

"As these essentials, light and air, are recognized as necessary to public health which must come first, the official acknowledgment of their sacrifice to increase capacity is," says the writer, "a more barfaced admission of guilt."

Dealing with the department's statement that the floors of the abattoirs are washed with caustic soda and pine tar, the commissioner says:

"No amount of washing will suffice. The floors and the walls to the height of six feet must be water-tight and angles rounded. There must be no rat-ers and plenty of light and air."

He says in a work that the premises he inspected are unfit for the purpose they are used for and should be vacated at once. He speaks of the "abominable promiscuity" between some meats and condemned cattle, which he says the report acknowledges to be the vital fact of the whole question.

He concludes that from the standpoint of public health the matter is not one of commerce, but one of humanity.

JOHN TURISH INSANE

Denver, July 12.—John Turish, a well known mining man, aged 53 years, was committed to the insane asylum here today after being arrested on a warrant sworn out by his brother, Henry Turish. The demented man is a son of James Turish of Stevens Point, Wis., who employed Dr. H. J. Conner of Duluth, Minn., to examine his son's mental condition. When informed that the physician had decided that he should go to an asylum for a time for treatment John Turish attempted to kill the doctor with a jack knife but he was disarmed before he could inflict any injury.

EX-SALVADOREAN PRESIDENT IS KILLED IN BATTLE.

Washington, July 12.—Regalado former president of Salvador, and the leader of the Salvadoran troops, in the present conflict with Guatemala, was killed in battle today. The announcement of his death reached the state department through a dispatch from United States Minister Merry at San Salvador. The dispatch stated that Regalado was killed in the last movement of the Salvadoran troops against the Guatemalans, but did not indicate what the result of the battle was.

Thomaz Regalado was president of Salvador from 1903 to 1905. A provision of the Salvadoran constitution prevented him from a second term immediately following his first, but he was a candidate to succeed President Escalon, whose term will expire next

year, and doubtless would have been elected as he was a popular idol who had achieved much fame as a soldier. An official telegram to the Guatemalan consul at New Orleans says that the battle in which Regalado was killed was fought Wednesday afternoon at El Juncos, a place about seven miles from the frontier, in the department of Jutiapa, Guatemala, and 25 miles from the Pacific coast. The dispatch says that the Salvadoreans were defeated.

STRIKERS AGGRESSIVE.

Take Possession of Government Camp At Corbett Tunnel, Wyo.

Denver, Colo., July 12.—Post special from Cody, Wyo., says:

One hundred strikers have taken possession of the government camp at Corbett tunnel, on the Shoshone reservation, eight miles from Cody, and have created a reign of terror. They threaten the lives of 50 other men if they return to work Sheriff Hammett of Cody, with a mounted detachment heavily armed, left here at a stroke for the scene of the trouble. A battle is sure to follow as the strikers are armed and are incensed at the officers because they drove them out of Cody July 1.

A number of houghs were arrested that day for shooting in the town of Cody. They seem to get lost and when a few days later Sheriff Hammett visited the camp they threatened to kill him. He was escorted out of camp by armed guards.

The men are striking for increased wages, but their greed in Cody had put them in an ugly mood. News of the expected battle at the mine has not yet reached Cody.

Oh! Joy!

For a good time next Saturday, go with the Plumbers on their excursion to Lagoona. Baseball for \$100 a side; tug of war; prize waits.

WOODMEN EXCURSION

To Provo Canyon, July 15th.

Grand outing of Deseret Camp #66 and their friends. Trains leave Salt Lake 8:00 a. m. and 9:00 a. m. Returning leave Provo 10:30 a. m. and 1:30 p. m. Everybody invited. Trout and chicken dinner at Provo Falls. Fare \$1.25 via D. & R. G. R. R.

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