

SENATOR'S SPEECH TO HIS TOWNSMEN

Response of Hon. Reed Smoot to
Ovation Tendered Him by
Neighbors and Friends.

FLAGS, CHEERS AND APPLAUSE

They Mingle in Voicing Approbation
Of Sentiments Expressed in Narra-
tive of Distinguished Speaker.

At his home town yesterday Utah's senior senator was given an ovation by Provo residents that shows how his neighbors and associates of a life time regard him in the long and bitter contest he has waged to establish a principle in government, against an assault originated in the chagrin of defeat and carried forward in the malice of religious hatred and intolerance.

Hon. Reed Smoot spoke to his fellow townsmen in the frankness of neighborly fellowship, and that the people who listened understood and approved of the course he had taken during his long fight, was evidenced by frequent and continued applause. The text of Senator Smoot's speech is as follows:

TEXT OF SPEECH.

Senator Smoot spoke as follows:—
My dear friends, brethren and sisters, my heart is so full this morning with gratitude and appreciation for your kindness, your consideration, and for the kindness and blessings of the Almighty, that I hardly know how to proceed this morning to address you. First and foremost, I wish to thank every student of this grand university, for the moral support they have given me, and greater than this, the prayers that have ascended from their lips to the God that we worship that the truth may triumph. I have felt the sustaining influence of the prayers of all honest souls. I have felt my weakness, and in that weakness, there has come strength, with the knowledge that the people felt that the battle that I was fighting was their battle and when victory came it would be their victory. It is not a victory for Reed Smoot only; it is a victory for our dear state;

MAGNITUDE OF BANANA BUSINESS.

Some Surprising Figures Indicating
Amount of this Fruit Produced
by One Firm.

\$20,000,000.00 INVESTED IN IT.

And the Industry is Yet in Its Infancy—Utah People Have a
Good Thing.

To show the gigantic nature of the enterprise engaged in by the Tampico Fruit Company of this city, and the faith that capitalists have in the banana industry it is noted that the United Fruit Company of New York has \$20,000,000 invested in this one business.

In the financial statement of the annual report of this company they state that the number of bunches of bananas handled by their company for the fiscal year reached a total of 23,413,398 bunches. During the preceding twelve months they handled 19,626,572. This shows a gain by only one company of nearly 4,000,000 bunches in the last year. Just think of that—thirty-three and one-half million bunches of bananas imported by one company in one year—and the industry is still in its infancy!

The uses to which bananas may be put are many. In addition to being used as a fresh fruit, they can be made into a very fine grade of pastry flour.

Banana flour is already an important industry, and holds an important place in the commercial world. J. H. Pennington, promoter of the Enterprise at Havana, and who had several tons of the product on exhibition at the St. Louis Exposition, said: "The experiments which have been going on for the last few months at Puerto Principe have shown that we have been wrong in our figures all along, because we have been able to produce the flour and the many other products from the banana much cheaper than we calculated upon. We could have been encouraged then we are at the result shown by these experiments."

With reference to the value of the particular tract of land secured by the Tampico Company, we reproduce parts of a letter from Dr. C. M. Harrison, a resident of Panuco near Tampico, who has resided in Mexico for more than 14 years. Dr. Harrison had charge of the hospital at Tampico during the time the government was building the jetty and wharf at that place, in which nearly \$100,000.00 was expended. The letter follows:

Dr. E. R. South, Secy., Tampico Fruit Co., Salt Lake City, Utah.
Dear Sir:—Answering yours of the 25th just received, I would say it gives me pleasure to know you are going into the banana business in our vicinity, for, as you are doing the same thing with my place near Panuco.

The climate is all right, and the shipping facilities better than any place where bananas are grown. I have raised every class of bananas I have ever planted and I have planted every variety I could get, and have been growing bananas there for 14 years.

You ought to raise on one acre 600 bunches per year, and being nearer the market than I am you will be able to get a better price for your bananas than I get for mine.

As to health down there, I would say it is a malarial country and that is about all. I was in charge of the American hospital for two years during the construction of the jetty and the Mexican Central Railway, and afterwards for 14 years practiced my profession there, and I take pleasure in saying that I think the chances for longevity are good there as almost anywhere. You will find no typhoid, dysentery, very little rheumatism or heart troubles. In fact you will find an exemption from many diseases found in other parts. As far as malaria is concerned you will find it can be avoided by taking anti-malarials, for I never suffered a day with it nor did any family. There is no yellow fever there, though they have had epidemics in Panama. For fifty years they have not had a case in Panama where my place is located.

I think I have answered all your inquiries, but if there is any other question you want me to answer, and I can, will be glad to give you the benefit of what I know of that country.

Wishing you every prosperity in your new undertaking, I am, Yours truly,
(Signed) C. M. HARRISON.

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It is a victory for our grand and noble nation (applause); it is a victory for the Constitution of the United States and a guarantee to all men that religious liberty shall always be granted to the people living under the Stars and Stripes (applause). People have asked me how it was that I could bear up under this long struggle, covering four long years, with such odds, as they put it, against me.

"When that question has been propounded to me, I have smilingly remarked, and with great satisfaction, that the cause I represented was the cause of the people, and knowing that the cause was just, that it was right, it sustained me in the fight. I have never doubted for a minute from the day I was sworn in as senator, but that I would in the end be triumphant."

DARK DAYS.

"There have been dark days and dark hours; there have been times when it seemed almost as if the wall could not be penetrated; that great wall of prejudice and religious intolerance."

"But God be praised, through acts as a senator, and through the determination of my heart to do right, I have been able to win friends from the first day to the very closing hours of the fight."

"And I hope and trust that they will remain friends to Utah as long as they live."

LAST GREAT BATTLE.

"I pray that this will be the last great battle for the upholding of our Constitution guaranteeing religious liberty to all citizens."

"I hope it will never occur again in the senate or house of representatives of the United States, where a man's religious belief is brought in question, or wherein the senate or house is asked to expel him for belonging to any religious denomination; and I believe it will not."

"And if I have been an instrument in any way, shape or form to settle this great principle again, as it was settled by our forefathers, all that I have suffered, all I have passed through, or all that it has cost me, I would willingly undertake again for the same great cause. I know I am right, because I never felt more humble in all my life. I know, my friends, that the result is as it should be, for it appeals to me and makes me feel in my soul the same as I always do when I have done something to advance humanity, or assist a brother or sister anywhere upon this earth."

GREATNESS OF AMERICA.

"I want to this morning impress upon the minds of the young people here the greatness of our America. I want to impress upon you the God given privilege that is yours, of living under the Stars and Stripes. O I wish that every one of you could comprehend all that that great instrument, the Constitution of the United States, means to us as a people. I wish from the bottom of my heart you could travel all over our land and see its magnificence and learn of the power our country wields among the nations of the world. Some people have bitterly complained in some sections, at the great amount of money appropriated by the last Congress to run this government for the last year. And when we contemplate the amount over \$900,000,000, an amount the human mind can hardly comprehend, we are most doubtful the figures named, and yet it was but a few short years ago, when there was appropriated for the two years \$1,000,000,000, and the whole world

was awakened to the fact that this was a great and powerful country. It was then said, and said truthfully, that this was a billion dollar country; and it is said today, and said truthfully, that it is a two billion dollar country—and God be praised for its advancement, for it means liberty sooner or later, to the whole world."

TRUE TO PEOPLE.

My brethren and sisters, I have tried and I believe I have been absolutely true to myself, true to my people, true to my state, and true to my country, and true to my God. It gives me satisfaction, comfort, peace of mind, and I hope rather than to do otherwise at any time in my future life, that God would never allow me to live to see that day. I want to do that which is right; I want to be loyal to everything and every interest of the people of Utah, and the people of my country. Remember this, that your honor (and that is a priceless jewel that God has given you) should be more sacred with you than life itself. I want to say to you that the world can attack a man when there are flaws in his life. And it is very easy, indeed, to defeat him; but I want to say to you that the greatest bulwark, the greatest strength, the greatest power that a man can possess, is a clean life, and one that cannot be attacked from any source or in any way."

WELCOME HOME.

It seems most pleasant, my young friends, to be here again. And I don't know of a place that I would rather have been welcomed, than under the roof of my alma mater. It is true that my father did love this institution. It is true that through the love and loyalty to it, he taught me many lessons, and I trust that a portion, at least, of his love for this institution has fallen upon my shoulders, and I assure you I love the institution. I glory in his successes, and I predict for her a greater future than we can possibly dream of today."

THE WHOLE FAMILY.

Mother Finds a Food for Grown-ups And Children as Well.

Food that can be eaten with relish and benefit by the children as well as the older members of the family, makes a pleasant household commodity. Such food is Grape-Nuts. It is not only agrees with and builds up children, but older persons who, from bad habits of eating, have become dyspeptics.

A Philadelphia lady, after being benefited herself, persuaded her husband to try Grape-Nuts for stomach trouble. She writes: "About eight years ago I had a severe attack of congestion of stomach and bowels. From that time on, I had to be very careful about eating, as nearly every kind of food then known to me seemed to cause pain."

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"My husband and boy, 8 and 9 years old do not want anything else for breakfast but Grape-Nuts and more healthful children cannot be found." Name given by Postum Co., Battle Creek, Mich. Read the little booklet, "The Road to Wellville," in place. "There's a reason."

made by you here is marvelous, and I see it wherever I go. The students from this institution are found in every walk of life. They are found in all the universities of the land. They are found as leading men and leading women in the communities in which they live. God grant that they may be even more in the future than it has been in the past. And I say from the bottom of my heart, that I trust that every student who comes here will leave the halls of this institution, when they do leave it, impressed with the idea that in this life you must be honorable, you must be truthful, you must be upright, you must be clean in thought, and in deed; and if this be the case, your mission here to this school will not be a failure.

LEGISLATORS ENTERTAINED.

Hold Sessions at the Elks' Club and at The Orpheum.

Every member was in his seat promptly at 6:30 last evening at the evening session of the house at the Elks' club rooms on First East street, when Speaker Pro Tem Kuehler's gavell fell. Speaker Joseph was present, and not busy, and the members were there on his invitation to feast at his board prior to the breaking up of the legislature.

Gov. Cutler and Mrs. Kuehler occupied one end of the table, while the speaker and Chairman Kuehler were seated at the other end, and about them in pretty much the same balance of the members of the house, and the representatives of the "third house." The rooms were beautifully decorated in the national colors, the red, white and blue scheme being effectively maintained throughout.

Mr. Kuehler made an admirable toastmaster, and his introductions were as witty as they were brief. Responses were made by Gov. Cutler, who was in particularly happy vein, and his remarks were greeted with round after round of applause, and Representatives McMillan, Mills, Holt, Tolton, Miller, Clegg, Joseph, Parry, Thompson, Howe, Long, Richards, Eldredge, Critchlow and Pederson and Col. Squires for the people at large and A. F. Phillips for the press.

During the speechmaking Mr. Tolton, leader of the minority, and representing the whole house, presented the speaker with a beautifully finished silver pitcher, engraved with the names of every member of the house. Speaker Joseph was much overcome by the unexpected presentation, but responded in a most little talk, in which he assured the members that if he had made mistakes, they were mistakes of the head, and not of the heart.

Mrs. Kuehler, as the only lady member of the third house, made as pretty a little speech on special invitation as can be imagined. After the banquet the party took in the performance at the Orpheum in a body, where a number of hits were made at the special expense of the legislature. One in particular, when "Tommy" rolled from the lounge and suddenly awakened from a sleep, said, "I had a horrible dream; I thought I saw Harry Joseph voting his way on the Galveston bill." The party broke up at 11 p. m., voting Mr. Joseph a most admirable host.

M. I. A. CONFERENCE.

The Young Men's and Young Ladies' Mutual Improvement associations of the Salt Lake stake will hold their annual conference in the Assembly hall tomorrow evening at 7 o'clock.

As there will be no meeting in the wards throughout the stake that evening, it is expected that there will be a very large attendance of M. I. A. and stake members at the conference. The young men and ladies in charge have arranged a special musical program for the occasion, and the general boards of both organizations have appointed members to be there to address the gathering. A general invitation is extended to the public and a very enjoyable time is assured.

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SPINAL MENINGITIS.

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Most people, doctors included, are of the opinion that a drug, having once cured a certain disease, ought always

to be used again. I am not of that opinion. I believe that a remedy should be used only when it is indicated by the symptoms. In the case of spinal meningitis, the symptoms are: Stiffness of the neck, vomiting, headache, and delirium. The remedy is hyocyamus, and it is given in homeopathic dilution.

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to cure it. But this is not the case. A remedy that has done excellent service in a given epidemic may be of no efficacy in a subsequent epidemic of the same disease, owing to the genius epidemic having changed its character. What this "genius epidemicus" really is, has not been satisfactorily explained, still it appears to proceed from some unknown cosmic, i. e., astronomical

source. As far as my limited knowledge goes, I believe that the same astronomical factors that called for hyocyamus in the epidemic I mentioned above, are again in force at present. But testing this remedy alone can tell. Experience does.

In conclusion, it may be of interest to some who cannot get doctors or drugs to know that a simple domestic remedy

has cured one case that had been considered hopeless. It is a poultice made of onions with plenty of cayenne pepper, applied to the spine, from the nape downward.

The above is offered in the hope that it may prove useful to someone in overcoming the dreadful disease.

Respectfully,
A. A. RAMSEYER.

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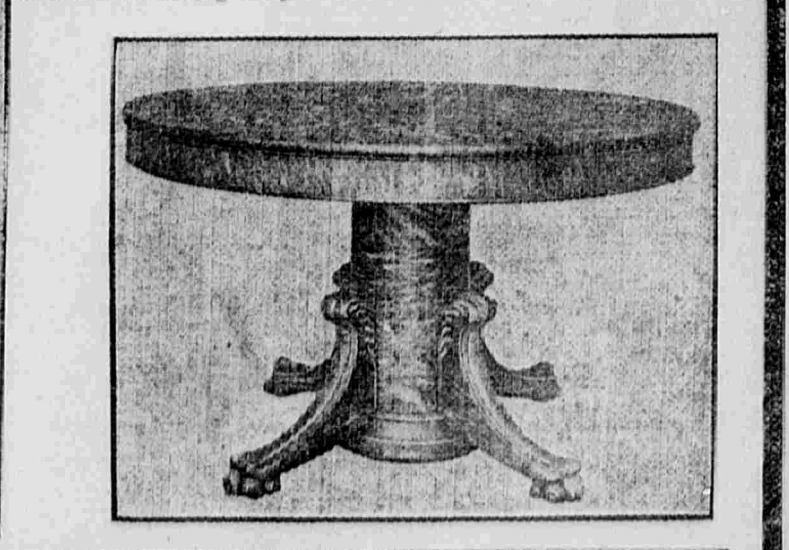
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