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APPEALS OF A DEMAGOGUE

Bryan Indulging In Campaign
Talk About the La-
boring Man.

Grotesque Travesty on the
Republican Policy.

Morbid Anxiety About the Size of the
Army.

Makes Thirty Speeches Though Billed
for Only Eleven.

THE AUDIENCES LARGE AND EN-
THUSIASTIC—SPEAKS IN THE
NEIGHBORHOOD OF THE UNI-
VERSITY OF CHICAGO IN THE
AFTERNOON.

Chicago, Nov. 2.—Bryan completed his second day's tour of Chicago at midnight in the levee district. He made thirty speeches, although he was billed for only eleven. His audiences were large and enthusiastic. His first speech was made at the lake front in the morning to several thousand. He devoted most of his speech to imperialism. He said: "If I delivered a short republican speech on imperialism I would go about it like this: 'We are sorry we got the Philippines. We did not want them. It looks as though they came to us in the way of destiny, and it is beginning to look as if we were being led by divine Providence, and besides there is money in it.'"

He said the democrats were opposed to trade in human blood, and he further said he was opposed to the destiny that made a man a chicken thief because he happened to wake up near a hen coop. He addressed three big meetings in the vicinity of the Chicago university this afternoon. Here he discussed militarism.

Colonel Bryan began the day's program at Handel hall where he addressed a large crowd and from Handel hall he was driven, escorted by Mayor Harrison and a deputation of the Cook county democracy to the lake front. There another great crowd was gathered and it was with the utmost difficulty that the candidate was piloted to the platform.

At Handel hall Mr. Bryan said in part: "The single tax question is not involved in this campaign, but my friends I can understand why a single taxer should be opposed to the republican party, for the republican party asks the people to do things which they are opposed to doing. The single tax movement has given to the United States a great man, for Henry George did all he could for humanity. George did all he could for humanity. He acted according to the best light that he had and he tried to secure the greatest good to humanity by the best light that he could get."

"When our party advocates the election of senators by a direct vote of the people it advocates a policy which tends to bring the government nearer to the people so that the people can make that government what they want it to be. When we advocated an income tax we simply insist that the men who have much shall give much to support the government and that men who have little shall contribute little towards the support of the government. Our plan is that the laborer shall labor with hope and that he may have an opportunity to live."

In his speech at the lake front Mr. Bryan said in part: "The republican party today stands for a large army. When the campaign opened Mr. Roosevelt started out to make fun of our objection to a large army. At Detroit he had four soldiers stand up before the audience and then he asked if they were afraid of these four soldiers. Who is afraid? That was the way he first met our objections. But my friends, that is no ar-

gument at all, for that question can be asked when an increase is demanded from 100,000 to 200,000 or to a half million. That question can be asked whenever any increase is demanded, until the army is so large that you are afraid even if you are not afraid. No king ever asked for a large army all at once. When a king wants to increase his army he asks for a little now and gets it; then he asks for a little more and gets it and he keeps asking and keeps getting it until he builds up a military establishment to support the doctrine of the divine right of kings."

"There are people in this country who have for years wanted a larger standing army in the United States. They have not been among the laboring men, or farmers, or merchants, but you will find that men who stand at the head of great syndicates have sometimes felt that we need a stronger government and more soldiers to support it."

"There is only one excuse for a large army kept in this country and kept busy and that is to suppress by force the discontent among the people that ought to be cured by legislation restoring justice as between man and man."

"The republican party does not give the laboring man the relief which he deserves. The laboring man wants relief from the blacklist; he wants relief from government by injunction. The republican party offers him no such relief."

"Republicans in this campaign have appealed to the old soldiers. They have threatened the soldiers with the loss of their pensions if the democratic party wins. I am glad that the soldier's pension does not depend upon the republican party. I am glad it depends upon the soldier's service to his country which is recognized by all parties. And, my friends, I may suggest here that if I am elected president I will look long or search for a commissioner of pensions who will be as satisfactory to the old soldiers as the present commissioner of pensions."

MUSQUITOES RESPONSIBLE FOR YELLOW FEVER

Dr. Finlay Reports on Experiments
He Has Made.

Havana, Nov. 2.—Wood has arrived from the United States.

Dr. Finlay says that between the years of 1881 and 1898 he inoculated 104 non-immunes with yellow fever by allowing mosquitoes, which had already bitten a case of yellow fever, to bite the persons experimented on. Of the 104 cases so treated, 17 had the disease in a mild but recognizable form. Finlay declares that he believes mosquitoes are the only cause of the disease.

SOCIALISTS RAISE A ROW

New York, Nov. 2.—The police tonight prevented a number of socialist meetings which the socialists tried to hold in the Tompkins square region without a permit. They arrested the speakers at several meetings but they were bailed out. These subsequently addressed a crowd from the windows of their headquarters, 98 Avenue C, and two other places. A free fight followed and the police by the use of clubs cleared the streets. A number of heads were broken.

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A GREAT MEETING AT THE OPERA HOUSE

HALL CROWDED TO HEAR PROM-
INENT REPUBLICAN

SPEAKERS.

Addresses by Chas. McNamee, Ex-con-
gressman Settle and Col. Lusk.

Major Moody too ill to Be Present and
His Engagement Cancelled for To-
day at Marshall.

The republican rally at the opera house last night was the greatest political demonstration that has been held in the city during the present campaign. An audience equally as large filled the opera house when Chairman Simmons spoke, but there was a difference. The Simmons audience melted away to a great extent after they had taken a look at the democratic chairman, while last night the great audience remained and applauded the discussion of the republican and patriotic policies of the government. It had been raining during the afternoon and last night the clouds hung low and threatening. Despite this fact every seat in the opera house was occupied, and many stood in the aisles. The boxes and a number of seats on the lower floor were occupied by ladies. Music was provided by the First regiment band.

Among the distinguished gentlemen who sat on the stage, it was pleasant to see the face of Sheriff Will Wilson of Yancy county and to know that though he wore a very large Bryan badge, Major Moody, whose button he also wears, has no more ardent friend and supporter than this democratic high sheriff.

The Hon. Thomas Rolles, a chairman of the Campaign committee introduced, in a few well chosen words the Hon. Charles McNamee.

Mr. McNamee said that he had but just returned home, having gone directly from the Paris exposition to that at Raleigh, and he assured the crowd that Paris is not in it with North Carolina.

"We thought four years ago that we had permanently disposed of the free silver issue, but we find now that we had only scotched the snake not killed it. It has come to life again and is stalking abroad, disguised though it is under other alleged issues. We will kill it this time."

"The cry of free silver has no longer the potency that it had four years ago when the mills were closed. Now under conditions of unexampled prosperity, the demand is made for it and it is pulling to force other questions of much less importance, but which they now call paramount."

He said that at Raleigh he had met a great many life-long democrats who say they will vote for McKinley.

There are many thousands of others who have long been convinced of the wisdom of republican policy and of the folly of those of the democracy. As their excuse for voting contrary to their belief they said that they would vote solidly with the democrats as long as the negro voted with the republicans. They have passed this amendment of the constitution and now they are giving the negro a vote and are giving him the chance to let their ballots express their honest convictions. They may never have as good an opportunity again, as good an explanation to give their friends. If they neglect this opportunity now it will be harder for them to break away next year. Let them vote, this coming week, as their reason prompts and their business interests demand, and have for their comfort the proud consciousness that for once they have had the courage of their convictions.

I am certain that a very large number of the business men, both in this city and throughout the south, will do it."

He compared the records of the parties on the more or less fictitious issue of trusts. The only bill against them introduced by the republicans and defeated by the democrats. And he spoke too, of the difference that exists between trusts, as they exist between good men and bad men; of Croker's ice trust that doubled the price of ice to the suffering poor of New York, and the Standard Oil trust, which sells the best quality of oil for something like one twentieth as much as we paid before for stuff that was a likely as not to blow up the house of the fellow that tried to use it. Moreover it has sold abroad one billion, three hundred million dollars worth of the products of this country and brought the money into this country to circulate.

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Mr. Rolles then, after telling of the speech of Major Moody, whose name came next on the program as it had been arranged, introduced the Hon. Thomas Settle.

His speech was logical, scholarly and eloquent and we should be very glad to reproduce it in full if it were possible to do so.

He said "The greatest objection to the democracy is that it is a party of mere criticism and cavil. They try to tear down, but cannot build up. They appeal to those qualities of our human nature which, if I might criticize our Creator, I would say might well have been left out; prejudice, hate, envy and distrust of our institutions and the honesty of our people. They will not give satisfaction and the fogs and vapors of discontent. Like the dwellers in the cave of Abdullam of whom the prophet Samuel speaks, they are composed of all who are dissatisfied and discontented and in debt."

He contrasted the laboring man under democratic administration when he vainly sought for work at any price, the well paid man of today, when any man willing and able to work can find employment, and said they were "living pictures illustrating the unwisdom of democratic and the sound wisdom of republican policy." He spoke of the "solid south," and explained how the fact that it is always considered and counted as "solid" works to its injury; contrasting its position with that of those states which are classed as doubtful, which first gets consideration as to legislation in their interests, and whose citizens are given the offices of dignity and honor. Which ever party wins the southern states, like country cousins, sit below the salt. The democrats are sure of them anyway, whether they do anything for them or not; and the republicans are sure that nothing they can do will give them their vote. He predicted that the day that sees the Solid South broken up will bring the dawn of a bright era for the South, and he believes that day is no longer far off. Do not get discouraged because the Solid South is not yet broken up. Give her electoral vote to McKinley. If we go down to defeat under this election law at least we will have died on the field of duty with our face to the foe. And our day will come.

"Whom the Gods would destroy they first make mad." You have noticed that the democrats in this state are pretty mad these days.

Mr. Settle was followed by Col. Lusk, who delighted the audience both with the soundness of his arguments and the humor of his illustrations. Lack space forbids even a brief review of his speech. He was particularly rich on democratic "white supremacy" and "anti-imperialism" as exhibited in their nomination for delegates to congress from Hawaii of an Hawaiian nigger and a prince at that, a son of Queen Liliuokalani, whose vote put the 19th in the democratic platform. The republicans in the island territory nominated a white man.

The big audience gave each of the speakers frequent and well merited applause.

ISLANDS MISCHARTED

San Francisco, Nov. 2.—Discoveries of great value are reported by the United States fish commission ship Albatross which has just returned from a fourteen months' cruise in the South Seas and in Japanese and Alaskan waters.

The officers of the vessel state that nearly all of the South Sea islands are mischarted anywhere from two to a dozen miles, making steering by chart extremely dangerous.

A world's record for deep sea net dragging was made about fifty miles east of the Tonga group of islands in latitude 20 degrees southward. Specimens of marine life were brought up from a depth of 4,200 fathoms or nearly five miles.

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TEMPLES DESTROYED

Acts of Vengeance by Allied
Troops in the City of
Pao Ting Fu.

Prominent Officials are Con-
demned to Death.

Inhabitants of Boxer Villages Show-
ing Repentance.

Progress of the Negotiations by the
Foreign Ministers.

THESE VITAL AND FAR REACH-
ING QUESTIONS TO BE DETER-
MINED—DEMAND FOR THE RE-
TIREMENT OF THE DOWAGER
EMPRESS.

Pekin, Oct. 31, via Shanghai, Nov. 2.—The foreign ministers held another meeting today and further discussed the French note. Considerable time was devoted to discussing guarantees to be demanded from China to prevent the repetition of the outbreak. No decision was reached. There is the strongest reason for believing conclusions will be reached on every point involved.

General Gaselee, commander of the allied expedition to Pao Ting Fu, returned today with a report from the international commission appointed to ascertain what Pao Ting Fu officials were responsible for the murder of missionaries and converts there. The commission found the governor, provincial treasurer and judge guilty. They are in custody and "condemned to death." Gaselee reports that the allies at Pao Ting Fu destroyed the temples where the missionaries and others were imprisoned prior to their execution, and also destroyed the city wall and the gate near the place of execution, and burned the towers, thus disgracing the city. American missionaries have returned from expeditions to Chou Chou and Liang Shiang, where they collected indemnities and obtained grants of land for murdered converts.

Rev. Mr. Ament, of the American board of missions, says the inhabitants of boxer villages are showing signs of repentance and are offering Christians land and money to rebuild houses.

Pao Ting Fu, Oct. 26.—The committee of inquiry into outrages on missionaries has sentenced to death Tien Yang, provincial judge; Wang Shung On, military commandant; General Kiu and two other officials.

French troops will garrison Pao Ting Fu for the winter.

Preparations are complete for the destruction, Oct. 27, of the most venerated temple in the city.

New York, Nov. 2.—Comprehensive instructions bearing upon the indemnity this government will demand from China have gone to Minister Conger, says a Washington correspondent to the Herald.

Administration officials decline to discuss their character, but the demands this government will submit will be moderate. They will comprise restitution for injuries suffered by Americans and the damage done their property, and reimbursement of expenses incurred in sending the expedition to China. It cannot be learned that this government has determined upon the exact amount to be demanded, but whatever it is will probably be accepted in Chinese

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