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ASHEVILLE, N. C., FRIDAY MORNING, OCTOBER 30, 1908,

AURORA OF VICTORY IS VISIBLE TO THE EYES OF **WILLIAM JENNINGS BRYAN**

Last Day of Campaign in FORMER KING Empire State Finds Nebraskan Hopeful.

ALL AMERICA IS FULLY AROUSED

Bryan Charges That United States Senate is Bulwark of Malefactors.

COHOES, N. Y., Oct. 29.-Opening the last day of the campaign in New York state, W. J. Bryan today told an audience that filled the Opera house that he expected to be elected president. Mr. Bryan said that before Secretary, He Says, Attendthe Denver convention he was very confident. They said if the democrats would only nominate me we would have a nice quiet campaign and they would have a walk-over. Well, at this time, we are able to forecast the result and what is the condition? Our cause is so appealing to the con-sciences of the American people that lican leaders no longer lead the people in the right direction; these leaders have betrayed the sentiment even in their own party, and misrepresent fense today. ed the wishes of the rank and file of

Campaign Contributions

ed for honest politics, will go on un- of Mr. Curtis and Mr. Wirz.

Mr. Bryan charged that the United States was the bulwark of predatory wealth, and favor seeking corporations had controlled the actions of senators who were chosen to represent the people. He asserted that Mr.

Taft had not attacked a single trust because to the process of the process of the process of the people. The people of the process of the people of the peo Taft had not attacked a single trust, because, he said, every trust magnate

that the republican party was going

UTICA, N. Y., Oct 25.—Paying a visit to Utica, the home of James S. Sherman, republican vice-presidential

This line of questioning finally led at Walnut Log, was given his liberty nominee, W. J. Bryan, the democratic up to the question of the loan made today. Nothing important was secured to the presidential today in the presidential today in the presidential today. The loan made today is the presidential today in the presidential today in the presidential today. The presidential today is the presidential today in the presidential today is the presidential today. The presidential today is the presidential today is the presidential today is the presidential today. The presidential today is the presidential today is the presidential today is the presidential today is the presidential today. The presidential today is the presidential today is the presidential today is the presidential today is the presidential today. The presidential today is the presidentia

vote several of the questions embraced in the democratic platform. These included publicity of election cam- "I gave it paign contributions, election of sens- the financier. tors by the people, and a labor re-presentative in the cabinet. No hand was raised when he asked if there was any one present who believed the propositions laid down in the republi-can platform were right. "I will ask" said he. "the newspaper men travel-ing with me, to send out to the country the fact that the home of Cana-dia Sherman does not endorse the action of the republican national cam-

that party, which so outrageously was secured by 2,000 shares of lee misrepresented the sentiment of the stock, being one half of the Carroll people, both republicans and demo- stock he (Morse) had purchased

VETERANS MAY HAVE TO PAY TAX

(By Associated Press.)
ATLANTA, GA., Oct., 29—Confederate veterans may be forced, after all the veterans would escape the Mun-forcement of such laws, a meeting cipal license, but today Attorney Gen- the heads of departments of agreral Hart stated that the license tax culture and state chemists of the var-

OF ICE WORLD ON THE STAND

Charged With Violation of the Banking Laws, He Makes Defense.

KNEW NOTHING OF HIGH FINANCE

ed to Private and Personal Affairs.

(By Associated Press.)

NEW YORK, Oct. 29.—Charles W. we are drawing to our support more Morse, who, with Alfred H. Curtis, of these who are lifting up the moral former president of the National Bank standard, and who are trying to touch of North America, is on trial in the the conscience of the nation. Repubof North America, is on trial in the circuit court on a charge of conspiracy and violation of the national banking laws, took the stand in his own de

Mr. Morse related how he cam have an interest in the National Bank Discussing publicity of campaign of North America, saying that he secontributions, Mr. Bryan asked those cured an interest in the consolidation present if they were willing to endorse a plan that contemplates the not a salaried officer of the bank and purchase of elections. I warn you knew nothing of the legal exactions now he said with much emphasis, covering national banking. The finanthat the crusade we have commenced to the forming the acquaintance and for honest nothing will be a commenced for honest nothing will be commenced. til we have a law that will compet confidence in them used my in-before him today, ame republican leaders to open their books fluence to have them made president. Ferriner, who made

secretary, Kate A. Wilson, and was supporting him, "and out of the my former secretary, Arthur Braun, funds the republicans are preparing attended to my personal and private to buy every vote that can be bought." affairs, said the witness. "Miss Witvehemently declared son kept my bank account straight, said that he had been backward instead of forward with re-connected with the American Ice spect to labor. He characterized the company "since its formation in 1898 promise of a revision of the tariff as or 1899." The company was then payan attempt to perpetuate fraud upon ing dividends, witness testified, and Obion dealt in natural ice. A difference in the demand came in 1902, he said wanted.

candidate for president, got a great John Carroll by the Bank of North demonstration.

"It was one of the best meetings of one time. He said the learn war at JOHN the campaign" said he upon returning one time. He said the loans were to his car. The Opera riouse, where

he spoke, was inadequate to accomo-half of the Carroll stock at \$30 a he spoke, was inadequate to account to half of the Carroll stock at \$30 a date the crowd which assembled to share and give the bank the profit the HAUTE, Ind., Oct. 29.—
hear him and he made an overflow of the deal. Then he purchased 4,000 Two rousing meetings in this city to-Mr. Bryan discussed the issues of chare of ice stock, he said at \$40 a night brought the fourth day of John the campaign generally and put to a share, for Mrs. Getchel. What became of the profit of \$10 a

share?" asked Mr. Morse's lawyer, "I gave it to the bank," answered

Was Accommodation,

The loans made to Leslie Whiting. the 19-year-old clerk in a broker of fice, were then taken up and Mr. Morse said that the first loan of \$80,-000 to the youth was made at his itinerary provided only for a speaking drank only as much as a lady should (Mr. Morse's) request and "was an tour, no time allowance having been accommodation horrow"

"Isn't it a great condemnation of The second Whiting loan of \$69,000 was secured by 2,000 shares of ice Clinton,

lourned court

CHEMISTS WILL MEET TO ENACT FOOD LAWS

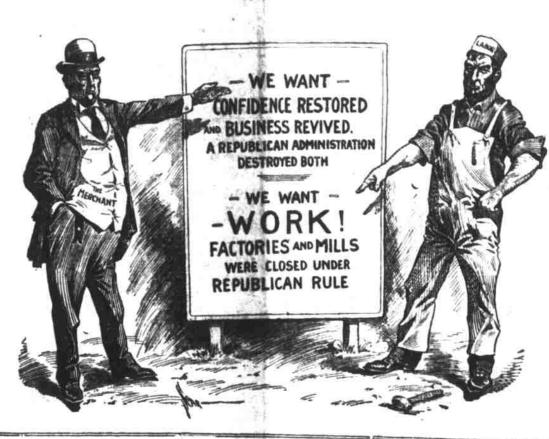
ATLANTA, Ga. Oct. 29.-1t was Reads Letters From Standto pay a tax for the privilege of sell-ing "near beer" in Georgia towns. A of securing the enactment of uniform few days ago it was announced that pure food laws, and to aid in the en be remitted. The state ii- ous Southern states will be held in

ASSIGNMENT OF U.S. TROOPS IS MADE TO THE HAWAIIAN ISLANDS

(By Associated Press.) ago to substantially increase the gar- tional troops. The headquarters band and the first and third squadrons of increasing the garrison of the islands speech, and two other letters were the Fifth cavalry were today ordered also call for batteries of artiflery, read by him which he explained were to the Hawaiian Islands. There are which, it is said, will be sent later. now but four companies of infantry in

Some time ago a company of engin WASHINGTON, Oct. 29 .- An im- eers was ordered to the islands, and portant assignment of troops was to- will sail from San Francisco Novemdays made to the Hawaitan islands in ber 4. There is a splendid military called the indifference of representa-pursuance of a plan determined upon reservation on one of the Islands, furby the war department several months nishing ample quarters for the addi-

The band and first squadren of the national democratic committee to D. the islands, and that number has long Fifth cavalry, now at Fort Huachuca. M. Purry, president of the Manufac-been inadequate in view of the plan Arizona, and the third squadron of the turers Association, and to John MaxThe Spirit of 1908



MOTHER OF NIGHT RIDER DIES OF SHOCK

Thirty-five Prisoners Were Released Yesterday All Being Able to Account.

(Sy Associated Press.)
CAMP NEMO, REELFOOT LAKE, Tenn., Oct 29.-Today was a quiet one with the militiary here. No detachriders suspects or witnesses, and but civil officers. Governor Patterson had "I had a number of suspects and my in-before him today, among them Frank

selves were released today.

Mr: Matilda Rassaker, mother of the three Rassaker boys under arrest here, died today. Heart trouble, supdeath.

James Dunn, night watchman at the by Mrs. Gould. knocked senseless last night by three Bischoff, of the supreme court, ordermen to whom he refused permission ed the hearing now because the action to sleep in the boiler room. Whether That effected a change in they were night riders is not known, iness of the company.

P. C. Ward, proprietor of the hotel This line of questioning finally led at Walnut Log, was given his liberty

W. Kern's Indiana campaign to a whirlwind finish. Previously he addressed a hig growd of miners and laboring men at Brazil. The three audiences were the largest he has spoken to since be entered upon the canvass of the state on Monday Setting out from Indianapolis at

7.30 in the morning the vice presiden-tial nominee spoke at Rockville, Mecca, Clinton, and Sullivan, His made spemingly for meal hours. Mr. Morse told of how the loan consequence the candidate took his made to Whiting had been used to noon meal from a lunch basket while for a lady itake up 2,000 shares of Carroll's stock, whirling along over a dusty road in an dinner, said Mr. Selbe entomobile between Bockville and

Judge Hough at this functure ad-HEARST STILL IN LITERARY WORLD

ard Oil to D. M. Parry and Instituted Other Magnates.

(By Associated Press.)

NEW YORK, Oct 29 -Arguments arraigning the republican and demo livered by W. R. Hearst, in Cooper of the day in the Wyoming Valley w. Union tonight for the Independence the Welsh E toddfod in this cats party Two letters from John D. Archbold, of the Standard Oil company, to the late William J. Sewell. United States senator from New Jersey, bearing on what Mr. Hearst chairman of the house committee or lonal troops.

It is understood that the plans for day working men," figured in the written by H. D. King, auditor of the to build up a substantial naval station Fifth cavalry is at Fort Wingate, Aritively. Well, secretary to Mr. Parry, respectively.

MRS GOULD HAD NO HEART FOR DOMESTIC LAW

She Rejected Rules and Regulations Laid Down By Her Husband.

THEN DOVE OF PEACE QUIT JOB grand jury.

Witness Says That a "Lady's Limit" is Pint of Champague Daily.

(By Associated Press.)

Sells, a cousin of Mrs. Katherine erinduced by worry over the arrest of of her husband. Howard Gould, testiher sons, is said to have caused her fied today before Edward G Whitafor divorce instituted some time ago Cooperage company, was abroad for six months and Justice will not come to trial until early next

> xulaining that he had been friendly er band of wife's conduct but Mrs. Gould res tions jected them shortly, after which the Barton today declared that the his wife should abstain wholly from different headquarters, one at thought a last should drink

"Mrs. Goold," witness witness replied. "Well, what is a lady's limit " Mr.

Nickell queried "Well, I at aid may that the limit

Clarence I shearn, who represented dental. He was 55 years old. Mrs. Gould seked the sitness prior to the cross community of Mr. Nick-

Mrs. Goolds "meanor and evidence that she had been drinking to ex-

"Oth never promptly said Mr

Mr Sells abuilted to having made efforts to obtain affidavits in behalf of Mrs. Gould some the divorce suit was

MITCHELL DAY OBSERVED

WILKESBARRE, Pa., Oct 25 Mitchell In which commemorate the ending of the first great coa strike in 1900, was observed through out the authorite coal regions toda resulting to a almost total suspereratic parties, made up a speech de- sion of minus. The principal leatur which Governor Stewart presided



BY-LAWS OF THE NIGHT RIDERS FOUND

Relentless Net of the Law Slowly Closing Around Murderous Gang.

(Sy Associated Press.) UNION CITY, Tenn., Oct. 29.—It is eported today on what is considered the Taft train arrived. good authority that the constitution and by-laws of the night riders was procured and brought here yesterday and will be placed in the hands of the

constitution and by-laws, among other things, it is said, provides that no bank or trust company will be permitted to make any loans. large or small for a greater interest rate than 6 per cent., and further that after the first day of July, 1909, no no farmer will be allowed to employ

any colored help on his farm, and that all negroes will be notified to leave the county under penalty of death; that all merchants shall sell their goods and merchandise at not to exceed 10 per cent, profit and otherwise regulating att wages to be paid by the farmer for help and regulating the price of corn, cotton and all farm products. The by-laws show that the organization not only comprises the night riders of Obion county, but infindes all night rider organizations over the entire south.

"Ted" Hurton, according to his own Mr. Sells apeared for Mrs. Gould, admission a member of the night ridexplaining that he had been themity or band of Reemon Lake, was exceeded only by our armies of with the Goulds for years. In July, brought from the jail at Tiptonville the civil war. At Canandaigua he 1905, after sections differences had to this city today and to Attorney spoke on the general issues. In his arise between Mr. and Mrs. Gould be General Caldwell and other attorneys principal address here, he said. Reelfoot Lake, was said he tried to affect an arrangement interested in the investigation, retold "I sometimes think" he said noolving the Goulds Hylng according his story repeating in substance the we full to appreciate what to a definite domestice, and proper same confession he made several days ing means. It does not mean oratory Certain stipulations were laid ago, naming the members of the band it does not mean the power of do down by Mr Gould to govern his and relating in detail their depreda- bate It does not mean the advance-

couple separated. One of Mr. Gould's band was divided in two squads, each conditions, the witness said, was that operating independently, and having the use of intoxicants. On this point, north end and one at the south end of on cross examination Delancy Nickoll, the lake. On only one occasion, when who apeared in Mr. Gould, asked Mr. they terrorized the town of Hornbeak Sells to tell lost how much wine he in July last, are they known to have joined forces for a raid.

INSPECTOR KILLED.

(By Associated Press.)
MONTGOMERY, Alm., Oct. 28.—Dr.

Shirley Bragg state Jail Inspector, and a nephew of General Braxton Bragg s pint of champagns at shot and killed himself today.

Now, have you eter observed in HIS TRAIN SHEETS KILLED HIS ALIBI

ments Refuted by Mute But Effective Documents.

(By Associated Press.)
JERSEY CITY, N. J., Oct. 29.—The attempt of the defense to establish as indergoing trial on the charge of has ng murdered his wife last Christmas right reveiled a serious setback to day when train sheets of the Inter York city, were submitted in evidence refutation of the testimony of Train Impatcher Pulver, who deposed earls the trial that he saw Whitmore in New York on Christmas night shortly after dispatching a train at diminishing northwest his recital of his movements on the night of the crime.

TAFT GREETED BY CHEERING REPUBLICANS

HE CONFESSED UNDER SHADOW OF PRISON WALL

The Ohioan Addresses Two Taint of Abe Reuf Falls on Large Audiences and Takes Part in Parade.

Contractor Blake and His Wife.

EMPIRE STATE TICKET

Declares People Know a Startling Tale of Attempted Good Thing When They See it.

(By Associated Press.) publican cheers have sounded in the with sentence about to be Lyons, Canadaigua, Geneva, Sencea Falls, and Augurn. The climax

enthusiastic wherever the Ohioan has tarried. Beheavy campaigning remired of him yesterday in Greater New York, he showed little effect of the strain today. He has hit at the roots of what he considers democratic fallacies in every shape and has been free in expressing his optimism as to the result next Tuesday.

Governor Hughes has been com-mended in strong language; likewise the remainder of the New York state ticket, and the vice-presidential candidate.

Here tonight Judge Taft had the

Had a Rest.

disturbed until 8 o'clock, the hour for his first meeting. At that time he was driven in an automobile through the streets, escorted by several big marching clubs. The streets were immunity, Blake said he had been of-crowded with people. The Alham-bra, the largest hall in the city, was burgh and P. J. Murphy, of Rue's packed to its utmost capacity. Again counsel to influence J. M. Kelly, a tonight Judge Taft gave his strong-est endersoment of Governor Hughes.

"I knew the people of New OYrk Reily \$500 which was refused, hence a good thing," declared Mr. said, but an offer of \$1,000 was se Taft "even if they did have to listen to rumbles from the west to find it out.

Following his meeting at the Turn Hall, where he addressed an au- 000, and provision for dience composed largely of Germans, while he was in prison, if he would He then returned to his car, which not make a confession. row morning.

At Lyons, the first speech of the audience which packed the largest ball in the town, he asserted that the defeat in 1896 of the 'silver

ment of plausible theories, but means the power of efficient perform

War Record.

"Retween each presidential election we came out in the Philippines, 10. terman for Missouri, of the Independbesses which were there raised and which were difficult to meet."

MINERS NARROWLY

STRONGLY COMMENDS FULL CONFESSION MADE ON STAND

Corruption of Prospective

Juror is Told.

SYRACUSE, N. Y., Oct 29 -Re- ing in the shadow of the penitentiary wake of the Tart train which today upon him, and having seen his young wife just led from the court hysterically crying "No. No." was reached tonight in this city, with a big parade, two meetings and an attempting to bribe John M. Kelly, to overflow, furnishing audiences of thousands which Judge Taft address.

Ruef, and vote for Ruef's acquittal. made a full confession in court

Blake said that after he was ar rested on a charge of bribery, Frank J. Murphy, Ruef's assistant came to him and promised \$10,000 H he would keep quiet. He said that notes for \$10,000, purporting to be signed by Ruef; were delivered to third party, to be paid to Blake im mediately after he was sentenced, if he were convicted of bribery, Besides this amount Blake declared, his wife was to receive \$100 a month

while he was in the penitentiary,
Wife Hysterical. When Blake was ordered today, to rival attraction of Mr. Bryan, whose special car was in the station when After motions for a new trial and arrest of judgment was denied, Blake rest of judgment was Judge Taft was resting when his a reason why sentence should not be train reached this city and was not pronounced. This came as a surprise to his attorneys, who were permitted

to withdraw from the case. After he had been sworn and he stated that he had not been promised immunity, Blake said he had been of-

It was then brought out in allegations that Newburgh had procured at-torneys for Blake's defense. Blake then told of the alleged offer of \$10,-

The story told by Blake created consternation in court and the case was continued for two weeks.

ASSOCIATION WITH HEARST REPULSIVE

I sometimes think" he said, That National Committeeman for Missouri Ashamed of His Job, He Savs.

KANSAS CITY, Mo., Oct. 29 .- Givng as one of his reasons a desire not to have his name connected with "any many leaves are likely to arise, that party or person who purchased of annot be submitted to a party, crisis otherwise obtained correspondence are likely to come that cannot be sub-stole by other persons for publicamitted to the rank and file of the tion, to the detriment or downfall of people, and you have got to take a other persons, for the upbuilding of party and trust it to work those yourself or the independence party," prombles out That was exhibited in J. L. cods Merril, of Kansas City, in the record of the republican party a letter today to William R. Hearst, with reference to the Spanish war national chairman, offered the latter We went into the war in Cuba and his resignation as national commit-

once party Continuing, he says: "Also I do not wish my name connected with a party whose affiliations are so closely connected with other parties and whose only aim is to help ESCAPE THE FLAMES defeat Bryan Taft wanted Foraker (By Associated Press.)

(CHARLESTON W. VA. Oct., 29

Forest fires around Turney Knobnear here, threatened death to miners
employed in the mines of the Turkey
Knob Coal company today. The fire
reached the fan house of the coal
company today destroyed it and then
burned the drift mouth and set the
mine aftre. Fortunately there was no
explosion and the men in the mine
excaped. Two men were overcome by
letter class of all parties and stand
out of business and you played the
part of remover and, with a grandstand play to keep up appearances
went after Haskell with no proof of
guilt, to down Bryan, and in my belief the independence party receives
its campaign money from republican
dependence party's platform was to
advecte the principles of Jefferson
and Lincoln and to build up from the
letter class of all parties and stand out of business and you played the Two men were overcome by better class of all parties and stand make but will recover. for the interest of the people and not

NATHAN STRAUS DECLARES THAT REPUBLICANS WOULD BUY ELECTION

spatching a train at occasion and subsequently de-Witnesses also were nied by Treasurer Sheldon, of the re-won't dare print what I say here, I examined who declared that they publican national committee, that declare here and now that the corheard Pulver say that he did not Wall street men are being assessed ruption fund to be used this year in know whether it was 11.30, 12.30 or \$50 each by the republican commit-1 36 o'clock when he saw Whitmore, and a number of boon companions and alight in a speech by the Commercial beforehand the contributions because

prove that statement: "I am ready to party."

NEW YORK, Oct 29 - The charge lexied a tax of \$500," said Mr. Straus, cently made by Nathan Straus, "but that they have a sliding scale president of the Business Men's Dem- which runs up to \$5,000. I am ready, WASHINGTON. Oct 29—Forecast for the most part, bore out that of the Month Carolina—Pair Friday and the most part, bore out that of the most part beforehand the contributions because they earlied the rethey say it is for legitimate purposes, but they know they are raising the funds for bribery. They are using the formula the most part by the formula they ever have had." they ever have had."

He said that he was prepared to I defy them. I defy the republicant