

## BRYAN VISITS CONCORD

Distinguished Nebraskan Makes a Great Speech of Half Hour Here on Tuesday Evening—Heard by Near Three Thousand People with Great Interest.

### A CATCHY TALK

One of the Best Speeches of Trip at Concord—Spoke Again at Charlotte Last Night—Columbia Today—Bryan in Great Form—Talks for Hackett.

The coming of William Jennings Bryan to Concord for the second time yesterday was the event in the year. He spoke for thirty minutes to near three thousand people and every minute of the speech was full of interest, closely followed by the audience packed in front of the stand. When the Bryan special pulled into the Southern yards a few minutes past 6 the people who had gathered to hear him crowded in to get a first look at the honored guest, and at the first sight gave a yell of welcome. Mr Bryan was met by the local reception committee and as he came out of the rear car he was munching the last of an apple which he seemed loath to give up. But a few steps brought him to the speakers stand where he was presented by Mr L T Hartsell in a gem of an introductory. The ever ready Bryan began at once, and for thirty minutes talked facts to his interested audience.

#### The Concord Speech.

Mr Bryan was in splendid form, his voice was a bit husky but it lost nothing of its power and force and every one heard distinctly the speech. Mr Bryan began by acknowledging the complimentary introductory of Mr Hartsell, which referred to his having been received by crowned heads of Europe. He stated that he had met some of the European rulers, but preferred by far the uncrowned Americans who would stand no crown. "There is no county like the United States," Mr Bryan declared, "and none offer such opportunities." He referred to the problems we must deal with and said he trusted these would be solved to our best interest. He declared for the old Democratic doctrine of equal rights to all and special privilege to none. He charged extravagance on the Republicans, charged them with allowing these expenses to grow unnecessarily. His brief reference indirectly to the injustice of the tariff and its indirect tax brought him to the subject of taxation, which received the major part of his allotted time. He mentioned the income tax. Spoke of the attempt to get it as law and how the measure failed to pass the Supreme court after such a fight to get it that far. "Every tax is an income tax," declared Mr Bryan, "it is paid from the income, and the man with the large income does not pay in proportion to the man with the small income." The tax on whiskey and tobacco was used as an apt illustration. Mr Bryan declared that the poor man under Republican policy paid the greatest percentage of tax and received the smallest protection. The army was used as an illustration. The poor man does not need or want its protection. "Who ever heard of the army being called out to protect any one other than the large corporations?" asked Mr Bryan, using this as an example of who gets the benefit and protection, the large corporations who pay as little tax as possible. He said the Republicans believe in a blessing, therefore the more the better. He admitted that the laboring man got more in America, but declared that he gave more than in any other country. He said the Republican policy was to divide the prosperity among the few and trust that few to divide with the working people. He spoke in favor of shorter hours, that the working people may have more time for study, for home and family, for their improvement, that the people may be

better informed on public questions. His idea is a happy people rather than a rich people; prosperity and contentment for all, against large and unnatural prosperity for a few favored ones. He spoke of the trusts, and spoke of how without these it would be possible for one man to save his money and get a start in business, but this is impossible with amassed money in the hands of the trust.

Mr Bryan stated that he is a conservative, that what ten years ago was considered radical is today thought conservative. He referred to some accomplishments of President Roosevelt and his best endeavors being in line with sound Democratic doctrine. He said that the Democratic party would not promise "that you can go into the pocket of your fellowman, but does promise to keep the other fellow out of yours."

"The trust is a conspiracy against liberty as well as against consumption," said Mr. Bryan, and further declared that the Republicans did not promise to break up the trust, but only to restrain and regulate. In his Charlotte speech he said that a few of the big men at the head of the trust put in prison would set a good example and dissolve the trusts.

In closing his Concord speech he made an appeal for the election of Mr Hackett to congress. "If Mr Hackett is elected he will be there to aid the President in his reform work. Much is heard of Mr Roosevelt's great reform work and he needs such men as advance Democrats to back him up." The crowd cheered lustily at his reference to Mr Hackett and at the conclusion of Mr Bryans' speech a great call for Hackett arose from the crowd. Finishing his speech the "Great Commoner" made his way to the train and called Mrs Bryan to the rear of the car.

Mr Bryan was accompanied by a number of prominent North Carolinians: Governor Glenn, Senators Simmons and Overman, Mr Hackett, Mr T F Klutz and numbers of others were in the Bryan party. There were a dozen or more ladies on the train and Mrs Bryan received close attention and many courtesies throughout the trip. At Charlotte the party was given an oration, then taken to the Manufacturers Club where supper was served. The speaking was at Vance Park, where Mr Bryan spoke for more than an hour. He devoted a good deal of time in replying to Secretary Shaws Salisbury speech, which was a "stand pat" tariff argument. From Charlotte Mr Bryan went to Columbia where he speaks today.

#### A Few Notes.

Estimates of the crowd hearing Mr Bryan are from 2,500 to 3,000. The closest attention was paid him throughout his speech. His Concord speech, though brief was a master one. His Charlotte speech was great.

When Mrs Bryan came to the platform in Concord last night she said it would be a good idea to send some of "these voters" to the North where they are needed. A Hackett man said they could not be spared yet a while—not until after November.

Messrs L T Hartsell, R S Young, J B Sherrill, G F McAllister, H L Parks and J F Hurley went to Charlotte on the Bryan train. Several ladies here went on the train and met Mrs Bryan.

Memphis Man Shot; Result of Quarrel. Memphis, Tenn., Sept. 18—Boyce H Cannon, member of the real estate firm of B H Cannon & Co., was shot and it is believed fatally wounded by Dr B C King here today in the lobby of the Tennessee Trust building.

The shooting is the result of a quarrel which occurred shortly after the two men had left an elevator in the trust building.

The cause of the quarrel is unknown.

## LOOKS LIKE HEARST

Primaries of Yesterday Indicate That Hearst Can Have the Democratic Nomination for Governor if He Says the Word—Murphy Defeated for Tammany Leader.

New York, Sept. 19.—Democrats of this state, from present indications, will nominate William R Hearst, of the Independent League, for governor of New York at the Buffalo convention which meets September 25th. In yesterday's primaries Hearst showed a remarkable strength. Syracuse and Buffalo elected delegates friendly to him. Leader Murphy, of Tammany, is overwhelmingly defeated. Mayor McLelland says the unit rule will prevail at the convention, which means that the delegates will be for Hearst if he says so. Leaders not friendly to Murphy say that he may throw his strength to some one else than Hearst. Thus far Murphy has expressed no choice, but says that Jerome is not the man to beat Higgins with. The opposition to Odell was victorious, which means that Higgins can have the nomination if he desires it.

#### Taft Has Reached Havana.

Havana, Sept. 19.—Secretary Taft and party arrived here on the Des Moines at 2 o'clock this morning. It is said that there has been a serious hitch in the peace negotiations. The rebels, it seems, have adopted an obstinate attitude, refusing to reduce their demands. It is regarded here as probable that under the guise of aiding Palma in his plans for forestalling American intervention the insurgents have in reality been blocking the negotiations purposely to make Taft's aid necessary.

#### Killed in an Asylum.

Lexington, Ky., Sept. 16.—Sensational evidence has just come to light over alleged brutal treatment accorded the patients of Eastern Kentucky Asylum for the Insane in this city. The death of Frederick Ketterer, who died at the institution in June, will be reported to the grand jury next month.

It is alleged by Ketterer's family that he was severely beaten by the attendants, and that a post-mortem examination of the body disclosed that his skull was fractured in several places, while his body and ribs were stamped on until he was black and blue.

The Maccabees Lodge, of which Ketterer was a member, first began an investigation, but, it is asserted, that prominent politicians suppressed further inquiry, fearing it work an injury to them in the coming election. Wholesale indictments are promised from the evidence now in the hands of the family of the dead man.

#### "Finnegan's Ball."

Everything new in the world of fun now-a-days recalls to us all the dim distant past. It takes a mighty good article to last 14 years, but it takes an extra good show to last 14 years. That is the record "Finnegan's Ball" has to its credit. This season it is in a new dress but the even flow of real Irish wit and humor are sustained. Just enough pathos to blend with the comedy to make it an ideal something one seems to feel better after having seen. The songs, dances, and specialties are of the best talent that can be produced from the ranks of Vaudeville's best. The company appears September 22. The cast is large and an evening of fun is assured.

#### Lynched for a Blow.

Houston, Texas, Sept. 16.—One hundred farmers hanged Mitchell Frazier, a negro, at Rosebud, last night, because he pushed Frank Hess, a white farmer, from a walk Hess struck the negro, and the latter cut Hess with a knife.

The mob attacked the town prison, and when Mayor Stiping tried to stop them pushed him aside, took the negro to a scaffolding supporting a tank, and hanged him.

To be a philosopher all you have to do is to preach what you don't practice.

## DR. M'IVER BURIED.

Prominent Citizen Buried Today at Greensboro—His Funeral Largely Attended by Friends From All Over the State—Buried With Masonic Honors.

Greensboro, N. C., Sept. 19.—The funeral of Dr Charles D McIver late president of the State Normal and Industrial College, who died suddenly on the Bryan special train near Durham Monday, were held from the First Presbyterian church this morning at 11 o'clock. Interment at Greene Hill cemetery followed.

The services at the church were conducted by Rev Dr Crawford, assisted by Rev Charles E Hodgins Dr Egbert Smith, his former pastor, telegraphed his desire to attend but could not get to Greensboro from Louisville in time. Dr McIver's funeral services were conducted with Masonic honors, the Greensboro Masons and the Winston lodge, of which Dr. McIver was a member, joining in the exercises. Business was practically suspended as the city paid this last honor to her greatly honored citizen.

## MANY LIVES ARE LOST

Believed That a Thousand May Have Been Lost from the Typhoon at Hong Kong.

Manila, Sept. 19.—It is said today that the loss of life yesterday by the typhoon at Hong Kong is between five hundred and a thousand. The exact number can never be known, owing to the fact that many unknown vessels are believed to have gone down outside the harbor. Organized parties are scouring the beach gathering up bodies by the score. The property loss to shippers and buildings will reach into the millions.

#### Attempt to Assassinate a Wealthy Lumber Man.

Mobile, Ala., Sept. 19.—News has been received here from Igo, Miss., which tells of a desperate attempt to murder Joseph Seems, a well known lumber man, for the purpose of robbery. Seems was on his way to the mill which employs several hundred hands with the weekly pay roll, amounting to several thousand dollars. He was shot from ambush and fatally injured. At the first shot the horse took fright and ran away and this saved his life, as many more shots were fired from double barrel shotguns.

When is grain like children? When cradled.

## SULLIVAN IS ANGRY.

Illinois Committeeman is Indignant Over Newspaper Story, Which, He Says, is a Lie Out of Whole Cloth—Bailey Comes Back at Sullivan.

Chicago, Sept. 19.—Roger Sullivan, national committeeman of the Democratic party from Illinois, is angry because of the publication in the Chicago papers of an interview in which Sullivan is made to say that if he is read out of the party because he is connected with the Ogdin Gas Co., then Senator Bailey, of Texas, should be treated similarly, because Bailey is interested in the Standard Oil Company.

The story went out and Bailey came back in a hot reply last night and said that if Sullivan said what he was reported saying then Bryan was right in saying he is unfit to serve as a national committeeman.

When Sullivan read the article of the Texas senator he declared that he had been misrepresented and misquoted, denying the statement attributed to him by the papers. "The first thing I will do," said Sullivan, "is to send Bailey a telegram telling him the story is a lie out of the whole cloth."

## TERRORISTS GET ACTIVE.

Issue Proclamation That They Will Kill all Officers—One Killed Today at Warsaw.

Warsaw, Sept. 19.—The terrorists today issued a proclamation giving notice that they had determined upon the murder of officers "en masse" in fulfillment of their threat. Five terrorists shot and killed Colonel Nicholas, an artillery officer, while he was walking the streets. The murderers escaped.

#### Not So Bad as First Reported.

Lawton, Okla., Sept. 19.—Reports from the scene of the Rock Island wreck near Dover, on the Cimarron river, do not bear out the early estimates as to the loss of life. Officials of the road insist that only nine persons were riding in the smoker when it plunged into the river, all of whom have been accounted for except three. No bodies have been recovered. The inaccessibility of the place where the train went through the bridge makes the work of searching for missing bodies very difficult.

Mrs C S Smart and children, of Durham, returned this morning after a month's visit to her father, Mr J F Stirewalt.

## D. O. K. K. MEETING.

Banquet and Ceremonial in Asheville Next Week.

Suez Temple, 73, Dramatic Order Knights of Khorasan will hold a ceremonial session in Asheville next Tuesday night. The Battery Park hotel will be headquarters, there being held the banquet and ceremonials. The trip across the hot sands will be given a number of Pythians from Asheville and nearby lodges. The official order duly signed by J G Baird, regal vizer, and Jno F Yorke, secretary, has been issued as follows: "Suez Temple, No. 73, Skidoo 23. You are ordered to journey across the mountains to the oasis of Asheville, in the desert of North Carolina, to a grand D O K K ceremonial, Tuesday September 25, 1906. Mokanna and his band will camp at the Battery Park hotel."

It sometimes takes more than nine tailors to make a man pay his tailor's bills.



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**A Good Sale of Juvenile Clothes To Begin Friday Morning.**

This is a sale in which every parent in the city is interested. This is a sale for the small boy as very few suits in this particular lot are larger than age 18. In addition to the regular stock of clothing which we contracted for many months ago, our buyer while in New York was quite fortunate in this purchase of near unto 400 of these choice suits. The sizes run from 3 to 18 years and the prices are so attractive that you are justified in buying for the future. The suits were made by one of the best makers in the metropolis and there are more smart styles than you can imagine. The prices will indicate that they are not cheap but good suits and examination and wear will prove that each one is a real genuine bargain. ... ..

\$1.50	\$1.75	\$2.00	\$2.50	\$3.00
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Remember The Sale Begins Friday.  
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