



## A SOUND-MONEY RALLY

### Reed Addresses Many Thousands and Maine Republicans.

#### DEMOCRATIC RULE DENOUNCED

##### Causes of Present Industrial Depression Clearly Set Forth—The Ex-Speaker Well Received.

OLD ORCHARD, Me., Aug. 25.—The Republicans of Maine, according to custom, held a grand rally here this afternoon, at which were gathered thousands from all over the state, as well as from other parts of New England. Among the speakers were Hon. Thomas B. Reed and Hon. Lee Fairchild.

Mr. Reed's appearance was the signal for a wild demonstration from the enthusiastic crowd which lasted for several minutes. At its close Mr. Reed thanked the people for the flattering reception tendered him, and then proceeded with his discussion of the political issues of the day.

In conclusion Mr. Reed said: "These financial matters are governed by natural laws and take their course like the rolling of the round earth or the glitter of the stars. Suppose a man was created full grown and set upon a solitary earth facing the dawn. As the panorama of sunrise, the march of the fountain of light across the sky, the red sunset and the black darkness came over him, what could he make of this termination of this gorgeous pageantry of the skies? Nothing but darkness, desolation and death and a wild calling on the unknown God to help. But the man who has from earliest boyhood seen the sun disappear into its bed to peep up another day, may be ignorant of Kepler's law and of Galileo's faith, but he knows no greater certainty on earth than that the day follows night.

"A man who has only seen 1893 might well wonder and call for rescue, but we who have seen 1873 and have read of 1825 and 1861 in England and 1837 in America, know that we shall as assuredly rise again in business and prosperity as that the sun shall rise.

Be not deceived by a false prophet. In the West they tell the people that Maine is faltering. You and I know she never was so steadfast. Here in the East they tell us the West is blazing with silver crosses and is crowned with silver thorns, but when the tug of battle comes the gallant West, peopled by our children, will show to the world that brothers true and tried who have fought so many fights, shoulder to shoulder in the great conflict of human progress, will never be separated from each other or from that great party round which clustered all the glories of the most illustrious years of this country's history."

#### HOKE SMITH'S PLANS.

##### Will Make a Few Campaign Speeches in Georgia.

WASHINGTON, August 25.—Secretary Smith said today: "I will retire from office September 1. It is my purpose to return to Atlanta at once. My resignation was due alone to the fact that I intend to support Bryan and Sewall. I have always voted the regular Democratic ticket, and shall make no exception this year. It is my purpose to devote my time to the practice of law and my private business. I have, however, signified my willingness to make two or three speeches in Georgia for the state and national ticket, but my professional and private business will not permit me to enter actively into the campaign outside my own state."

Governor Francis, Secretary Smith's successor, will reach Washington some time before Tuesday.

#### FUSION IN MISSOURI.

Democratic Committee Trying Hard to Unite Silver Forces.

St. Louis, Aug. 25.—The Republic (Dem.) says: "Fusion in the doubtful counties is to be made the order of the day by Democrats of this state. It is the intention of the state committee to bring about a union of Democrats, free-silver Republicans and Populists in every county where the Republicans cannot be otherwise routed.

lature being captured by them.

"The election of a United States senator to succeed Vest comes up this session, and a harder fight is going to be made than has characterized any campaign in recent years. Fusion means that under no circumstances can the Republicans elect a majority of the legislature, and it means the re-election of Senator Vest and the blasting of the hopes of Channey I. Filley, the Republican leader, who is understood to aspire to the place."

#### Appeal to Bimetallic Union.

CHICAGO, Aug. 25.—An address was issued today to the "friends of bimetallic in the United States," signed by A. J. Warner, president of the American Bimetallic Union, and George E. Bowen, secretary. After declaring the importance of the silver question, in the present campaign, the address says:

"The contest is now on, and it can only be settled at the polls. To the end that the decision may be right the American Bimetallic Union strongly urges the formation of silver clubs and leagues in every state, county, city, town and school district in the Union. To all interested in the cause we say, 'organize and we will assist you to the best of our ability.' Our means are limited and the wealth of the country is arrayed almost solidly against us, but we will aid in the work of organization and education to the utmost of our ability. Such literature as can be furnished free will provide gratuitously and that which necessarily involves expense will be sent at cost. In every legitimate way we will assist in the disseminating of correct information upon this subject, the correct solution of which means so much to the people of our common country."

#### Whitney-Vanderbilt.

NEWPORT, R. I., Aug. 25.—The wedding of Miss Gertrude Vanderbilt, the eldest daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Cornelius Vanderbilt, to Mr. Harry Payne Whitney, the eldest son of former Secretary of the Navy W. C. Whitney, took place at noon today at "The Breakers," the Vanderbilt summer residence. The wedding was in a way a disappointment to society here, owing to its simplicity. Mr. Vanderbilt's physicians thinking it unwise for him to undergo anything but the quietest ceremony, therefore outside the immediate bridal party, only about 50 persons were present.

The legal marriage ceremony was performed by Rev. George F. Magill, D. D., rector of Trinity church, of which Mr. Vanderbilt is a member. Bishop Potter delivered the benediction. The bride and her attendants assembled in the upper hall and proceeded down the grand stairway. The bride entered the room on the arm of Mr. Chauncey M. Depew and proceeded to the prediece, where she was met by the groom. Miss Vanderbilt was given away by her father, who was wheeled into the room in a reclining chair.

#### The Eve of Battle at Boise.

BOISE, Idaho, Aug. 25.—The two factions of the Republicans will meet in separate conventions here tomorrow. The spirit seems to be irreconcilable. Each side will name a full state ticket if the programme is carried out. The silver men will endorse the Bryan electors named by Democrats and the McKinley men will put up a straight McKinley electoral ticket. Senators Dubois and Shoop are here leading their respective sides of the fight.

#### Oregon Industrial Exposition.

The Oregon Industrial Exposition will open at Portland Saturday evening, September 19th, and continue one month. As an exposition of the resources, products and industries of the entire Pacific Northwest, it will far surpass any of its predecessors. Its financial success is assured by a guaranty fund, and with this to rely upon the managers have gone ahead with boldness and confidence to gather the most complete exhibit of everything entering into the life and prosperity of this region ever brought together. Many alterations are being made in the interior arrangements of the huge structure in which the Fair is held, especially in providing greater facilities for the enjoyment of visitors. Special attention is being paid to those who attend in many ways besides the music and exhibits. Every night something special will be given for the amusement of visitors. Frequent excursions, at extremely low rates of fare, will be run on all railroads, and special rates will be given at other times on all lines in Oregon, Washington and Idaho. Both in the variety and quality of the exhibits and in its special attractions the Fair will be far superior to any of its predecessors.

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## BIG BUSINESS FAILURE

### Hilton, Hughes & Co. Have Assigned.

#### WAS A GREAT NEW YORK HOUSE

##### This Firm Was the Successor of the Formerly Great A. T. Stewart & Company.

NEW YORK, Aug. 26.—Hilton, Hughes & Company (once A. T. Stewart & Company) have made assignment to G. M. Wright. Figures are not yet obtainable. The assignment is without preference. Elihu Root is attorney for the assignees.

Among the banks the failure is regarded as due to the gradual decline of business. The firm's credit for the last five years has been badly impaired. It is understood that little of the firm's single name paper is out. The firm has been selling stock for several weeks past, and recently was understood to have received about \$750,000, which has been reducing liabilities. It is reported Segel, Cooper & Company will take over the stock of Hilton, Hughes & Company.

The assignment was made by Albert G. Hilton, who comprises the firm. No statement has yet been made as to the liabilities and assets. All the windows show drawn blinds in the big building, taking in the whole block surrounded by Ninth and Tenth streets, Fourth avenue and Broadway. After the close of business last night there was a conference between Hilton and the managers of the various departments. The books were gone over carefully, and the exact status of the firm presented. The conference lasted until late, and early this morning a decision was reached that the house must close.

The following notice was posted: "All employees are notified that their services are no longer required, and that they will be paid in full to and including this day. The store will be closed until further notice." (Signed) Hilton, Hughes & Company, Geo. M. Wright, assignee.

There were grave faces among the former employees. Many said it was no surprise to them. Wright was not at the office when the reporters called. In his absence the clerk answered questions.

"The trouble was caused by the stringency in the money market," he said. "It was found that in justice to creditors this was the best way of liquidating the affairs of the firm. A statement will be issued later in the day."

The following statement, prepared by Assignee George M. Wright, was given out later:

"Parties in interest became satisfied that the business was not making a profit. It was therefore determined to close. It was at first supposed this could be done by a closing-out sale without a general assignment. With this end in view, Judge Hilton, within the last month, advanced \$250,000 to the firm to pay on account of merchandise claims. He has during the last few years advanced very large sums. He would have been willing to advance enough to pay all unsecured claims, but in the present stringency it is more than inconvenient to raise that amount at once, though the amount is not more than \$600,000. The difficulties every merchant and banker knows. As the claims were pressing there seemed to be no other way but to close the business, with equal justice to all creditors and preserve the property from sacrifice, but by a general assignment without preference."

It is believed all merchandise and general debts can be paid in full out of the sale of the stock and the collection of outstanding accounts. The bank paper is secured, and will, of course, all be paid. Negotiations are pending for the sale of the whole stock, which, if carried through, will result in the settlement of the debts in a very short time. Manley M. Gilliam, general manager of the concern, stated that it was his opinion the great Broadway dry goods house had closed its doors for good.

#### Black for Governor of New York.

SARATOGA, Aug. 26.—The Republican convention met at 11:45. Mr. Sheard, of Herkimer, answered Warner Miller's speech of last evening. He denied that there had been any fraud in the primaries. Balloting for governor was then resumed. Congressman Frank S. Black, of Troy, was nominated for governor on the second ballot.

After it was found that Black was nominated, Aldridge's name was withdrawn and Black's nomination was made unanimous. Timothy L. Woodruff, of Brooklyn, was nominated lieu-

tenant governor on the first ballot. The secretary was directed to cast the vote of the convention for Irving G. Vann, of Syracuse, for associate judge of the court of appeals. The convention adjourned sine die.

#### TIRELESS MR. BRYAN.

##### He Again Pursues His Voluble Way—Was up Over Half the Night.

SYRACUSE, N. Y., Aug. 26.—W. J. Bryan took up campaigning today almost before the sun was up. After a few hours' rest following the Utica meeting, which did not end until half past midnight, and after a hurried breakfast he and Mrs. Bryan boarded a local passenger train, which left Utica at 7:15. There was no parlor car, and they took seats in the common coach, where the passengers crowded about them for handshakes and autographs.

Bryan had little to say about the dinner with Senator Hill, which was undoubtedly one of the important events of his New York tour. "It was purely a social affair," he said, although the absence of Hill from the political meeting which followed the dinner was commented upon. A remark made by Bryan in his Albany speech, that the support of those Democrats who did not endorse every plank in the platform was expected, was commented upon as significant. There is a general impression among those with the candidate that he received assurance that Hill will declare for the ticket.

At Rome 300 people requested a speech. Bryan said:

"I do not suppose the train will stop long enough for me to say anything to you, but I imagine from what I can see that you are not afraid of being overwhelmed with a flood of money. Some of your opponents tell us if we have so much money we won't know what to do with it. Then again they tell us the gold in the country would go out of circulation and we should not be able to coin enough silver for our use. It rather amuses me that they expect the people to believe this, because there are lots of towns in this country that would not object to locating mints in their midst. We do not believe the free coinage of silver will do it. We believe the free coinage of silver would bring gold to this country and that too, without the aid of syndicates."

#### Aid for the Cubans.

PHILADELPHIA, Aug. 26.—According to two cables received in this city, the steamer Laurada, which sailed from this port for Cuba, August 8, landed one of the most formidable filibustering expeditions yet shipped to Cuba, then sailed for Port Antonio Jamaica. The Laurada landed 200 men and an immense cargo on the southern coast of Cuba, Santa Clara province. The cargo consisted of 53,000 pounds of dynamite, 11 field guns, four cannon, seven gatlings, and a quantity of ammunition.

#### Weyler's Incompetency.

LONDON, Aug. 26.—The Post in an editorial commenting upon the situation in Cuba says: "Captain-General Weyler appears to have no better conception of the means necessary to suppress Cuban rebellion than had General Campos. Probably Cuba will prove the grave of his reputation also. Despite the noisy American sympathy, it is very doubtful whether serious-minded Americans desire the annexation of Cuba. America has a race question of her own to solve, and it can scarcely be believed that she is thirsting for another problem in which the blacks may be involved."

#### More Plantations Destroyed.

HAVANA, Aug. 26.—It is reported that the insurgents recently burned over 30 coffee and cocoa plantations in the province of Santiago de Cuba. Among the larger plantations burned were the splendid estates of Aurora, Sempalia and Dorlota. It is estimated that more than a million dollars' worth of property was destroyed. These estates were owned by French citizens, who were not sympathizers with the insurgents, but who have remained neutral from the commencement of the trouble in Cuba.

#### A Murderer and a Suicide.

LOWELL, Mich., August 25.—Charles Church, junior member of the private banking-house of C. J. Church & Co., shot and fatally wounded his wife and then committed suicide this morning. The bank closed yesterday for the alleged reason that it was unable to realize upon its assets.

This morning Deputy Sheriff Cowan called at Church's house to serve a writ of attachment. Church locked the door and immediately three pistol shots were heard. The door was broken in and Mr. and Mrs. Church were found lying on the floor, the former dead, the latter mortally wounded. The elder Church had disappeared.

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## A PALACE BOMBARDED

### British Fleet Opens Fire on Zanzibar.

#### THE USURPER FORCED TO FLEE

##### His Stronghold Wrecked and Many Persons Killed—English Admiral Now Holds the Town.

ZANZIBAR, Aug. 27.—The palace of the sultan of Zanzibar was bombarded this morning, and at noon was a mass of blazing ruins. The usurping chieftain, Seyyid Khalid, and the commander of the German consulate, where they remain under the protection of the German flag.

By 8 a. m. today over a hundred British subjects and some other foreigners had embarked on the warships, the Italians going on board the Italian gunboat Voltorno and the Germans seeking safety at German consulate. A naval officer was sent to the palace square with another message for Seyyid Khalid, asking him if he was prepared to surrender, and again notifying him that the palace would be shelled at 9 o'clock promptly if he failed to haul down the flag. Seyyid replied that he would die sooner than surrender. His answer was conveyed to Admiral Rawson.

At 9 o'clock the flagship signaled the Raccoon, Thrush and Sparrow to commence firing. A moment later the cruiser and two gun boats opened fire with their heaviest guns. Ten minutes later they had sent a storm of shell and shot into the palace, tearing big gaps in it, scattering death and confusion among its defenders, while dismounting some guns ashore and putting to flight the gunners handling the pieces. The fire of the warships was admirably directed. Smoke was soon seen issuing from several parts of the palace.

During this time the St. George and the Phloemene were held in reserve, although they occasionally plumped a shot into the enemy's camp, adding to the dismay of its defenders. The Raccoon, Thrush and Sparrow kept up the bombardment until 9:50, when the palace was tumbling in ruins and large rents had been made in the barricade of the sultan's followers, who answered the fire of the warships with persistence and gallantry, and did not stop firing until in response to flagship's signal of "cease firing," the guns of the warships stopped showering shot and shell ashore.

The losses of the enemy are not known, but must have been heavy, especially among the defenders of the palace proper.

During the bombardment the sultan's armed steamer Glasgow opened fire on the British warships. A few well-aimed shells from the heavy guns of the Raccoon and a shot or two from the four-inch guns of the Sparrow crushed through and through her, silencing her fire in short order. Ultimately she sank at her moorings. Soon after the palace caught fire and the walls and roof were sent flying here and there by shells.

Seyyid Khalid and Seyyid Sales, commander of the usurping sultan's army, escaped with some of their followers through the back part of the palace, and hurried to the German consulate, where protection was accorded them. The usurper fled inland.

#### A Story of Stage Life.

NEW YORK, Aug. 27.—Among the merry-hearted sottish who amused the public at one of the Coney Island resorts yesterday was Mrs. Millie Azevedo. Just before she went on the stage she received a telegram from the Spanish consul in New York, announcing with official brevity that her husband, Raymond Azevedo, had been shot and killed in Cuba, but when and where and whether by revolutionists or royal troops the dispatch did not state.

Mrs. Azevedo said her husband was a mine operator, 37 years old. He was a Cuban, but when she met him in San Francisco a year and a half ago he had been in business there for several months. She was living in the same city with her parents, her maiden name being Heim. After a courtship of two months they were married. Business called Mr. Azevedo East, and his wife came with him. In November he was summoned to the Azores. He left his wife well provided for, and said he would return in less than four months. Since then Mrs. Azevedo said she had received no word from him. Her funds giving out and having a good voice, she went on the stage to support herself.

#### Rioting in Constantinople.

WASHINGTON, Aug. 27.—United States Minister Terrell at Constantinople cables the state department that great blood-

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shed and rioting occurred there last night. Several hundred Armenians were killed, and at the time the cable was sent today the minister states that all the houses in the city were closed. Dynamite bombs were exploded in the streets last night by Armenians, and about 10 Turkish soldiers were killed. The revolutionists were placed on board a steamer and conveyed to a foreign port.

#### WILL TELL THEM OF IT.

Populists are to Notify Bryan and Watson Together.

CLEVELAND, Aug. 27.—The fact that George A. Groot, of this city, has prepared a notification speech to be delivered at Lincoln, Neb., September 5, has given rise to the rumor that Bryan would be formally notified of his nomination by the Populists.

Groot said today: "I don't know anything about the arrangements of the Populist executive committee. I am chairman of the notification committee appointed by the silver party. We shall formally notify Bryan and Watson on September 8. Senator Teller and Congressman Towne will speak. It is probable that the silver party will dissolve after November.

#### Found Dead Near Astoria.

An Astoria dispatch says John Svenson, a fisherman, was found dead at Clifton yesterday, with a bullet wound in his breast. At first it was thought Svenson committed suicide, but Coroner Pohl's investigation now makes it appear that it was a case of murder instead. Svenson was the keeper of the scow from which a woman and two men, whose dead bodies were afterwards found, disappeared during the fisherman's strike, a few months ago. It is surmised that Svenson knew something of the murderers of these people, and, under the stimulus of the reward offered by the county court, was about to make some damaging disclosures, and hence his taking off.

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