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BRYAN GIVES

ADVICE TO LOSERS

Democratic Party Must Begin its Campaign
For 1908—Returns in East Were Dis-
appointing to Him

Lincoln Feb. 10.—W J Bryan to-
day gave out a statement intended to
serve as a comment on the democratic
defeat and in answer to reports con-
necting him with a movement to form
a new party. He prefaces his remarks
by saying it is too early to permit an
analysis of the vote. Parker, he says,
owed himself strongly on the trust
question and open; announced his
belief in the gold standard, thus doing
away with the coinage question to
which the so-called conservative dem-
ocrats attributed the defeat of the party
four and eight years ago.

He said the returns from the east
were as disappointing as from the west
hence the disaffection of the silver ele-
ment in the west cannot be charged
with the responsibility. The result,
the statement says, is due to the fact
that the party attempted to be conser-
vative in the presence of conditions
demanding radical remedies. The re-
publican party is conservative, that is
it defends those who have obtained an
unfair advantage through class legisla-
tion. To secure this position the dem-
ocratic party has become more pluto-
cratic than the republican party,
which lost it several times as many
votes as it won. Bryan thinks that
if the party would win it must take
the side of the plain, common people.
He is of the opinion that now is the
time to prepare for 1908. No matter

who the nominee may be, the next
three years can develop the man. He
says the party must continue its pro-
test against a large army and navy,
support the independence of the Phil-
ippines, oppose imperialism and ex-
pansion, maintain its position on the
tariff, and renew the demand for an
income tax so that wealth can be made
to share the expense of the government.
The party must maintain a position on
bimetallism, but the question must re-
main in abeyance. The trust ques-
tion presents the most acute phase.
No well informed person, he says,
doubts that the republican campaign
funds in 1896, 1900 and 1904 were re-
cruited from the trusts.

Roosevelt has four years to demon-
strate that no obligation was made by
an acceptance of trust funds. He will,
Bryan says, disappoint either the con-
tributors or the voters. If he disap-
points the contributors the question
may be put in process of settlement,
if he disappoints the voters they will
have a chance to settle with his party
four years hence. "Death to every
private monopoly" must be the slogan.
The party must take up the cause of
the laboring men and overthrow what
is known as the government by in-
junction, and must oppose nation-
l banks of issue and continue in favor
of the direct election of national sen-
ators.

Grand Ball

The Forresters will give a grand ball
Thanksgiving evening, November 24th.
The following committees have been
appointed:

Reception Committee—Walter Bun-
ker, J. B. Brown, F. B. Currey, Richard
Hackett, Harvey Bay, Claud Jones, J.
R. Smith.
Decoration Committee—John Hall,
C. J. Vanderpool, E. E. Kirtley, Mills
Andreas, A. E. Peabler, Chas. Anderson,
O. E. Lemon, Bert Gilman.
Floor Committee—J. M. Murphy, Jay
Van Buren, Frank Pike, J. G. Ormond,
Fred Hahn, C. J. Scriber, Frank Bay.

Mr G B Ingery of Eugene is a visi-
tor in our city, and is looking over the
country with the probability of invest-
ing in real estate in this county

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Lodge Directory.

EAGLES—La Grande Lodge No. 233 F. O. E. meets
every Friday night in K. of O. hall at 8:30 p. m.
Visiting brethren invited to attend.
C. C. Rockwell, W. P. N. W. ...

FORESTERS OF AMERICA—Court Maid
Marion, No. 22 meets each Tuesday in Elks
hall. Brothers are invited to attend.
At Helmer Chief Ranger.
C. J. Vanderpool, Rec. Sec.

L. O. F.—La Grande Lodge, No. 16 meets in
their hall every Saturday night. Visiting mem-
bers cordially invited to attend.
S. E. Kinkelhart N. G.
H. E. Coolidge, Sec.

A. F. & A. M.—La Grande Lodge
No. 41, meets every 1st and 3rd Satur-
day of each month.
A. C. Williams Sec.,
C. D. Huffman W. M.

EASTERN STAR—O. E. S. Hope, Chapter No.
14 meets the second and fourth Wednesday of
each month at 7:30 p. m. in Masonic Temple.
Mrs. Clara T. Lyle, W. M.
Mary A. Warnick, Sec.

BAKER COUNTY WOMAN SUICIDES

Was Suffering From Broken Ribs and Became
Dispondent—Took Carbolic
Acid.

Observer Special.
Baker City Nov. 10.—This entire
community was shocked this morning
to learn that Mrs George Wright, wife
of one of the most prosperous farmers
on Lower Powder about sixteen miles
from Baker City had committed sui-
cide by taking a dose of carbolic acid.
The facts as learned are that last
summer while out driving Mrs Wright
was thrown from her buggy sustaining
a fracture of several of her ribs. She
never fully recovered her health and
this it is believed caused despondency
which led to her taking her own life.
Another fact learned in connection
with the case was that after taking the
deadly drug Mrs Wright asked her
niece to get a doctor. One was sent
for but before he arrived she was past
all human aid.
Coroner Shook left for the scene and
will hold an inquest upon his arrival.
Mrs Wright leaves a husband and

two children to mourn their loss and a
host of friends who extend their heart-
felt sympathy.

Anecdotes of Roosevelt

The President takes more physical
exercise than any other man in Wash-
ington.
His favorite enjoyment is to go horse
back riding and get somebody to go
with him.
If the friend can't ride very well,
the President is fond of dropping back
a bit, and then riding up a hard gallop
and shouting a cow-boy "Whoopee!"
at the top of his voice.
He does this to Senator Lodge very
often and Lodge hangs grimly to the
pommel of the saddle while the Pres-
ident laughs.
Mr J Bull returned this morning on
passenger train No 6 from a trip to
the west.

Classified Advertisements

If You Have Anything to Sell let
the People hear about it through
This Department and You will
Find a Buyer. If You Want To
Sell Explain Your Wants and
You Will Find a Seller.

Sale or Exchange
Eight acres, six room house, large
burn, place for hogs and chickens
four acres in orchard and berries
Just east of flour mill. This will be
investigation For particulars inq
at MacFarlane's grocery store.
sell or exchange for city property.
10-20-11-20

FOR SALE—One fine Jersey cow
for particulars call at the residence of
Thos Walsh or phone 301.

FOR SALE—Milk cow Jersey, 1100
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buggy. Apply to A. Mullenburg,
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w Oct 14-Dec 14

FOR SALE—Tamarack and Fir split
fenceposts. John Anthony
Nov 14

For Rent
the building formerly occupied by
the Salvation army. For full partic-
ulars and rates inquire of Mrs
S O Zuber, Aug. 31 t t

Furniture For Sale
And house to rent apply to Mrs
Shearer opposite Star Grocery North
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Furnished Rooms
Furnished room for gentlemen sleep-
ing nights Mrs C W Preston,
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Centrally located corner of Washing-
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chases annually goods to the amount of \$750

On this basis the 2250 families visited
with each issue of the Daily and Weekly OB-
SERVER annually purchase merchandise to
the amount of

\$1,687,500

The natural logical conclusion cannot be otherwise
than that no wide-awake business man who will take
the few moments necessary to convince himself of the
accuracy of the above statement, can afford to miss
the opportunity of placing his announcements (25,500
each month) before this army of purchasers.

An ad under such conditions, properly taken care
of will most certainly bring enormous returns on the
investment.

These Presentations of FACTS

Should receive the most careful consideration of
every business house whose volume of business de-
pends upon the patronage of this city and county,

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