# INDORSES PUBLIC

Bryan Declares Contributions Should Be Made Known Prior to Election.

#### STANDS WITH ROOSEVELT

Tells House Committee Secrecy Indicates That Candidate Has Something Given Him That He Doesn't Want Known.

WASHINGTON, Jan. 30.—"An election is a public affair and participation in politics is a civic duty. All arguments used in elections should be used publicly and all means employed to secure the election of or to defeat a candidate should be means which the one using them would not be shamed to have the world know." This epitomizes the views of William Bryan on the subject of publicity of

campaign contributions as expressed tocampaign contributions as expressed to-day before the House committee on elec-tion of President and Vice-President. In addition to the full membership there were present Perry Belmont and Samuel Gompers and other labor leaders. Mr.

Gompers and other labor leaders. declared that reforms only come abuses are recognized.

#### Evil in American Politics.

"Not until there is an evil to e"Not until there is an eyn to be remedied," he said, "does one think of a remedy. The thing to be remedied in American politics was the use of money to secure control of the Government, money being advanced by those antagonistic to the public pulse.

"When a man resorted to secrecy," he said "it must be because by has some-

when a man resorted to secret, he said, "it must be because he has something to gain, that he does not want the world to know, or that he distrusts the intelligence or patriotism of the people."

Mr. Bryan insisted that the most important thing to be done was to make the campaign contribution known before the election. The trouble about the pub-lication of expenditures after election was that the knowledge came too late to be any advantage to the people in that

#### Right Spirit in Giving.

Mr. Brynn declared that there could be ar. Bryan declared that there could be no objection to any one making a cam-paign contribution, if that contribution represents his patriotic interests in a public cause. He said it was the duty of people to contribute to the expense of eminating campaign material by way

It has been charged, he said, that Chairman Cortelyou had received contribu-tions from 6000 contributors, "as it," he said, "it was a matter to deserve recog-nition that so many people had con-

Even if this were true, he argued that they were a very alim fraction of the several million voters for President Roosevelt. As for the Democratic party, Mr. Bryan said that in 1887 it had more contributions then by ontributions than in any previous cam-paign. Many men would bet \$500 on the result of an election who would not con-tribute \$5 to a campaign fund. Mr. Bryan, however, voiced his opposition to the principle of allowing only a few men to provide campaign funds.

#### Gives Power to Few.

"It follows almost as a matter of ne-

I am a Democrat will not place sus-picion upon my argument, for I think I have the same interest in this matter that

the President has expressed."
He declared he had a far greater interest in Government and public questions than in personal concern about the success of an individual, "and," he added. 'I assume that President Roosevelt and those who, like him, have spoken out in the Republican party, have the same broad general interest that have Demo-erats who have spoken out.

#### PLEA IS BASED ON LOGIC

(Continued From First Page.) the nature or quality of his act or that

the act was wrong. Lacking in these essentials the insan

ity of the defendant, conceded to have manifested liself at certain times, had no standing under the law. Partial or incipient insanity, which does not rob the sufferer of a perception of the acts he commits, has no recognition under the

#### Experts Are on Sale.

Mr. Jerome flercely assailed the insanity experts of the defense, declaring it was a crying shame that experts can be purchased to testify to anything. This evidence, he declared, served one purpose, and that to emphasize its utter worthleesness. Not one statement made by them, he declared, was worthy of credence. Coming to the conclusion of his long address, which lasted throughout the morning and afternbon sessions of court, Mr. Jerome denounced Harry Thaw in bitterest terms as "a coward, skulking behind". ity experts of the defense, declaring it

#### JEROME SHOWS GREAT CHANGE

#### Speech Direct Opposite of Plea in Former Case.

NEW YORK, Jan. 30 .- Evelyn Nes-Thaw and Josiah Thaw were the only members of the defendant's family present when Mr. Jerome began his argument at 11 o'clock. He declared the case had been handled by him with some difficulty, as he had had many other matters of importance to attend to at the same time.

"If I have at any time lacked in the denuty that attaches to my office."

d'entry that attaches to my office," con-tinued Mr. Jerome; "If at any time I have shown any asperity or lack of con-sideration, I can only say now that I regret it. Any personal impression I no part whatever in your verdict. You are not trying the District Attorney.

Any sneets be may have made is not evidence for the people, and neither are they any evidence that Harry K. Thaw

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Additional today gave \$55,000 to the middle and children of the 550 miners widows and children of the 550 miners willed last month in the Darr mine disaster at Jacobs Crock, Pa.

Would Silence Marine Band.

WASHINGTON, Jan. 30.—The House committee on labor today agreed to report the Belmont.

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was inhane when he killed Stanford White.

"As to the woman, if my manner was one of disapprobation, that is not evi-dence. Neither I nor the woman is be-ing tried. Harry Thaw is on trial for the murder of Stanford White, and the demurder of Stanford White, and the defense is that he was insane on the night of June 25, 1906, that he was not generally insane or is insane now. All you have to deal with, all I have to deal with a whether or not at a particular time and place this defendant was insane—whether, when he shot and killed Stanford White, he knew that the act was wrong and against the law of the land.

"It matters not whether you believe the girl's story of the drugging or not," declared Mr. Jerome. "The relations of this middle-aged married man with the girl of fifteen cry out to heaven, and no decent man can say a word in defense.

"I certainly have no intention of doing

"I certainly have no intention of doing so. But with all the things I have pointed out to you, if there was no motive in the heart of this defendant, I can imagine nothing that can create a motive."

The prosecutor took up, one by one, the acts of Thaw on the roof garden, and immediately following the tragedy, and asserted they all pointed to a full knowledge of what he was doing; that his eyes fell on the "monster" who had done him many wrongs, against whom he had many grievances, and the premeditated murder came to startle the whole world. Thaw's movements were characterized by the most utmost delib-

on of bullets.

"Is there anything insane about all this? He was nervous as a child; he had fits of tantrums; he didn't like algebra, he was always pale with staring of first, he may have had outbursts here and there, but what has all that to do with this case? You are to consider only off Thaw had the capacity to know he had a pistol in his pocket, if he knew it was Stanford White toward whom he was walking and if he knew the act was against the law. That is all.

Spanking as a Medicine.

Mr. Jeroma reviewed.

Mr. Jeroma reviewed in great detail the evidence presented as to many alleged irrational outbreaks by Thaw and declared he could find in them no trace of brainstorm or mania-depressive insanity.

"But if you gentlemen can," he added,
"I beg you to give the defendant the,
benefit of it. We all have had tantrums
in our childhood when we were slighted,
but were we insane? No. We received
that hest of medical treatment—a good,

but were we insane? No. We received that hest of medical treatment—a good, sound spanking.

"Whether Evelyn Nesbit Thaw was drugged or not is not material. For my part. I don't believe it. But I am convinced from the letters Thaw wrote in Paris that she told him the stery she says she did. Drugged or not, that she was wronged-grossly wronged-is wholly true. That the places in Twenty-second and Twenty-fourth streets she has described to you existed is as true as that you are sitting here.

"That they were surrounded by a miserable lot of degenerates—some of whom still live in this city and whose names have been mentioned here, is the absolute truth. That they were maintained for gross orgies is true. But the issue here is not whether Stanford White deserved death. We can't go into that—we have no right to consider it."

### CRY ALDUD FOR COERCION

IRISH PEERS SAY ANARCHY RULES EMERALD ISLE.

Call Government Cowards, but Baifour's Crimes Act Will Not Be Revived.

LONDON, Jan. 30 .- Heated charges of cowardice in turning a blind eye "It follows almost as a matter of necessity." he said, "that these few men
will have an influence after the election
entirely out of proportion with their
numbers or to the influence they ought
ance of their support in the Commons,
were launched experies the commons, Mr. Bryan said he was glad President Roosevelt had taken the matter up. "He has spoken so plainly on the subject of publicity of campaign contributions," said Mr. Bryan, "that I am sure the fact that I am a Democrat will not place suspense to their support in the Commons, were launched against the government in the House of Lords today. The Marquis of Londonderry, who was viceroy of Ireland in 1886-89, led the attack, and so infectious were his sentiments that even Lord Longford who has been a timents that even Lord Longford, who has been a representative peer of Ire-land since 1884, broke his silence of 24 years and devoted his maiden speech to a recital of his personal experience with cattle-driving outside his own

The Marquis of Londonderry de-clared that the present state of Ire-land is worse than in the dark days of the early eighties, when murder and outrage were rampant, and he attributed the conditions entirely to the cowardlee of the government. The lawbreakers, he asserted, had the audacity to declare that they had at their back members of the government, and it was even reported that the constabulary had been ordered not to come into actual contact with them. He pointed out that when Right Hon. James Bryce vacated the chief secretaryship. Mr. Bryce reported that the condition of Ireland was reassuring, but shortly after Mr. Birrell's advent, cattle-raiding was inaugurated, utrage were rampant, and he attri-

ing, but shortly after Mr. Birrell's advent, cattle-raiding was inaugurated, and it had now spread to ten counties. The judges were paralyzed in the sections subject to coercion by the Irish League, and trial by jury was a farce, out of 237 prisoners tried only eight being convicted. Even the government's own Irish attorney-general had declared that, if the present conditions continued, anarchy would result. The Marquis of Londonderry concluded by charging the government

Jerome denounced Harry Thaw in bitterest terms as "a coward, skulking behind the patticoats of his wife, attempting to shield and save his worthless life behind her shame."

"Twice in his sanity," declared the prosecutor, "he has sat in this courtroom and heard her bare her shame, in all its pitiful nakedness, to all the world. Is such a man worthy of even the slightest consideration at your hands?"

cattle-driving had increased during the last year, but said that this was the sole sign of agrarian conditions become with the government deplored the cattle raids, but he declared the country was no more law-less than during certain periods of Premier Balfour's administration and, beard her bare her shame, in all its pitiful nakedness, to all the world. Is such a man worthy of even the slightest consideration at your hands?"

#### VANDERBILT BUYS FLAG Secures Precious Relic of Chesa

peake for \$4250. LONDON, Jan. 30.—The flag of the American man-of-war Chesapeake, cap-tured in the fight with the British ship Shannon in 1813, was put up at auction in this city and sold for \$4250, to a dealer named Patridge. It is reported that Pat-ridge acted for Cornelius Vanderbilt.

### Relief for Miners' Families.

PITTSBURG, Pa., Jan. 28.—The executive committee of the Chriselle Hero Fund Commission today gave \$25,000 to the widows and children of the 250 minera killed last month in the Darr mine dis-

## BANKING BILL IS IN

Aldrich Submits Amended Measure to Senate.

#### CALLED UP FEBRUARY 10

Chief Changes Made Are for the Purpose of Providing Speedy Relief by Increased Circulation in Emergencies.

WASHINGTON, Jan. 30.-The Senate today held a short session during which Senator Aldrich reported his banking bill from the committee on finance, which he announced he would call up for consideration on Monday, February 18.

Mr. Aldrich said that the committee had under consideration on consideration of the consideration of the committee had under consideration according to the consideration of the consideration of the committee had under consideration according to the consideration of the considerati

that members of the minority might have a substitute to offer later.

The bill has been in the hands of the committee on finance since its introduction January 7. The various amendments which have been published appear in the bill. There has been an effort on the part of the committee to emphasize the emergency nature of the act that is proposed and to this end various amendments are inserted in the bill which are intended to cause speedy issuance of additional currency when a stringency occurs. The following amendment is inserted in the first section:

Procedure in Emergencies

Procedure in Emergencies. "The Controller of the Currency shall transmit immediately the application, with his re-ommendation to the Secretary of the Treasury, who shall in his judgment, should business conditions in the locality demand additional circulation, approve the same and shall determine the time of taxes and for the control taxes. prove the same and shall determine the time of issue and fix the amount within the limitations hereinafter imposed of the additional circulation notes to be issued. In order that the distribution of notes issued under the provisions of this act shall be made as equitable as practicable between the various sections of the coun-try, the Secretary of the Treasury shall ot approve applications from associanot approve applications from associa-tions in any state in excess of the amount to which such state would be entitled of the additional notes herein authorized on the basis of the proportion which the un-impaired capital and surplus of the Na-tional Banking Association in such state bears to the total amount of unimpaired capital and surplus of the National Bank-ing Associations of the Valina States

capital and surplus of the National Banking Associations of the United States.

"Provided, however, that in case the applications from associations in any state shall not be equal to the amount which the associations of such state would be entitled to under this method of distribution, the Secretary of the Treasury may, in his discretion, to meet an emergency, assign the amount not thus applied for to any applying association or associations in the states in the same section of the country."

That railroad bonds alone are to be taken at 75 per cent of their market value is the limit of the issue of notes against them. Notes may be issued against deposits of municipal and county bonds up to 20 per cent of their market value.

Double Limit of Circulation.

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The limit of circulating notes that may be issued under the act has been raised from \$250,000,000 to \$500,000,000. The section of the bill relating to the acceptance of interest-bearing obligations or any legally authorized bonds of states, clities, towns and counties as deposist for the security for additional bank currency issued against them has been broadened

Sonsiderably by amendment.

Bonds issued by school districts and cownships will be acceptable providing hey conform to requirements specified. It is made the duty of the Secretary of reference to the value and character of the municipal and railroad securities au-thorized to be accepted under the provisions of the act, and he is required from time to time to furnish informa-tion to National Banking Associations as to such banks as would be accept-able as security, to the end that information concerning railroad bonds may be gathered with some degree of accuracy. Security for note issues in cludes only the bonds of roads which comcludes only the bonds of roads which com-ply with the existing law in reporting statements of their condition and earnings to the Interstate Commerce Commission. It has been made the duty of the Sec-retary of the Treasury to prescribe regu-lations for conveying title of bonds. It is mandatory on the Controller to proceed as soon as practicable to prepare

notes for all National banks so that they may be ready for issue immediately upon the receipt of applications and after se-curities have been approved. There is no mention of the reserves of

panks located outside of reserve or central cities.

It is specifically provided that all acts and orders of the Controller of the Treas ury and the Treasurer of the United States authorized by the act shall hav the approval of the Secretary of th

#### PAY OF MAILERS INCREASED

#### Bill in Nature of Subsidy to Vessels on Pacific.

WASHINGTON, Jan. 30 .- The committee on commerce of the Senate today author-ized a favorable report on Senator Galized a favorable report on Senator Gal-linger's bill to extend the mail carrying rates for vessels of the 20-knot class to 16-knot vessels on routes to South Amer-ica, to the Philippines, via Japan and China and to Australia. The passage of the bill will mean an award of \$4 a statute mile for vessels on these routes carrying United States mails instead of \$2 a mile which they are now receiving. The 20-knot American mail steamships are all knot American mall steamships are all confined to the Atlantic.

A grant of \$2 a mile to the other lines mentioned, it is believed, will aid them considerably and to a certain extent act as a subsidy to bring about improvement in their service. It is freely admitted that the measure is in the nature of a ship subsidy bill and it is reported that it is the only bill of this class which the Senate will consider at this session.

#### SETS LIMIT ON INJUNCTIONS

#### Courts May Act Only for Protection

Under New Bill. WASHINGTON, Jan. 20.-Senator Gore today introduced a bill prohibiting the granting of restraining orders by Fed-eral courts in cases between employer and employe unless it is necessary to pre and employe unless it is necessary to pre-vent irreparable injury to the property rights of the applicant. The bill also provides that no agreement between em-ployes can be held by a court as a con-spiracy unless property rights are en-

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sentative Bartholdt of Missouri, pro-hibiting enlisted men of the Army, Navy and marine corps from competition with civilian artisans or craftsmen. This bill is intended to stop the practice of mem-bers of the Marine Band playing at pri-

#### MASS TROOPS ON PACIFIC

Transfer to Philippines Gives Rise to Startling Rumor.

OMAHA, Neb., Jan. \$0.-Added strength to the theory that the sending of Rear-Admiral Evans' fleet to the Pacific may not be so much for mere naval practice as for possible protection was given today, when it developed here that the National Government is also making preparations for the mobilization of more troops on the Pacific Coast by the time the fleet arrives there.

Troops will be sent from Fort Crook.

n Nebraska, Fort Leavenworth, in in Nebraska, Fort Leavenworth, in Kansas, and Fort Russell, in Wyoming, to Puget Sound and the Presidio at San Francisco early in the Spring, ac-cording to advices received by railroad officials here.

#### FUNSTON DENIES THE RUMOR

Has Heard of No Movement to Mobilize Troops.

SAN FRANCISCO, Jan. 20.—General Funston said today that there was no truth in the rumor that the Government intended mobilizing troops on the Pa-cific Coast between now and the time the fleet will arrive. If such a plan had been contemplated, he would have been informed of it long before now, but no word has come to him from Washing-

ton.

So far as the Government asking for rates from the railreads for the Government troops, this is done, according to General Funston, right along, there being so many men going and coming from the Philippines.

#### Discredit Mobilization Rumor.

VANCOUVER BARRACKS, Wash., Jan. 30.—(Special.)—Colonel Woodbury, of Seattle, commander of this department, has received no advices that troops are to be mobilized on the Pacific Coast. He is in Vancouver tonight and said that he believed the report based on the usual movement of troops to and from the Philippines. Major Burnham, chief of staff at Vancouver Barracks, joined with Colonel Woodbury in this opinion. Woodbury in this opinion.

#### PERSONAL MENTION.

Thomas J. Davidson, wife and son, Thomas J. Davidson, wife and son, of Hood River, Or., are stopping at the Hotel Lenox. Mr. Davidson is a prominent business man of Hood River.

Mrs. W. J. C. Wakefield, wife of a prominent mining and corporation lawyer, of Spokane, accompanyed by Mrs. E. Luick, are guests at the Hotel Lenox. Mrs. Wakefield has been in all health for some time, and after remaining in Portland for several days will so to Los

C. P. Connolly, lawyer and magazine writer, from Missoula, Mont, is a guest at the Portland. Mr. Councily is the writer who told in the magazines the story of the Montana mining deals and of the vigilance days in that state. His most recent assignment was covering the famous Haywood and Pettibone trials at Boise, Idaho. Mr. Connolly is on his way to California.

C. E. E. Ussher, assistant passenger traffic manager for the Canadian Pacific Railway, with offices at Winnipeg, passed through Portland last night, arriving at 4:15 P. M. from Seattle, and leaving at 7:46 for California over the Southern Pacific. Mr. Ussher was accompanied by his family. He will attend the session of the Transcontinental Passenger Association at Coronado early in February.

Prince George: T. M. Morgan, at the Herald Square. From Walla Walla—T. M. Hanger, at the York. From Tacoma—W. Jones and wife, at the Wolcott.

CHICAGO, Jan. 30 .- (Special.)-The fo lowing people from Portland registered at Chicago hotels today: N. C. Barker at the Auditorium; George A. Stephenson at the Great Northern.

### COX TO HEAD THE POLICE

Sparks Chooses New Official-No Bribery of Labor Leaders.

CARSON, Nev., Jan. 30.—Governor Sparks today stated he would appoint W. Cox as Superintendent of Police Mr. Cox was the Governor's repre-sentative at Goldfield when troops were sent there. Other officers provided for will be announced later.

The question of submitting the po-lice measure to a vote of the people of this state under the initiative and referendum is causing considerable dis-cussion. Petitions are already

referendum is causing considerable dis-cussion. Petitions are already pre-pared and will go out as soon as the Legislature adjourns.

The special committee introduced a measure making it a felony to offer a bribe to any officer or member of any labor organization to induce him to prevent or cause a strike or prevent appearance to furnish testimony in a criminal or civil trial. The bill passed the Senate.

Troops Will Leave Goldfield. WASHINGTON, Jan. 30. — Senator Nixon, of Nevada, informed President Roosevelt today that the new constab-ulary of Nevada would be organized and

ready to take up the duty of policing Goldfield in three weeks. This will make it possible to withdraw the United States troops now stationed there. The Blue Mountain Forest Association of Newport, N. H., has shipped a carload of deer to Pennsylvania. All the deer were taken from the association's park.

## NEURALS SCIATICA. RHEUMATISM. BACKACHE. PAIN IN CHEST. DISTRESS IN STOMACH. D Headache ZTof the Li 0 land for several days will go to Los Gatos, Cal., for the remainder of the Z ONE Pain is 25 If you have leadac Try One Doses Cents Sold in Bu

#### HEIR TO OREGON FORTUNE New Jersey Citizen Made Rich by

Portland Uncle. SOUTH ORANGE, N. J., Jan. 30,—
(Special.)—By the death of an uncle in Portland, Or., Samual H. Daly, a former resident of this place, but now living in Columbus, Q., has fallen heir to a fortune of more than \$1,000,000.

The estate is largely real property in the State of Oregon and includes some valuable holdings in the City of Portland. Mr. Daly will remove with his family to the Pacific city. The uncle had lived in Oregon for years, and his wealth was the result of real estate purchased there.

It was obtained from J. L. Mott Iron Works, of New York. It will be 5 feet 6 inches high. The ground basin is 3 feet 6 inches in diameter. The height to top of first pan is 4 feet 9 inches, and from the first pan to the top pan 2 feet 6 inches. The diameter of the first pan is 4 feet 4 inches and top pan 2 feet. According to the plans of the fountain the water will fall nearly nine feet from the top and first pan to the ground basin. The women who had charge of the enthe top and first pan to the ground basin. The women who had charge of the enterprise propose in order to bring out the artistic features of the fountain that it be illuminated with electric jets at night. They desire that the jets be placed where they will illuminate the falling spray, and this may be done.

ON YAMHILL SECOND

#### Old Man Breaks an Arm.

EUGENE, Or., Jan. 30 .- (Special.)-Fountain for St. John.

The fountain purchased through the efforts of the women of St. John has been turned over to the city authorities to be installed in front of the City Hall.

Rev. Andrew Sweeney fell and broke his arm just below the shoulder, while entering the home of a neighbor this afternoon. The fracture, which is a afternoon. The fracture, which is a compound one, is the more serious because Rev. Mr. Sweeney is 66 years old.

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