NEW YORK SURE BRYAN CAN'T WIN

Cares Little What Is Done at Denver—Business Not Disturbed by the Election.

FINIS FOR PEERLESS ONE

Conservative Democrats Count on Reorganization of Party, With Chance of Success Four Years Hence—Bets Three to One.

BY LLOYD F. LONERGAN.

NEW YORK, July 5.—(Special.)—New York is taking only the most languid interest in the doings at Denver.

Outside of the professional politicians, none of the New York State Democrats will be in evidence at the convention. The "special trains" pulled out with light cargoes, and many of the regularly elected delegates and alternates did not even take the trouble to go to the ferry, much less to board the Pullmans.

In the financial district, the result of the convention and the result of the election has already been discounted. The first uneasiness over the possibilities of Democratic success, which followed the Chicago convention have given place to general belief that Mr. Bryan will be nominated without trouble and defeated with ease.

Almost without exception the Wall street commission houses have given voice to this confidence in their "market letters," which are issued at regular intervals for the information of their customers. Judging from them, the possibility of Bryan's election has received absolutely no consideration. Here are a few sample extracts from recent letters:

Rely on Common Sense of Voters.

"Business men can now go ahead with certainty," says Henry Clews & Co., "feeling assured that Mr. Taft will be our next President."

J. S. Bache & Co. remark, "The nomination of Bryan and the election of Taft are discounted."

Miller & Co. write, "We expect to see the market advance considerably further, discounting the nomination of the 'Peerless One' at Denver."

John H. Davis & Co. have made a careful study of the chances of the two candidates. Their article concludes as follows:

"It is necessary to add that at this time the indications point to the nomination by the Democratic party of a twice-defeated candidate, Mr. W. J. Bryan. We have little fear of the result of a Presidential campaign waged between these two contestants. There may and there probably will be, recurrent scares as to the upshot of the elections before the balloting takes place, but we have faced even more uncertain and disturbing occasions before, only to ascertain that our apprehensions were groundless, and that the fundamental common sense of the American people can always be relied upon to assert itself. We believe that Mr. Taft will be elected."

E. F. Hutton & Co. say, "As we near the period for the Democratic convention, securities maintain a firm tendency. It would appear that bankers would welcome the nomination of Bryan, as being sure to elect Taft."

Defeat Bryan Without a Bolt.

Judged from conditions here, Bryan's efforts to conciliate the Cleveland wing of the Democracy have utterly failed. The leaders of that faction are as bitterly opposed to him as they were in 1896, but they have learned wisdom by the experiences of that year.

Up to a few weeks ago there was a good deal of talk in certain circles, concerning the advisability of a third ticket. The men interested could command sufficient funds to finance a National campaign, and the problem of when and how to bolt was carefully worked out at several conferences. It was said that the election of Judge Alton B. Parker as delegate at large from New York, was one of the early moves of the game, it being explained that Parker was to lead the exodus from the convention hall at Denver. The anti-Bryan men figured that a bolt would be participated in by the representatives of a majority of the Eastern States, and several on the border.

Recent developments, however, have satisfied the conservatives that a bolt would be an unnecessary expense, as Bryan is doomed to defeat without it. Besides, a number of the delegates objected to a formal repudiation of their party.

"We tried it in 1896," said one New Yorker today, "and the trouble has kept up ever since. All of us were read out of the organization, and it has taken us twelve years to regain positions of authority."

"Should we bolt again, it would seal our fate for all time to come. That is why the plan for a third ticket this year has been abandoned.

"Careful investigation has convinced us that Bryan has not the slightest chance of election. The business interests of the country will not support him, and the rank and file of the party will bolt him.

"Bryan is the candidate, not of Hope, but of Despair. We realize that Bryan is utterly selfish, and would knife any other man who might be nominated. And he has a good-sized radical following, as was demonstrated in 1904.

"This year we intend to take a leaf out of his book. It is useless to fight him for the nomination, and we will not say a word against him during the campaign. But he will discover where he stands when the votes are counted in November.

"When Bryan is beaten for the third time, he will undoubtedly retire from politics forever. Then we will have a chance to build the party up for the next fight. It is useless to try to do anything except to kill Bryan this year."

Hill Enjoys Trip Through Europe.

David B. Hill personally demonstrated the great interest the "conservative" Democrats have in the present campaign. He has gone to Europe, and will probably not return until after election. It may be added that this is Mr. Hill's first trip abroad, and he is having an enjoyable time, far better than if he had remained here and contemplated Bryan bossing the whole show.

Thomas F. Ryan is also on the other side of the Atlantic. Mr. Ryan was an active factor during the National campaign four years ago. His friends say he is thoroughly convinced that the best thing to do this Fall is to nominate Bryan once more and have the agony over for good and all. Mr. Ryan believes that Taft will be elected President without any particular difficulty.

Thomas W. Niedringhaus, of St. Louis, who was the Republican caucus nominee for United States Senator in 1905, when Major William Warner was finally elected, has been in town this week. He is thoroughly confident of a sweeping victory for Taft. Speaking of political conditions, Mr. Niedringhaus said:

Expect Taft to Carry Missouri.

"I consider Mr. Bryan an ideal candidate for the Democratic party, inasmuch as I am a staunch Republican. I believe that Mr. Bryan's nomination would be of great benefit to the Nation, because the fallacies which he presents would be forever buried by the people in his defeat.

"Mr. Bryan would have a better chance to carry the Western States, perhaps, than either Mr. Johnson or Mr. Gray, but in the East he would be very weak.

"I am confident of a Republican victory in Missouri, and I should not be surprised to see Mr. Taft win by a larger plurality than did President Roosevelt in 1904.

"The great advantage to the country I see in Mr. Bryan's running for President is the ultimate termination of his power and the reorganization of the Democratic party. Mr. Taft represents the ideals of the Missouri Republicans absolutely."

Already one bet has been made on the result of the election. An attache of Mayor McClellan's office wagered $60 on Taft against $20 owned by a Bryan enthusiast.

"And I can get $100,000 to bet on those odds," says the man who took the Taft end. "It is worth giving three to one to pick up money."

So you can see that New Yorkers believe that the campaign is over, the votes counted and cast, and the cheers directed for Taft.

And the action that may be taken at Denver possesses for them purely an academic interest.

DUBOIS MAKES LAST STAND

Seeks to Have National Committee Recognize His Idaho Delegation.

DENVER, July 5.—With the entire delegation trailing at their heels, ex-United States Senator Dubois and Heitfeld, of Idaho, today made the rounds of the various state delegations in the interest of the retention of their names on the convention roll. Their seats are being contested by a delegation which claims that the Dubois-Heitfeld convention was irregular.

"They contend," said Mr. Dubois, in effect to the delegates whom they met, "that some of our delegates were not properly elected, but in reality the contest is made by and in the interest of the Mormon organization. The Mormons in Idaho are all Republicans and in close alliance with the Republican party of the state and Nation. They do not participate in Democratic politics or vote the Democratic ticket. Their only claim to recognition by this convention is that if the Democracy will cease its fight on polygamy and Mormon domination in political affairs, it will get some of the Mormon vote. The American citizens, regardless of party in Utah and in Idaho, are practically united in their determination that the political power of the Mormon organization in politics and the continuation of polygamous living shall be brought to an end. The National party in its platform at St. Louis in 1904 declared strongly for the separation of the church and state in political affairs and the extermination of polygamy in the United States. All of the Democratic Senators in the Senate on the committee voted to expel Apostle Reed Smoot from the Senate and all the Democratic Senators with the exception of four voted in the Senate to expel him. They took this position because it is proved that Mr. Smoot belonged to an organization which continued to teach and practice polygamy. The position of American Democracy is plain and unmistakable and the contention of the delegation of which I am at the head is that the Democratic party should declare even more plainly against polygamy in the approaching campaign than it has heretofore done."

The National Committee will hear the Idaho contest tomorrow.

BRYAN'S INSTRUCTED VOTE GIVES NINE MAJORITY.

Total delegates to National Democratic convention, 1008.

Necessary to nominate under two-thirds rule, 672.

Note—If the Philippine delegates are unseated this will change the totals; whole number, 1002; two-thirds, 668.

Instructed for Bryan:

Alabama	22
Arkansas	18
California	20
Colorado	16
Illinois	54
Indiana	30
Iowa	26
Kansas	20
Kentucky	26
Massachusetts (part)	22
Michigan	28
Missouri	36
Mississippi	20
Nebraska	16
Nevada	6
New Mexico	6
North Dakota	8
North Carolina (part)	12
Ohio	36
Oklahoma	14
Oregon	8
*Pennsylvania (part)	41
South Carolina	18
South Dakota	8
Tennessee	24
Texas	36
Utah	6
Virginia	24
Washington	10
West Virginia	14
Wisconsin	26
Wyoming	6
Alaska	6
Arizona	6
District of Columbia	6
Hawaii	6
**Philippines	6
Total	681

Not instructed, but classified for Bryan:

Connecticut (part)	8
Florida (part)	9
Idaho	6
Maine	12
Louisiana	18
Ohio (part)	10
Vermont (part)	4
Maryland (part)	4
Massachusetts (part)	2
New Hampshire	8
New York	78
Rhode Island (part)	5
Total	162

*Ten Pennsylvania delegates instructed for Bryan say they will bolt instructions.

**Philippine delegates may not be seated.

Delegates yet to be elected, probably for Bryan:

Montana	6
North Carolina	12
Total	18
Bryan's grand total	861

Delegates instructed for Johnson:

Minnesota	22

Delegates instructed or classed for Gray:

Delaware	6
Maryland	12
Pennsylvania	27
Total	45

Not instructed or classified:

Porto Rico	6

Delegates elected probably anti-Bryan:

Rhode Island (part)	8
Florida (part)	1
Georgia	26
Connecticut (part)	8
Massachusetts (part)	8
New Jersey (unit rule)	24
Vermont (part)	4
Total	74

PLATFORM WILL BE CONSERVATIVE

Bryan's Injunction Idea to Be Only Radical Plank in Document.

MORMON ISSUE UP AGAIN

Fred Dubois, of Idaho, Active With Members of Committee on Resolutions—Efforts to Squelch Ex-Senator Are Without Avail.

DENVER, Colo., July 5.—Conservatism has been the prevailing note of discussion on the subject of the National Democratic platform today. This discussion has been indulged in freely among prospective members of the resolutions committee as well as among leaders of the party generally, and Mr. Bryan has been quoted as being in harmony with the idea.

The one radical plank which seems to be conceded will go into the document will be the expression on the subject of injunction as applied in labor disputes. Those who oppose strong language on this subject are conceding that their influence will not be potent to prevent the adoption of a plank which will pledge the party to an amendment of the law which will make notice of the issuance of a preliminary injunction imperative; also that provision will be made for hearing of a case before a different Judge than the one issuing the injunction, and for a hearing of the facts in the case before a jury.

Dubois Very Busy.

There promises to be a struggle before the resolutions committee over the question of an anti-Mormon plank. Four years ago at St. Louis such a plank was made a part of the Democratic National platform and an effort is to be made to have it re-incorporated in that document. Ex-United States Senator Fred Dubois, of Idaho, has today been making an active canvass of the situation in behalf of the plank. Mr. Dubois is involved in a contest for a seat in the convention, but he has announced that however that may be settled he will go before the resolutions committee with an anti-Mormon plank and bring to bear every influence possible in its behalf.

It is asserted by the Utah delegation that no such plank will be adopted. Judge W. H. King, of Salt Lake, who has been chosen as Utah's member of the resolutions committee, has the unanimous backing of this delegation in opposition to the plank.

Says Mormonism Dead Issue.

His argument is that the Mormon question is a dead issue. He asserts that the practice of polygamy has ceased in Utah, and that the only remnant of it is in the lives of a number of old Mormon patriarchs who married their wives long before the practice was declared unlawful and who are not by their quiet lives creating a ripple in the new order of things.

Efforts were made today, the matter being engineered by members of the New York delegation, to have Mr. Dubois abandon his efforts for an anti-Mormon plank, but without avail.

H. R. Fuller, Legislative Representative of the Brotherhood of Railway Men, will offer the same injunction plank to the resolutions committee that was presented to the Republican convention at Chicago. It recognizes the right of working men to strike and to induce others to do so, and concludes with a plank against the use of injunctions without notice and jury trial where the alleged contempt is not committed in the presence of the court.

ALLIES SEEKING PEACE

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the Bryan chiefs, made a very definite statement showing the expectations of the Bryan forces.

He expressed his views as follows:

"Mr. Bryan will be nominated on the first ballot.

"The Bryan forces now control 36 delegations and will have at least that many members of the committee on resolutions and possibly more. The platform adopted will be in accordance with Mr. Bryan's personal views and will express his well-known ideas on all of the important political issues.

"Governor Charles N. Haskell, of Oklahoma, is now regarded as the leading candidate for the chairmanship of the committee on resolutions, but there are many other prominent men being mentioned for the place. It is needless to say that a loyal Bryan man will be chosen.

'Old Guard' Can Have Second Place

"The Vice-Presidential question may be described as being 'in the air.' If the men who call themselves the old guard can unite on a strong Eastern Democrat the Bryan men will not show animosity, as was the attitude of their candidate toward Mr. Bryan in 1896 and 1900. If the Eastern Democrats fail to get together on a man we will make a selection from a hundred available candidates, any one of whom would be satisfactory to Mr. Bryan."

All of the Bryan men express the utmost confidence in their ability to carry out the programme outlined by Mayor Dahlman.

Charles W. Bryan, the brother of the Nebraskan, is looking after the Bryan leaders as they arrive and is making the compilations of Bryan strength. He said:

"Although we already have more than enough to carry out our programme there are still good seats on the band wagon."

Mr. Guffey enlivened, an otherwise dull and sweltering afternoon by issuing a hot reply to Mr. Bryan's characterization of him as a "corporation man who had taken the Pennsylvania delegation as the result of a conspiracy to thwart the wishes of the party."

Mr. Guffey did not mince matters, and his free use of expletives was approved by a conference of the anti-Bryan leaders.

The arrival of delegations began early this morning and has been going on steadily all day, by all routes from all directions and by regular and special trains. One route reports 27 trains, stalling the lines up from Kansas City and all the other lines are equally choked with the tide of travel. The local committee started an elaborate plan of reception today with relays of brass bands which welcomed each incoming delegation and escorted it to its hotel, while "band cars," were run over the streetcar lines giving street concerts.

Among the morning arrivals were the Cook County Marching Club, uniformed and hilarious with trim black suits, shining silk tiles and natty canes topped with streamers. After them came the Oklahomans, true products of the soil, with broad-brimmed sombreros, high boots and the stain of travel. Delegations from Florida and Alabama filed through the streets during the morning and later came delegations from South Dakota, Wisconsin, Pennsylvania, West Virginia, Maryland, Kentucky and Minnesota.

Bell for Vice-President, Maybe.

The Tammany braves, on several special trains, were anxiously awaited, but word came that they stopped off at Omaha to go to church. They will be here early tomorrow morning about the time the Bryan home cohorts arrive from Nebraska, including the organization from Lincoln, the Commercial Travelers Club, which is coming to lend vehemence to the Bryan demonstration.

Many interesting convention figures are added as the delegations come in. The California delegation brought its head, Theodore A. Bell, the temporary chairman of the convention, who will sound the keynote when the assemblage meets next Tuesday. He is a fine product of the Coast, over six feet tall with smooth shaven, actor-like face, magnetic presence and a reputation for stirring oratory. There was talk tonight that if his keynote speech struck the right chord the hesitating delegations might be borne by the force of oratory to the choice of a Vice-Presidential candidate from the Coast.

Another picturesque personality to arrive was the fighting Mayor of Cleveland, Tom L. Johnson, rotund and smiling, just up from a council with the leader at Lincoln. Others in the star groups were Governor Folk, of Missouri; ex-Senator Dubois, of Idaho, who comes with an anti-Mormon fight involved in the Idaho contests; Senator Pettigrew, looking much the same individual as when he was a power in the United States Senate; Senator James Smith, Jr., of New Jersey, also a power in Pettigrew's time; and Senator Overman, of North Carolina.

Mrs. Longworth a Guest.

A strange figure in these gatherings was ex-United States Senator Burton, of Kansas, here after his tragic experience, to give open allegiance for the first time to the Democracy.

Quite a number of diplomatists are expected tomorrow, and about the same time will arrive Mrs. Alice Roosevelt Longworth, the President's daughter, who will be an interesting figure on the convention platform next Tuesday.

The Vice-Presidential situation had undergone a change during the day, owing to certain very definite subterranean information from Lincoln to the effect that Mr. Bryan feels that it would be wise to defer any definite action as to the second place on the ticket until the first place has been finally disposed of. This comes in such a direct way that it will doubtless have the effect of postponing any caucus action by the New York or other delegations favorable to any particular candidate. Meantime the various boomlets are undergoing varying fortunes. The Gray forces are as insistent as ever that Judge Gray will not take second place, while the Bryan forces continue to talk of the availability of Gray, Mitchell or Towne.

The arrival of Mitchell tonight with Gompers and other leading lights of the labor world is expected to give an impetus to the Mitchell movement, although he comes primarily to aid Gompers in shaping the labor planks.

String of Pearls for Professor.

A young and bashful professor was frequently embarrassed by jokes his girl pupils would play on him. These jokes were so frequent that he decided to punish the next perpetrators, and the result of this decision was that two girls were detained an hour after school and made to work some difficult problems as punishment.

It was the custom to answer the roll call with quotations, so the following morning, when Miss A's name was called, she rose, and, looking straight in the professor's eyes, repeated: "With all thy faults I love thee still," while Miss B's quotation was: "The hours I spend with thee, dear heart, are as a string of pearls to me."

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Dots and figures, 2 1-2 and 3 yards long

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ARRIVE AT DENVER

Oregon Democrats Reach Convention City Sunday.

GEARIN HEEDS BRYAN CALL

Accepts Request to Second His Nomination, Robbing Milt Miller of Chance to Be Heard by the Nation's Democracy.

BY FREDERIC V. HOLMAN.

DENVER, Colo., July 5.—(Special.)—The Oregon delegation arrived at noon today in its special car on time, and in good health and spirits. All had a pleasant trip, notwithstanding hot weather. The delegation has made the following appointments: Chairman, Henry; secretary, Booth; honorary vice-president, Matlock; resolutions committee, Inman; credentials, Watson; notification of President, Travis; notification of Vice-President, Fry; National Committee, Miller. Headquarters have been secured at the Oxford Hotel.

Gearin to Second Bryan's Nomination.

Delegate Fry left Portland before the others and saw Bryan at Lincoln. While there, Bryan requested Fry to ask ex-Senator Gearin to second Bryan's nomination. The latter also sent a like request through Mayor Dahlman, manager for Bryan. Gearin arrived at Denver this morning to deliver an address tomorrow night at Denver to the Knights of Columbus.

This afternoon Gearin notified Mayor Dahlman of his formal acceptance and Gearin will second the nomination of Bryan.

To do this Gearin must be a delegate. This has been arranged by substituting him for one of Oregon's delegates.

Miller, by reason of his supposed intimacy with Bryan, had prepared a speech for the nomination of Bryan, which Miller expected would electrify the convention and the Nation. The most he can now expect will be that it will be classed as one of the world's great undelivered and unpublished orations.

Denver has attempted a good deal in offering to hold a great National convention. Today it has the look of a Christian Science town with its closed barber shops and saloons. While its streets have as few people as Portland on a Sunday afternoon with a baseball game on. The lobbies of the hotels are crowded with people, earnestly endeavoring to save the Nation and the Democratic party. The opponents of Bryan still assert hopes to defeat his nomination, based on figures showing instructed delegates less than two-thirds of the convention. But the overwhelming opinion here is that Bryan will be nominated on the first ballot. It is commonly understood that New York may name the Vice-President if its candidate is satisfactory to Bryan. New York has not yet agreed on its candidate.

KEYSTONE STATE IS IN LINE

Forty-Two Votes Can Already Be Counted for Bryan's Support.

DENVER, July 5.—"Pennsylvania will swing into line with the other states for Bryan," declared ex-Congressman James Kerr, of that state, soon after his arrival today. "At least 42 of our votes are favorable to him, and while we shall make no effort to have the unit rule enforced, I feel confident that when the majority discover the situation they will wheel into line."

Being asked regarding the situation with reference to the National committeeman from Pennsylvania, Mr. Kerr replied:

"We must have a new deal there; we must have a man on the National committee who represents the sentiment of the real Democracy of the state. Colonel Guffey does not meet that requirement. I notice that the Colonel is very antagonistic to Mr. Bryan. That is ingratitude; Mr. Bryan and myself are responsible for Guffey being in his present office. They say he should be upheld because he makes liberal contributions to campaign funds. That is the very reason why he should be relieved from duty. With him out of the way I can get a thousand men to contribute and the money they give will be their own."

Woman Suffrage in Denmark.

London World.

The women of Denmark are rejoicing over the granting of communal and municipal suffrage to them. A delegation from the Danish National Suffrage Association waited upon the Prime Minister and the Minister of the Interior to present memorials thanking them for their efforts in behalf of their countrywomen. At the public celebration both ministers delivered short speeches congratulating the women on their victory. During the jubilee banquet that night a telegram was sent to the King, who returned an answer expressing his good wishes for the results of the reform.

Density of Population in Paris.

Federation Review.

Although there is a certain area of about three and a half acres on Manhattan Island, where the density of population is at the rate of 630,000 to the square mile, yet the City of Paris shows a far greater average density of population than New York, the figures for Paris being 79,300 a square mile and for New York City proper 40,000 a square mile. The average density of London's population is 37,000 a square mile, and that of Berlin is 67,000.

Nature's Apprentice-Hand.

Stray Stories.

She—Have you ever made love to any one before?

He—No, never, dearest—on my honor, don't you know!

She—Well, run away, there's a good fellow, and get some practice, as you don't shape at all well at present.

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Attend

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The Eilers Piano House will make the Summer clear-up this year from the Piano Exchange and Bargain Room, where all that goes within its doors are marked at half and sometimes less than half value. In fact, value at times is not considered, if it's a question of quick sales, as in present Clearance Sale, which begins at 9 o'clock this morning.

To illustrate the Publicity Department's intentions to make this Clearance Sale a short one, instead of a week to a day or so; good uprights are marked as low as $87 to $118, and splendid $250 and $275 pianos will be sold at $128 to $137; other values in proportion until the entire lot is closed out. Fine high-grade $400 pianos only $207, and just think of a splendid $650 highest grade going at $378, and only $417 for a handsome Baby Grand. Player Pianos that sell at $600 today at $390.

The above are only reminders of the bargains to be found at P. E. & B. R. today. If you didn't see The Oregonian yesterday, get a copy at once and look over the big four-column announcement of this the greatest Clearance Sale of Pianos and Player Pianos Portland has ever had, and then come right down and select your piano. You will find a piano to fit most any pocket-book; few are too small to not find something to suit and especially if you come in time.

This big July Clearance Sale will eclipse all previous sales, because the stock is made up of all makes, and savings average over $150, nearly $200 on most of them. Eilers Piano Exchange and Bargain Room Basement), 353 Washington street, corner of Park.