

DRYAN TALKS AT DES MOINES

Fires First Gun of Democratic National Campaign at Des Moines.

SPEAKER'S STAND FALLS

Retires to Grandstand to Complete Address—Calls on Governor Cummins, Who Greets Visitor Cordially—Leaves for Chicago.

DES MOINES, Ia., Aug. 21.—Comparing the attitude of the two dominant parties on the tariff question, William J. Bryan, the Democratic candidate for the Presidency at the baseball park in this city tonight, before a vast audience, fired the first gun of the campaign. He attacked the Republican party as not justified in what it included in its platform the declaration that "the people cannot safely intrust the execution of this important work to a party which is so deeply obligated to the highly protected interests as the Republican party."

Proposes to Equalize Burdens.

"The whole aim of our party," he said, in summarizing "is to secure justice in taxation. We believe that each individual should contribute to the support of the Government in proportion to the benefits which he receives from the protecting Government. We believe that a revision of tariff, approached gradually, according to the plan laid down in our platform, will equalize the burdens of taxation more. If the Republican party is to have the support of the people who find a pecuniary profit in the exercise of the taxing power, as a private asset in their business, we ought to have the support of that large majority of the people who produce the Nation's wealth in time of peace, protect the Nation's flag in time of war, and ask for nothing from the Government but even-handed justice."

Platform Topples; No One Hurt.

While Mr. Bryan was speaking at the ball park this evening the temporary platform on which were seated several hundred people collapsed. Nobody was hurt and there was no panic. Mr. Bryan was interrupted for five minutes while arrangements were made for him to continue his speech from the grandstand, where he finished his address.

After quoting the respective tariff declarations of the Republican and the Democratic National platforms, Mr. Bryan said, in part:

It will be noticed that the Republican party has abandoned the earlier arguments advanced in support of a high tariff. It is now the "infant industries" that must be tenderly cared for "until they can stand upon their feet." It is now the "home market" that is to be protected. These arguments are worn out and cast aside. The Republican leaders are no longer interested in tariff reform. They cannot longer defend tariff reform. Their plan now is to seem to yield without really yielding.

I submit that the Democratic platform accurately described the "infant industries" by the Republican leaders as a "tardy recognition of the righteousness of the Democratic position on this question."

The Democratic platform and through its representatives in Congress have for years pointed out that the tariff schedule was excessive and that it should be reduced, but the Republicans have, until recently, refused to do so.

Mr. Bryan left at 10:50 o'clock for Chicago, where he will remain three days and hold frequent conferences with his campaign managers.

JOHNSON KEPT BUSY AT HOME

Will Have No Time Now to Stump Country for Bryan.

CHICAGO, Aug. 21.—Governor Haskell, of Oklahoma, treasurer of the Democratic National Committee, arrived at Des Moines this morning and began systematically his efforts to secure campaign funds. He said money was coming in in fair amounts and there would be enough to finance a good campaign.

ALLISON'S PLACE FOR HALE

(Continued From First Page.)

Finance Committee Plan.

The death of Senator Allison, by the way, means that there will be a vacancy on the committee on finance, for which there will be a lively scramble. After March 4 there will be two, and possibly three, other Republican vacancies on this, the most powerful committee of the Senate.

La Follette's Empty Chance.

The promotion of Senator Perkins to the chairmanship of the naval committee means that Senator La Follette will move up into the chairmanship of the committee on civil service. While this sounds important, it is not, for the civil service committee never meets. It transacts no business. It is, of course, within the power of the chairman to get the committee together, provided there are bills pending for consideration, and if Mr. La Follette should feel inclined to in any way amend the civil service law, it would be within his province to introduce bills, call a meeting of his committee and take action. But the probability is that La Follette will not inject life into the committee.

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SCENES AT AUSTRALIAN PORT WHERE AMERICAN FLEET NOW RESTS



VIEW OF SYDNEY FROM DARLING HARBOR

THE TOWN HALL, SYDNEY



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ENJOY BANQUET AT SYDNEY

BRITISH ADMIRAL PRESIDES AT BRILLIANT FUNCTION.

Admiral Sperry Accorded Ovation When He Praised Great Work of England's Navy.

SYDNEY, N. S. W., Aug. 21.—Following the official landing of the American visitors today and their public reception by the state and commonwealth authorities, the city of Sydney today enjoyed a long banquet, conveying cordial greetings of the Australian people, from the Governor-General of New South Wales, Sir Harry Rawson, and the British flag officers and crew of the fleet at theatrical parties and other places of amusement.

The state banquet, given by Admiral Sir Henry Rawson in the Town Hall, was a brilliant function. There were upward of 1000 guests and the balconies were thronged with women in evening dress. The hall was beautifully decorated with a mixture of American and British flags.

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OREGON BEARS LEAD

Wins Sixth and Eleventh Places in Shoot.

BAY STATE IS FIRST

Sixth Massachusetts Becomes Permanent Possessor of \$500 Trophy—Marine Corps Team Takes Herrick Match Prize.

CAMP PERRY, O., Aug. 21.—The regimental championship rifle shoot of the United States held under the auspices of the National Rifle Association, was won today for the third successive year by the Sixth Regiment, of Massachusetts. By winning for three years the Massachusetts team is entitled to permanent possession of the \$500 trophy.

The Massachusetts team made a score of 775. The Fifth Regiment team of Maryland was second with a score of 762, and was awarded the silver medal. The Second Ohio was third with 762.

Today's contest was for the 1000 yard stage of the regimental championship, which had been continued from last Tuesday and concluded the events scheduled in the National Rifle Association's tournament.

Marine Corps Wins.

The final stages of the shooting for the Herrick trophy, which also was a continued event, held under the auspices of the Ohio Rifle Association, and open to all, was shot today. First place was taken by the United States Marine Corps, with a total score of 1567.

The service revolver match, held by the Ohio Association, was won by the United States Cavalry team by a total score of 821.

These events concluded all of the preliminary shooting incident to the contests to be held under the auspices of the United States Army, which will begin next week.

Regimental Shoot Totals.

Table with 3 columns: Organization, Score, Total. Rows include Sixth Massachusetts, Ohio, and Second Ohio.

In the regimental shoot the Sixth Oregon was sixth, with a score of 344 at the 1000-yard range and a total of 748. The Ohio team was fifth with 720 and 1642, and a total of 736. Forty teams were competitors. In the Herrick trophy match the Oregon guardsmen took 14th place, 35 teams competing.

The United States Marine Corps won the Herrick trophy on the concluding 1000-yard stage by a score of 1567. Pennsylvania was second with 1443 and Ohio third with 1442 and Massachusetts came in fourth with 1548. Unofficial scores put the Marine Corps second team fifth with 1538 and the Navy seventh with 1537.

The 1000-yard scores of these leaders were: Marine Corps, 539; Pennsylvania, 527; Ohio, 530; Massachusetts, 508; Marine Corps, second team, 515; and the Navy, 508.

Colonel T. F. Brant, of the Ohio team, has protested the score for Lieutenant Colonel C. B. Winder, of Pennsylvania. Tonight in front of Administration building, the following Oregon men were publicly presented with prizes won during the week: Sergeant Johnson, in Pruss match; Private Shields, President's match; Captain Scott and Sergeant Schwarz, Wimbledon match; Sergeant Snodgrass, long range tyro; Captain Scott, Peters trophy.

New Pitcher for Beavers.

JACKSONVILLE, Ill., Aug. 21.—(Special.)—Patrick, the pitcher recently sold to Portland, O., pitched his farewell game this afternoon, winning for Jacksonville, 3 to 2, and striking out 12 men.

DOES HE SOLVE PROBLEM?

New York Drummer Writes a Highly Luminous Letter.

To Editor of the Morning Oregonian, Aug. 20th, 1908, Gentlemen dear sir—I see in your morning paper what the mail has called for 10 police to Purify your City from Immoral Houses. Now, gentlemen, I am a traveling Salesman for over 25 years, and will say I have bin in every alley of any importance in the United States 3 times to England and France and I find out what those weasom ar not allowed their ar more Badness a going on by far than what they ar allowed, for here comes the desat and society weasom stroing out of an evening and the hous sivrants, they meate friends which they think ar there

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ICE CREAM SODA DEADLY

Poison Found in 63 Out of 135 Samples Tested.

MACKINAC ISLAND, Mich., Aug. 10.—Death lurks in the popular ice cream soda to a degree that amazed the convention of the Association of State and National Food and Dairy Departments today when revealed by Dr. T. J. Bryan, of Chicago. Of all the cities in the country, Chicago is the worst. Out of 135 samples of soft drinks recently examined by the Illinois Pure Food Department, 63 contained poison.

Dr. Bryan stated that the soda water sold at many fountains contained soap bark, a concoction put in by the enterprising dealers to make the "soda" foam. This bark contains saponin, a powerful poison.

Dr. Bryan, alluding to the same investigation, said: "Of the 135 samples of soft drinks examined by the department, 33 contained saccharin, 6 salicylic acid and 4 benzoic acid."

A Kansas man who has spent years in the business makes the statement that natural soda is called "soft" soda. All the goods who have studied it all their lives give up in despair when it comes to explaining the why and wherefore of some of its ways.

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Portland Railway, Light and Power Company BULLETIN NO. 11

Incandescent Lamps—Their Use and Abuse

"The value of electrical energy, as furnished to a consumer, is not proportional alone to the amount of energy as measured by an electric meter, but is dependent upon various other factors, including the efficiency with which the electrical energy can be transformed or translated into other useful forms. The consumer uses electrical energy for securing light, heat and mechanical power; and for the transformation into these more directly useful forms various translating devices are employed. The adequacy of the service is dependent in large measure upon the efficiency of these translating devices.

"For the production of illumination, translating devices include various forms of lamps, such as the carbon filament incandescent lamps, the tantalum and tungsten incandescent lamps, Nernst lamps, mercury vapor lamps, and the numerous types of arc lamps. For the production of mechanical power, motors of various kinds are employed, and for electrical heating, the translating devices comprise various forms of resistances.

"The amount of illumination which can be secured from a given amount of electrical energy consumed in the ordinary type of incandescent lamp depends upon the design of the lamp and the materials and processes used in its manufacture, upon the voltage at which it is designed to operate, the voltage at which current is supplied to it, ITS PERIOD OF SERVICE, THE CLEANLINESS OF THE OUTER SURFACE OF THE GLASS BULB, as well as upon various other factors.

"The ultimate life of an incandescent lamp may be expressed as the number of hours during which it will continue to give illumination, this period being usually terminated by a burning away or rupture of the filament. It is recognized as exceedingly bad practice to allow lamps to remain on circuit until this point has been reached, since the deterioration in efficiency will have become such as to make it uneconomical of operation. It is better practice, and one more commonly prevailing, to express the life of a lamp as the number of hours at which it will operate at normal voltage before its efficiency falls to a value below 80 per cent of the efficiency of the lamp when new. This length of life, as commonly attained in the better grades of carbon filament lamps now manufactured, is in the neighborhood of 600 hours, and to allow a lamp to burn longer than that period usually results in what might be termed inadequate or uneconomical service, due to excessive deterioration.

"One of the most common causes of poor service is due to the operation of incandescent lamps after they have depreciated below 80 per cent of their original efficiency.

"It is a fact not sufficiently recognized that the accumulation of dust, oil and dirt on the outer surface of an incandescent lamp will materially reduce its efficiency, and many instances exist where the illumination may be increased from 5 to 10 per cent by cleaning the globes.

"One of the most serious causes of inadequate service is insufficient size of the wires installed in buildings, causing a reduction of the voltage. This may result from poor design or false economy in the original installation, but in many instances is due to the growing demand for more current than the original installation of wiring was intended to provide for. Poor electric service may result from such inadequate wiring, even though the company may supply a satisfactory voltage to the inlet of the building. It appears to be universally true that the electric company is not directly responsible for such inferior wiring."

From Report of Railroad Commission of Wisconsin, July, 1908.

friends, they stole around with them, and often times drop in a private place and take a drink of soda or beer, why do they do this, well because they think they are with a friend, they get a little to much of a little rock out of groups, then they are helpless to their friends. Now why do this friend do this. Be cause he cant get his filthy tanks satisfied by a going and paying for it as he has no place to go and get it and pay for it and on the other hand it is refused to them then the poor lady is looked down and poorly treated, and what those houses ar allowed you very seldom ever see a good one, I say the mayor and council should put the 10 police on duty. But to see those places was Run Rite and if they wait not Run Rite Pull them in give them a heavy fine and keep them off of the streets and by so doing the city will save money and many a poor girls honor and Reputation and on the other hand what is the man from the poor man rich man even the

minister of the gospel that has not bin in those houses and have Part taken of the ministrations which is so gently granted them, now am I rite or rong I hope you will put this in your morning paper and hed it Protect Your Wives and daughter By Protecting Immoral houses your Respect.

NEW YORK DRUMMER. I would sine my name But it mite hurt my house which I travel for.

Church Will Be Dedicated.

Dedictory services will be held in the new Swedish Evangelical Church, Rodney avenue and Stanton street, tomorrow afternoon at 3 o'clock. The church has been completed for some time, services being held in it last Christmas, but the dedicatory services were postponed until later.

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