BRYAN VIGOROUSLY ASSAILS ENEMIES

Condemns Roosevelt for Failure to Enforce Anti-Trust Laws.

HOT SHOT FOR OIL TRUST

Nebraskan Makes Greatest Speech of His Campaga at Buffalo—He Tells How He Would Accomplish Reforms, If Elected.

BUFFALO, N. Y., Sept. 21.—"The President has seen fit to give the Republican candidate another indorsement. It seems that I am running against two Republicans instead of one, but our platform is so plain and the purpose of our party is so well expressed in that platform that I am prepared to meet the argument of one or both of them."

Hurling defiance at his Republican opponents, W. J. Bryan, Democratic candidate for President, speaking here tonight before an immense audience, so declared himself. Democracy's leader reached this city at 7:30 o'clock tonight. Cheering crowds at the station and along the streets greeted him on the way to the hotel, where he remained but a few moments before he was whisked away in an automobile to Humboldt Park, where he spoke to a vast throng. From the park he went to Convention Hall, which was packed by thousands, while outside were quadruple the number, necessitating a brief overflow talk.

Pours Forth Hot Volleys.

From the moment he began speaking in this state at Brockport early in the day until he had concluded his remarks here, the Democratic candidate took the bit in his teeth and assailed at every turn President Roosevelt, Mr. Taft and the Republican leaders. He spoke of the conflict which he said existed between the President and the Republican managers of the campaign; replied specifically to certain queries propounded to him in an open letter in the Chicago Tribune; attacked the President for what he said was his failure to enforce the anti-trust laws and from which, he said, the President could not escape; denounced Senators Platt and Depew as having betrayed the people; charged the Republicans with turning the financial system over to Wall street, and finally poured a volley of denunciation into the Standard Oil Company.

Did Parker and Hill Post Him?

Whether or not, following so closely on the heels of his conferences yesterday with Judge Parker and ex-Senator David B. Hill, the vigor of his speech was due to the conclusions reached, is not known, but it was admitted on all sides today and tonight that at no time during the present campaign has Mr. Bryan been so aggressive. He made a dozen speeches to large and enthusiastic crowds along the line. Bands played, the people cheered, and at Tonawanda there was an incessant din of locomotive and factory whistles. Speeches were made at Brockport, Holley, Albion, Medina, Middleport, Lockport, Niagara Falls, Sanborn, Suspension Bridge and several smaller places.

Mr. Bryan proceeded to his car in the Michigan Central Station followed by the cheering crowd, leaving at 11:50 o'clock for Detroit, where he will arrive at 6:10 in the morning. His visit to Michigan provides for but two speeches, one at Ann Arbor in the afternoon and the other at Detroit in the evening.

BRYAN ANSWERS HIS CRITICS

Declares He Could Compel Congress to Make Laws.

MEDINA, N. Y., Sept. 21.—Renewing his campaign in New York State territory today, William J. Bryan denounced the record of the Republican party, accused President Roosevelt of purloining Democratic ideas and owing his popularity to them, and charged Mr. Taft with being unable to effect any reforms, and declared that a Democratic victory would do more to coerce Republicans in Congress than any persuasion that Mr. Taft could bring to bear, if a Republican victory was achieved on that party's record.

Having traveled all night from Albany, a short stop was made in Rochester between trains. Proceeding on to Buffalo, addresses were made at Brockport, Holley, Albion and at this place, where Mr. Bryan spoke from a platform in the school campus. It became evident from the outset that President Roosevelt and Mr. Taft were to be made the objects of Mr. Bryan's attack.

At Holley, the President was criticised for not enforcing the anti-trust law against many of the trusts.

"This is their record, and they cannot escape from it," Mr. Bryan said.

Responsible for Panic.

At Albion, the Democratic candidate made reference to Mr. Taft's lengthy absence from Washington while he was a member of the Roosevelt Cabinet and in that connection he spoke of the panic of last Fall. According to their own theory, he maintained the Republicans could not escape the responsibility for the panic, because it must be charged to the President in power.

"Not only did that panic come under the Republican President, who picked out the Republican candidate now running, but that Republican candidate was in his Cabinet at the time and was associated with the President all the time when he was away from Washington."

Amid laughter, Mr. Bryan said that the only way the Republicans would be able to get that panic off Mr. Taft's shoulders would be to argue "that the President allowed it to come when Mr. Taft was not there; that if Mr. Taft had been there he could have prevented it."

Mr. Bryan also spoke of the "old Republican campaign slogan of the full dinner pail," but said that was no longer their slogan or emblem. "Their new slogan is," he said, "it might have been worse."

Says Senate Will Yield.

The speech here was along similar lines, with some additional remarks in which he answered several questions put to him by the Chicago Tribune. The first question asked by the Tribune was:

If a Republican Senate would not submit to Mr. Taft's kindly suggestions concerning labor legislation, how can you promise, or even intimate, that your election would result in procuring the same Senate to do whatever you say they would not do for Mr. Taft?

Mr. Bryan replied:

If I am elected, it is probable the House of Representatives will be Democratic. I can recommend legislation in accordance with my platform, and the Democrats of the House, being pledged to the same platform, will approve of the measures. It will then be up to the Senate and I will not assume that all of the Republican Senators will be willing to disregard a deliberate expression of opinion upon the part of the American people.

"Shall the people rule?" is declared by our platform to be the overshadowing issue in this campaign. Is the Tribune prepared to say that a Republican Senate will, as a matter of course, disregard the decision of the voters as expressed in the election of a President and House of Representatives? If Mr. Taft is elected, a Republican House will probably be elected also. This would mean a rejection of the labor planks, and Mr. Taft, even if he were better disposed toward labor legislation than he is, could hardly expect either the House or the Senate to indorse measures rejected at the polls.

Expects to Gain in Senate.

Question 2.—How do you expect to secure any of the legislation you are promising the people unless you have the hearty support of a Republican Senate and a Republican Congress and at the same time base your claim to the votes of the people upon the assumption that the Republican party is against your every policy?

Answer—As I said before, if I am elected, the House will probably be Democratic and we will have only a Republican Senate to deal with and, in case our victory is a decided one, we will make gains in the Senate. These gains will not only add to the Democratic majority, but they will strengthen the Democrats in the Senate and weaken Republican opposition in the Senate. The Tribune fails to distinguish between the Republican leaders and the Republican voters. When we say that the Republican leaders are against the policies for which we stand, we do not admit that the Republican voters are against those policies. In fact, we assert the contrary, that by voting with the Democrats they can rebuke the Republican leaders and compel those leaders to yield to public demands.

Question 3.—We respectfully ask what legislation, what remedies, what tariff reforms, what, if any, legislation during the next four years, could you as a Democratic President give to the people without the co-operation of a Republican Senate?

Answer—It is probable we shall have a Republican Senate for the next two years, since it would be well nigh impossible to make enough changes in the personnel of the Senate this year to give the Democrats a majority, but we can make a beginning this year and then by presenting tariff reform measures, measures against trusts, measures for more effective legislation, measures for the insuring of the bank deposits, measures carrying out the labor reforms, measures declaring for ultimate independence of the Filipinos and other measures outlined in our platform, measures recommended by a Democratic President and indorsed by a Democratic House, we can compel a Republican Senate either to accept the reforms or present a definite issue upon them two years hence. It is reasonable to assume that the Republicans in the Senate will recognize the force of public opinion and see the folly of putting themselves on record in opposition to the deliberate judgment of the voters.

Vote for Platform You Indorse.

But let us consider for a moment the real proposition represented by the Tribune. It is this: If you have a Republican Senate, you must elect a Republican President and a Republican House to act with the Senate. If that is true this year, will it not be true four years from now and eight years from now and 12 years from now, and forever afterwards? If we elect a Republican President and a Republican House, the natural effect of such an election will be to keep the Senate Republican for at least two years and then with a Republican President and a Republican Senate, the Tribune will argue that we must have a Republican House, and the election of a Republican House would help to keep the Senate Republican for two years longer, for the Legislatures which will elect Senators two years hence will be elected at the same time that the Congressmen are elected. In 1912, therefore, the Tribune could propound the same questions to the Democratic candidate that it now propounds and, if it could persuade the people to adopt this theory, it could keep the Republican party in power perpetually by using the Republican Senate as a club.

If the people want to indorse the Republican platform, they ought to vote the Republican ticket; if they want to indorse the Democratic platform, they ought to vote the Democratic ticket. It is not only illogical, but it is absurd, to say that they must vote for a Republican Congressman and a Republican President merely because the Senate is so constituted that it is impossible to make a complete change in its personnel at this election.

BURNS AGENT IN CONTEMPT

OLIVER HELD GUILTY OF APPROACHING RUEF JURORS.

Admits Facts, but Pleads Ignorance They Had Been Passed Into Jury-Box.

SAN FRANCISCO, Sept. 21.—Charles Oliver, Jr., a special agent in the employ of the prosecution in the bribery graft cases, was today adjudged guilty of contempt by Superior Judge William P. Lawlor for approaching and interviewing W. Gerran and W. S. Harrison, two men who had been temporarily passed into the jury box after they had been tentatively accepted as jurors in the trial of Abraham Ruef. Judgment will be passed by the court tomorrow.

Young Oliver is the son of Charles Oliver, one of the principal agents in the employ of William J. Burns, head of the corps of special agents employed by the District Attorney's office in the bribery graft cases. Gerran and Harrison complained to the court that a young man representing himself as a newspaper reporter had called upon them Saturday night. Both declared that they had refused to discuss the Ruef case with him.

The information that it was young Oliver came from R. C. Schindler, a Burns agent, who admitted detailing Oliver. When the latter was placed upon the stand he frankly admitted trying to interview the prospective jurors, but declared that as soon as he learned that they had already been examined and temporarily passed, he made no further attempt to talk to them.

Schindler, when sharply interrogated by Henry Ach, counsel for Ruef, vehemently denied that in detailing young Oliver he had acted upon instructions from Mr. Burns, but declared most positively that he had done so entirely upon his own responsibility and without the knowledge of either Burns or Assistant District Attorney Heney.

ELIOT ATTACKS TARIFF

Not Necessary to Maintain Wages. Obstructs Foreign Trade.

CAMBRIDGE, Mass., Sept. 21.—In a paper addressed to the Reform League of America, President Charles W. Eliot of Harvard College, today made an attack on the existing high tariff system. Dr. Eliot said in part:

"The high tariff which has prevailed in the United States since the Civil War has done little good in the way of building up new industries, but it has done immeasurable harm and is likely to do more and more harm.

"As a country which produces in normal years much more grain, meat and cotton and many more manufactured goods than it can consume, it is to the interest of the United States to develop for itself world markets under the most favorable conditions possible. The tariff prevents or obstructs the attainment of those favorable conditions.

"That the tariff is not necessary to the maintenance of the American wages or American standards of living appears clearly from the common practice of selling American goods in foreign countries at much lower prices than they are sold in the United States and yet at a profit.

"If the American people mean to maintain their individual liberty in industries, trades, commerce and politics, they must steadily defend themselves against monopolies."

Pabo de Sarasatę, Violinist.

BIARRITZ, France, Sept. 21.—Pabo de Sarasate, the Spanish violinist, died here yesterday. He was born in 1844.

Electric Reading Lamps

The long evenings of Autumn tempt one to take comfort with a good book or magazine, 'neath the bright light of a good Reading Lamp. We are showing extremely artistic effects in new Electric Reading Lamps, Portable and Hall Lights. Newest effects in decorated or art-glass shades.

Reading Lamp with plain green shade, regular $3.00 value, special... $2.25
Reading Lamp with decorated shade, $4.90 value ... $3.90
Reading Lamp with decorated shade, $5.50 value ... $4.35
Reading Lamp with decorated shade, $6.90 value ... $5.50
Reading Lamp with decorated shade, $7.25 value ... $5.75
Reading Lamp with decorated shade, $8.75 value ... $6.90
Reading Lamp with decorated shade, $9.75 value ... $7.70
Reading Lamp with decorated shade, $12.50 value ... $9.95
Reading Lamp with decorated shade, $13.00 value ... $10.55
Reading Lamp with decorated shade, $13.50 value ... $10.80
Reading Lamp with decorated shade, $17.75 value ... $14.20

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Livestock Show Visitors

You are cordially invited to make this store your headquarters during your stay in Portland. Allow us to extend to you any courtesies within our power. Make use of our Lunch Room, let us care for your parcels; and, for your advantage and ours, too, do your shopping here. We direct attention to large and varied assortments of the best merchandise the world produces. You will be delighted with the up-to-date service, our famous policy of merchandising, and the uniform courtesy extended in showing wares, whether you wish to purchase or not. We will be pleased to renew the acquaintance of old friends and to make many new ones. We will be pleased to have you call and share in the advantages offered for shopping by this magnificent store.

New Gas Reading Lamps

The prices quoted here on Lamps are for complete lamps, with hose, shade and Welsbach burner. There is a wide assortment of designs, from the plain, modestly-priced one to the extremely artistic ones, with fancy landscape shades. 'Tis a treat to the tasteful home-furnisher to visit a store containing so complete an assortment as is shown here.

Gas Lamp with plain stand and green shade, worth $4.00, special... $2.95
Gas Lamp with decorated shade, good, neat stand, worth $5.00, sp'l... $3.95
Gas Lamp with Blue Dew shade, $5.25 value ... $4.15
Gas Lamp with fancy decorated shade, $6.00 value ... $4.75
Gas Lamp with fancy decorated shade, $6.50 value ... $5.15
Gas Lamp with fancy decorated shade, $7.00 value ... $5.75
Gas Lamp with fancy decorated shade, $8.75 value ... $6.95
Gas Lamp with fancy decorated shade, $10.00 value ... $7.95
Gas Lamp with fancy decorated shade, $12.00 value ... $9.50
Gas Lamp with fancy decorated shade, $14.00 value ... $11.15
Fancy Stand with landscape shade, $31.50 value ... $24.00

FINE IMPORTED HATS REDUCED ¼ TO ⅓

Magnificent creations that have sold from $100.00 up; the most stunning affairs produced by the skilled milliners of Paris are on sale here today at one-third below regular price. Come early and have first choice. Buy one of the handsomest hats in Portland and save ⅓

One-fourth less for all our pattern hats worth $50.00 to $100.00. Superb models in large or small shapes, trimmed with ostrich plumes, paradise feathers, etc., in all the leading colors. Take advantage of this great opportunity. Any hat worth $50.00 to $100.00 reduced ¼

Save on Fine Lace Curtains

Another sale of the sort that makes our Home-Fitting Shops the Mecca of all economical shoppers. The only reason for such tremendous price concessions as we offer here is that these curtains are sold down to small lots—one and two pairs of a kind, and we wish to close them out quickly. Therefore, they are placed on sale this week at prices from one-fourth to nearly one-half below what they should sell for. Large assortment of patterns in Renaissance, Cluny, Irish Point and Arabian lace. See them.

Curtains worth $5.00 the pair, on sale for.. $2.95
Curtains worth $6.50 the pair, on sale for.. $3.95
Curtains worth $9.50 the pair, on sale for.. $5.75
Curtains worth $11.00 the pair, on sale for.. $6.50
Curtains worth $45 the pair, for..... $25.00
Curtains worth $50 the pair, for..... $27.50
Curtains worth $20 the pair, for..... $11.95
Curtains worth $18.50 the pair, on sale for.. $9.95

Finest Footwear for Women

We are making a special display this week of the better class shoes that are preferred by smart dressers for this season's wear. 'Tis a most comprehensive exhibit, embracing all the wanted leathers and styles. High or medium heels, and light or medium soles are shown. See them.

STYLE X151—Women's Shoes, in tan Russia calf; made in a new shape. Medium weight hand-welted sole, Cuban heel, perforated vamp, lace stay; very swagger model... $5.00

STYLE XB151—Women's 10-Button Shoes, of finest tan Russia calf. Made over a new high-arch last, with a 1¾-in. Cuban heel; perforated vamp. Extremely dressy and an unusual value at, per pair ... $5.00

STYLE X153—Women's Shoes of tan Russia calf, lace style; made over a new high-arch last, with Cuban heel. Tops are of Einstein's Corkscrew Cravenette, which is waterproof and will not water-spot. An extremely clever combination, priced at... $5.00

STYLE XB400—Women's Shoes of best tan Russia calf, in a dark shade. Button style, hand-welt medium-weight soles, with the famous "Turk" toe and medium-low broad heel. Price, per pair, only ... $3.50

Special *500 pairs women's shoes in all sizes, patent or kid leather or tan Russia calf. Well made, good styles, worth $3, today only* **$1.98**

Embroideries

Swiss, nainsook or cambric materials, in edges or insertions. Widths 3 to 12 inches. Values up to 65c; special, per yard, only ... 17c

Handkerch'fs

Women's Irish Linen Handkerchiefs—With ⅛ or ¼-inch hemstitched border. Regular price 20c each; special, only, each ... 12½c

Neck Ruchings

"Queen Elizabeth" Ruches, in shaped effects, with high neck; regular values up to 65c each, special today.. 19c

Women's Hose

Fast black in plain or fancy lace effects; values to 60c the pair, today.... 39c

Underwear Half

Women's Diemel Linen Mesh Underwear, in separate garments or union suits. Odd lots at ONE-HALF REG. PRICE.

CHINA IS STRICKEN

Cholera Epidemic in Cities, Killing Hundreds.

MORE CASES IN MANILA

Rigid Inspection Discovers Many Which Were Concealed—Army Fighting Disease Which Appears in the Philippines.

WASHINGTON, Sept. 21.—Reports to the Public Health Service show that cholera is epidemic in Amoy and Hankow, China, claiming at the latter place 60 victims per day. The disease is also prevalent at Shanghai, Suchow, Nungchow, Ningpo and Nankin.

Governor-General Smith, of the Philippines sent the following dispatch to the Bureau of Insular Affairs under today's date:

"For the 24 hours beginning at 8 A. M. September 19, 43 cases of cholera; on September 20, 59 cases. It is believed increase was due to putting on 200 inspectors, who, discovered hidden cases. Cold rains also served to increase the number of cases. Have whole police force of Manila now on house-to-house canvass. Tomorrow 200 constabulary will be put to work, if necessary. Increased inspection today and cold rains may result in large number of cases.

"At 6 P. M. today we had 35 cases."

Marine Hospital Service advices show that during the past month the cholera has appeared in various provinces, cases and deaths occurring in Santa Barabara, Jarov, Port of Iloilo, Barotas and Dumangas.

Mail advices say that the disease is clearing up rapidly in the provinces which were first affected. The cases in the provinces affected later remain about stationary.

CITY AT MERCY OF DISEASE

Cholera Slays Hundreds in St. Petersburg and Swamps Hospitals.

ST. PETERSBURG, Sept. 21.—The cholera continues to increase rapidly in St. Petersburg. The efforts of the authorities to stop the sale of liquor between Saturday and Monday and the other preventive measures taken have had but little if any effect in checking the spread of the epidemic. Between noon of Sunday and noon of today the municipal hospitals reported 380 cases and 155 deaths, and the addition of the statistics from the military and suburban hospitals for this same period will swell this total to truly formidable proportions.

There are 34 cases of policemen alone in one military hospital. Dispatches received here from three provinces report 488 new cases and 201 deaths in 24 hours.

The police here today summarily closed several restaurants that had violated the order against the sale of spirits.

The hospital situation has reached a crisis. The Obuchoff Hospital, which is in the center of one of the worst districts, is turning away patients, and the Kalinkin Hospital, which was opened September 18, already is full. Two new hospitals will be opened immediately.

STANDARD ON DEFENSIVE

Pioneer Oil Company Was Forced to Cut Prices.

NEW YORK, Sept. 21.—Testimony in justification of the business methods of the Standard Oil Company was given today by Vice-President Squiers, of the Standard Oil Company of Ohio, in the hearing of the Government's suit charging violation of the anti-trust law. According to the testimony of Mr. Squiers, the Standard Oil Company of Ohio was the pioneer oil distributing company in Ohio, and not until rival companies invaded the field and attempted to undersell the Standard did the Standard retaliate by making the cuts in prices.

As for the operating of the Cleveland Oil Distributing Company by the Standard Oil Company, there has never been any attempt on the part of the Standard to deny ownership of the Cleveland company, he said. The charge that this subsidiary of the Standard had driven out of business by unfair means some 200 independent peddlers was, he declared, entirely unfounded. The advent of natural gas at 30 cents a thousand feet had been the instrument at work, not the Standard.

Questioned as to the alleged secret ownership and operation of the Toledo oil works and the New American Company, Mr. Squiers explained that the reason the Standard had not admitted ownership of the companies mentioned at once was that it wished gradually to convert the customers of the absorbed companies from the practice of purchasing oil in barrels to that of buying it from the tank wagons. As soon as this had been accomplished, he said, the Standard had assumed official as well as actual ownership.

May Try to Save Ship Acon.

WASHINGTON, Sept. 21.—The captain of the American transport Solace, which is to go from Samoa to rescue the shipwrecked crew and passengers of the British ship Acon, has been instructed by Secretary Metcalf to make an inquiry regarding the possibility of saving the vessel. This course is taken at the request of the insurance underwriters in England through their agent at Baltimore.

Fred K. McCarver, advertising manager of the Abbot-Kinney Co., of Venice, Cal., a former Portland boy, is visiting his family at 129 East Tenth street.

CHANG ASKS TIME

Corean Murderer Not Ready for Immediate Trial.

MAIN WITNESS IS ABSENT

Self-Styled Patriot's Countrymen Come to His Assistance—Employ Three of Best Lawyers in San Francisco.

SAN FRANCISCO, Sept. 21.—That the trial of In Whan Chang, the Corean charged with the assassination of Durham White Stevens, the American adviser to the Japanese-Corean Cabinet in Seoul, will be long drawn out and bitterly fought, was indicated, today, when counsel for Chang in objecting before Superior Judge Carroll Cook to the case going to trial at this time, declared that at least three weeks and in all probability four, will be consumed in trying the Corean.

Stevens was shot by the Corean on the morning of March 23 as he was entering the Ferry station here on his way to Washington. He died three days later. The trial of Chang, who is no taller than a 12-year-old boy and who declared that he acted out of patriotic motives, has been postponed from time to time.

Today Samuel Knight, who has been retained, it is said, by the Japanese Consulate, to assist Assistant District Attorney James Hanley in the prosecution of Chang, moved that the Corean be placed on trial at once.

Counsel for Chang was strongly opposed to going to trial at this time and asked for another continuance until sometime in November, declaring that one of the most important witnesses for the defense was not here and would have to be brought from a long distance. All efforts of the prosecution to ascertain who this witness was proved unavailing.

Judge Cook finally continued the matter until tomorrow when the trial of the case will be peremptorily set.

That the Corean's compatriots have come to Chang's assistance is evident from the fact that a formidable array of legal talent composed of John J. Barrett, Assemblyman Nathan M. Coghlan and ex-Judge Ferrell has been retained to defend Chang.

Counsel for the Korean today declined to state what the line of defense will be but it is intimated that advantage will be taken of the opportunity to inject into the case something about the conditions in Corea under the Japanese protectorate which led Chang to fire the shot which killed Stevens, as he believed, for the freedom of his country.

TODAY

Go to Country Club
Pacific National Show,
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