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CAKE AND CHAMBERLAIN

FORGAN GETS OFF TRACK

Ex-Senator J. M. Gearin and Hon. T. J. Cleeton Occupy Astoria Stump Simultaneously—Two Successful Meetings Last Night.

In an Address to Students of the Chicago University David R. Forgan Asks: Does Bryan Know What a Bank Deposit Is?

There was quite a political revival in this bailiwick last night, the Republican and Democratic phalanxes assembling at widely separated points in the city to discuss the issues, men and measures, from their divergent points of view, as they appear today in Oregon. There were bands and parades and oratory and a good deal of apparent interest in both engagements, and the hour may be counted as among the very few given over entirely to this season topic.

CHICAGO, May 29.—Gov. John A. Johnson of Minnesota, who was in Chicago Thursday on his way from the South to Minneapolis, gave his endorsement to the effort Wm. J. Bryan is making to have congress pass the bill requiring publicity for campaign contributions. Gov. Johnson suggested that candidates in general elections be required to reveal how much was contributed but that candidates for nomination be required to show how much they spent and by whom it was contributed.

Ex-U. S. Senator J. M. Gearin, who is in the city as the representative of Gov. Geo. E. Chamberlain, the Democratic candidate for the federal senatorship, spoke in this interest at the Astoria opera house to 350 interested auditors, and spoke by the card as Mr. Gearin always speaks. He is one of the finest public speakers in Oregon and his Astoria hearers knew about what to expect when they assembled. He pleaded the cause of the Governor as became a good friend and a sound Democrat, and left a deep impression behind him, which may, or may not, wear off by the fateful Monday looming near.

Does W. J. Bryan know what a bank deposit is? David R. Forgan, president of the National City Bank of Chicago, believes that the Nebraskan does not despite the fact that the democratic leader has spoken many times recently on banking problems and has urged the guarantee system for the depositor as a safeguard against financial panics. Mr. Bryan's latest utterance on the question was delivered a few days ago before the Bankers Club of Chicago.

Mr. Gearin was attended last evening by the following notables of the local Democracy, to-wit: Hon. John H. Smith, City Treasurer Thomas Dealey, Mayor Herman Wise, ex-Commissioner R. M. Wooden, A. M. Smith and ex-Mayor Isaac Bergman. There was no possible doubt in the mind of a single man present of the pure and utter democracy of the orator, the plea of the night and the character of the assemblage, except perhaps as to numbers; nor is there any doubt that the last man there enjoyed the presentment made by the orator of the occasion.

Mr. Forgan addressed students of the University of Chicago last night and served for a moment from his general topic, "the dignity of commercial life" by taking a rap at Mr. Bryan. "I heard Mr. Bryan speak for an hour the other night on banking problems," he said. Mr. Bryan was effective as an orator and forceful, but all the time he spoke I could find nothing in his talk to indicate that he had the slightest conception of what a bank deposit is.

At the other end of the city, in Suomi Hall, in Uniontown, 300 citizens gathered to listen to Hon. T. J. Cleeton, ex-District Attorney of this district, and a prominent attorney of the metropolis, who spoke in behalf of the claims of H. M. Cake for the U. S. Senatorship, as the confirmed and endorsed candidate of Republican Oregon. Mr. Cleeton was the guest of the Clatsop County Republican Central Committee, and was introduced to his auditors by Chairman Frank J. Carney.

"And yet Mr. Bryan is going about giving advice on how to stop or prevent a panic"

Rounds of laughter greeted the speaker when he took Mr. Bryan to task in this way. Mr. Forgan then apologized for "getting off the track" of his main line of discourse and went on to say that the average business man is honest and to give the requisites for success in business life.

Mr. Cleeton proved himself a valuable champion and talked interestingly of the situation as it presents itself on this important score; holding that Mr. Cake, as the only popular and authorized candidate of the Republicans of the state as evidenced and avouched at the recent primaries, was entitled to the voters and practical backing of the party at the polls of Monday next; that he had the right-of-way by virtue of the avowed sentiment of the Republicans, over any and all claims asserted by Governor Chamberlain, who talked quasi-Republicanism from a Democratic back-ground and posed for the chief gift in the hands of the dominant party, which he opposed literally and successfully for years. The speaker was master of his subject and talked well and earnestly for the consummation of the franchise already given Mr. Cake by virtue of the open and major vote of the party in the primaries, and made a deep and lasting impression on the minds of the quiet and thoughtful crowd that confronted him.

up the political energies, which had become a bit torpid, if not altogether dead."

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Corner on May Corn Comes to an End.

CHICAGO, May 29.—The corner on May corn which has been run by James A. Patten and his associates came to an end today and the "Patten crowd" generally credited with having made about \$2,000,000 on the deal, although the admitted estimates are largely guess work. Patten personally declared today that he did not know how much had been made. Corner has been largely in May corn, and Patten's holdings of this option were accumulated at between 55 and 60 cents. He claimed that shorts have delivered to Patten not far from 5,000,000 bushels of corn and close to 8,800,000 bushels of oats.

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The meeting was successfully carried out and is likely to be responsible for a very pronounced advocacy of the merits of Mr. Cake's claim in the voting booths of Clatsop two days hence.

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I have resided in Clatsop County for 34 years, my whole interests are here, and I expect to remain here.

I have tried to conduct the office with impartiality and fairness and with a due regard to the interest of the taxpayers. The annual appropriations of the County Court for the Coroner's office which includes, physicians, jurors and witness fees and other necessary expenses such as

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