

WILL BRYAN

National Campaign of 1900 When Gold Democrats Deserted Party—McKinley's Popularity Because of the Spanish-American War.

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Washington, Sept. 19.—Long before the national conventions met in the summer of 1900 everybody knew that the Republicans would renominate President McKinley, and that the Democrats would again follow the leadership of Mr. Bryan. McKinley's renomination was made certain because of the great prosperity which blessed the country because of the successful issue of the war with Spain, and because of the perfection of the organization of the Republican party under Mr. Hanna and the coteries of Republican senators that stood with the administration. Bryan's renomination was made certain by his popularity with the rank and file of his party, notwithstanding the bitter and intense opposition of the "gold" Democrats.

Cannot Be Downed.

No man who has frequently met defeat in national politics has been able to retain the leadership of one of our great parties with the single exception of Mr. Bryan.

Between the presidential campaigns of 1880 and 1890 things had happened which were to change the whole course of American life. The struggle of Cuba for freedom from the yoke of Spain appealed to the sentiment of the American people and there was a great popular demand for a change in our government. If the American people had known as much then as they know now about the nature of Cuban rebellions and revolutions the whole story might be different. But he that as it may, the horrors of the administration of "Dutch" Weyler in Cuba could not be permitted to pass without protest.

Island Possessions.

As a result of the war the United States found itself in possession of several things it had never had before. There were the colonies—the Philippines, Porto Rico and Guam. There was the protectorate—Cuba. There was the church lands of the Virgin Islands and extra-territorial tariff problem and the question, "Does the constitution follow the flag?" In addition to these brand new things, the nation also had a new crop of war heroes. Chief among these was Theodore Roosevelt. Others were Lieutenant Hobson, Mr. Bryan had endeavored to become a war hero, too, but the regiment which he commanded was not permitted to get further away than Tampa.

Admiral Dewey was the great naval hero. Naturally he was discussed as a candidate for president. He made the fatal mistake of taking the first "mention" as seriously as if it had been a call from the notification committee of a national convention. He accepted a nomination in advance of its being offered and was looked upon as a laughing stock. Sampson and Schley were involved in a controversy that removed both of them from the hero class. General Joe Wheeler had been a "rebel general" and was out of the question.

Beauty and Bad Breath

Cannot Go Together No Matter How a Woman May Try to Make Them.

It does not matter how beautiful a woman may be, if she is afflicted with bad breath she will be shunned and pitied by men and even women will studiously avoid her.

Every woman doubts this statement let her make a point of asking a friend in whom she may confide a man friend or relative, if he be honest, will tell her that foul breath from the mouth of a woman will drive men from her more rapidly than any other personal affliction.

Foul breath arises in man disgust and where this quality is brought into play no amount of self denial or reasoning can overcome the natural repugnance which comes to man when he is in company with such a woman.

What is true of bad breath in women is not true in so great a degree in men. Women are looked upon as the incarnation of sweetness, breeding, virtue and refinement. Foul breath will stigmatize a man so that he cannot find for such a man a companionship necessary to make him desire to be in her company.

There is absolutely no occasion for bad breath in either men or women. Charcoal, the strongest absorbent known, when taken into the stomach, will prevent this repugnant tendency or affliction.

Shurt's Charcoal Lozenges are sold in tremendous quantities all over America and Canada. They cure and have cured all forms of bad breath. A single box will convince you of this fact. One should eat some of these lozenges after each meal and upon retiring. They might cost 50 cents without harm. They are not medicine, but pure willow charcoal mixed with sweet honey to make them palatable and compressed into a lozenge to preserve their peculiar and lasting strength.

The next time you wish to go into company, humiliate you, eat several of Shurt's Charcoal Lozenges and your breath will be pure and sweet.

Initially, General Nelson A. Miles and Colonel William J. Bryan, being Democrats, did not get to the front.

Roosevelt Appears.

The Republicans of New York state had taken him up and had elected him governor, not so much because they wanted him, but because he was the only man who could win. As has happened since, the Republican bosses found that a governor so selected might be entirely too self-willed to rule the roost at Albany to suit the organization. In those days the will of Thomas C. Platt was law in the Republican organization of New York state. No man could get elected openly opposed to it. But Platt knew that he could not hold Roosevelt down so he decided to get rid of him. He would kick him up stairs.

Therefore he went to the Republican convention at Philadelphia with his plan to hold the nomination of McKinley was assured, although there was a little Roosevelt talk from the western states. Heated there and gone for Bryan four years before. Hanna and his senatorial coteries ruled everything. There were Platt and Quay, Fairbanks and Allison, Depey and Foraker, Wolcott and Lodge, and the convention was going as they directed.

Colonel Roosevelt was already a candidate for president for the campaign of 1904. He believed that his interests would be advanced more readily if he remained governor of New York than if he were made vice-president. He protested and strenuously refused to be nominated. He fought as hard as he possibly could, but the enthusiasm for the one war hero who had weathered the storms of two years of war was too strong for him to overcome. More especially when managed by two veteran manipulators like Platt and Quay. So that Theodore Roosevelt was kicked upstairs and put on the shelf "where he would never bother national politics again."

Populist Convention.

The Populists held the first convention that nominated Mr. Bryan. There were several Populist conventions, but the one which was attended by the five Populist senators who were elected with Charles A. Towne of Minnesota as his running mate. The Democrats met in Kansas City on July 4 and the Silver Republicans met in the same city on the same day.

There was a great fight, led by David Hill of New York, to prevent the specific reiteration of the free silver plank of 1896, but Mr. Bryan insisted and the plank went in. Adlai Stevenson, who had been elected vice-president with Grover Cleveland in 1892, was given the second place on the ticket. The Silver Republicans nominated the same candidates and Towne withdrew from the Populist ticket. Later in the campaign the anti-imperialist convention endorsed and endorsed the Gold Democrats called a convention, but it was decided not to make any nominations. Many of the leaders of the Farmers and Buckner following came back into the party and supported Mr. Bryan, but the large majority of the rank and file of the Cleveland faction went into the Republican party.

Great Speaking Tour.

Mr. Bryan again took the stump and made a great speaking tour. He was everywhere with great enthusiasm, but did not stir the depths that he had reached in 1896. Mr. McKinley, being president, was very quiet in the campaign, but Colonel Roosevelt took the stump and played Bryan with characteristic seal.

Anna Held Has Thirteen-Year-Old Daughter.

(United Press Leased Wire.)
New York, Sept. 19.—There was no little surprise among the followers of the theatre today when it became known that Anna Held, "the perfectly formed woman," is the mother of a girl aged 13. No mention of Anna Held's daughter has ever been made by press agents. Anna Held's husband, Florenz Ziegfeld Jr., is manager of her company, and both he and his wife have kept the existence of their child a secret even from their most intimate friends.

Explosion Tire Injures Clubman.

(United Press Leased Wire.)
San Francisco, Sept. 19.—P. J. Van Loben Sels, son of the Paraguayan consul at the port of San Francisco, and a well-known clubman, was severely injured today, which may disfigure him for life as the result of the explosion of an automobile tire. His nose is shattered and he is badly cut about the face.

Immigration Laws.

(United Press Leased Wire.)
San Francisco, Sept. 19.—It is announced at the office of Commissioner of Immigration H. H. North that the immigration officers referring to Chinese will be lightened according to a recent decision by the United States supreme court forbidding the court to examine Chinese immigrants returning from foreign countries. The court has decided that when an oriental has once established a permanent residence in this country, he cannot be subjected to an examination for trachoma before he is admitted a second time to the United States.

"The Blood is The Life."

Science has never gone beyond the above simple statement of scripture. But it has illuminated that statement and given it a meaning ever broadening with the increasing breadth of knowledge.

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ELECTRICITY FOR MILWAUKEE LINE

Company Engineers May Change Plans of Road Through Idaho.

(United Press Leased Wire.)
Tacoma, Wash., Sept. 19.—According to a special dispatch received here, the directorate of the Chicago, Milwaukee & St. Paul railroad, which is in session at Milwaukee today, is expected to issue orders for the electrification of its Pacific coast extension through the Bitter Root mountains in Idaho.

Milwaukee engineers have prepared estimates of the cost of using electricity on the mountain grades and it is said that the project is altogether feasible. For several thousand feet through the mountains the new line passes through tunnels and the absence of smoke and gases through the use of electric power will reduce the peril to life common to railroad tunnels, besides adding to the comfort of passengers.

CAMPAIGN WAGED WITH RECORDS

This year's campaign will have one feature never introduced before. Both presidential candidates have made records for the Edison phonograph, which records are being sold as fast as they can be made.

The circulation of a popular record sometimes reaches several hundred thousand, and as Bryan has made 10 records and Taft 12, if each one of these reaches a maximum circulation, it will mean that the sentiment of Taft and Bryan have been promulgated in their own voices in nearly every home in the United States.

When a representative of the Edison phonograph finally succeeded in persuading Mr. Taft to make records, the newspaper correspondent located at Hot Springs gave considerable space to it in his dispatches. The point of view was mostly whimsical, but in some cases it was taken seriously—that is, the idea of a campaign fought out by means of phonograph records.

Now that the Taft records are finally made and on sale, they are found to be fully as good as those made by Bryan. The interest in the idea has swept the entire country. Hundreds of newspapers have not only devoted news space to the story, but in a great many cases have had it treated by means of cartoons.

Japanese Holds UP San Franciscan.

(United Press Leased Wire.)
San Francisco, Sept. 19.—It is believed by the police today that a Japanese who held up Alfred Greenbaum, president of the Alaska Codfishing company late last night, is responsible for a number of recent holdups, which have baffled the department. A vigorous search is being made for Greenbaum's assailant but as only a meager description was obtained of the oriental, it is doubtful if a capture will be effected.

Gay World Condemns Fat.

The Empire and the Directors gown having come to stay, fatness is detestable to say "not in it." Fat ladies are threatened with being wiped off the map.

"No Craft at Gordon Falls!"

BETWEEN THE MOUNTAINS AND THE COLUMBIA RIVER WE HAVE LAND ENOUGH FOR A MANUFACTURING CITY OF 50,000 POPULATION, AND FROM THE APEX OF THESE LOFTY RANGES WE HAVE ROOM TO GROW FOOD ENOUGH TO SUPPORT THIS NUMBER OF PEOPLE.

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