BRYAN TALKS TO OMAHA CITIZENS

Says Speaker Cannon Is Like the Criminal Lawyer Who Was Friend of Burglars—Backed by Predatory Corporations.

(United Press Leased Wire.)

Omaha, Neb., Oct. 17.—Winding up his final electioneering trip in the western country, during which he crossed and recrossed the trail recently made by his opponent, Judge Taft, William J. Bryan tonight delivered four addresses in this city. The meetings were the climax of his campaign in his own state and on his departure for Lincoln tonight he said he was satisfied with the outlook not only in Nebraska but also in Colorado, Utah, Montana, Nevada, Idaho and the coast states.

The Bryan meetings here tonight were of the hurricane order, the candidate making his jumps from one hall to another in automobiles. In his speech at South Omaha he addressed himself to the laboring men, only basing his arguments on the labor planks of the Denver platform. In Omaha he addressed a large meeting in the auditorium and an overflow meeting outside.

He attacked Governor Hughes for vetoing the two-cent railroad rate law and then turned his attention to President Roosevelt and Speaker Cannon. Bryan said:

A Victory That Means Cannon.

"If the Republicans win, Mr. Cannon will be elected speaker, and what do you suppose Mr. Cannon will do in regard to tariff reform? It used to be said of a noted criminal lawyer that a burglar never entered a house to commit burglary without first making inquiries as to the health of this lawyer. And, my friends, no man in congress who plans a raid against the American people, does so without first getting a promise of recognition from the speaker of the house.

"He is backed by every predatory corporation in this country. If the Republicans win he will be speaker, and if they elect their national ticket his nearest friend will be president of the senate.

"What chance is there for any legislation in which the people are interested, if you elect a Republican congress and put Mr. Sherman at the head of a Republican senate?

"The Republicans say that if we win there will be a panic. There will be a panic in one family, all right, and that will be the Taft family, for Mr. Taft's federal salary will be withdrawn, for the first time in more than 20 years.

"Out on the street I saw a banner reading, 'A continuation of the Roosevelt policies.' Name a policy of President Roosevelt's that you want continued and I will point to a policy that I advocated before President Roosevelt ever advocated it. Why do you not say that you want a Republican to continue Bryan's policies and not Roosevelt's policies?

"What does he stand for? Railroad legislation? I have fought for it for 20 years. Prosecution of the trusts? I have demanded it for years. Reduction of the tariff? I have preached it in Nebraska for 20 years. Does he want an income tax? I helped to write the bill 14 years ago when they denounced me as a demagogue and a disturber of the peace.

"I welcome this man as a belated reformer, but they shall not steal my policies and claim credit for them.

"Name a policy that Mr. Taft stands for that you dare to defend, and I will show you a policy that I advocated before he ever understood public questions in this country."

GIRL JILTS HIM; THE GUN ROUTE

Revolver Discharge Hurls Oscar Larson From a 80-Foot Bridge.

(Special Dispatch to The Journal.)

Seattle, Wash., Oct. 17.—Oscar Larson, a young laborer from Sweden, who is said to be a member of a prominent family in the old country, attempted to blow his brains out while standing on the bridge of the Interurban railway late this afternoon. The shock of the pistol wound hurled the young man to the tide flats below, where he was found unconscious by City Detectives Frank Kennedy and Ed Griffith.

Despite his fall of 30 feet Larson suffered no serious effects. He was taken to the Wayside Emergency hospital, where attendants say that he will recover. Larson was drunk at the time of the attempted suicide. He says he is in love, and that the girl of his affections discarded him for a fruit peddler.

MONDAY DAY FOR SUPREME DECISIONS

Washington, Oct. 17.—Monday will be the first "decision day" for the October term of the supreme court of the United States. Among the pending cases upon which judgment may be rendered Monday is that of Bradley W. Palmer vs. the State of Texas, an appeal involving the famous Waters-Pierce Oil company, which was ousted from Texas under the state anti-trust laws and fined $1,600,000. The constitutionality of the Arkansas law relating to pools, conspiracies and trade combines is involved in the Hammond Packing company's appeal. The packing company was fined $10,000 by the state, and the referee does not come within the jurisdiction of the Arkansas law.

Pleasant Reading for the Fat

What a simple and inexpensive solving of the fat woman's problem the Marmola Prescription Tablets provide. She takes one of these harmless, pleasant, little tablets after each meal and at bedtime and loses from 12 to 16 ounces of fat each day, and yet suffers no harm, creates no disturbances inwardly, and produces no wrinkles. This elegant preparation (made exactly in accordance with the famous Marmola Prescription) has rendered exercising and dieting for the reduction of excess flesh as superfluous as a fifth wheel. A further recommendation is that it is the least expensive fat-reducer on the market, a large case (costing only 75 cents from any druggist, or by mail from the Marmola Company, Detroit, Mich.), containing a quantity of tablets large enough to give very decided results in most every case.

JAPAN GIVES OUR SHIPS WELCOME

Arrival of Atlantic Fleet Signal for Great Demonstration — The American Friends Society, 3,000 Strong, Greets Sailors.

Yokohama, Oct. 18.—The thirty-two warships of the American fleet arrived here at 9:30 this morning, and the city is now in the midst of a wild demonstration in their honor.

The American fleet was sighted here at 6 a. m., and steamed into the harbor three hours and a half later. As the thirty-two vessels in divisions entered the harbor in fine order, making an imposing sight, 16 Japanese men-of-war, anchored in the harbor, thundered an admiral's salute simultaneously, to which the thirty-two American vessels responded.

The arrival of the fleet was made the occasion of the most remarkable demonstration in the city's history. The American Friends' association, three thousand strong, composed of Japanese professing more than ordinary friendship for the United States, marched in a body to Perry's statue and led an ovation in honor of the American men-of-war. Simultaneously a gigantic display of fireworks was started, which continued for several hours.

United States Ambassador O'Brien came down to the shore, but, owing to diplomatic courtesy, did not board the vessels. Instead, he sent his wife aboard, and she was greeted by Admiral Sperry and his staff.

Later the mayor of Yokohama and his staff boarded the flagship and greeted the Americans in the name of Yokohama and Japan. Admiral Sperry and his staff returned this visit.

The best of feeling prevails here, and the American officers and bluejackets are being feted everywhere.

The newspapers all issue special editions lauding the Americans to the skies and declaring that America, through Commodore Perry, really discovered Japan and started her on the road to greatness.

When the American ships, one by one, were descried off the city, majestically advancing through the gray mists of the harbor, such a scene was in progress as Yokohama never saw before. Every street was thronged with enthusiastic people, and from all the surrounding country such a multitude streamed as eclipsed all previous demonstrations. In jinrikshas, in carriages and on foot, the nobility and the peasantry came in hordes to see the visible power of the nation which had first unsealed their country and given it the first start toward becoming a member of the family of nations.

Miles of Banners.

Along every street of the city the crowds pressed to the harbor between almost solid walls of American and Japanese flags intertwined. There were literally miles of banners, and about the harbor the buildings were in many cases almost hidden with the profusion of the stars and stripes and the rising sun of Nippon.

But an even greater scene of movement and color was the bay itself. Literally thousands of craft of all sorts, each and every one gaily bedecked, crowded the wharves, and no sooner were the big American fighters perceived than a general rush of boats was made for the anchorage.

When the 32 warships finally cast anchor in four lines of eight vessels each, their chains rattled out to such a roar of guns, such a bursting of fireworks, such a screaming of sirens and such a storm of shrill banzais, as almost to deafen the participants in the welcome as well as the blue-coated jackies in whose honor it was given. From every city of Japan parties of the ancient nobility came to see the pageant.

Prominent among the Americans who shared in the welcome were Francis J. Loomis, head of the American commission to the international exposition; Secretary O'Loughlin, and a delegation of business men from the Pacific Coast who were touring Japan. They came in a special train from Tokio, and were but a few of those living under the stars and stripes whose deep hurrahs mingled with the cry of their Japanese hosts.

With the greeting of the fleet many of Japan's greatest men are quoted today in expressions of regard for America, excerpts from some of which follow:

Words of Welcome.

Prince Ito—"The whole people of Japan unite in extending a most warm and sincere welcome to their guests on the American battleship fleet. I hope our friendship and commercial relations with the United States will be more closely cemented by this auspicious event."

Prince Yamagata—"I welcome the American fleet as an evidence of friendship, and also as a guarantee of the peace of the world."

Marquis Kabuy—"I welcome the American warships with the most profound appreciation of the important results which are expected to follow the coming of this magnificent fleet in such a hearty spirit of good will."

Admiral Count Togo—"I sincerely hope that the fleets of America and Japan may be the happy means of uniting the two nations in eternal bonds, whose security shall be guaranteed by the men and ships of both countries."

Baron Ishi—"The Japanese people rejoice universally in the advent of the American fleet, which recalls the mission of Commodore Perry and his squadron, an event cherished in the memory of every Japanese."

(Hearst News by Longest Leased Wire.)

Tokio, Oct. 17.—In its Sunday issue the Kokumin Shimbun, on behalf of the Japanese government and people, will extend a cordial welcome to the American battleship fleet. It will say that the Japanese squadron under Vice-Admiral Ijuin, who attended the Jamestown tercentenary celebration, will leave nothing undone to make the fleet's stay as enjoyable as possible.

The present season of the year is ideal for festivities in Tokio. The presence of the warships, the government organ will say, with the visit of an American commission to the Tokio exposition and the action taken by the Pacific coast chambers of commerce, will defeat the malevolent attempts of busy nobodies to alienate the United States.

"America and Japan, 'the Kokumin Shimbun will add, 'are sisters, traveling peacefully hand in hand toward the same goal in the far east. Both stanchly adhere to the policy of the open door and equal opportunities. In the past a complete agreement has existed for the promotion of their common interests and nothing prevents this from being the case in the future. The many promontories and headlands will give the expectant people of Japan the best possible view of the great fleet, the visit of which a little more than half a century after that of Commodore Perry is indeed a timely and powerful proof of unbroken friendship.

"The 16 battleships, representative of the noble traditions of American justice, come to our shores as heralds of peace. The fleet's sojourn is too brief, but it will strengthen the impression that an understanding exists between the two governments, the relations between which were never before so cordial as at present. Japan fervently desires to cooperate with America in the promotion of the common welfare and is confident that the memory of the fleet's visit will be an enduring pledge of true and permanent affection."

The other newspapers of Tokio are equally cordial in their expressions concerning the visit of the fleet, which they await.

FRAUD MILL GRINDS SLOW

Two Weeks at Least Will Be Occupied in Trying Curry County Conspiracy Case—Only Three Witnesses Examined Thus Far.

The greater part of the week will be required by the prosecution in examining its witnesses in the case of the United States against the five defendants who were connected with the Pacific Furniture & Lumber company, now on trial before Judge Wolverton on a charge of having conspired to defraud the government of something like 80,000 acres of timber lands in Curry county.

So far, the trial having been going on for a week, three witnesses have been called for the government. The first few days of the week were consumed in arguing a demurrer made by the defense and in making the selection of the jurors. The witnesses so far have been William T. Kerr, indicted and who has pleaded guilty, formerly in charge of the Pacific Furniture & Lumber company's ousiness at Port Orford; Orin L. Lewis of Los Angeles, a locomotive engineer, and his wife, Mrs. Mary C. Lewis.

Allege Huntley Involved.

The defendants are Jeremiah Huntley, Dr. A. H. Hedderly, William H. Smith, Lee R. Myers and Richard Hynes.

By the introduction of letters and bills and other evidence the counsel for the government claim that they have made a showing that Jeremiah Huntley was connected with the conspiracy. Contracts were exhibited which had been made between Huntley and the other officials whereby he was to get $25 in fees for each of the 50 claims that were filed in the interest of the company. The testimony of the Lewises was to show William H. Smith's connection as an officer in the concern.

Mrs. Lewis' Story.

Mrs. Lewis had been urged to take stock in the company, one share at $100. She took the stock. She was also urged to make a trip to Port Orford to look over the land. She said she hadn't the money and Mrs. Lewis testified that Smith had offered to pay her expenses. Mr. Lewis was also on the stand yesterday. The officers had first offered him a position. Later the husband and wife became suspicious and withdrew their interests and got out of the deal completely. This was not until after Mrs. Lewis had gone to Curry county and made an entry. She did not prove up, however.

Jurors May Attend Church.

The jurors in the case will be taken to church today, if they wish to attend. They are being taken care of at a house in West Part street rented regularly by the government for the convenience of the jurymen who are all kept together.

Yesterday at noon when court adjourned until Monday morning Judge Wolverton was asked by the counsel for both sides to allow the jurors to attend the horse show in the afternoon or evening as they desired.

Tracy C. Becker and John McCourt, United States district attorney for Oregon, are the attorneys for the prosecution, while John Manning, of Portland, and Marcus C. McLamore, of Los Angeles, are the attorneys for the five defendants.

Notaries Commissioned.

(Salem Bureau of The Journal.)

Salem, Or., Oct. 17.—Commissions as notaries have been issued to George P. Dekum, H. H. Parker, E. J. Godman, W. E. Thomas, W. G. Espey, and Robert H. Thomas, Portland; George T. Cochran, La Grande; R. J. McIsaac, Mt. Hood; and H. Hirschberg, Independence.

PIANO BUYING

The buying of a piano is an important transaction. There are many different makes of pianos, and there are many dealers.

Sherman, Clay & Co. are an old, well-known established house and carry the finest line of high-grade, dependable pianos to be found in any house on the coast. They sell new pianos as low as $265, $275, $290, $300 and up to the incomparable Steinway at $575 and up. Used pianos from $150 to $225.

The following list is remarkable and you will recognize the names—names as familiar as the names of old friends—Steinway, A. B. Chase, Everett, Conover, Packard, Kingsbury, Ludwig, Estey, Emerson, Kurtzmann, Wellington, A. B. Chase Player Piano; Kingsbury, Carola and Euphona Inner Players.

Convenient monthly payments may be arranged.

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Sixth and Morrison, Opposite Postoffice.

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51 N. THIRD ST.

FIRE THREATENS LIVES OF SIXTY

St. Louis, Mo., Oct. 17.—Fire, believed to be of incendiary origin, broke out at 1:30 this morning in the John W. Reinhart Starch factory, Fifteenth and Market streets and threatened the lives of nearly 60 people. The flames gained great headway before discovered and were with difficulty kept from spreading to an adjoining boarding house where ten families live. Policemen rushed through the building and alarmed the occupants who fled in their night clothes. A panic was created in the neighborhood and several women fainted from fright.

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5,974	Farms of	10 Acres

A Lot at Lakeview Free With Every Tract

These rich, well-watered lands and the outlying grazing lands, the cream of the old Oregon Military Road land grant, extend through lower Lake and Harney counties. Good wells are struck at a depth of 12 to 20 feet. It is claimed this is the last low-priced tract of desirable lands located in a white man's country, with a charming climate, left on this continent today. There is now offered for sale a tract of 300,000 acres of as fine land as can be found in the world, and this magnificent property, large enough for 11,992 Farms and Homes, is being practically given away to the 11,992 persons who apply for a Farm before they are all sold. In addition to the Farm, each purchaser is given a business or residence lot in the additions to Lakeview, the county seat and the coming metropolis of Southern Oregon. The farms range in size from 10 acres to 1,000 acres, a contract calling for one undivided farm and one lot and other rights together will be sold for only $200, payable $10 a month. There is practically no limit to the variety of crops that can be raised on this land. The soil is rich and fertile—a veritable mine of agricultural wealth—and the yield and production of Fruit can hardly be excelled. It has been said that one good investment beats a lifetime of labor. Here is your opportunity. Put your monthly savings where you will have something worth while at the end of the year.

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NUMEROUS POINTS STILL MISUNDERSTOOD BY MANY AS REGARDS PIANO VALUES AND PIANO-BUYING WILL BE PRESENTED IN A STRIKING AND NOVEL MANNER — ANY HOME NOW WITHOUT PIANO OR ORGAN OR PIANOLA PIANO WILL BE INTENSELY INTERESTED AND SHOULD ORDER AN EXTRA COPY OF NEXT TUESDAY AFTERNOON'S JOURNAL.

Very few men and women buy more than one piano or other musical instrument in a lifetime. This is the reason why there are not many who are posted upon piano values and piano-selling conditions. This is the reason, also, we may add, why so much misinformation in regard to this business is permitted to be circulated.

With the aid of manufacturers represented by Eilers Piano House, a most far-reaching campaign of piano advertising and piano-selling will be inaugurated next Tuesday afternoon. It will pay to secure an extra copy of The Journal on that day. Many will be given opportunity to secure a piano or other musical instrument free.

Numerous points not now thoroughly understood by the public will be carefully explained. It will be a "looking behind the scenes," as it were.

Competition in the piano trade is severe. The more or less plausible arguments for the purpose of effecting sales will be presented and analyzed.

The situation pertaining to branch houses and consignment agencies, and their inability to compete openly with a concern such as Eilers Piano House, will be impartially explained.

The system of selling through commission agents, and parties who pose as experts, and its cost to the buyer, will be exposed.

Much light will be thrown upon the "wholesaling" of pianos to retail buyers.

Some astonishing exposures of "confidential" (!) discounts of "holier-than-thou" houses, claiming for themselves much virtue as a "one-price" house (meaning in reality almost a double price) will be made.

The many mysterious and really flimsy claims for superiority of this or that make will be dissected.

In short, a careful and unbiased analysis will be made in this article and subsequent ones, which we believe will demonstrate to any thinking man and woman in the west that if all dealers were honest in their representations and admissions there would be but one place in Oregon supplying the musical wants of the west—which concern, needless to say, would be Eilers Piano House.

We realize fully that the northwest is developing rapidly. Thousands of homes are being established each month which should be posted upon the question of piano and musical instrument buying.

We are not blind to the fact that the piano trade cannot possibly be centered altogether in one house. Nor do we wish to have it appear that we deny any honest concern the right to pursue a straightforward musical instrument business.

But the buyer has a right to know as to where he or she is able to do the best for him or herself.

From its inception it has been the object of Eilers Piano House to furnish the very best of everything in the musical instrument line at the lowest possible cost. Eilers Piano House has the facilities in every way to do this. Eilers Piano House possesses advantages which no other organization enjoys.

The record shows that out of 10,000 instruments sold, 7,749 were supplied by Eilers Piano House; 2,251 came from all other houses combined.

In the forthcoming campaign it will be our aim to give the widest possible publicity to the situation as we see it, with a view also to still further increasing the percentage of total sales in our favor.

It will be an interesting campaign, and we repeat it will pay to read carefully next Tuesday afternoon's Journal, and to order an extra copy.

EILERS PIANO HOUSE.

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We are the Portland agents for this celebrated line of Stoves, their name alone being a guarantee of quality. They make the most complete line of Stoves and Ranges. We have the largest assortment of Stoves shown in this city, ranging in price from $1.50 to $40.00 each.

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Highly nickeled, swing top and footrail.

18-inch, price	$9.00
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18-inch, with end door, price	$10.00
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Highest grade Airtight stove manufactured, fitted with extra large feed door.

18-inch, price	$13.50
20-inch, price	$14.50
22-inch, price	$16.50
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SUPERIOR HOT BLAST

FOR COAL. This stove is fitted with a hot blast tube, which insures no fuel being wasted. Will hold fire for 36 hours. High finish.

12-inch, price	$14.50
14-inch, price	$16.50
16-inch, price	$19.00
18-inch, price	$22.00

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Reversible Flue Heater. Heat radiates from every square inch of its surface, because it is drawn downward through both side openings. Will hold fire for 36 hours with soft coal and 44 hours with hard coal. Price $27.00.

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