

# BRYAN UNMASKS RAILWAY COERCION

## Denounces Vanderbilt Magnates for Trying to Scare Employees, in Taft's Behalf, With Prediction of a Wageless Panic to Follow Election.

(United Press Leased Wire.)  
Mount Vernon, Ohio, Oct. 21.—Declaring that the officials of the Vanderbilt railroad system are attempting to coerce and intimidate their employees into voting the Republican ticket, William J. Bryan made a bitter attack upon General Manager Van Wickie, Vice-President Schaff and Assistant Superintendent Ingalls in his speech here today. His arraignment of the railroad officials caused a big sensation.

The attack was the result of speeches by the three officials to the employees of the Vanderbilt system at Bellfontaine, Ohio, last night. They declared that a Democratic victory meant a cut in wages as the result of a depression which would be sure to follow the election of Bryan.

Bryan characterized this statement as a threat against the action of Van Wickie, Schaff and Ingalls was "coercion and a crime against the franchise that should not be allowed to go unpunished."

Confronted With Wrath.  
"Confronted with the wrath of the people whose earnings they have taken for their own," the predatory corporations threaten a panic if the people elect me," said Bryan. "Taft was in the president's cabinet when the panic of last year started, and he and the strenuous president could not prevent the panic how little chance there is for him alone to do so."

"I am making a fight to restore business competition, not to destroy business," Bryan called attention to the fact that Ingalls is the son-in-law of Charles P. Taft.

Bryan will go to New York after giving one day, instead of the rest of the week, to West Virginia. He will not visit Maryland or New Jersey.

Bryan declared today that Ohio had been won for the Democrats.

He is scheduled to make 15 speeches in this state today before leaving for West Virginia.

**Bryan in Kentucky.**  
Bryan devoted a few hours of last night to his excursion into Kentucky. He crossed from New Albany, Ind., at the close of a day that had been unusually busy for him. He made a long journey through the mountains in his honor. From the time he crossed the state line until his departure at a late hour, he was the center of a wildly enthusiastic demonstration that had not an instant's cessation.

He was escorted through a living lake to the gates of the hotel where he delivered three addresses, one at Phoenix hall, one in the park and one just outside the gates.

In all these addresses Bryan repeated his charge that the Republicans were expecting to buy the election, a purgative was possible, and declared that a high tariff was a breeder of panics.

**Manfield, Ohio, Oct. 21.**—In his address here today Bryan promised that if he was elected president he would have a representative of labor in his cabinet and seek to have the anti-trust law amended preventing its application to labor unions. He declared that he would urge upon congress the passage of a law guaranteeing trials in labor injunctions and contempt proceedings.

In closing, Bryan declared that he was not nominated with the aid of the president, had no corporations to threaten its employees with discharge if they did not favor his election, and had no rich relatives to contribute money for the circulation of elections.

head and threatening her every moment.

**Stella Timmons' History.**  
The dead woman, who was young and pretty, came to this city with her husband-slayer a short time before they took the room in which the crime was committed. Just previous to this she had lived in Portland. It is believed that 147 Tibbitts street. She was an orphan. An unmarried sister, Edna B. Bogart, and an uncle, Mr. Bogart, live at Eugene. The uncle is a farmer and is said to be quite well known.

The murdered woman lived some time in Eugene and Oswego, Or. From the latter place it is believed she went to Toledo, Wash., where she met and married Timmons after which the couple went to Portland.

**Brother in Portland.**  
Timmons is a plasterer, 37 years of age, who comes from Lexington, Neb., and is a brother of Mrs. Timmons, also a plasterer, who lived in this city a number of years ago and is now said to be a well-to-do workman in Portland.

Timmons, when questioned this morning, while unable to speak, nodded his head in the affirmative when asked if he had committed the crime. Awaiting the outcome of his injuries, he is held confined in the Salem hospital. When the murderer was realized his murderous tendencies, for yesterday he took his child wife to an attorney to arrange for a divorce.

**MRS. TIMMONS KNOWN IN EUGENE**  
(Special Dispatch to The Journal.)  
Eugene, Or., Oct. 21.—Mrs. Stella Timmons, wife of Elias Timmons, was the daughter of Andrew Bogart, a former well known Lane county resident, who has been dead several years. She was the niece of Mrs. Wm. J. Bogart, farmer, living near Eugene, and John and Charles Bogart, of Lebanon.

The young woman was married to Timmons two years ago.

The pair were in Eugene two weeks ago, visiting relatives, and they expected to return here next week where Timmons was to work at his trade of plasterer.

Stella and her sister Edna, after their parents died several years ago, were left to look for themselves. Stella was an inmate of the Boys' and Girls' Aid society at Portland for some time. She was not a wayward girl but had no home and was sent here to be taken care of. Relatives here know of no trouble between her and her husband that led to the murder.

**TAYLOR IS SAFE**  
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lor had died from bullet wounds, having been unable to find trace of him.

**Bitter Feud.**  
The riders had been bitter toward Rankin and Taylor ever since a notable fight at Reel Foot lake announcing that any one trespassing thereon would be prosecuted Monday. Taylor and Rankin are wealthy and prominent residents of this section. They were taken prisoners by about 30 riders. The capture took place at the Ward hotel in the town of Walnut Log. Three men were seized, Rankin, Taylor and a man named Powell. Powell made his escape when the riders were trying to stop Taylor in his dash for freedom. The entire country is aroused and the authorities now have the names of some of the riders. It is a foregone conclusion that part of it, if not nearly all of the members of the

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desperate gang will be taken prisoners or driven out of the state.

Taylor said he and Captain Rankin had been hounded immediately after they left the Ward hotel with the night riders and that the bandages were not removed from their eyes until they reached Reel Foot lake.

**See Father Waged.**  
The bandages were then removed and he was compelled to look on while his partner was hanged to a tree and his bodyiddled with bullets.

Then a noose was thrown about Taylor's neck and he would have been hanged had not some of the night riders interrupted the proceedings with a demand for his release on his promise that he would secure for them the fishing rights in Reel Foot lake, over which the feud started.

This precipitated a discussion. Some wanted to hold the aged attorney until they could get the fishing concession and others wanted to kill him at once, while the men were arguing Taylor escaped. He swam across a bayou with bullets from the revolvers of the night riders raining around him.

After a terrible journey through the swamps, Taylor reached Tiptonville. He will be an important witness before the grand jury that has been called to investigate the murder. He said today that he recognized some of the men.

The sheriff of five counties and their posse, aided by three companies of militia, are searching for the night riders. The militia is under the command of Colonel W. C. Tatum, and is being directed by Governor Patterson, who

has offered a reward of \$10,000 for the arrest of the murderers.

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**How to Wash Cut Glass.**  
It is best to use a wooden tub for washing cut glass, but if one is not at hand, pad the metal dish sink with soiled glass linen towels or any soft piece of cotton. Wash the glass in warm suds, made by dissolving a teaspoonful of Gold Dust washing powder in a pan of warm water; use a soft brush to clean the surface, rinse in water of the same temperature. After the glass has been carefully dried on glass linen, use a camel's hair brush to polish the cut surface. To clean the inside of water bottles, insert a very thin glass linen towel and force to all parts of the bottle with a wire holder that can be purchased at any five cent counter.

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