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MAJOR MCKINLEY ON CONFIDENCE

Interesting Remarks to Visiting Delegations Yesterday.

CONFIDENCE THE MAGIC WAND

Its Absence From the Business World Is One of the Causes of General Depression--Reasons Advanced to Show that Confidence Will Be Restored When the Tariff Has Again Been Adjusted.

Canton, O., Oct. 2.—After nearly a week of continuous rain and wind, which conditions have greatly interfered with the reception of delegations by Major McKinley...

MCKINLEY'S SPEECH. It gives me special pleasure to meet at my home in a joint meeting the citizens of the state of West Virginia...

WEST INDIA HURRICANE. Boats, Wharves and Small Houses Are Demolished by a Big Tidal Wave. Property Loss Is Heavy.

Savannah, Ga., Oct. 2.—A letter from Cedar Keys, Fla., dated Oct. 1, says: The West India hurricane, of which the weather bureau has said is the worst since Cedar Keys about 3:30 o'clock Tuesday morning and left a scene of wreckage and devastation in its wake...

OTHERS WHO FEEL CONFIDENCE. The railroad company feels it when it extends its line and gets new equipment and improves its old equipment...

Griffith Speculated. Baltimore, Oct. 2.—M. H. Griffith, 63 years old, was arrested tonight at Mount Vernon hotel on a telegram from Chief of Police William B. Waits of Boston...

Counter Lowers the Record. Denver, Co., Oct. 2.—On a soft track, wet in places, Clint R. Counter lowered the world's record for an unimpeded mile day, making the distance in 59 1/5 which is 1-15 seconds under all previous records...

BRYAN TALKS TO WEST VIRGINIANS

He Speaks to Ten Thousand People at Charleston.

MONEY QUESTION THE MAIN ISSUE

The Speaker Follows Up the Old Line of Argument and Claims that the Republicans Are More Opposed to the Income Tax and the Anti-Junction Planks Than to Free Silver.

Charleston, Kanawha county, W. Va., Oct. 2.—In the chill morning that sent shivers down the spinal columns of his audients, William J. Bryan began another day of campaigning at Point Pleasant, W. Va. Mr. Bryan, who had left Wheeling shortly after midnight on the 29th, accompanied by Governor MacCorkle, Congressman McMillin, of Tennessee, National Committeeman McGraw, of West Virginia, and a party of state politicians, reached Point Pleasant at 6 o'clock.

Hastily slipping on his trousers and buttoning his overcoat about his throat, Bryan stepped out on the platform and made a short speech. About a thousand people heard him. A reception committee of thirty-five men, headed by Governor MacCorkle and E. Willis Wilson, boarded the train at Red House. There was a big crowd there, but his cheers were not sufficient to waken Mr. Bryan, who had gone to his berth after leaving Point Pleasant. Charleston gave the candidate a hearty reception. His train arrived at 9:30 a. m. and was greeted by a big assembly of people at the railway station. A long procession escorted the candidate about the streets, and then to the city park, where he made a speech to a large number of people in the course of which he said: "I find here upon the platform Democrats, Republicans, Populists, members of all parties who, while differing among themselves on many questions, are united in their determination to restore to the people of this country the gold and silver coinage of the constitution. I believe that in this campaign we are entitled to the support of all political parties who believe still in a government of the people, by the people, and for the people. (Cheers.) We may differ upon the application of fundamental principles to the various questions that arise, but we are all agreed upon the policy suggested by various parties, but my friends, whenever any party in this nation denies the ability of the nation to have such financial policy as the American people want, I have the three other questions disappear and we stand united to vindicate the right of self-government."

AMPLE EXCUSE.

"Those who have been Republicans in the past, I have no doubt, are entitled to the support of the time the party was organized find ample excuse for departing from that party this year. I have no doubt that you will find that the Republican party would find gold and silver as standard money, and even went so far as to denounce the Democratic party for trying to do so. (Applause.) I believe that platform, adopted by the Republican national convention of 1888 and see how it tried to turn the indignation of the people against the Democratic administration had been hostile to silver and on that platform the Republican party was elected in 1892. The national convention of the Republican party declared that the American people, from tradition and interest, were tax payers and would not give up gold and silver as standard money. Mr. Bryan maintained that one of the best evidences that the silver idea was the correct one was found in the fact that all the great states combinations are against the Democratic party. He followed up his old line of argument on the basis of the statement of the presence of large numbers of voters who were to free silver. He maintained, as heretofore, that the money question was the main issue and that the people should have a choice of legislation. He spoke of a four dollar and a cheap dollar, in language substantially the same as used heretofore. He said that the law of supply and demand as applied to the dollar and other special train was provided by the West Virginia state committee for Mr. Bryan's journey. Huntington, Gov. MacCorkle accompanied Mr. Bryan. The train left at 11:45 o'clock, eastern time.

THE YELLOW BADGES. Ohio, Kentucky and West Virginia contributed to the throng that heard William J. Bryan speak here this afternoon. Excursion trains were run from a number of places and the Democratic nominee and his party arrived had assumed formidable proportions. Mountaineers came in on horseback and a-foot; people were landed from the river steamers and together Mr. Bryan had a picturesque audience as he has ever addressed. One noticeable feature of the gathering was the presence of a number of men, women and children, wearing yellow paper bearing the one word "McKinley." So conspicuous were they that the people have deposited with them for security. (Cheers.) "But, my friends, this campaign will demonstrate whether the people are to be ruled by the few or by the many. It is going to be a government of syndicates, by syndicates and for syndicates. The rest of the speech was devoted to an explanation of the 53 cent dollar and to statements about impossibility of the Mexican dollar in America."

WATSON WAILS.

Says That He Has Been Badly Treated in the Fusion Affair.

Altoona, Ga., Oct. 2.—Thomas E. Watson will neither affirm nor deny the report that he contemplates retiring from the Populist ticket. To a representative of the United Associated Presses he said this morning that he had no comment to make as to published reports further than to state that his retirement would defeat Bryan because the Middle-of-the-Road Populists would vote for McKinley before they would for Bryan.

NEW YORK FAILURES.

New York, Oct. 2.—The Hastings Card and Paper company assigned today. J. W. Xford, the assignee, said that the liabilities are \$75,000 and nominal assets \$85,000. Lesser Bros., wholesale dealers in clothing, West Fourth street, also failed today with liabilities estimated at \$100,000.

TROUBLE BREWING WITH SPAIN

Fight at Jacksonville May Provoke More Complications.

THE SPANISH CONSUL FLOGGED

Lively Fight Occurs, in Which Cuban Sympathizers and Government Men Were Prominent--The Spanish Minister at Washington Demands Satisfaction.

Philadelphia, Oct. 2.—A story came here today from Jacksonville, Fla., which, if true, may still further complicate the relations between this country and Spain. The story is to the effect that the fight occurred there yesterday between a party of Cuban sympathizers and the Spanish consul there and some Pinkerton detectives, in which the latter party was worsted. The Spanish consul and the detectives were observing the movements of the Cubans, whose leader was Carlos Céspedes, of this city, who is well known as an active opponent of Spain. The Cubans discovered the Espionage they were under and turned upon the consul and the latter in a severe drubbing. The consul communicated the affair to the Spanish minister at Washington and the latter is said to have made a demand upon President Cleveland for reparation for an assault upon a Spanish consul and the insult resulting therefrom to the crown of Spain. It was also stated today that the famous little filibustering steamer Laurada is suspected of being about to run another filibustering expedition to Cuba. The Laurada has been held at Wilmington, Del. by the federal authorities for some time on account of the last trip she made to Cuba, and only today was her clearance papers for Halifax. The treasury officials are said to be in possession of information that the Laurada will take off an expedition from the Atlantic City, and the leadership of General Carlos. If the government's information is correct and it has sufficient proof of the expedition, the consul there will feel little trouble in putting a stop to it, as tonight the Laurada is still in the Delaware river.

SPORTSMEN'S MEETING.

Sixth Annual Tournament of the State Association--Over 1,500 Pigeons Shot--Scores Made.

Harrisburg, Oct. 2.—The sixth annual tournament of the State Sportsmen's Association, one of the most successful in its history, was held here today. Over 1,500 pigeons were shot at the event. The L. C. Smith trophy, the first event, was won by the Hazleton team. There were four teams represented—Harrisburg, Reading, Philadelphia, and Luzerne. The highest result was 29 out of 46 birds, the score being: Hazleton, 29; Reading, 12; Strub, 15; Adkinson, 12; total 39. Harrisburg association, Brewster 13; Henry 11; Harlow 11, total 38. Reading association, Harrison 12; Moore 1; Coldren 14; total 28. Keystone of Philadelphia--Wolstencroft 14; Landis 12; Thurman 11, total 38. Luzerne division, chief prize of \$22; Harrisburg and Philadelphia divided the second money and Reading got third money. The first open event was won by Bartlett, Howard and Helkes, with six each, the prizes being divided. The second open event, in which money was taken, resulted as follows: Haywood, 13; Howard, 13; Thurman, 12; No. 4 open, miss and out event, was won by Haywood, Bartlett and Wellington, with a score of 7 each, the prize being divided. The shoot for the Williamsport trophy and state championship resulted: Burnham, 13; Macbeth, 14; J. Thurman, 15; Adams, 12; Nesbitt, 13; Brewster, 15; Runk, 14; Sear, 14; H. Thurman, 14; Adkinson, 12; Denny, 12; Harrison, 9; Harlow, 11; Strub, 12; Wellington, 11; Coldren, 10; total 137. In the shoot off J. Thurman and Brewster were tied four times on five birds. In the fifth Brewster lost a bird and Thurman won by 24 to 23. The average winners in the miss and out events were \$10 to each voter. The next tournament will be held in Oil City.

FIRES AT JAMAICA.

Two-thirds of the Town of Jamaica Destroyed by Flames.

New York, Oct. 2.—The steamer Andes which arrived this afternoon from Jamaican ports, brought news of the great fire which destroyed two-thirds of the town of Jamaica on September 19, 20 and 21. The fire originated on the hill near the Catholic church and completely destroyed that edifice. The flames burned seaward and burned all the houses and stores between the hill and the sea. No water could be obtained at any time during the fire, which raged from Saturday morning until Tuesday night, when the Andes left. In that night the fire was still smoldering. The loss sustained is estimated at \$5,000,000. The fire is supposed to be the work of an incendiary. Great distress prevails.

SILK MILL BURNED.

Plainfield Visited by a Fierce Conflagration.

Plainfield, N. J., Oct. 2.—The silk mill at Sterling, six miles from this city, owned by H. Alfred Streuli, of New York, was burned at an early hour this morning. The fire started in the fire fighting facilities of the town the flames could not be extinguished. The building was 300 feet long and three stories high. The estimated loss is \$200,000, partly covered by insurance. The mill employed 150 hands at the present time, but in times of prosperity gives employment to 300 people.

Mr. Hobart Entertains.

Paterson, N. J., Oct. 2.—There was an informal dinner at Hon. Garrett A. Hobart's home tonight. The guests were Mark Hanna, John V. Foster, General Powell Clayton, Governor Briggs, Francis Murphy, Hobart, W. C. Clegg, Joseph H. Manley, of Maine, and Osborne Scott, of the national Republican executive committee.

Carlisle Will Not Divide.

Washington, Oct. 2.—Secretary Carlisle has formally declined the invitation to divide time with Senator Blackburn in any speech he may deliver in Kentucky during the pending campaign.

THE NEWS THIS MORNING.

- Weather Indications Today: Fair; Northerly Winds. 1 Major McKinley Addresses Two Delegations. 2 Bryan's West Virginia Tour. A Spanish Consul Drubbed. 3 Bismarck's Ideas of Bimetallism. Dan's Weekly Review of Trade. 4 (Local)—Monster Parade for Oct. 10. Cornelius Smith's Answer. Court Matters. 5 Editorial. 6 Billions to Be Made by Fiat. 7 (Local)—Republican Banner Is Swung to the Breeze. 8 John Raymond Institute Students Meet. Endeavor Arrangements. 9 Social and Personal. 10 Religious News of the Week. World of Music. 11 Suburban Happenings. Wall Street Review and Markets. 12 Gold Has Not Appreciated. Prospectors' Life in Alaska. The American Shipping Question. 13 Herald's Weather Forecast. New York, Oct. 3.—In the middle states, today, cloudy weather will prevail, preceded by cloudiness and possibly heavy rain on coasts, and slight temperature changes and fresh northwesterly to north-easterly winds. On Sunday, partly cloudy, slightly warmer weather will prevail, with fresh northeasterly winds, possibly increasing to a dangerous velocity on the coast, should the report of a cyclonic disturbance now apparently near Cuba be confirmed.

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11-4 Chaska Blankets, White or Grey. 3.65
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