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RATES OF ADVERTISING: One Square, one inch, one week... \$ 1.00 One Square, one inch, one month... 3.00 One Square, one inch, 3 months... 5.00 One Square, one inch, one year... 15.00 Two Squares, one year... 30.00 Quarter Column, one year... 30.00 Half Column, one year... 50.00 One Column, one year... 100.00 Legal advertisements ten cents per line each insertion.

W. J. BRYAN NAMED.

DEMOCRATIC CONVENTION NOMINATED THE NEBRASKAN.

Adlai E. Stevenson, of Illinois, Was Selected For Second Place on the Ticket. Silver Republicans Have the Same Ticket—Democratic Platform For It to 1.

KANSAS CITY, July 7.—The Democratic national convention nominated William J. Bryan, of Nebraska, for president, and Adlai E. Stevenson, of Illinois, for vice president.

The platform contains the following: We, the representatives of the Democratic party of the United States, assemble in national convention on the anniversary of the adoption of the Declaration of Independence.

We declare that all governments in which the people are not sovereign, but in which the government is the sovereign, are tyrannies, and that to impose upon a people a government of force is to substitute the rule of the sword for that of a republic.

We demand the prompt and honest fulfillment of our pledge to the Cuban people and the world that the United States has no disposition to interfere with the sovereignty, jurisdiction or control over the island of Cuba except for its pacification.

We condemn and denounce the Philippine policy of the present administration. It has involved the republic in unnecessary war, sacrificed the lives of many of our noblest sons and placed the United States, previously known and applauded throughout the world as the champion of freedom, in the false and unpopulous position of meddling with another people's affairs.

We are not opposed to territorial expansion in the desirable territories which can be erected into states of the United States.

We favor expansion by every peaceful and legitimate means. But we are unalterably opposed to seizing or purchasing of distant islands to be governed outside the constitution and whose people can never become citizens.

We are in favor of extending the republic's influence among the nations, but believe that influence should be extended, not by force and violence but through the persuasive power of a high and honorable example.

The importance of other questions now pending before the American people is in no wise diminished and the Democratic party takes no backward step from its position on them, but the burning issue of imperialism growing out of the Spanish war involves the very existence of the republic and the destruction of our free institutions.

PLACE FOR A VAST MILITARY SERVICE AND CONScription.

In danger the volunteer soldier is his country's best defender. The national guard of the United States should ever be cherished in the patriotic hearts of a free people.

Private monopolies are indefensible and intolerable. They destroy competition, control the price of all material, and of the finished product, thus robbing both producer and consumer.

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DUNN'S REVIEW OF TRADE.

Figures on the Failures For the First Half of 1900—Some Other Features.

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EVENTS OF A WEEK.

NEWS OF THE WORLD BRIEFLY NARRATED.

The War in the Philippines, Crimes, Tragic Star Happenings, Foreign, Business and Other Events Botted Down For the Reader in a Hurry.

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FOREIGN LEGATIONS.

SAFE ON JULY 4.

Foreign Consuls at Shanghai Held in the Announcement—Counter Revolution in Peking.

SHANGHAI, July 9.—The foreign consuls at Shanghai met on July 7 and officially announced that the legations at Peking were safe on July 4.

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RECORD OF CRIMES.

Charles Jennings, Thomas Bradley, Robert Henry and Joseph Aman are in custody, charged with causing the death of an unknown man, supposed to be a sailor, at American and South streets, Philadelphia, by knocking him down.

John Hopkins, 27 years, died of injuries received in a street fight at Philadelphia. Victor Spencer, 31 years old, his alleged assailant, was in custody.

John Bridges, of Philadelphia, was mysteriously shot, near Ancora, N. J., fighting at Tien-Tsin.

Five people were killed by the explosion of gas in a damaged and leaking tank car, at Parkersburg, W. Va.

Thirty-five people were killed by a street car jumping into a gulch, at Tacoma.

NEWS OF FOREIGN LANDS. The consuls at Shanghai report that the Peking legations were safe on July 4.

A cablegram from United States Consul General Goodnow, at Shanghai, dated July 7, said that the legations were standing on the 3d inst., and that the recent attack of the Boxers had been slight.

The state department received a lengthy report from Minister Conger, at Peking, under date of May 21, giving particulars of the Boxer outrages and the steps taken by himself and other ministers to warn the Chinese government of the gravity of the situation, and to demand protection.

The Chinese were profuse in promises, declaring that troops had been sent to the disturbed district and a secret proclamation given to the viceroy which would insure the restoration of order.

Minister Conger was appealed to by the Chinese foreign office not to ask for a guard of marines for the legation, as he threatened.

What Mr. Conger has to say as to the attitude of the Chinese government toward the Boxer movement, as revealed in the formal interchange that took place between himself and the Tsung Li Yamen, is not only of peculiar interest now, but probably will have a strong bearing on the final reckoning that must be had between the civilized nations and the Chinese.



WILLIAM J. BRYAN.

FOUR FIREMEN KILLED.

Nine Also Injured in a Fire at Pittsburgh Property Loss About \$125,000.

PITTSBURGH, July 9.—Fire in the china and brick-warehouse store of T. G. Evans & Co., at 355 Fifth avenue, resulted in the death of four firemen and serious injury to nine others.

The fire broke out at 10:30 p. m. and spread rapidly, burning for several hours before being extinguished. The loss is estimated at \$125,000.

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