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## PARKER'S BAD BREAK

His Attitude On Pension Issue Will Cost Him Many Votes.

### KEYSTONE VETERANS AROUSED

The Young Men Like President Roosevelt's Candor and His Patriotism and Are Rallying to His Banner.

[Special Correspondence.]

Harrisburg, Sept. 27.

Judge Parker's letter of acceptance, like his speech to the committee of the Democratic convention, fell very flat. It did not arouse enthusiasm in his own party, and among Republicans it was accepted as another evidence of his unfitness for the presidency. The Democratic candidate for president presents no new issues, and he has failed to favorably impress the people on anything he has to say on any subject.

In Pennsylvania, where there are so many veterans of the civil war and so many sons of veterans and widows of old soldiers, the attitude of the Democratic candidate on the pension issue will cost him thousands of votes.

Parker and his party declare that "the protective tariff is robbery," and would let down the bars to foreign imports at the expense of American manufactured products and would thus deplete the national treasury, as well as close the American manufacturing plants. They thus drive the working men away from them.

Parker fails to take a positive stand on many of the great issues and leaves the voters in doubt as to what he would do on questions of grave import to the American people.

Roosevelt has attracted the young men to him by his candor and patriotism.

Roosevelt in his letter of accept-

ance, spoke for himself and his party, and there was no uncertainty nor timidity nor a shadow of evasion in a single sentence of his letter. "A party fit to govern," he said, "must have convictions," and he left no opportunity for any one to deny that he has both convictions and the courage to maintain them. Whether men agree with him or not, they cannot fail to grasp his meaning, and cannot accuse him of shuffling or equivocation.

Active Republicans from different counties of the state who were in attendance at the meeting of the Republican state committee and the state convention of the League of Clubs last week report that there is an unusually healthy spirit shown in the party organization of Pennsylvania.

It is noticed that there are more young men taking a hand in the affairs of the party than heretofore, and that they are destined to exercise a more potent influence in the organization than ever before.

The visits of Vice Presidential Candidate Fairbanks, Senator Foraker and other speakers of national reputation to this state have been productive of much good. Colonel Wesley R. Andrews, secretary of the Republican state committee, who has been in active touch with the organization for many years, is quoted as saying that he does not recall a time when so many young men figured so conspicuously in the party organization.

Senator Foraker seems to have struck a popular chord with his speech at the State League convention. This was delivered at so late an hour that it was not given publicity in the newspapers, but a few quotations from it will show that the distinguished senator from the Buckeye state has lost none of his originality or his fighting spirit.

Here are a few of his clever hits at the Democrats:

Judge Parker's famous telegram says the gold standard is irrevocably established. It was irrevocably established eight years ago, when

McKinley was elected. As usual, the Democrats are eight years late in finding out the truths which the Republicans always uphold.

Democrats are never happy unless they are quoting from Thomas Jefferson and the constitution. And no two of them ever seem to agree on either.

There is a good reason for this disposition to quote from Jefferson and Jackson. It is because no Democrat since them can be safely quoted by a Democrat who wishes to go before the country on his quotation.

Bryan put Jefferson hard at work on behalf of Aguinaldo, but Judge Parker brings him farther up to date by using him to prove something on the Colorado dynamite. If the Democrats don't let Jefferson alone, they will destroy all that gentleman's distinguished record.

Parker, instead of at once stopping protection, which his platform says is robbery, would strangle it gradually.

The Democrats say Roosevelt is a dangerous man. Well, he is to them. They say he is a war lord, and carries a big stick. He has been president for three years, and instead of getting us into war, he kept us out of it.

They say he is quick on the trigger. He is, but he hits the bull's eye every time. He goes ahead and does things while some Democrat is looking in the constitution to see if it is possible.

The Philippines are merely a place where our navy can hang up its hat and stay over night in case of a foreign war. We don't want to have to dismantle our warships in a foreign port, like Russia has had to do with the Lena at San Francisco.

Senator Foraker was always a favorite with the young Republicans of Pennsylvania. He made many new friends on his recent visit to this state.

### POWERFUL FACTORS IN CONTEST

Estate Chairman Boies Penrose Expresses Appreciation of the Valuable Assistance of His Journalistic Allies.

"The newspapers will be a power in this fight; we want them to thoroughly enlighten the people as to the issues, and we need have no fear as to the results." Thus spoke Chairman Cortelyou, of the Republican national committee, at the outset of the present campaign. The editors of the Republican newspapers throughout the country have certainly been a great factor in this contest. The Republican editors and publishers in Pennsylvania especially have been co-operating actively with the party organization, and State Chairman Penrose has on more than one occasion expressed his appreciation of the assistance given him by Republican newspapers since the opening of the canvass.

Following are some timely comments on the issues of the campaign from the press of this State:

**Fairbank's Letter.**

While the letter of acceptance of Vice Presidential Candidate Charles W. Fairbanks is not so long and therefore not so exhaustive as that of President Roosevelt's it ably supplements that strong presentation of Republican principles.

Mr. Fairbank's letter states clearly what the Republican party has done in maintaining peace with all the world while at the same time advancing all the interests of the United States; in maintaining protection which guards and develops our industries, and at the same time increasing trade relations by means of treaties of reciprocity; in proceeding against trusts by enforcing laws which the late Democratic administration regarded as ineffective; in establishing the gold standard; in dealing broadly and fairly with the Philippines, and in reclaiming lands of the west.

Mr. Fairbanks presents these issues so clearly and so forcibly that they cannot be met by the opposition.—Harrisburg Telegraph.

**A Party of Achievements.**

Those who never do things run few chances of making mistakes, never lay themselves open to criticism for anything but their inactivity and their presumed inability to accomplish things. Unable to shine in the direction of achievement, they apply their efforts and whatever activity they can stir up to criticism of those who are really accomplishing something and to day dreams of how much better they might serve if they were given the chance. These are facts applicable to political parties as to individuals.

These conditions have brought about the understanding that the Republican party is the party of action; the Democratic one of carping criticism. It is a noteworthy fact that the American people prefer activity and achievement and the party in which these features are prominent is just naturally the most popular.—Doylestown Republican.

**Deeds of Today Count Now.**

The American electorate has gone mad the time when a party is judged by tradition; the voters ask for results. The traditions of the old Democratic party are dear to the memory of all Democrats. The deeds of the Democratic party of recent years and the promises of the Democratic party of today do not appeal to the best judgment of thinking men.

President Roosevelt's letter of acceptance turns the searchlight of truth, reason and logic upon the instability of the Democracy's attitude today, and every voter ought to see his way clear to read his ballot and put his mark at the head of the Republican column.—Meadville Tribune.

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## HAVE MONEY TO BURN

August Belmont Backs a Syndicate to Elect Democratic Congressmen.

GOES OVER COL. GUFFEY'S HEAD

Senator Penrose, the State Chairman, Sends a Note of Warning to the Republican County Chairmen to Be Alert.

[Special Correspondence.]

Philadelphia, Sept. 27.

Revelations of the last few days regarding the details of a scheme of the Democrats to capture at least five additional congressional districts in Pennsylvania have had the effect of spurring the Republicans on to increased activity.

It was first discovered through private sources of information in New York that the Democratic national committee had decided to make a desperate move in this state to further their plans to get control of the next House of Representatives in Washington. They had reports from doubtful districts in other states which showed that unless they made gains in Republican strongholds like Pennsylvania they could not expect to win the next house.

It was then decided that Pennsylvania must contribute at least eight Democratic members of the next House, and in order to make this possible an arrangement was entered into with a number of Democrats who are not in sympathy with the Guffey leadership of the Democracy in this state whereby an immense sum of money was to be placed at their disposal to use as they might see proper. This money was to cover eight districts, including five now represented by Republicans.

Former Congressman James Kerr, of Clearfield, was picked out as the best man to take hold of this project. As a former chairman of the Democratic state committee Kerr is familiar with the active Democrats of the various counties and the national committee relies upon him to perfect an organization in each of these districts, which will make the election of the Democratic nominees for Congress possible. August Belmont is reputed to be the financial backer of the enterprise with the treasury of the Democratic national committee to be drawn upon for additional funds as occasion may require.

The districts which the Democrats hope to carry besides those which they now have are the 10th, Lackawanna; 11th, Luzerne; 12th, Schuylkill; 17th, Huntingdon, Fulton, Juniata, Mifflin, Perry, Snyder, Union, and the 20th, York and Adams. All of these districts are now represented by Republicans.

With but a majority of 30 in the present house of representatives, it will be seen that the Republican party cannot afford to lose Republican districts in Pennsylvania. When it is known that as high as \$50,000 of Democratic money will be put into some of these districts to help out the candidates for congress, it will be seen that there is grave danger in this situation.

Chairman Penrose, of the Republican state committee, as soon as he learned of the plans of the national Democratic leaders regarding Pennsylvania, immediately sent a note of warning all along the Republican lines.

In a letter addressed to the chairmen of the Republican county committees this week, he said:

"The opponents of the Republican party in Pennsylvania, realizing that it will be time and labor lost to campaign in behalf of their national ticket, will, it is stated by the chairman of the Democratic national committee, concentrate their efforts in the congressional, senatorial and legislative districts, in the hope of winning here and there, perhaps, a representative in congress or member of the general assembly at Harrisburg.

"It is of the greatest importance that their efforts in these directions should be met promptly and energetically.

"The loss of a single congressman from Pennsylvania may place the house of representatives at Washington in jeopardy, and thereby greatly embarrass the business interests of the country, in which Pennsylvania has so great a share.

"The Republican nominees for the state senate and house of representatives should also be loyal and energetically supported, particularly in view of the fact that the legislature which assembles at Harrisburg in January, 1905, will be called upon to elect a United States senator for the term of six years from the 4th of March, next.

"The speaker of the house of representatives at Washington or Harrisburg might be lost or won by a single vote, therefore, I cannot too emphatically impress upon you the importance of making the organization in your county so thorough that every Republican vote can be gotten to the polls in November.

"The only thing we have to combat this year is the idea in every Republican mind that the state will give an enormous majority for Roosevelt, and, therefore, his individual vote will not be needed; and it is this idea that illuminates the Democratic mind with the thought that Republicans can be caught napping, in which event they hope to elect additional representatives in congress or in the general assembly, or perhaps reduce the Republican majority in certain localities.

"I suggest that you send for each of your committeemen and warn them regarding the intentions of our opponents, and urge vigilance and activity all along the line."

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### CONDITIONS IN PHILIPPINES.

Governor Wright Deprecates Agitation of Idea of Independence.

Washington, Sept. 27. — President Roosevelt is in receipt of a letter from Governor Luke E. Wright of the Philippines in which he discusses frankly some of the conditions which he encounters. Under date of Aug. 15, General Wright wrote in part:

"The effect of the continued discussion as to the capacity of the Filipino for self-government and his immediate or ultimate independence is having its effect here and makes our task more difficult than it otherwise would be. These people have their full share of ambition and vanity, and they also have their full share of recklessness, half formed characters who are ready for intrigue in any direction which promises them profit or power. It is in this class which has largely given force and direction to the Adipayan movement and has recruited its ranks from the ignorant and dangerous elements.

"In this general connection I may say to you as a matter of information that the agitation in the United States for Filipino independence and the spoken and written utterances of prominent men there who are urging it, are all brought here and published in the native newspapers and are being made the text for editorials insisting that the Filipino people are now ready to become an independent nation.

"The effect of all this is distinctly injurious. Its tendency is to restore the influence of the old insurrection leaders and to make them active in preaching the old propaganda. This in turn has the effect of demoralizing and weakening the more conservative and thoughtful Filipinos who fear that if they speak out as they really think they would be considered the enemies of their people and lose their prestige with them. Those of the most prominent and best educated, and who naturally have their ambitions, are inclined to join in the general cry."

**MARKET REPORT.**

New York Provision Market.

New York, Sept. 26.

WHEAT—No. 2 red, \$1.15 f. o. b. afloat; No. 1 northern Duluth, \$1.23 1/2; CORN—No. 2 corn, 57 1/2 c. f. o. b. afloat; No. 2 yellow, 60c.

OATS—Mixed oats, 26 to 32 lbs., 34 1/2 c.; clipped white, 36 to 46 lbs., 36 1/2 c. @ 29 1/2 c.

HAY—Shipping, 67 1/2 c.; good to choice, 85c.

BUTTER—Creamery, extras, 19 1/2 c. @ 20c; factory, 11 1/2 c.; western imitation creamery, 13 1/2 c.

CHEESE—State, full cream, small cheddar, 9 1/2 c.

EGGS—State and Pennsylvania, fancy, 27 1/2 c.

POTATOES—Long Island, per cbl., 47.50 @ 49.

Buffalo Provision Market.

Buffalo, Sept. 26.

WHEAT—No. 1 northern, car loads \$1.29; winter wheat, \$1.16 1/2.

CORN—No. 2 white, 57c f. o. b. afloat; No. 2 yellow, 59c.

OATS—No. 2 white, 34 1/2 c. f. o. b. afloat; No. 3 white, 33 1/2 c.

FLOUR—Fancy blended patent per bbl., \$6.50 @ 7.25; low grades, \$4.25 @ 5.00.

BUTTER—Creamery western, extra tubs, 20c; state and Pennsylvania creamery, 19 @ 19 1/2 c.; dairy, fair to good, 18c.

CHEESE—Fancy full cream, 9 1/2 c. @ 10c; choice to choice, 8 1/2 c. @ 9c; common to fair, 6 1/2 c.

EGGS—State fancy fresh, 25c.

POTATOES—Per bu., 60 @ 70c.

East Buffalo Live Stock Market.

CATTLE—Best steers on sale, \$5.21 @ 5.50; fair to good butcher steers \$4.10 @ 4.50; medium half fat steers \$3.50 @ 4.00; common to fair heifers \$2.25 @ 2.75; choice to extra fat heifers \$4.00 @ 4.25; good butcher bulls, \$3.00 @ 3.40; choice to extra veals, \$7.00 @ 7.50; fair to good veals, \$6.25 @ 6.50.

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