



ON OCTOBER 27TH, 1728, Captain Cooke, the celebrated navigator was born at Marton, in Yorkshire, England.

He was the son of an agricultural laborer, ran away to sea when fourteen, entered the royal navy, and was chosen to command the Endeavor, the ship sent to the South Pacific in 1769, to observe the transit of Venus, of that year. Cooke gave the world the first authentic map of the Pacific Ocean until then an unknown waste of waters.

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GROVER'S OLD FRIENDS

Buffaloes Tender the Ex-President a Reception.

GREETED AS TOWNSMEN

Cleveland Expresses His Appreciation of the Kind Acts of His Former Associates.

NEW YORK, Oct. 26.—The reception at the Imperial hotel to-night given to ex-President Cleveland by the Buffaloans' Cleveland club was attended by about 200 persons, consisting of members of the club and a few invited guests. Cleveland's arrival was the occasion of applause and all those present remained standing until the speeches of the evening, which lasted almost an hour, were over. After a brief preliminary speech, calling the meeting to order, the guest of the evening was introduced as one whose name created enthusiasm even when mentioned in a republican meeting.

Mr. Cleveland spoke in a pleasant vein about his early days in Buffalo and the friends of that time whom he now found among the members of this club. In the atmosphere of personal friendliness that pervades this occasion, he said he nearly forgot that the organization has political plans and purposes. He was glad, however, when these plans and purposes recurred to his mind. They merely add to his grateful appreciation of their personal kindness. "Therefore," said he, "while my heart is full of gratitude to the friends I see about me, I cannot forbear the suggestion of my belief that your organization not only demonstrates your personal friendship for an old townsman, but also indicates you are fully alive to your duty as good citizens."

"You know how devoted I am to the principles of the democratic party, and your knowledge of me will, I am sure, acquit me of insincerity when I express the opinion that the result of the pending political struggle means more to our country and our people than any in which you or I ever have been engaged. On one side the claim is defiantly and arrogantly announced that the functions of our government may be used directly for the benefit of certain special interests with, at the best, a very remote regard to the welfare of the masses of the people. In opposition to this, an appeal is made to our fellow citizens to hold fast to the doctrine that their government should at all times be administered for them, and that they should not be obliged to receive as their share of the blessings of the free government which they maintain, a small portion which may filter through to them in the process of making special beneficiaries rich. In other words the democratic party is insisting upon an honest application of the rule that a government by the people should be a government for the people. It is as needless as it is foreign to my purpose to discuss in detail before those so thoughtful and intelligent as my Buffalo friends, the difference between the political principles and purposes presented to our people for their approval. I only desire to assure you that the gratification your personal attachment affords is greatly enhanced by the consciousness that it is the attachment of those who are thoughtful and patriotic, and by conviction that the support you give in an organized way to your old townsman cannot create in your minds the least suspicion that such support is in the aid of principles at all inconsistent with your highest duty as American citizens. It only remains for me to say that whatever be the result of the campaign, I shall always remember as its most pleasing incident this occasion and the evidence it furnishes me of the consideration and devotion of my Buffalo friends."

Cleveland was followed by Lieutenant Governor Sheehan, who spoke of the certainty of New York's going for the democratic nominees.

Then Mayor Bishop of Buffalo made a few remarks and the rest of the evening was spent in conversation and hand shaking.

INDIANA DEMOCRATS.

They Hold a Rousing Demonstration at the City of Elwood.

ELWOOD, Ind., Oct. 26.—A great democratic demonstration was held here to-day. The barbecue feature was given up at the last moment, and the multitude went hungry or bought dinner at the hotels and restaurants. The crowd began to come in early, incoming trains being thronged with democrats, glee clubs, bands and drum corps from neighboring cities. A grand parade occurred, there being fully 2,000 people in line.

Congressman Bynum arrived at 9:30 and was escorted to the democratic headquarters by at least 5,000 people. Nearly every city of any importance in this part of the state was represented. In the afternoon the people repaired to the grove, it being estimated not less than 10,000 were there. The speakers of the day were Hon. James E. Campbell of Ohio, Hon. W. D. Bynum of Indiana, Hon. George Q. Houck of Ohio and Hon. John W. Lamb of Indiana. Ex-Governor Campbell delivered an answer to Major McKinley's speech here Sept. 13 in regard to protection.

The demonstration to-night surpassed that of today, as afternoon trains brought fresh recruits. A torchlight procession and fireworks were the main features.

To Fuse With Populists.

DENVER, Oct. 26.—Chairman McKinley, representing the Cleveland faction of the democratic party of this state, has just returned from New York, where he has been in conference with the national democratic committee. As a result of the plans discussed there, it is said, Cleveland electors will be withdrawn and people's party representatives substituted.

Mrs. Maybrick Again.

LONDON, Oct. 26.—Attorney Robertson applied to Justice Hawkins today for a writ of habeas corpus, demanding that the witness general should be released from detention of Mrs. Maybrick. Justice Hawkins referred him to the home secretary.

STEVENSON IN BROOKLYN.

He Is Greeted by a Mammoth Audience at the Academy of Music.

BROOKLYN, Oct. 26.—The democracy of Brooklyn turned out in force to-night and held a great mass meeting at the Academy of Music where Adlai Stevenson, the vice presidential candidate, and Congressman Raynor of Maryland, spoke on the issues of the campaign to more than 4,000 persons. Stevenson received an ovation as he stepped upon the stage.

Stevenson said in part: "At the close of President Cleveland's administration, the surplus in the treasury exclusive of the gold reserve, was in round numbers \$83,000,000. It will be remembered that during the latter half of his administration, the important question was: 'What shall be done with surplus revenues?' In view of the fact that the annual revenues of the government were then \$100,000,000 in excess of its expenditures, the question was one of interest to the American people. What is the condition which now confronts us at the end of three years and a half of republican administration? On the basis estimated for the present fiscal year, and the liabilities of the government on account of annual and permanent appropriations for the same period, there will be a deficit of \$2,000,000, upon assumption of the law requiring forty-eight millions of dollars for a sinking fund be complied with. There is no escaping a deficiency. I have mentioned that the bankruptcy which now threatens the treasury is the result, first of the McKinley tariff law, and second of the lavish appropriations of the fifty-first congress."

The speaker asserted that the treasury always found its most faithful guardians in the democratic party. Taking up the financial plank of the Chicago convention, he declared it voiced his sentiments, and passing to the tariff he denounced the republican system of protection "to certain industries by which heavy tariff burdens are laid upon the great mass for the benefit of favored individuals who are fortunate enough to receive its blessings. There undoubtedly has been a wonderful increase in the material wealth of the United States, but who has it? The answer is found in unequal distribution, in accumulation of enormous private fortunes, the tendency to pass legislation in exchange for political favors, and the utter disregard of the rights of taxation of the people."

The speaker proceeded to give his views on the force bill, and said the bill in every line and paragraph breathed the distrust of the people. "This legislation," said he, "is devised in a spirit of hate."

Throughout his address Stevenson was repeatedly applauded.

Stevenson in New York.

NEW YORK, Oct. 26.—Adlai Stevenson, the democratic candidate for vice president, spent several hours to-day in consultation with Cleveland. Among the subjects under discussion is said to have been Stevenson's forthcoming letter of acceptance.

LOADED FOR CORBETT.

A Chicago Man is Out for Blood—What Sluggo Jim Says.

CINCINNATI, Oct. 26.—The Times-Star this afternoon received a special from Chicago, saying that Max Blumenthal has left that city, heavily armed, after a woman who was with Pugilist Corbett, and adding that a bloody encounter between Blumenthal and Corbett is imminent. The dispatches were shown Corbett, who said: "This woman followed me about while in Chicago and was an annoyance to me. One night she came to the theatre in a carriage and was right at the stage door when I came out. She insisted upon my getting in and I did, and we rode down to the hotel. When we arrived and I alighted this fellow came up to me and mumbled something which I could not understand, and came at me as though he had a gun in his overcoat pocket. I looked at him and said: 'Why, what do you mean?' Then he made another bluff at me. He did not sweat, but mumbled. I could not tell what he said. I then said, 'Oh, a girl of yours, is it?' and walked away. That's all there is to that and the whole matter. I do not care for these things, but I am a married man, and my wife will read these things and it will get me into trouble with her. That's why I hate these lying articles and telegrams. But I can tell you that the woman is not here. That's my story, and it's a true story."

WOMEN AND DYNAMITE.

Applause Greeted the Words of a Female Suffragist Leader.

LONDON, Oct. 26.—Miss Cozens, the noted female suffragist, speaking to-day at a meeting of the Women's Emancipation union, said that women should not go on talking until the crack of doom without getting redress for injustices. The time had come for them to do something desperate. Women, she declared, had dynamite at their disposal. This statement was greeted with applause.

An Editor in Jail.

CHICAGO, Oct. 26.—A. S. Mercer, world's fair commissioner from Wyoming, was taken to jail on a capias issued yesterday, he having been unable to procure the necessary \$5,000 bail. He is being sued for criminal libel by John Clay, jr., of this city, the suit being the outgrowth of the noted Johnson county cattle war.

A Careless Chinese Cook.

SAN FRANCISCO, Oct. 26.—Carelessness of a cook in a Chinese restaurant in a front street this morning, caused a fire that destroyed half a block of property between Sacramento and Clay streets in the heart of Chinatown. The losses aggregate between \$60,000 and \$70,000.

Forest Fires Raging.

READING, Pa., Oct. 26.—A telephone message from Tower City says the most destructive forest fires ever known there are raging. Hundreds of people are out fighting them with little success so far.

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They are agents for Lewis' jersey fitting, Holroyd's Derby knit and Jeros lygionie underwear, and always show the best things out. Ask to see their imported fancy silk mixture. They are elegant goods.

MONTANA DEMOCRACY

Congressman Dixon Royally Greeted by Missoula Citizens.

FIREWORKS, MUSIC, SPEECHES

Much Enthusiasm in the Garden City—Democrats of Hamilton Hold a Lively Rally.

Special Dispatch to the Standard.

MISSOULA, Oct. 26.—Hon. W. W. Dixon addressed a large gathering at the opera house to-night. Before speaking, the Young Men's Democratic club and the German American club, about 200 strong, headed by the band from Fort Missoula, paraded the principal streets. They had been provided with Roman candles, and the heavens were kept ablaze with fireworks.

Mr. Dixon made a forcible argument upon the issues of the day and reviewed his course in congress. He also refuted the argument of the republican press that the last democratic house of representatives had done nothing. He cited the Geary Chinese exclusion act, the eight-hour labor law and other measures such as land forfeiture, election of United States senator by direct vote of the people, and the bill to provide for the classification of certain mineral lands in the state of Montana, now claimed by the Northern Pacific which would have passed had it not been for republican obstruction.

He also gave the attitude of the democratic party in congress on the silver question, and stated that not in the history of silver legislation could an instance be found where a majority of democrats had not voted for silver, while a majority of the republican party had always voted against it; that the last vote taken on the free coinage act stood: Democrats, 127; republicans, 11, and alliance, 8, in favor of the act.

Hon. William Bickford made an able argument upon silver, tariff, etc. Jesse Haston, candidate for state treasurer, and J. C. Mahoney, candidate for superintendent of public instruction, also made short speeches.

IN THE BITTER ROOT VALLEY.

Rousing Democratic Rally in the Lively City of Hamilton.

Special Dispatch to the Standard.

HAMILTON, Oct. 26.—The opening gun of the campaign was fired last night. Hon. W. W. Dixon, W. M. Bickford and Prof. J. C. Mahoney were the speakers at Uhl & Page's hall. Nearly 700 people were present, with a fair sprinkling of ladies. Mr. Dixon spoke for one hour and a half on state and national issues, and was frequently applauded for his masterly manner in which he acquitted himself.

Judge W. M. Bickford was then introduced by F. P. Dolan, and held the audience for two hours, discussing the McKinley tariff, free silver, national issues, etc. Short addresses were also made by Dr. J. B. Harris, Prof. J. C. Mahoney and others. The enthusiasm manifested by those present is one of the forerunners that the Bitter Root valley is all right and will roll up a handsome majority for the democrats Nov. 8.

RICKARDS AND BOTKIN.

They Deliver Speeches Before a Republican Audience in Philipsburg.

Special Dispatch to the Standard.

PHILIPSBURG, Oct. 26.—Lieutenant Governor Rickards and Colonel Botkin addressed a campaign meeting in Morse's hall this evening. Both speakers went over the well-trodden ground of eulogy of the republican party and the beneficent operations of the McKinley bill, and per contra roasted the democrats. Mr. Rickards made no mention of the silver question, confining his remarks in the metallic line to the question of lead.

Colonel Botkin referred to some of the doctrines of the people's party, such as paper money and the sub-treasury scheme, which he claimed if adopted would result in irreparable damage to the country. He warned his hearers against voting for the third party candidate as it would be practically a vote for Cleveland.

Republicans at Bozeman.

Special Dispatch to the Standard.

BOZEMAN, Oct. 26.—The republicans held another rally to-night, the speakers being W. W. Alderson, L. E. Saly and T. J. Lynde, candidates for legislature, and other local speakers. There were plenty of vacant seats in the opera house and a lack of enthusiasm was noticeable. The democrats are more hopeful than ever of a great victory the 8th of November.

TROUBLE AT HOMESTEAD.

The Borough May Again be Placed Under Martial Law.

HOMESTEAD, Pa., Oct. 26.—Lawlessness continues on the increase. Several non-unions were assaulted in daylight today, and crowds which defied the force of deputy sheriffs gathered in a short time and carried matters with a high hand. It appears spies watch the movements of the deputy sheriffs, and the moment they are away make a sudden onslaught on residences and persons of non-union men. It has been decided to increase the force of night deputies by 50 if good men can be found, and if not the borough may again be placed under martial law. The mills are operating as usual, though the several thousand workmen there are alarmed over the disorders and many say they will leave sooner than take chances of being killed. They look upon the assaults as the last resort of the beaten men.

Breweries Consolidate.

MILWAUKEE, Wis., Oct. 26.—One of the biggest brewery combinations ever made was perfected to-day by the consolidation of the Pabst Brewing company and the Falk, Jung & Buehert company. This makes the Pabst Brewing company, with a capacity of 2,000,000 barrels per year, the largest brewery in the world.

Granted the Requisition.

NEW YORK, Oct. 26.—Governor Flower to-day granted the requisition of the Wyoming authorities for Charles A. White.

NOT THE VOICE OF THE PEOPLE.

What is Said in Some Newspapers on the Special Dispatch to the Standard.

GRANITE, Oct. 26.—Many citizens of this place express themselves very plainly in regard to the position taken by the local paper published here upon the capital question, and desire the world to know that it does not in any way voice the sentiment of the people of Granite. There are men here, and many of them, too, who, while not favorable to Anaconda on the first ballot, are for fair play every time, and many of them have written to friends in Anaconda assuring them that the virulent and bitter attacks by the local paper upon Anaconda and upon one of that city's honored residents, are not approved by but a lonesome few.

A highly respected gentleman of this city said yesterday to a STANDARD reporter: "The largest class in Granite are the miners, and no newspaper can give them pointers as to who their friends are or where they reside. They are over the average in intelligence and I realize that the circulation of the STANDARD among these men is enormous. I am not in the capital fight, as I am a candidate for office, but it is my opinion that Anaconda will stand at the head of the list at Granite."

AT GREAT FALLS.

A Woman Uses a Gun—The Helena Water Company.

Special Dispatch to the Standard.

GREAT FALLS, Oct. 26.—Last evening about 6 o'clock Edna Cornell, a young and prepossessing woman, who has been working at the Park and Mascott theaters for several weeks, entered the bar room of the Park hotel and made some request of Billy Friend, who in answer told her to get out and enforced his request by pushing her out the door. Edna turned around and, pulling a pistol from under her cloak, fired five shots into the bar room. Fortunately her aim was bad and no harm was done. Having emptied her pistol Edna ran at full speed down the street, throwing the empty weapon into a dark corner. She was arrested and will have a hearing before Judge Race. Jealousy is the supposed cause of the shooting.

At a meeting of the Great Falls Water company this morning L. G. Phelps of Helena was elected president, Ira Myers vice president and E. W. Ring secretary and treasurer, and L. G. Phelps, Ira Myers, E. G. Maclay, E. W. King and W. M. Phelps directors. L. G. Phelps bought from E. G. Maclay and Ira Myers their interest in the company, and thereby controls five-sixths of the entire stock, the other sixth being owned by N. W. Harris & Co. of Chicago.

The local lodge, A. O. U. W., will celebrate the twenty-fourth anniversary of the foundation of the order to-morrow night with a splendid programme.

PEG-LEG CLARK AND HIS GUN.

He Makes a Play at Livingston and Lands in the Cooler.

Special Dispatch to the Standard.

LIVINGSTON, Oct. 26.—Jacob Clark of Red Lodge, who styles himself "the fighter of fighters and shooter of shooters," entered a house of prostitution on B street last night, and drawing a gun, announced that he would give the inmates two minutes to raise him \$50. Mitchell Askey, a new policeman who went on the force last night, was called in. Clark made for him with his gun, but was unable to catch him. Officer Skillin was then sent for, and on entering the parlor made a grab for the gun, but missed it. Clark pulled the trigger, but the bullet missed the policeman and buried itself in the floor. Skillin by this time had drawn his gun, and clubbing it, hit Clark a smash over the eye that knocked him senseless. He is now in jail and will have a hearing in a day or so. Clark is a cripple and has a peg leg attached to the remnant of his left limb.

TO SEE IS TO BELIEVE.

What Missoula County Citizens Think of Anaconda for the Capital.

Special Dispatch to the Standard.

MISSOULA, Oct. 26.—The committee sent to Anaconda by the Anaconda Capital club of Missoula returned home to-night. They speak in the highest terms of their reception by the citizens of the future capital city. A member of the committee stated to the STANDARD'S reporter that every member of the party returned home more impressed than ever that Anaconda was the place for the seat of government, and that he wished every voter in the county could visit Anaconda before election day, and that they would all be of the same opinion.

ONE MORE DIES.

Another Victim of the Disaster on the Great Northern.

Special Dispatch to the Standard.

SPOKANE, Oct. 26.—George Nelson, who was mentioned among those fatally injured in the collapse of the bridge over the Wenatchee river, on the line of the Great Northern railway, Monday, died today. His death increases the total number of killed to ten. No other deaths are expected, as all the others injured are improving. Three of the dead were buried to-day. Joseph Campbell's body is being kept until relatives in the East can be heard from. He had near \$1,000 on his person. The two men now dead, both named George Nelson, were no relatives.

To Aid the Militia.

WASHINGTON, Oct. 26.—General Flagler, chief of ordnance, in his annual report calls attention to the inadequacy of the general appropriation for the arming and equipping of the militia, which at the last session of congress was still further reduced.

Fire at Livingston.

Special Dispatch to the Standard.

LIVINGSTON, Oct. 26.—The residence of Mammoth Cain was destroyed by fire this morning.

Lady Churchill Ill.

LONDON, Oct. 26.—Lady Randolph Churchill, formerly Miss Jennie Jerome of New York, is dangerously ill.

THE WORLD ON WHEELS

Money Subscribed for the Building of a New Canadian Railway.

'Twill BE A GREAT COMBINE

Union of Interests of the Boston & Maine and Reading—Affairs of the Anarchists.

CHICAGO, Oct. 26.—Harry Croft, a member of the Canadian parliament from British Columbia, is in the city getting Chicago capitalists interested in a scheme to build a new Canadian railway. He already has been remarkably successful and it is expected more than \$5,000,000 will be pledged here to further the enterprise. The road is to be known as the Canadian Western and will be 1,045 miles long, opening up thousands of miles of good grazing, timber, farming and mining lands. Land grants will be secured from parliament this winter. According to Croft a construction company will build a road from Victoria to Seymour narrows on Vancouver island and from Burrard inlet on the mainland through Chiloquin, Cariboo and the Peace river countries up to Yellowhead pass. Its cost is estimated at \$28,650,000, including a ferry at the narrows, but the expected sale of land will amount to \$43,122,500, to which may be added a cash subsidy of the dominion government of \$3,300 per mile or \$3,344,000 in all, making the total assets \$46,466,000. Besides this the provincial government has guaranteed six to ten millions interest on land grant bonds. The city of Victoria guarantees dividends on treasury stock of \$2,000,000 and terminals worth \$1,000,000 more, while other benefited towns are anxious to aid the enterprise. Some of Chicago's best known capitalists are said to be interested in the affair.

BIG RAILROAD COMBINE.

The Boston & Maine and the Philadelphia & Reading; Joint Interests.

BOSTON, Oct. 26.—A big railroad combination, rumors of which have been in the air some time, was consummated to-day. President McLeod of the Reading road and friends secured control of the Boston & Maine, and McLeod was to-day elected president of the latter corporation. The Reading and allied lines will distribute their immense merchandise and coal traffic over the Boston & Maine.

It is said for several months that this alliance has been under consideration by McLeod, who was reluctant to take upon himself more cares and responsibilities than those now resting upon him, but after looking over the situation carefully, and believing such an alliance to be greatly to the advantage of both properties, he decided to take hold. The Boston & Maine has a large water front on Boston harbor and is building the largest grain elevator in the United States, which will be equal in capacity to all other elevators in Boston combined. The two corporations have an aggregate mileage of more than 9,000 miles and carry upon the pay rolls more than 130,000 employees. The friends of the Philadelphia & Reading company have also obtained control of the New York & New England railroad. These important railway connections in addition to the Poughkeepsie bridge, now also in control of the Reading, gives that system its own channels of access to New England and the Canadas.

REDUCING RATES.

Work of the Traffic Association of California.

SAN FRANCISCO, Oct. 26.—The annual meeting of the Traffic association of California was held to-day. Manager Leeds, in his report of the work accomplished by the association during the year, said: "The organization of the Grace line of clipper ships and their guarantee by the merchants of this city, is one of the results of the work of the association. It is now an assured success, and is a move in the direction of the establishment of legitimate competition by sea. The fourth ship is now on the berth in New York. The result has been to fix a rate by sail around Cape Horn of at least 84 per ton below the figure of five months ago. A reasonable estimate of the goods now afloat at these reduced rates would be about 40,000 tons. Besides this the old lines east-bound have been induced to recognize the necessity for lower rates and more active competition. As a result very reasonable rates have prevailed for some months and a largely increased volume of tonnage has moved that way, at a great saving to the shippers. The organization of the San Francisco & Salt Lake railroad to build a road from this city to Salt Lake City, Utah, and occupy the valleys of this state, is another work in which we have taken an active part. Its effect for good upon the commerce of this whole coast will be more far-reaching than all other things combined. Such a road would prepare the way for us to take full advantage of the great Nicaragua canal when completed."

ATCHISON AFFAIRS.

What the Annual Report of the Company Shows.

CHICAGO, Oct. 26.—The officials of the Atchison road are pleased with the report to be laid before the annual meeting of the stockholders to-morrow. It is one of the most favorable reports ever made by the company, presenting a marked contrast to the rather discouraging financial statements of recent years. During the first months of the year the gain in gross earnings amounted to \$2,243,051. This, it is claimed, is largely due to natural development of the territory and there is every reason to believe the present prosperity of the company will continue.

Diseased Cattle.

LONDON, Oct. 26.—Pleuro-pneumonia has been discovered in Canadian cattle landed at Dundee.

Isn't it about time to discard that suit you have been wearing all summer and get a new one? Go to Sam Clarke, at Connell's, and let him make you a nice business suit. He can show you all the new fall and winter suitings.