

ENGLAND ON BRYAN

Think That He Has a Chance, Perhaps

SEE INTERESTING CONTEST

The "Thunderer" Inclined to Think That Bryan Will go to the Wall and Thinks Him Deficient in Statesmanship and Originality.

LONDON, July 11.—The London newspapers anticipate an interesting contest for the presidency of the United States. This, they think, will arise not so much from the difference in the platforms of the opposing parties as from the striking personalities of their candidates. Mr. Bryan having dropped the free silver and other "extreme planks" is regarded as an acceptable candidate, but as likely to stand little chance against "Roosevelt's nominee". His only chance, it is thought, here will be from the support given him by the labor party, but this is expected to be more than balanced by the accession of the business community of Mr. Taft.

The Daily Chronicle regards Mr. Bryan's policy as being the same as that of President Roosevelt, and says it is a question of which of the candidates shall be entrusted with its execution. Whoever is the victor, the paper says, he will be a man of high character, marked ability and distinction.

The Daily Graphic says: "Whatever is really good in the democratic creed is already an integral part of the policy President Roosevelt is bequeathing to Mr. Taft, hence there is no serious political issue; it will be exclusively a question of persons."

The Saturday Review thinks that Mr. Bryan has an advantage in being more prominent than Mr. Taft and suggests that the Nebraskan may obtain a stronger support from the Pacific slope by the adoption of congressman Hobson's naval views.

The Times in an editorial says: "It would be rash to prophesy, but it seems not unlikely that Mr. Bryan will go to the wall. He never has had the opportunity of showing whether he possesses capability for constructive work and his speeches and writings seem to be as deficient in originality and statesmanship as they are in clearness and coherence of thought. Still he has a personality and a real power among his own people and the bulk of his party will fight strenuously for his success."

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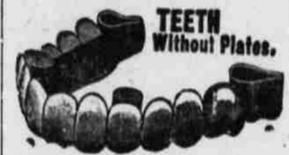
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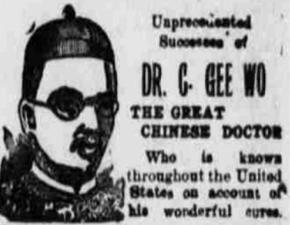
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