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## BRYAN GIVES BOOST FOR EQUAL SUFFRAGE

"COMMONER" DRAWS BIG CROWD LOCALLY IN SPEECH ON WHY WOMEN SHOULD VOTE.

CITES MOTHER ARGUMENT AS STRONGEST AND BEST

Rises Occasionally to Heights of Oratory, But Gives Plain and Straight-forward Facts as Well--Answers Numerous Objections With Strong Words in Favor of Woman.

Presenting a series of arguments in favor of woman suffrage that were replete with simple, yet effective logic, and which were delivered with an emphasis and an occasional rise to oratory which completely captivated his audience, William Jennings Bryan spoke for an hour and a half at the Methodist church Monday afternoon. Every available seat in the church was full and many were forced to stand throughout the speech.

Mr. Bryan's talk was entirely in favor of woman suffrage. By a process of elimination he proceeded to show all the advantages of woman suffrage by the successful method of enumerating the disadvantages and then showing how these same disadvantages could be turned into benefits.

**Mother Argument Strongest.**  
Altho Mr. Bryan presented in his talk a number of strong reasons why women should have the vote, his "strongest argument," which he brought forth in his best and most silver style. Several times during his talk he reverted for a moment to his old-time way of soaring up and up until he reached the heights of oratory. For the most part, however, he confined himself to plain and straightforward statements.

Taking up the mother argument, Mr. Bryan spoke first of the mother love, the greatest thing in the world, exceeding the love of the father, because the mother's investment in the child is by far the greater. "The mother's life trembles in the balance when the child is born, she enfolds him in his infancy, and endows him with her love such as no man ever received again. She dreams over him as a baby, building air castles of what he will do when a man, and, if as a mother's dreams could be realized, what a world this would be," declared the speaker. "The greatest pathos in the world is not that met with on the battlefield, but is the pathos of a mother trying to save her boy against the traps set for him by men--men who are given the ballot to do with as they choose. These men are given the ballot, men who deliberately try to lower the boy on whom the mother has cherished all her love. Why not give it to the mother herself, in order that she may help her boy along the way by actual deeds?"

**Other Arguments Presented.**  
But there were other theories advanced by the speaker in favor of equal suffrage for women which he presented with equal fervor and which met with the audience's instant approval. Treated briefly, some of these were: Man trusts woman when he marries her, he trusts her with all the vital things of the household, such as bringing up the children, and starting them out on life's road in the proper manner. He trusts the mother not only with the body of the child, but with the mind as well. It is the mother who helps the child with the school work, and here Mr. Bryan proceeded to draw a realistic picture of the mother helping the child with arithmetic and other studies. In the third place, man trusts woman with the moral development of the child, giving her free hand to turn the child's ideals into the right channels. Having trusted her with not only himself, but with his child, man with characteristic logic, said the speaker, refuses to trust her with the ballot. "He must either have a very high regard for the ballot, or else very little regard for himself," declared Mr. Bryan.

**Man's Inconsistency.**  
"Man is always ready to talk about his wife, mother and sister, and brag about how bright they are, and how many things they can do, but when it comes to voting, he changes and says sadly that they don't know enough," was the speaker's rap at men. Mr. Bryan said that where suffrage had once been tried, it never went back, showing by comparison how the tariff has never been fixed at a satisfactory basis, while suffrage in all states that had it was satisfactory from the day it went in to the present time. Another point advanced by anti-suffragists is that woman doesn't want to vote, declared the speaker. "If they hadn't wanted the ballot, they would have got rid of it long ago, for who ever heard of a woman suffering in silence with something she didn't want?" was Mr. Bryan's conclusion on this point.

**What Voter Needs.**  
Another of the speaker's weighty arguments, according to his words, was advanced when he declared that only two things were really necessary to vote, intelligence and morality. Bryan then showed that in the Nebraska state penitentiary there were at present 359 men and five women, clinching the morality side of the argument. As for the other, he simply called attention to the fact the woman always stayed in school longer than men, and that more of them became teachers, justifying the presumption that their intelligence was at least on a par with that of the sterner sex.

Again, judge woman suffrage by the company it keeps, was Mr. Bryan's plea to his audience. He declared that facts showed it to be true that the strongest opposition to suffrage came as a general rule from men who profited by vice, who made money out of sin. "People who traffic in wickedness feel instinctively that woman's conscience is against their business, and therefore oppose their voting on general principles," was the speaker's clincher on this point. Equal suffrage keeps good company, he said.

**Closing Argument on Peace.**  
After giving illustrations to several other theories which only went to prove that women not only wanted the right of suffrage, but would exercise

it if given to her, Mr. Bryan hailed out the dove of peace and proceeded to use that favorite bird of his in one of his closing statements. He prefaced remarks on war by the significant statement that he was not thru with politics, and did not intend to be thru for the next twenty years. "My wife has carried me thru for all these years that are past, and with her help I expect to be able to stand twenty years more," exclaimed Bryan amid applause.

**Soars into Heights.**  
Then turning to the war question the speaker launched into a tirade against war and its horrors, laying the blame on the men and praising the women. "I ask you men to know and realize that this war is a man-made war," he exclaimed. "Woman is not responsible for it. Women furnished the food and hundreds for sacrifice, and even now babes are being born fatherless while the bodies of their sires are burned like stubble in the field over which the grim reaper has passed."

In closing the speaker pleaded with his hearers to help man and woman join their hearts and consciences in order to "turn from the husks and lift the nation and world from out the mire of blood and with the light from the torch of civilization place the world on a plane of peace which endures because of love and brotherhood."

Mr. Bryan addressed a group of working men at the station before he took his train for Newton. He leaves Newton today for New York City, where he will assist numerous parties in the fight for equal suffrage from now until the primaries.

**JOHNSON WINS TRIP.**  
One of the Ten Best Insurance Salesmen in Iowa.

The New York Life Insurance Company put on a contest Jan. 1, 1915, in which the best salesman who wrote the most insurance during the first four months of this year. One of the conditions of this contest was that any agent who did not write at least \$10,000 in any one month was dropped. Mr. Johnson, of this city, was one of the lucky ten. He will go to Chicago to be the guest of the company on May 22 at a meeting of all the best agents of the whole United States as similar contests were held in all the 47 states. At this contest Johnson will be one of the principal officers of the New York Life Insurance Company.

Mr. Johnson feels highly gratified that he was one of the men to win out and wishes at this time to thank all who made it possible for him to do so.--Advertisement.

**COUNCIL TO RECEIVE CLASS.**

Masonic Organization Visited by Grand Lodge Officers.

At a meeting of King Solomon Council, No. 29, Royal and Select Masters, to be held tonight at the Masonic hall, a class of twelve or more candidates will be received. Charles Dewey, of Washington, grand master of the grand council of Iowa, and Frank S. Moses, of Clinton, grand master of the blue lodge, will be guests at the meeting. Supper at 8:30, in the Masonic banquet hall, will precede the lodge work.

**Traveling a Mile-a-Second.**  
Few people fully realize what an attraction like Lyman H. Howe's travel festival which comes to the Odeon Theater Saturday matinee and night with an entirely new program really means. Some regard it almost as a dream of childhood days when trips to legendary lands were made via the magic carpet. The more matter-of-fact persons regard it more for what it really is--a miracle of science more amazing than any man could ever conjure up by rubbing his fairy lamp. It is an entertainment that is distinctly typical of this--the swiftest epoch of the world's progress. With Mr. Howe one can travel a mile-a-second in a mile-a-minute age. Odeon.

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**Notice.**  
The Elm Lutheran congregation has been fortunate enough to secure the well known Dr. J. N. Kildahl from St. Paul for the evening of May 17. He will deliver his chautauqua address entitled, "The Formation of Habits." Fathers and mothers who are interested in child culture as well as the sons and daughters ought to be present and hear this famous man. Admission 25 cents. Committee.

**Excursion to South Dakota Points.**  
All persons interested in securing information in regard to farm lands in South Dakota please send name and address for descriptive pamphlet. Ten dollars round-trip excursions fares to all points in South Dakota on M. & N. L. railroad. Tickets on sale every Tuesday. Address A. B. Curtis, G. P. A. M. & St. L. railroad, Minneapolis, Minn.--Advertisement.

**Sears Signs at Clinton.**  
"Dixey" Sears, outfielder with Marshalltown last year, and a candidate for an outfield position this year, has signed with the Clinton Pilots. Sears was injected into the game for the first time Sunday, when he was sent in as a pinch hitter and delivered.

**Alkali Makes Soap Bad For Washing Hair**

Most soaps and prepared shampoos contain too much alkali, which is very injurious, as it dries the scalp and makes the hair brittle. The best thing to use is just plain purified coconut oil, for this is pure and entirely harmless. It's very cheap, and beats the most expensive soaps or anything else all to pieces. You can get this at any drug store, and a few ounces will last the whole family for months. Simply moisten the hair with water and rub it in, about a teaspoonful is all that is required. It makes an abundance of rich, creamy lather, cleanses thoroughly, and rinses out easily. The hair dries quickly and evenly, and is soft, fresh looking, bright, fluffy, wavy and easy to handle. Besides, it loosens and takes out every particle of dust, dirt and dandruff.

## Faithful Servant Receives Reward

Miss Mary Zatechka, for thirty years a faithful maid in the home of A. T. Birchard, received the reward for her faithfulness when the will of her employer was probated in the district court this forenoon. She was rewarded with the gift of the residence property at 212 West Main street, a lot 30x180 feet with a cottage on it, the whole worth several thousand dollars.

The bequest is conditional upon Miss Zatechka occupying the place for her home. The will provides if she marries, or moves away from the property, she is not to have the rents from it, but the property is then to go to Mr. Birchard's grandchildren. All the rest of the property is bequeathed to the grandchildren, share and share alike. The bulk of the estate consisted of the property bequeathed to Miss Zatechka, the residence at 404 West State, where Mr. Birchard died, and a small sum of personal property. President A. E. Balch, of the Marshalltown State Bank, was appointed administrator under bond for \$3,000.

**Other Wills Probated.**  
The will of Mrs. Kate Johnson, who died here, and the joint will of John Gruber and his wife, M. E. Gruber, the former of whom died in Eden township, were probated in the district court Monday afternoon.

Mrs. Johnson bequeathed to her husband, Peter E. Johnson, one-third of all her property, with the provision that the realty should be kept intact for the youngest son, George A. Johnson. All the rest of the property was bequeathed to the other two children, Anna M. and George A. Johnson. George A. Egbert was appointed executor without bond, and was nominated to be guardian of the minor children.

By the joint will of Mr. and Mrs. Gruber, Mrs. Gruber inherits four lots and one whole block of land in Rhodes. The rest of the property goes to the daughter, Mrs. Josephine Hale, with a provision that she pay the grandson, Fred Gruber, \$150. Andy Hale, of Rhodes, was appointed executor under bond for \$1,500.

**Cox Completing Report.**  
M. F. Cox, state examiner of municipal accounts, and his son Harold, have

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returned to finish the uncompleted examination of the city's accounts that they began late in the winter. The audit will be brought up to the end of the fiscal year, March 30.

**In the Police Court.**  
Joe McDonald, Tom Payette, Neal Winters, and J. MacGowan, who were arrested for being drunk, were in the mayor's court Monday afternoon. McDonald paid the costs, Payette was sent to jail for thirty days, Winters was discharged, and MacGowan was given ten days.

Roy Schoenhub has been summoned to appear in the police court to answer a charge of speeding an automobile Sunday. In company with him was a Hubler, who was arrested for speeding a motorcycle a few weeks ago.

and who was released but has never paid his fine. Hubler paid the costs of this case, \$1.75, yesterday. The other case was continued until Saturday when Schoenhub, who works in Tama, will be here.

**DIVORCED; REMARRIED.**

Mr. and Mrs. Bauslin, Divorced Year Ago, Marry Again.

Thomas L. Bauslin, formerly of this city, now of Unionville, Mo., and Mrs. Maud L. Bauslin, of this city, who were divorced here a little more than a year ago, were remarried by Rev. W. M. Baker Monday evening. Bauslin is 30 and Mrs. Bauslin, who was Maude L. Keppler before her first marriage, is 24.



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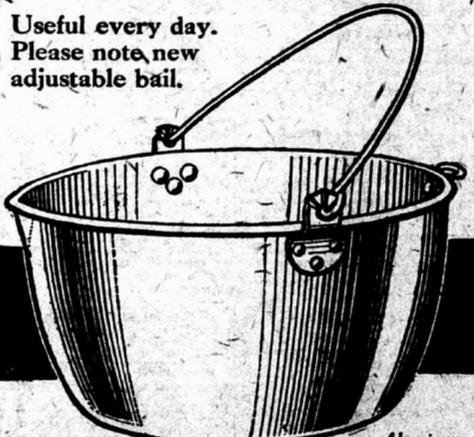
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