

THAYER APES THE OSTRICH

Hotly Pursued, He Buries His Head in Political Sand.

ONCE AFRAID OF BRYAN.

NOW, HOWEVER, HE HAS REGAINED HIS NERVE.

Has the Face to Tell McKinley That He No Longer Feels Doubtful, But That the Western State of Nebraska Will Cast Its Vote For a Man Who is Owned, Body and Soul, by the Grinding, Grasping Trusts of the East.

CANTON, O., July 29.—Ex-Governor J. M. Thayer of Nebraska called to pay his respects to Governor McKinley today. When asked as to the political situation in Nebraska, he said that there was considerable anxiety in that state at first after the nomination of Mr. Bryan as to the result of the election, but that had largely passed away and was rapidly dying out.

"We no longer feel doubtful as to where Nebraska will be found at the November election," said Governor Thayer. "I have been in Nebraska since 1854 and am familiar with its politics. We realize that we have a hard fight, but we are patriotic because of the Grant. In this, that when we have something difficult to do we are more determined to succeed. The Republican leaders are united. There is no faction, and they will do good work for McKinley. We will get it at an early and keep it until victory is won. You may put it down as a thing beyond doubt that we will carry Nebraska."

The O's Make a Call.

CANTON, O., July 29.—Today a committee from the University of Chicago arrived in this city to call on Major McKinley. They carried with them representatives of the Republican clubs of that school to pay their respects to the Republican candidate and to present to him a life-sized marble bust of himself. The bust was made by Hans Hirsch, the noted sculptor of that city. The bust is finished in American parian marble, mounted on a mahogany plaque. It was inscribed, because of the modern college Republican club of the Chicago university, but it was found impracticable and a committee was chosen to bring the bust to Canton. The committee consisted of H. L. Hicks, president of the club; G. W. Allison, managing editor of the University Weekly, and Wilber M. Kelso, alumni and lawyer. Mr. Hicks, in making the presentation, said:

"We come as the representatives of the host of young Republicans who are enrolled in our colleges today. We come because we are patriotic, because we are proud of our country, and because we have a modern college man takes an especial interest in all that pertains to the welfare of his country."

He then, on behalf of the Republican club of the University of Chicago, presented to Major McKinley the masterpiece of the artist, Hans Hirsch of Chicago.

In response, Major McKinley said: "Mr. Hicks and gentlemen: It gives me very great pleasure to meet the committee from the Republican club of the University of Chicago, and I cannot forbear to say that the Republican party is to continue its progress of power and usefulness it must be done through the conscience and intelligence of the people. It is, indeed, a good omen to find the young gentlemen of the many colleges of the United States joining themselves in Republican organizations to sustain Republican principles and the national honor, and that more potent than those who go out of the colleges to every county and state of the Union. They wield a mighty power, and it is fortunate for our country that many of them have enlisted this year for the principles of good government, for which our party stands. I am glad to know that the Republican principles are such that they can be submitted with safety and confidence to the intelligence of the educated men of the country. I am pleased, of course, with this bust which you have brought me, and I accept it in the spirit in which it was presented to me. I beg that you convey to the artist and members of the Republican club across the University of Chicago my sincere thanks for this remembrance."

CAPTURED SOME MAPS

An Alleged Important Discovery Made—Death of Jose Maceo.

NEW YORK, July 29.—A dispatch to the Herald from Havana says: The police have captured a collection of maps of the island, highly colored, showing the supposed insurgent headquarters in Cuba, the rebel flag and picturing various chiefs of the insurrection. The maps bear the imprint of a Barcelona firm. The Havana stationer, Don Fernandez, in whose possession they were found, was arrested. Narciso Rodriguez Torres, court martialed here, will be shot in the Cabanas fortress today (Wednesday). In Havana province several government military parties have been sent to San Felipe and Aguacate a report of successful operations against various insurgent camps of minor importance. The rebels are making no other effects were seized. Skirmishes are continuing along the trocha. From Pinar Del Rio General Bernal reports that he captured rebel positions at Poso Del Medio and burned the houses of the insurgent leader, Berna. Secured thirty beehives and a great quantity of tobacco. A Madrid dispatch to the Eldario Delmaria, says the Argentine republic refuses to join the way to the island to join the rebel army. He learned of two battle ships bearing concealment at Genoa, Italy.

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NEW YORK, July 29.—Among the passengers that arrived at this port last night by the steamer Casius, from Havana, was the son of Jose Maceo, who was killed in Cuba recently. The young man, it is said, held the post of chief of police in Port Limon, Costa Rica, and is, together with ten other young Cubans, on the way to the island to join the rebel army. He learned of two battle ships bearing concealment at Genoa, Italy.

AMERICAN CITIZENS GO FREE.

WASHINGTON, July 29.—The department of state has been advised by Consul Lec. at Havana, under date of July 23, that Mr. George Calvar, an American citizen arrested in Manzanilla, a district of San Blas, in the month of April of this year, and Manuel Rodriguez, also an American citizen, residing in the same province, had been notified of their unconditional release from prison.

HANNA AND QUAY.

They Have a Long Conference in New York.

NEW YORK, July 29.—The supposition that Chairman Hanna would ignore the New York politicians in the preliminary organization of the campaign work for McKinley proved false, for Frederick S. Gibbs was one of the guests at a meeting of the eastern managers today. Gibbs represents the

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The committee is behind its orders, thus far, in the matter of documents and a large force will be employed in the mailing and folding departments.

At the headquarters of the Republican congressional campaign committee, the silver literature distributed on documents are being sent out. Vice Chairman Apsley says that the demand is for financial literature and tariff literature. The committee is now supplying a very large amount of tariff documents to every section of the country. The silver force came to Washington today and are making arrangements for temporary headquarters. These headquarters will be maintained until the Democratic national committee headquarters are permanently established. The silver headquarters will be established at the same place.

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