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WEDNESDAY, OCT. 10.

DEMOCRATIC TICKET.



For President--

WILLIAM J. BRYAN, Of Nebraska.

For Vice President--

ADLAI E. STEVENSON, Of Illinois.

For Governor--

J. C. W. BECKHAM, Of Nelson.

For Congress--

BEN V. SMITH, Of Pulaski.

A colored Democratic club has been organized at Lexington.

R. C. O. Benjamin, the negro lawyer and editor, was shot and killed at Lexington last week.

Ex-Gov. Bradley will invade the Eleventh District and will speak at Columbia Saturday Nov. 8.

Taylor in his deposition says he saw Youtsey sitting at the window with a gun in his hand, but did not see him shoot.

The National party is having trouble in filling the vacancy caused by the declination of Senator Caffrey to accept the nomination for President.

The trial of Henry Youtsey for being implicated in the murder of Governor Goebel was commenced at Georgetown last Friday. All the evidence will probably be in by the last of this week.

We trust that every man in Adair county who believes that it is wrong for the poor to be taxed to keep up trusts and combines will go to the polls and vote for W. J. Bryan and J. C. W. Beckham.

The Republicans do not want any change in the election law. They are beaten with a change and beaten without a change, hence they prefer to prolong the session, block the business, and draw their pay the full constitutional time.

Listen at Col. D. G. Colson. In his speech delivered at Salyersville, last Friday he said: "I regret that some red handed mountaineer had not been secreted in the House of Representatives last winter with a drawn revolver to intimidate Clerk Leigh during the drawing of the Contest Committee." Col. Colson does not express the sentiment of the good citizens of this Commonwealth.

Last Thursday afternoon many Adair county citizens listened to the most logical speech delivered in Columbia for many days. Hon. Geo. E. Stone was the speaker and no gentleman was ever accorded closer attention. He spoke for two hours, arraigning the Republican party for its many misdeeds, and especially was his argument strong in denouncing McKinley's present imperialistic policy. He showed that the President's treatment of the Philippines was a step to turn this Republic into an Empire, and in pathetic and earnest language he appealed to the people to vote the Democratic ticket, elect Bryan and save the country from such a calamity. He took up the trusts, convincing his hearers that the masses were being daily robbed of their hard earnings, and that the only relief in sight was a change in the administration of the affairs of this Government. Speaking upon this subject he said: "My God, how a poor man can vote the Republican ticket is something I can not understand." He drew a lesson on State issues, showing conclusively that Mr. Goebel and Mr. Beckham were legally elected Governor and Lieutenant Governor of Kentucky, and that John W. Yerkes was the candidate of a party that said in their State Convention, by resolution, charged to have been written by Mr. Yerkes himself, that it endorsed the foul and dastardly murder of the leader of the Democratic party. He also made it plain that if Yerkes was elected Governor he would pardon Calob Powers, Jim Howard and every other man connected with the assassination. Mr. Stone dealt in facts; was not abusive, and his speech evidently had a fine effect.

Speaking of the National and State tickets, the Courier-Journal says that for Mr. Yerkes, as for Mr. McKinley, it has only amiable words to say. Both are worthy, though weak men. It is what is back of them that counts. It is what they stand for that the people must and will consider. One of them is the representative of a gigantic scheme to revolutionize National Government in the interest of a combine of public plunderers. The other is the representative of a combine to condone murder and to exalt assassins. Mr. Yerkes is the merest decoy duck. Behind him stalk the men who conspired to take and did take the life of William Goebel. There is nothing else to the contest as far as the people of Kentucky are concerned, and they will show at the polls the stuff they are made of. Mr. Bryan will be elected President; and Mr. Beckham will be elected Governor; and then the dough-faces masquerading as Democrats will have a lovely time drying the eyes and soothing the woes of their Republican bedfellows; while the rest of us will just rar back on our hind legs and laf! Better come into camp, sinners, whilst there is time! After the 6th of November it will be too late. The time to come is now, whilst the tar-barrels are blazing and the boys are shouting and the band is playing "Home, Sweet Home!"

Vice-Chairman J. G. Johnson of the National Democratic Committee, figures that Bryan will get 326 electoral votes, McKinley only 88, and the doubtful list number 83. In making this statement Mr. Johnson submits a table of every State in the Union, showing, in his judgment, how they will vote. He says his figures are based upon reliable information received by the Committee and from the further fact "everybody knows that it was the Gold Democratic vote of this country which elected McKinley four years ago. It is equally well known now that at least 90 per cent of that vote will go for Bryan this fall. The German vote was almost unanimously against Bryan in 1896, while this year we have trustworthy information that leads us to believe that fully 80 per cent of the German vote in the pivotal states will be cast for Bryan. This statement is true not alone of the Germans, but of other distinctly foreign classes of voters. The great body of the organized labor vote, which was induced to support McKinley four years ago, will be nearly solid for the Democratic ticket next month."

Hon. Geo. E. Stone reached Columbia last Saturday en route home from Cumberland county.

He had a good audience at Burksville Friday afternoon and Saturday night he spoke at Marrowbone. He is doing splendid service for Democracy.

When Court adjourned at Georgetown Saturday afternoon eleven of the jurors in the Youtsey case had been accepted. Judge Cantrill ordered the sheriff to summon fifteen men from Bourbon county from which to select the twelfth man. The case is now doubtless under full headway.

Mr. W. T. Grant, of Louisville, who takes a great deal of interest in politics, and who is visiting in Columbia, says that Taylor's vote in the city will be greatly reduced. He says at Democratic headquarters the State is confidently claimed for Beckham by 26,000 majority, and that the Democrats are gaining every day.

The meeting of Bryan clubs at Indianapolis last week probably brought more Democrats together than had ever before assembled in the State at any one time. The big guns of the nation were present, and with unanswerable speeches worked up an enthusiasm that insures Indiana to the Democrats beyond a doubt.

Hon. Rollin Hurt spoke to an audience of Glenville citizens last Friday night, making a splendid speech. A large crowd was present and the Democrats were greatly enthused. At the close of Mr. Hurt's speech a club was organized. If you want to hear him skin the assassination crowd beat Harmony next Saturday afternoon.

Judge Joseph E. Bertram, of Monticello, is doing good work for the Democratic party in Wayne and adjoining counties. Last week he met Congressman Boering in joint debate at Monticello. The people know the rest. When Judge Bertram was the Democratic candidate for the State Senate he carried Adair county over his opponent, Dr. W. G. Hunter, by little the rise of 300 votes.

The Republicans have been howling about the unfairness of the Goebel law; that they wanted justice, but when Senator Thomas offered a measure last week absolutely repealing the present election law and returning to the old system of voting, ten Republican Senators voted "no," defeating the bill. The Goebel law is the very thing the Republican leaders want, and they would rejoice if the extra session would adjourn without modifying it.

The registration at Louisville shows an increase of 5,000 votes over last year. Supplemental registrations will swell the present vote which is 45,000 to 46,000 or more. On the vote of 45,000 the Democrats have a plurality of 4,526. The Independent, Populist, Prohibition and non committal vote is 7,219. The Republicans have been banking on carrying the city by a very large majority, but these figures show that if they carry it at all it will be by a small margin.

In order to reduce the Republican majority in Adair county the Democrats will have to get up and move about--go out in the byways and highways, and wherever a man is found who has not been in the habit of voting, with no fixed political views, urge him to be at the polls and vote the Democratic ticket. The Republicans are working day and night all over this county. Democratic principles, the only safe guards to human liberty, are worth fighting to maintain. Let us all get to work, making a long pull, a strong pull and a pull altogether, and victory will crown our efforts.

PELLYTON. Mr. Curd Williams, of Dunnville, was here Wednesday and bought a nice harness and saddle horse from N. T. Jones for \$65.

Born to the wife of John Mings a daughter.

John Campbell was in Columbia last Monday.

Estill Sanders is improving. Tom Jones sold a cow to J. W. Beard for \$15, and bought one from W. E. Williams, for \$25.

Mr. Welby Allen will remove his stock of goods to his new store this week.

Mr. Frank Holt has rented his farm to J. W. Ellis, of Casey county, and will move to Russell county.

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