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The Commoner Again in Zanesville Speech

Gov. Harmon Again Points To Bryan's Improprieties

Zanesville, O., May 15.—Standing on the same platform from which William J. Bryan but recently assailed him Governor Judson Harmon last night again scored the Commoner on the second lap of his tour of the state in behalf of his candidacy for the Democratic nomination for the presidency.

Fully one thousand of Zanesville's citizens occupied seats in Memorial Hall and showed their loyalty to and interest in him by frequent handclapping and applauding his utterances. Especially did they seem to approve of his denial of Mr. Bryan's charges that he was a "reactionary" when he briefly rehearsed his record of legislative accomplishments. It was clear to the most casual observer that the sympathies of the audience all were with the governor.

In dealing with Mr. Bryan the governor again dwelt upon the Nebraska's utter disregard of the proprieties by entering his home state of Ohio and denouncing him before the people who had shown their faith in him by giving him a second term by an overwhelming majority. Once again he challenged him to produce his proofs, and seemed to take especial delight in pointing to Bryan's record of defeats to justify the argument that Bryan was not qualified to pick a winner.

Nor was Mr. Bryan alone in the governor's criticism. He called attention to President Taft and Mr. Roosevelt stumping Ohio, "treating the people to a sight, and sound too, like of which this country has never seen before and, I hope, will never see nor hear again." Those two men he said were now engaged "in a waterwearing argument." It would be had enough if they went about in debate, "but going about, calling each other names makes me feel ashamed as an American citizen." As a Democrat, he said amid laughter, he rather enjoyed it, because it seemed to present the Democratic party a situation which, if it were taken advantage of, "might finally realize our long-desired hope." If the Democratic party were not one of men in whose hearts were fixed the principle of equal rights for all men it would have been disbanded long ago. It was, he said, a serious thing to have been defeated four times in succession, and one reason for it was that the party did not agree among itself, but he said, "when the election of 1910 came and we won that sweeping victory all over the United States, not limited to section, to any state, but generally all over the land, all states returning us an unusual number of Democratic representatives to the House, it looked as if our troubles were over and all we had to do was to stand fast in the ranks to reap a victory, even with the Republican party, with its great organization, its powerful press, its great orators, its men for raising revenues for campaign purposes, in the same condition it always had been. We thought we could lick them then." He once more called attention to Mr. Taft and Mr. Roosevelt as "this spectacle of the two men who occupy the highest position in the Republican party, engaged in this unseemly controversy with passion and also frenzy on the part of one of them."

Governor Harmon emphasized the fact that Roosevelt was out for a third term. "What hurts me" he said, "is that it is not a manly, generous contest for honors at the hands of the American people, but it looks to me as if selfishness and personal desire were the principal qualities being displayed." It would seem, he said, as if they were marching right through making a hole big enough for the Democrats to march through, "but," he said, "I am too old at the game to be fooled, as they have a way of getting together just before election that has licked us many a time. I am too old in warfare to depend on any such thing." He wanted the Democrats to stay together in order to meet the enemy "with the same arms and ammunition and equipment."

Dr. H. P. Sutton, a candidate for delegate to the Baltimore convention, said that Mr. Bryan "calls upon us to smother our pride and forget that our taxes have been lowered by our business-like executive and remember him only as in '96, now and forever more." He caused much merriment by stating that Bryan was afflicted with a peculiar disease of the stomach which only a re-nomination would cure.

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SEBA M. CROUCH FOR PROBATE JUDGE



Seba M. Crouch, candidate for the Democratic primary ticket, has been a resident of Mt. Vernon for the past eight years and has lived in Knox county all his life. He was raised on a farm in Pleasant township, received a good common school education and attended Hiram college three years. He was appointed deputy by Probate Judge Patrick A. Berry at the beginning of his first term of office in 1906 and is in the office at the present time. Mr. Crouch has made a most faithful, accommodating and efficient deputy.

In addition to his regular office work, Mr. Crouch took up the study of law and for four years devoted all of his spare time to it, often studying far into the night, and in December, 1910, successfully passed the state bar examination and was admitted to the practice of law.

The voters of Knox county will make no mistake in giving their support to Mr. Crouch. His life has been lived among them; he is an honest, upright citizen, and his experience in the office and his knowledge of the law would certainly fit him for the duties of the office to which he aspires, and which office is one of the most important in the county. —Adv.

FREDERICKTOWN

Last Thursday afternoon Mrs. Chas. M. Hildreth entertained at her home with a four course chicken dinner the following members of the D. A. R. from Mt. Vernon: Mrs. James Isaack, Mrs. Beaton, Mrs. Frederic Cooper, Mrs. Percy Tarr, Mrs. J. M. Ewalt, Miss Cora Ewalt, Mrs. G. D. Arndt, Mrs. M. E. Lytle, Mrs. Thomas Anderson, Mrs. Lawman, Mrs. C. G. Conley and Miss Nora Wing.

Mr. and Mrs. Edgar Fuller entertained the following guests from Mt. Vernon last Wednesday: Miss Ella Sheahan, Mrs. James Lemley and Mildred Griffith.

Mr. Harry Cassell was excused from service on the jury last Monday on account of death in the family.

Mr. Ben Moore was a Mt. Vernon visitor on Tuesday of this week.

Mrs. W. J. Bockmaster, of Mt. Liberty, visited with Fredericktown relatives part of last week.

The Amity public schools have elected Prof. Murry as superintendent for the coming two years. Prof. Murry is a member of the board of county examiners and has been superintendent of the Jelloway schools the past five years.

Miss Blanche Watkins and Mr. James Watkins of Waterford were guests of Mr. James Burson and family last week.

Mr. and Mrs. B. R. Sockman visited a couple of days the past week at the home of Mr. C. T. Brown, near Friendship.

Mrs. Bert White and son Ralph and Miss Gertrude Wetzel of Sparta visited Mrs. Sadie McDugan the past week.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Thompson of Ankenytown, were guests of Mr. and Mrs. William Sellers last week.

Mr. W. W. Wilson and family entertained Mr. and Mrs. Alfred Mager, of Columbus, last week.

Miss Cora McGugin visited her sister, Mrs. Geo. Steinmetz, near Amity, the past week.

W. B. Magill of Mt. Vernon, candidate for county treasurer on the Republican ticket, was a Fredericktown visitor on Saturday last.

Mr. and Mrs. O. F. Struble, of Belfast, Ohio, are visiting the latter's parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. H. Gant.

Miss Hazel Kerr, of Mt. Vernon, visited with Mrs. Ida Dickey on Sunday last.

Mrs. O. B. James has purchased the Darling ice cream parlors.

Mrs. Daniel Brown was in Mt. Vernon on Monday last.

Mr. and Mrs. O. F. Struble of Belfast, O., are planning to move to Canada soon.

Mr. James Bacchus, of Ashland, was in Fredericktown on Tuesday buying up horses.

A number of improvements are being made at the Bank Hotel—new floor in the kitchen and waterworks being installed.

Mrs. Jackson of Mt. Vernon visited with her sister, Mrs. Jennie Ball in this place on Tuesday of this week.

Mr. Alvin Willie, of Centerburg, was a Fredericktown visitor on Tuesday of this week.

Mr. George P. Scarborough, at the age of sixty-eight, died at his home in Fredericktown from apoplexy, on Friday evening at eight o'clock. The funeral was held at the residence on Monday at 10 o'clock, Rev. Jones, pastor of the M. E. church officiating. Interment at Forest cemetery. He leaves a wife, three sons and two daughters.

Mr. Scarborough moved to Fredericktown from the farm about a month ago, and has been in ill health for some time past.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Cassell, Mr. and Mrs. Cassell Llan, and Mr. and Mrs. Charles Boon were called to Howard by the death of their stepfather Mr. John Simpson, on Monday of this week.

Mr. J. A. Higgins of Bloomfield, spent most of last week with Mr. T. Higgins and family in this place.

Mrs. Charles Vincent of Columbus, visited with Mr. and Mrs. Amos Myers in this place the past week.

Miss Hazel Burns visited in Mt. Vernon on Wednesday last.

Mrs. Thos. Brokaw has returned from her visit with relatives in Mansfield.

Mr. Omar Foote and wife of Mt. Vernon visited with the former's parents, Mr. and Mrs. O. P. Foote over Sunday.

Edward Davis, a little fellow about eight years of age, ran away from his home on the Fisher farm near Mt. Vernon, on Friday last, was apprehended near Fredericktown by one of our townsmen and was returned to his parents, who were searching for the child and considerably alarmed.

Mr. J. W. Vales, the new clerk at the Bank Hotel, visited his family at Waterford on Sunday last.

Mr. and Mrs. C. C. Goodell moved to Ashland this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Crowell of Columbus, who have been visiting relatives here the past week, returned home on Wednesday.

Miss Berdell Long, who has been visiting with friends in Mt. Vernon, the past week, returned home on Sunday last.

The many friends of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Briggs are sorry to learn that they will move away from Fredericktown to Ashland, Ohio, where he will follow his trade as carpenter. Mr. Briggs has been an active worker in lodge and church, where he will be greatly missed, also in the band here.

Mrs. S. W. Hughes, of Cleveland, visited over Sunday with her daughter, Mrs. F. A. Day of this place. Mrs. Hughes is planning to sail for England on the 29th of this month where she will visit her father during the summer. She will be accompanied on the voyage by her son, Mr. Ernest Hughes and family, of Cleveland. Mrs. E. O. Casle, of Cleveland, was also a visitor at her sister's, Mrs. F. A. Day.

The local W. C. T. U. sent out the following invitation:

We invite our friends of our town and country to help us decorate our public square on Tuesday afternoon, May 22, or Wednesday afternoon, (if necessary) the 29th. We will appreciate the kindness. We desire the following: Geraniums, salvia, white miller plant, colons and wild ferns. Any wishing information phone to No. 32. By order of committee.

Commencement Notices

Class Day in the Presbyterian church on Wednesday, May 22, at 9:30 a. m.

The doors will open at 9 o'clock, and tickets will be sold at the doors, there being no reserved seats. Admission 15 cents.

Commencement in the Presbyterian church on Thursday, May 23 at 8 p. m.

The seats are reserved and tickets will be sold at Loring and Lewis's Shoe Store, on Saturday, May 18th at 7 p. m. Admission 25 cents.

The Daughters of the Veterans held a box social in Masonic hall Thursday evening.

Mr. Edgar Briggs of Mt. Vernon spent over Sunday with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Henry Briggs in this place.

Mrs. E. A. Poorman and daughter Ethel, spent from Friday over Sunday with relatives in Mt. Vernon.

Celena Coughlin of Mt. Vernon is spending a few days with his grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Henry Briggs in this place.

Mr. M. E. Kerr of Mt. Vernon was here on business Tuesday.

Mr. M. B. Platt of Cincinnati was here on business Tuesday.

Rev. H. M. Noble of the Presbyterian church was in Cincinnati last week on business for the Lane theological seminary.

The meeting of the Gleasons of the Presbyterian Sunday school meet Friday evening; a program was rendered followed by refreshments.

Mrs. James Weekly of Lexington, is visiting her daughter, Mrs. Harry Fox in this place.

Mrs. Jake Hess of Gas City, Ind., was here Saturday renewing old acquaintances.

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Wolfe of Fort Wayne, Ind., was called here by the death of Mr. Geo. Scarborough.

Miss Bell and Harry Myers went to visit in the home of Wm. Bains on Wednesday.

Mr. Robert Harcock of Sparta, was a Fredericktown visitor on Tuesday and Wednesday of this week.

Miss Willie Struble of Butler is visiting friends in Fredericktown.

Miss Marie Hogue of Mt. Vernon spent Saturday and Sunday with Miss Adela Hosack.

Miss Stella Anderson of Canton is visiting in the home of Foster Gay.

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POLITICAL ANNOUNCEMENTS

REPRESENTATIVE

To the Democracy of Knox County: I desire nomination for Representative. I favor total abandonment of expenses from state on township affairs that one per cent tax rate may be ample. I have in mind other matters, which need paying to an economical basis. I promise faithful service to extent of my ability. Your confidence and endorsement will please.

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PARISHES THREATENED BY BREAKS IN LEVEE

New Orleans, May 15.—Threatening the eight parishes and providing a line that may prove as serious as the damage from the great Texas typhoon, the Mississippi river levee at Bayou La Poudre, 26 miles above New Orleans, failed. A 70-foot stretch went

out all at once. Bayou La Poudre is opposite Bayou La Fourche, and on the west bank. Parishes that probably will be flooded are St. Charles, LaFourche, Jefferson, St. James and a part of Plaquemine.



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