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OUR LEADER.

Our leader is equal to every occasion. Indeed; while he has taught the country to expect much of him, he seems often to be doing more than was expected. His letter of acceptance is a model of brevity, directness, comprehensiveness and sound statesmanship. He unqualifiedly indorses every plank in the platform, upholds the constitution and the laws, clearly states the powers and obligations of the United States and the states in the preservation of public tranquillity and order, sets his face against the new system of selling bonds and the new occupation of supplying the government with gold which it does not need, in exchange for such bonds, and opposes the fiat money schemes of the opposition, by which they hope to destroy the greenbacks and put in their places their own notes, to be guaranteed without consideration by the government. He has the right words for those who labor with their hands. He favors the arbitration of labor disputes and opposes the importation of paupers and criminals from abroad to water the stock of our labor market. He favors David B. Hill's senate bill, which passed in that body, providing for a trial by jury in certain contempt cases. He advocates the prohibition of trusts and the regulation of great corporations; he recognizes the duty of the United States government to regulate interstate commerce, though not exclusively in the interest of the great trunk railroad lines. He opposes the proposition to make the Pacific railroads a present of their indebtedness to the government; he opposes life tenure in the civil service, but in this explicitly states that he does not refer to any official who holds office for life under the constitution. This means that he is in favor of a life tenure for the judges of the federal courts of the United States, but not for the hirings of Mr. Cleveland, who have been swarming in every state convention in the United States, endeavoring to manufacture legislatures for their master, to serve him in a national convention against the interests of the people. He set forth the paramount importance of the money question in a few burning words, and appeals to the men of all parties to postpone the consideration of the tariff question until "the people of this nation, situated, sitting as a high court," can "render judgment in the cause which greed is persecuting against humanity."

Mr. Bryan's letter of acceptance is a model document, and stamps him as a statesman of the first order.

It is a sufficient answer to the froth and flatulence of the letter of acceptance of the republican candidate for the vice-presidency, published on the same day, in which he pretends to believe that the Chicago platform "embodies a menace of national disintegration and destruction," and contains a "deliberate proposition to repudiate the plighted public faith, to impair the sanctity of the obligation of private contracts, to cripple the credit of the nation by stripping the government of the power to borrow money as the urgent exigencies may require, and, in a

A FORECAST OF NOVEMBER.

Electoral Votes Necessary to Elect, 224.

The following tables give a careful and conservative estimate of the probable result of the November election, based on the latest and most accurate reports of the progress of the campaign. There is serious doubt of McKinley's carrying either New York or Ohio, but both are assigned to him in this count. His chances of carrying any other state not assigned to him in these lists are very small:

CERTAIN FOR BRYAN.		CERTAIN FOR M'KINLEY.	
Alabama.....	11	Connecticut.....	6
Arkansas.....	8	Maine.....	6
California.....	9	Massachusetts.....	15
Colorado.....	4	New Hampshire.....	4
Delaware.....	3	Pennsylvania.....	32
Florida.....	4	Rhode Island.....	4
Georgia.....	13	Vermont.....	4
Idaho.....	3	Wisconsin.....	12
Kansas.....	10		
Kentucky.....	13	Total.....	83
Louisiana.....	8	PROBABLY FOR M'KINLEY.	
Maryland.....	8	Iowa.....	13
Mississippi.....	9	New York.....	36
Missouri.....	17	Ohio.....	23
Nevada.....	3	Total.....	72
North Carolina.....	11		
South Carolina.....	9		
Tennessee.....	12		
Texas.....	15		
Utah.....	3		
Virginia.....	12		
Wyoming.....	3		
Total.....	188		
PROBABLY FOR BRYAN.			
Illinois.....	24		
Indiana.....	15		
Minnesota.....	9		
Michigan.....	14		
Montana.....	3		
Nebraska.....	8		
New Jersey.....	10		
North Dakota.....	3		
Oregon.....	4		
South Dakota.....	3		
Washington.....	4		
West Virginia.....	6		
Total.....	103		
RECAPITULATION.			
For Bryan.....	291		
For McKinley.....	155		
Majority for Bryan.....	136		

word, to overthrow all the foundations of financial and industrial stability."

If a refusal to redeem silver obligations amounting to hundreds of millions in gold, purchased at 25 per cent premium from J. Pierpont Morgan and his accomplices, will cripple the credit of the nation, the crippling will begin on the 4th of next March, immediately after the inauguration of William Jennings Bryan.

PROGRAMME.

The Young Mens Bryan and Sewell club will render the following programme at the court house Monday evening at 8 o'clock:

Reading of the Chicago platform, I. W. Munden.
The importance of victory, J. H. Stacy.
Eulogy on Bryan, J. H. Curry, Jr.
Silver speech, C. L. Sistrunk.
Eulogy on Sewell, C. H. Lloyd.
Words of Encouragement, Member of Senior club.
H. G. EAGLETON, President.
C. H. LLOYD, Secretary.
All are cordially invited to attend and a special invitation is extended to the ladies.

HAVE ORGANIZED.

The young mens Bryan and Sewell club was organized last night in the court house with thirty five members. Fifty good enthusiastic democrats were present.

The officers are:
H. G. Eagleton, president; J. H. Curry, vice president; Charles Lloyd, secretary; and Frank Ditt, treasurer.

Many short and spicy speeches were made.

The following are among those who spoke: Tom Harris, Carlos and Sim Sistrunk, Harry Eagleton, J. H. Curry Jr., Al Wright, Sheriff Hodge, and a big laugh from Frank Moorhead.

This club will do some good work for the election of Bryan and Sewell.

To Cure a Cold in One Day
Take laxative Bromo-Quinine Tablets. All druggists refund the money if it fails to cure. 25c.

Mrs. Hopkins, of Orange Lake, returned home this afternoon, after a pleasant visit to Rev. C. M. Gray's family.

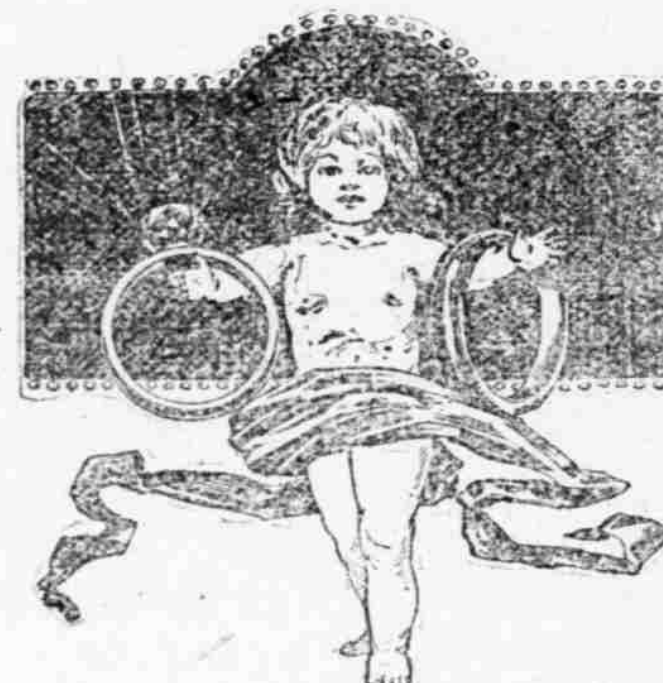
S. W. Teague returned this afternoon from a visit to his family at Lady Lake.

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