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### W. J. Bryan Says He Has Given Up Reform and Honest Politics

of W. J. Bryan's last speech of the campaign:—I am now 48 years old. It is 18 years of political career as a candidate for Congress. I told my friends that if elected I would not try to get their pockets, that I would simply try to keep them out of mine. For 18 years this thought has been in my mind. I have tried to apply to the government of the United States. I have tried to scan my every speech for the sake of the country. I have tried to have the continuity of my opponents and have made no representations. I know not whether it is for me. I know not whether it is for my country. I have tried to perform my duty in vain. I have given an impression of a sentiment in favor of reform. I have tried to rely upon, the confidence of the people. I shall enter it free to the world. I shall enter it free to the world. I shall enter it free to the world.

No. 9230.  
**TREASURY DEPARTMENT**  
OFFICE OF  
**Comptroller of the Currency**

WASHINGTON, D. C., Sept. 19, 1908.

WHEREAS, by satisfactory evidence presented to the undersigned, it has been made to appear that

**"The Third National Bank of Union City"**

in the town of Union City, in the County of Obion, and State of Tennessee, has complied with all the provisions of the statutes of the United States required to be complied with before an association shall be authorized to commence the business of banking:

Now, THEREFORE, I, Lawrence O. Murray, Comptroller of the Currency, do hereby certify that "THE THIRD NATIONAL BANK OF UNION CITY, in the town of Union City, in the County of Obion, and the State of Tennessee, is authorized to commence the business of Banking as provided in Section Fifty-one Hundred and Sixty-nine of the Revised Statutes of the United States.

In testimony whereof witness my hand and seal of office, this nineteenth day of September, 1908. (Signed) LAWRENCE O. MURRAY, Comptroller of the Currency.

### TAKEN TO NASHVILLE

Nine of the Reelfoot Lake Suspects in Davidson County Jail.

Nine of the suspects arrested in the vicinity of Reelfoot Lake in connection with the murder of Captain Quentin Rankin and the attempted murder of Judge R. Z. Taylor were taken to Nashville Sunday morning on the Memphis train, arriving at 8.35 o'clock, by Capt. Clarence Bellamy and a squad of nineteen of the State militia, and within a few minutes after arrival had been whirled away to the Davidson County jail where, for an uncertain period of time, their place of confinement is to be.

The men carried were: Garrett Johnson, aged 42 years; Tom Johnson, aged 53; Roy Ransom, aged 26; Bob Lee, aged 36; Bob Huffman, aged 26; Sam Applewhite, aged 27; Tom Wilson, aged 46; Jessie Carter, aged 23, and Lige Clear, aged 40. They were registered on the jail record book as being brought there under orders from Gov. M. R. Patterson, to be held closely for him until further orders.

### CLOSELY CONFINED

This means that the nine are to undergo the closest kind of confinement, and will not only not be allowed to converse with visitors and officers, but will also not be allowed, it is supposed, to mix up with each other, and will be kept all the time during confinement in their respective cells.

Just how long they will be kept there—it was for safe keeping that they were taken there—is a matter of uncertainty, and is doubtless only known by Gov. Patterson and those who have had charge of the Reelfoot Lake investigations. Indications are, however, that the men will remain there until the court has convened at Union City. It is time to take them.

Bradley Felts, of Nashville, has at last secured permission to announce the fact that the nine suspects in the Rankin murder case, taken to Nashville, are being held in the Davidson County jail.

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### KILLED IN QUARREL

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Rogers at once came to town and gave himself up. A jury of inquest called it self-defense. Kasterson owned the land here and Rogers recently bought a large place and located his pond there. It had been considered a bad character and was sold two years ago.

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### WRIT DISALLOWED

Proceeding Irregular and Petition Denied.

The petition for the release of J. Watson and Ed Marshall, arrested in the Reelfoot Lake district, was denied to Colonel W. C. Tatom, before Judge Jones of the Court Monday. A motion of the court to disallow writ and to deny the writ was granted.

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