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THE REPUBLICAN PLATFORM.

[From W. J. Bryan's Brooklyn speech.]

The Republican platform does not condemn the issue of bonds. The Republican platform does not propose to suspend the present financial system. The Republican leaders have indorsed all of the financial policy of the present Administration. If you want this policy continued, you can secure a continuation of it by voting the Republican ticket. If you want this policy abandoned you must vote against the Republican ticket in order to secure its abandonment. (Cries of "We will, we ...

Rowdies Break up the Bryan Meeting at New Haven, Conn.

New Haven, Conn., Sept 24.—Yale students delayed the opening of Mr. Bryan's speech on the green here by at least fifteen minutes. A crowd of the collegians, 500 or more strong, gathered in the assemblage of 10,0000 persons, and when Mr. Bryan arose and waved his hands for quiet, the Yale men broke out into their full college cheer, beginning with the frog chorus of "Aristophanes," following with three long Yales, nine 'rahs, a Yale and McKinley. Repeatedly did the students break forth into this cheer and it was impossible for the nominee to speak.

After quiet was restored Mr. Bryan started to speak, but the students would not desist. Whenever the speaker made a point pleasing to the crowd the sympathizers yelled, but the Yale students rounded out the yell with their long cheer, finishing with "McKinley" as a climax. Finally a detail of mounted police quieted the exuberant Yaleians.

On one occasion while Mr. Bryan was trying to obtain quiet a band doing escort duty to a military parade on the ground near by burst forth with music. Mr. Bryan threw up his hands and refused to continue.

Geo. Denny's Conversation with Wood Dunlap.

[Penciler in Danville Advocate.]

GEORGE the Strong.—Woodford, am I not the Roaring Wind of the Bluegrass—the Rushing Torrent of the Canebrakes?

WOODY.—Yes, that you are, Most High and Sacred Cid.

George.—Doth not the mighty oaks bend and bow and quiver at mine approach and the everlasting hills roll and tumble and disappear if I but nod my giant head or wave my wanton locks?

Woody.—You bet they doth.

Geo.—Am I not a volcano running on double time, a geyser, a whirlpool of death and destruction?

Woody.—That's what.

Geo.—Am I not the Storm-Born offspring of the West Wind and the Sun?

Woody.—To be sure.

Geo.—Doth not mine eyes vent fire and lightning, my mouth emit the fume and fury of the plutonian shades, and when I tread the earth doth not the granite hills from pole to pole quiver as the aspen in the winds of autumn?

Woody.—The very same.

Geo.—Do I not sleep most sweetly in the thunder's roar, and rest me best when warring elements contend for mastery?

...

BALLARD SMITH cables from London to the New York World that the Westminster Gazette is printing letters from English holders of Western American mortgages, suggesting the general consent of such mortgage holders to voluntarily reduce their interest charges, because the mortgagors are now unable to pay. One of the Gazette's correspondents writes:

"The Western farmer owns and cultivates his own land. Starting out with $1,000 he borrows $1,000 more and buys a farm. No more honest and industrious man lives than this sturdy land proprietor. Father, mother and children all work in the fields together, anxious to clear off the mortgage and improve their homestead.

"But falling prices have compelled this unfortunate man to give twice as much grain in payment of his taxes, interest and fixed charges, and the result of a year's hard work is that loss, debt and despair settle down on that humble home and hope gives place to rage. The farm is not worth the amount of the mortgage, and the farmer becomes a Populist, a silver man or anything else that politicians tell him will help him. The poor fellow can not pay his interest at present prices, and he curses the man to whom the debt is due; he throws up his farm ...

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