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ANSWER THIS QUESTION:

There is one question, Mr. Workingman, supporting a family, dependant on your day's work that amid all the noise of the campaign has not been answered for you yet. It is this, and before you vote next Tuesday, think it over:
What particular policy will Bryan pursue if elected that will insure more men work and give them better wages than they have now?
Can you answer it?
Can anyone answer it for you?

WHY GERMANS FAVOR TAFT.

THE FACT THAT THE ILLINOIS Staats Zeitung, one of the greatest independent German papers in the world, has come out for Taft will without doubt influence many a honest German citizen to vote for the republican candidate.

The German is a good business man. He is cautious about his business policies and he believes in the gold standard which Bryan does not; he believes in protection for American industry, which Bryan does not; he believes in expending the money of the government for the benefit of all the people, in the rural mail delivery, the irrigation of arid lands, the preservation and utilization of our forests, the improvement of agriculture and other great public services, which Bryan, according to the political platform which he has subscribed, regards as "unnecessary and wasteful."

The prospect that Bryan would be nominated drew bitter protests from leading Germans and German newspapers controlled by Ridders, the present democratic campaign treasurer, who declared that he would never support the advocate of free silver and repudiation and of other vagaries offensive to the sound judgment and honest character of German-Americans. The fact that Mr. Ridder has seen fit to change his attitude toward the candidate whose nomination he had regarded as equivalent to defeat, does not mean that there has been any general desertion of German-American citizens from the principles of sound money and of protection for American industry. Citizens of German origin, democrats as well as republicans throughout Lake county, are most of them for Taft and the policies that he represents.

The German's common sense tells him that Bryan is a menace to business; that his political schemes are visionary and impracticable and that he depends for his only substantial support upon a form of class hatred tending to undermine and break down American institutions.

THE BREWERY TRUST'S LAST STAND.

LET US TELL YOU, MR. VOTER, that the brewery combine proposes to squeeze the state of Indiana under its thumb with the assistance of Tom Taggart next Tuesday, if possible.

The brewery and the brewery saloons will put up a desperate battle to elect Tom Marshall and the democratic ticket.

Now there is no dodging the fact. There is no use beating around the bush. The brewers have fastened themselves on the democratic party like a lot of leeches.

We believe that Tom Marshall would like to be well out of such an unholy alliance as he is hooked up with.

We don't believe that Mr. Bryan himself, who is a devout Presbyterian and wants "the people to rule," would be tied up with the brewers who want the brewers to rule.

We believe that democrats and republicans, who believe that the day for brewery domination in this state is past, are in the majority.

The issue in Indiana is not political. The paramount, all absorbing question to be settled next Tuesday at the polls is, shall the Berghoff-Jung-Schlitz-Blatz-Pabst-Lemp-Fairbanks-Lieber combination run the state of Indiana, its senators, representatives, officeholders, etc., or shall the people rule?

We dare anyone to say that the temperance democrats of Indiana haven't one-half the courage of those six democrats who voted in the legislature for county option and defied the party lash in the hands of Tom Taggart.

We believe they have.

We believe that they will prove to you that they have next Tuesday.

"PERSONAL LIBERTY," OH YES!

THE ARROGANT BREWERY COMBINE that is supporting Marshall is a fine thing to be talking personal liberty.

The brewers of this state have evaded and defied the laws at every opportunity possible and brewery saloons have broken the law.

The brewers have installed some people in some of their brewery saloons that they would not trust with their own pocket-books.

They have sold their product to houses of prostitution, barrel-houses, bootleggeries, houses of assignation.

They have gouged the people who work for them, the men who conduct their saloons for them, they have put the strangle hold on the latter and wrung their filthy lucre out of them.

They have been responsible for crime, seduction, starvation, hungry children and sad-eyed women.

Brewers, as "custodians of society" and prating about "personal liberty," Faugh, it makes decent democrats and republicans sick!

And there Tom Marshall lines up with this crew and has the nerve to ask people to vote for him!

VOTE EARLY ON TUESDAY, MR. REPUBLICAN.

IF BEHOOVES EVERY REPUBLICAN voter to be early at the polls next Tuesday.

The polls will open at 6 o'clock and close at 6 o'clock. If you delay until after that time, even though a minute after, you will lose your vote.

On account of the slowness of the average election board and the fact that it is presidential year, it is sure to take longer to vote this year than it did two years ago. Some may be shut out if they put the vote off till afternoon.

There is need of having the polling in the morning and early afternoon. Encourage the republican voters by getting out and helping others out Tuesday.

Every republican in Lake county should make it a point to get out at least one other republican voter, and then the usual round republican majority is assured.

The safe plan is to vote early. Cast your ballot and then you can

help to swell the result by getting some other easy-going voter to cast his ballot.

Be a loyal party worker and help to elect the republican ticket from Taft to trustee.

BRYAN, UNSAFE ENGINEER.

"IF YOU CAN PICTURE the prosperity and welfare of 90,000,000 people, carried upon a great engine, with a selection of one of two engineers, both intent upon reaching a certain objective point, both honest, both determined, I believe in the selection of William H. Taft would be the selection of the engineer, who, earnestly intent upon his mission, would consult the element of safety or danger of track and would arrive in safety at his destination. Mr. Bryan, if elected, would throw the throttle wide open and with his impatience and enthusiasm, would be as likely to land us in the ditch as at the station."—Henry F. Cochems of Wisconsin.

IT IS THE PARTY OF G. A. R.

NO MAN WHO WAS not old enough to be a factor in the great struggle of 61-65 could give his heart and soul more completely to the welfare and well-being of the veterans, who fought for liberty and right, than Mr. Taft. The old soldiers of Lake county will recognize this fact.

He is the recognized and distinguished friend of the old soldier and is pledged to carry out republican policy in a generous manner to the Grand Army of the Republic. He has never been too busy to see the veteran and listen with sympathetic interest to his just demands. Taft, as president, will be an abiding fast friend to all the survivors of our wars.

Veterans and sons of veterans, remember that the republican party is your party.

IN OTHER CLASS.

THOMAS R. MARSHALL is not bothering himself so much with the pesky preachers nowadays. The crowd of fellow he is mixing with to the sorrow of his old-time friends is of quite a different color—it is the bunch that is fighting county local option to the death.

Prominently in the bunch at democratic headquarters at Indianapolis using their utmost endeavors to defeat the cause of county option are the Hon. Crawford Fairbanks, president of the Terre Haute Brewing company; the Hon. Albert Lieber, president of the Indianapolis Brewing company; the Hon. Steven B. Fleming, president of the Berghoff Brewing company, of Fort Wayne, and numerous other heads of similar distinguished institutions.

WILL SEE TO THEIR RIGHTS.

MR. TAFT has given his word to a large gathering of foreign born citizens in Brooklyn, mainly Russian Jews, that if elected he will stand for a policy of insisting upon full recognition of Jewish-American rights when they re-enter Russia and that he will pursue the policy relative to Russian treaty revision, which Secretary Root has outlined. This will please the oppressed of Russia, who have come to this soil and shows the largeness of the republican presidential candidate.

WILL GET CHANCE ALL RIGHT

IT IS QUITE PROBABLE that there will be a great deal of challenging at the polls next Tuesday by the democrats whom it is reported intend to prevent as many citizens of foreign birth from voting as they can.

The republicans have fully determined, however, to see that these men get their rights and there will be a number of officials on hand in the shape of deputy united States marshals to see that all citizens, who have a right to vote, are given the prerogatives of citizenship.

HE IS MISLEADING YOU.

A LAST WORD TO YOU, Mr. Union Labor Man.

It is one of the many illusions of Mr. Bryan that he is the special and only champion of labor.

What has Mr. Bryan ever done for labor?

When in congress he helped to frame a tariff bill which kept hundreds of thousands of men out of employment until a republican administration was elected and a republican tariff act passed.

Could he have hit labor a more paralyzing blow?

THE MAN WHO declares that he has no interest in this campaign, may set down as an indifferent and selfish citizen. No resident of this county, who has the right to vote, has any right to be indifferent to this present contest. It is disgusting to read of men who have no interest in politics at such time as this.

A WORD TO THE young man who casts his first vote—don't waste it.

For President WILLIAM H. TAFT

"He is as strong as he is gentle. His reputation is simply spotless. In all the agitation of a heated campaign for the greatest office in the world, no one has ventured to intimate a doubt of the absolute honesty of this man who has been before the country for a quarter of a century. Nor can any one successfully dispute the simple proposition that in the whole history of the United States no one was ever named for the presidency who was so fitted by nature, by training and by experience for the duties, dignities and responsibilities of that unique office—CHARLES HOPKINS, in 'The Independent'."

Contrast the policies of the democratic party with the republican party. You will vote right by voting for Taft and prosperity.

MR. JOHN W. KERN, who lost an annual pass on the Big Four a short time ago, concludes his whirlwind campaign in Indiana today.

THE PEARLES ONE'S latest speeches show that he realizes what's coming.

THIS DATE IN HISTORY.

October 31.
1735—General Oglethorpe re-embarked for America, accompanied by John Wesley and other missionaries.
1765—The "Pennsylvania Gazette" appeared in mourning for the passage of the stamp act.
1793—Execution of the Girondists during the French revolution.
1848—Stephen Watts Kearney, the conqueror of New Mexico, died at St. Louis. Born August 30, 1794.
1849—A remarkable meteoric stone fell near Charlotte, S. C.
1861—General Winfield Scott retired as commander of the United States army.
1884—Marie Bashkirtseff, famous for her diary, died in Paris. Born in Russia, Nov. 30, 1860.
1888—The first legislature of the Northwest Territories opened at Regina.
1898—Helen Faucet, a celebrated English actress, died. Born in 1819.

THIS IS MY 47TH BIRTHDAY.

William Gibbs McAdoo, the builder of the tunnel under the Hudson river, named after him, was born near Marietta, Ga., on October 31, 1863. He studied law and began to practice in Chattanooga after he had reached his twenty-first year. In 1892 he moved to New York and began to practice law there until 1902, when he organized the company which acquired the old tunnel under the Hudson which had been begun in 1874. This original tunnel plan had proven a failure and a second attempt met with the same fate. McAdoo was confident that the tunnel project could be carried out successfully and was made president of the New York & New Jersey Railroad company, which has since built the tunnel from Christopher street to Jersey City. One year later, in 1903, he organized and was elected president of the Hudson and Manhattan Railroad company, which started the tunnel from Cortland street to the Pennsylvania railroad depot in Jersey City.

THIS DATE IN HISTORY.

November 1.
1753—Colonel Charles Lawrence was appointed administrator of Acadia.
1774—Henry Laurens of South Carolina was chosen president of the Continental congress.
1808—John Taylor, president of the Mormon church, was born. Died July 25, 1887.
1820—Erasmus Otis Haven, bishop of the Methodist Episcopal church, was born in Boston. Died in Salem, Ore.; August 2, 1881.
1893—An electric car went through a draw at Portland, Ore., and twenty persons were killed.
1900—The statue of Queen Victoria, by Princess Louise, was unveiled at Montreal.
1903—Professor Theodor Mommsen, the eminent German jurist and historian, died. Born November 30, 1817.
1905—Prince Louis of Battenberg and his British fleet arrived at Annapolis, Md.

THIS IS MY 50TH BIRTHDAY.

Eugene W. Claflin, nominee for the presidency on the prohibition ticket, was born in Walworth county, Wisconsin, on November 1, 1858. He worked on a farm by the month to defray his expenses while at the University of Wisconsin, from which he graduated in 1878. He practiced law in Waukesha, Wis., for twenty-five years, was state president of the Epworth league two terms, and grand chief templar of the state Good Templars four terms. He was candidate on the prohibition ticket for attorney general of Wisconsin twice and for governor in 1898. He came to Chicago in 1901 and soon became one of the most prominent men of his party in the state. He is the author of "Lives of the Presidents," and "Lincoln, the Man of Sorrows."

DENOUNCES GOMPER'S ACTION.

Indianapolis Lodge of Machinists Deplores Use of Office for Partisan Politics.

Indianapolis, Ind., Oct. 27.—Lodge No. 70, International Association of Machinists, has adopted a resolution denouncing Samuel Gompers for his political attitude in supporting Bryan and protesting against the use of the office of the president of the federation of labor to promote partisan ends.

For V-President JAMES S. SHERMAN

"We certify to all the great electorate that when their votes in November shall have chosen James S. Sherman to be vice president of the United States, the senate will be sure of a presiding officer in character and competency worthy of the best traditions of that great deliberative body, and that which God forbid—the and contingency were to come which should for a fourth time call a vice president from New York to the executive office, the interests of the whole country would be safe in good hands, and the great office of the presidency would suffer no decadence from the high standard of dignity and honor and competency of which we are so justly proud."—ELIHU ROOT, at Sherman Notification Ceremonies.

RANDOM THINGS AND FLINGS

Judging from the hysteria of the democratic organs there is a great deal of uneasiness among the boasted confidence.

It might be well to take in the whole front yard tonight.

We praise the sensible girl, but after all marry the other kind.

We'll have to give it to Mr. Bryan for a very whirly whirlwind finish, but of course, the finish won't be until the votes are counted.

The trouble with the first is, she is always practicing a game she never intends to play.

Among the cheering sights of the campaign is the spectacle of the Hon. D. B. Hill wearing that little feathered cap of his labeled, "I am a democrat."

Learning how to love is nature's queer, roundabout way of teaching us how to hate.

A little British gold came in to help Mr. Bryan. It was 360 quid and from Boss Croker.

THE MAN IN LOVE IS FOOLISH, BUT WHOEVER HEARD HIM ADMIT IT UNTIL AFTER HE GETS MARRIED.

It must be admitted that Colonel Roosevelt doesn't look his fifty years. But you ought to see Sec. Loeb.

When love at first sight may lead to marriage, love at second sight is apt to lead to divorce.

Colonel Bryan had better cut it out. This kissed by women don't go. It bailed things up for Samson, if we remember rightly.

Another Fellow's sister Generally seems nice To us than our own until after We get married.

All the candidates next week at this time will be home gargling.

THOSE WHO ARE DISAPPOINTED IN LOVE ARE THE ONES WHO GENERALLY ARE DISAPPOINTED THE LEAST.

"When I take my seat in March," says Mr. Bryan. Oh, he's really going to take it, is he?

IN POLITICS

Utica, N. Y., Oct. 26.—The workshops at Onondaga were closed today to allow the operatives to greet William H. Taft, the republican candidate for president, who was scheduled to deliver his first speech of the day at this place. A great crowd was at the railroad station when his train arrived. Judge Taft will hold a night meeting at Buffalo.

The Bryan meetings at Gary and Indiana Harbor will be attended by a great many of the faithful from this part of the county, and Crown Point is also expected to send a delegation.

Three political lights, Attorney D. C. Atkinson, H. E. Granger and Charles Billings held a political meeting in a hall near the Knickerbocker ice company, last evening. The hall was overflowed with enthusiastic and interested republicans. Attorney D. C. Atkinson was the first to speak, H. E. Granger second, and Charles Billings third. All gave stirring speeches and were greeted by those present. The people took kindly to the chorus composed by G. C. White, which served as the entertainment.

Chairmen Schaaf and Simon are busy putting the finishing touches on their campaign work of the past few months and getting ready for the grand finale on Tuesday.

James S. Sherman, republican candidate for vice president, closed yesterday's campaigning with an address at Oneonta, N. Y., where in a brisk snowstorm he rode at the head of a parade.

United States Senator Knox, Lieutenant Governor Robert S. Murphy and

New York's Social Leader Who Is Dead.



MRS. WILLIAM ASTOR.

This Week's News Forecast

Washington, D. C., Oct. 31.—The one big event of the coming week for the people of the United States, and overshadowing all else in importance, will be the quadrennial national election of a president and vice president. Seven national tickets are in the field, from which the voters may take their choice. In twenty-eight states governors or other state officers are to be elected. Six states will choose justices of the supreme court or minor state officers. In seven states representatives only are to be elected, and in two representatives and a legislature only. Representatives in congress will be chosen in all states excepting Oregon, Vermont and Maine, which states held their elections during the summer. The voters of Michigan will decide upon the adoption or rejection of a new constitution. In other states proposed constitutional amendments of importance will be voted upon.

Aside from the presidential contest, the results of the election in several of the states are awaited with general interest. In New York the gubernatorial contest between Hughes and Chandler has attracted national attention. In Indiana and Ohio the contest over the liquor question is of widespread interest. The result in Speaker's Cannon's district, the Eighteenth Illinois, is also awaited with interest, owing to the bitter fight that has been made by the labor element and others to prevent the speaker's re-election. The quadrennial general election in Newfoundland takes place on the day preceding the election in the United States. Newfoundland enjoys an independent government apart from Canada, and at the present moment has serious political differences with both her larger neighbors, a fishery dispute with the United States and a boundary dispute with Canada. Sir Robert Bond, the premier, is leading the government forces in the political contest, and the opposition is headed by Sir Edward Morris.

President Roosevelt will leave Washington for Oyster Bay Monday night and will vote early the following morning. His special train will reach Washington on the return trip about 6 o'clock on the night of the election day in time for the president to receive the returns at the White House.

The second squadron of the American battleship fleet under Admiral Sperry will conclude its stay at Amoy and proceed to Manila to rejoin the first squadron, which is due to reach the Philippine capital today. The fleet will spend several weeks in target practice in Philippine waters before resuming the trip around the world.

The Collingwood, one of the new battleships of the Dreadnought class, building for the British navy, will be launched Saturday at Devonport. The Collingwood is a sister ship to the St. Vincent which was launched in September. Both are to be ready for commission early in 1910.

Congressman William H. Graham were the principal speakers last night at what was practically the closing demonstration of the republican party in Pittsburgh.

Eugene V. Debs arrived in Milwaukee on his "Red Special" last night and addressed three meetings in three halls, which were packed to overflowing. In all his speeches he declared that the social-democratic party would elect two congressmen in Wisconsin on Nov. 3.

Greencastle, Ind., Oct. 30.—The new Bryan is not eligible for election to the presidency," declared John L. Griffiths, yesterday afternoon, in an address made at the courthouse here, "for the new Bryan was born only three months ago at Denver. He is as dangerous as he was twelve years ago." He refuted arguments made by the Commissioner in regard to the guaranty of bank deposits, the free trade issue and his anti-injunction plank.

Monroe—The prohibitionists today gave a parade about the principal streets. Eugene Chaffin and Aaron S. Watkins, the heads of the national ticket, were in the procession, seated in a carriage. Prohibition speeches began immediately afterward. Mr. Chaffin here, as elsewhere, made humorous reference to "Toddy and Toddy," and intimated that President Roosevelt is not exactly a teetotaler.

Washington—George Fred Williams, former governor of Massachusetts, was greeted with a large crowd at the people's hall last night. The Rev. U. M. McGuire, pastor of the Baptist church, presided. Williams spoke for nearly two hours, dealing altogether with national issues. He bitterly assailed President Roosevelt for his participation in the campaign.

Terre Haute—The county commissioners have decided to place two voting machines in each of the fourteen thickly settled precincts. As there are no surplus machines, the Australian ballots will be used in that number of other precincts. There are forty-seven precincts in the county. The total poll

LABOR NEWS

The Canadian Pacific is said to urge war on all labor unions.

The first union of haters in the United States was founded in 1899.

The open hearth department of the Carnegie Steel company at Homestead has started the double turn.

The Howard Axle works of the Carnegie Steel company have started up two departments after a considerable period of idleness.

The Iron Molders' Union of North America is planning to celebrate its fiftieth anniversary next year in an appropriate manner.

The International Union of State-workers will hold its next annual convention at Bangor, Pa., beginning its sessions on Nov. 10.

The shoe clerks of Toronto, Ont., have recently organized a union after several abortive efforts, and according to reports its membership is rapidly increasing.

The San Francisco Laundry Workers' union has 1,375 members.

A new union of blacksmiths, affiliated with the International Brotherhood of Blacksmiths, has recently been organized in Dunkirk, N. Y., and is reported prospering.