

Thomas Hood



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WILL THE BAR'L HOLD?

Politicians Opening Their Eyes at Growth of Hearst Movement.

Indianapolis, March 19.—There is no longer any doubt but that Wm. Randolph Hearst intends to turn his batteries loose upon Indiana for the purpose of capturing the delegation to the Democratic national convention at St. Louis. Politicians who sneered at his candidacy a few months ago are beginning to open their eyes to its rapid growth. Hearst's barrel—for it is not disputed that the barrel is a very big item in his campaign—is doing a fine stunt and politicians are now wondering if it will hold long enough for him to land the nomination. His methods are unique in politics, but he has probably been laying a foundation for a long time for the very thing he is now doing, for the national association of Democratic clubs which held its convention here four years ago was his creation and it seems to have given him an entering wedge into politics. His election to congress was another step and now his agents are here preparing to put on the gloves with Tom Taggart and the regular organization for the Indiana delegation.

While all the talk of a fight between Hearst and Taggart's followers for control of the Indiana delegation is going on the genial Tom is quietly ensconced at his hotel at French Lick. He is not paying any attention, so far as the public knows, to what is being said, but the chances are that he has his ear to the ground and is fully apprised of what is going on. There is no question but that Hearst is not the personal choice of Taggart but if Hearst gets the nomination there is not much doubt that he will support him as he has always shown himself to be a good party man. Taggart, it is understood, intends to remain at French Lick until Monday or Tuesday of next week. John W. Kern, who has been regarded as one of the big men of the party who might consider Hearst favorably, is also at French Lick and it is probable that the two chieftains are now laying some mines that will be touched off later in the campaign.

John C. Eastman of Chicago, who is the personal representative of Hearst in his dealings with the politicians of this part of the country, was formerly an Indiana man. He published a Democratic paper at Wabash for some time before he entered the field of metropolitan journalism. He had been one of the leading figures in the Hearst syndicate for several years and is now one of the most prominent newspaper managers in the country. He formerly took part in state and county politics in Indiana but he is now getting his first introduction to national politics. He says he is very confident that Hearst will receive the nomination but like other managers of the boom he has not been able to make public a list of prominent Hoosiers who are lined up with it. The plea of Eastman and his associates is that the masses are with Hearst and that they will rise up and nominate him.

DEMAND THEIR RIGHTS

Indiana Editors Lay Down the Law to Exposition Management.

Indianapolis, March 19.—The executive committees of both the Republican and Democratic State Press associations met in this city last night. The meeting of the former was held at the English hotel and the committee decided that the summer meeting of the Republican State Press association should be held at St. Louis in conjunction with the meeting of the National Press association May 16 to 19, provided the assurance is given by the world's fair management that the usual editorial courtesies be extended to the editors and their families to cover all concessions on "The Pike" as well as the promised general admission to the world's fair.

The executive committee of the Democratic State Press association met at the Grand hotel. The decision was reached that the summer meeting should be held at French Lick Springs June 7 to 9, and that the editors should go from there to the world's fair, provided the exposition management guaranteed the extension of courtesies to include all side attractions as well as the "big show."

No Entangling Alliances.

Indianapolis, March 19.—The Indiana Anti-Saloon league is carrying on a vigorous campaign throughout the state, under the leadership of Ulysses G. Humphrey, and is preparing to enlarge its work, in contemplation of threatened action on the part of the liquor interests, against the Nicholson law. A strong effort is to be made to interest the voters in both political parties, but care is to be exercised to avoid entangling alliances with either party.

Spring Awaiting Trial.

Michigan City, Ind., March 19.—Benjamin Springs, colored, of Terre Haute, under sentence of death for killing Jesse Case, colored, of that city, has been received by Warden Reid, of the state prison, and he will be confined in the cell for condemned men until date of execution in July. Springs expresses indifference to his fate.

Retvizan's Commander Deaf.

Moscow, March 19.—Mme. Shchensnovitch has been informed that her husband, the commander of the battleship Retvizan, has become deaf as the result of the cannonading in the repelling of the Japanese assaults on Port Arthur.

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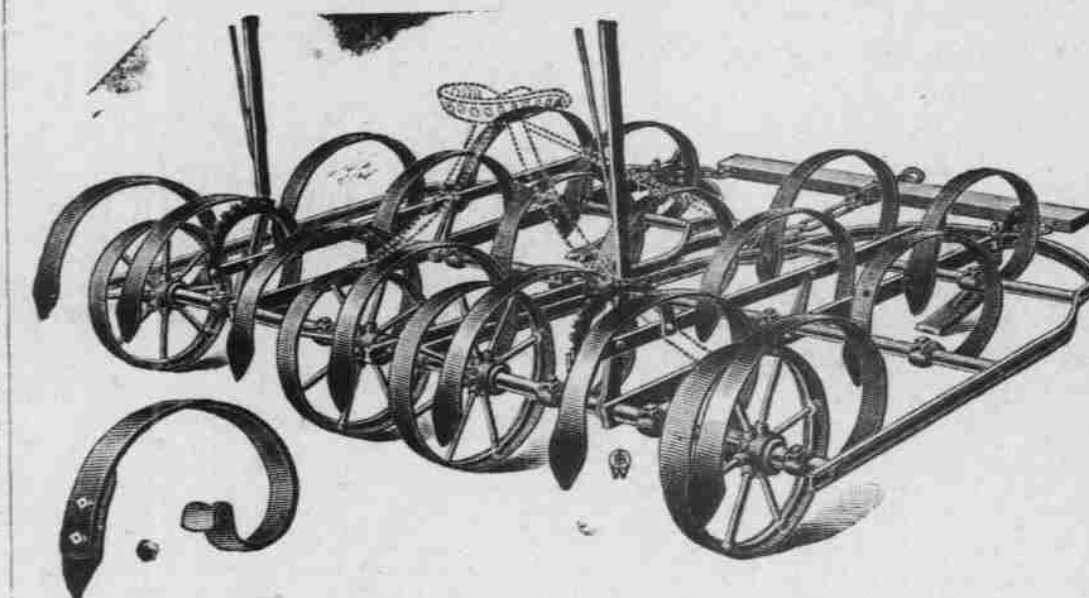
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