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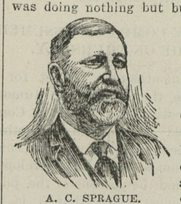
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AS ROOSEVELT WOULD HAVE IT.

DOES THE VENAL VOTER HOLD THE BALANCE OF POWER.

In the dispatches published in The *Sun* yesterday forcasting the probable results in certain "doubtful" States in the Presidential election next month it was elleged that money corruptly used would be the the decisive factor in several States. For instance, it was asserted in a dispatch from Wilmington, Del:

Roosevelt probably will get the electoral vote of Delaware. It depends upon the money the Republicans pour into the state for corruption purposes. It is believed that Addicks' political barrel has dwindled to a keg, and he will not put the huge sums he has employed in the past. But Republicans expect their national committee to send them a heavy fund. Since the Republicans carried Delaware the corruptable vote has always been sufficient to determine the election. Should the Democrats get a fund even half as large as the Republican they could probably win.

Our esteemed Republican contemporary, the Philadelphia North American, in its issue yesterday announced that the Democrats were beaten because there ere eight States which they ca n-noh buy. This mnst have been the product of the North American's humorist, for it is notoriously the fact that the Democratic National Committee is not overburdened with wealth and has scarcely money enough to pay postage on campaign literature. Mr. George Foster Peabody, the treasurer of the committee has recently issued an appeal to Democratic voter for contributions. There are no corporations which will finance the Democratic campaign. The army of Federal officeholders put its money on the "ins," not on the "outs." The protected interests act on "strickly business" principles and give financial aid to the party which will guarantee them the largest profits. The Steel Trust, for example, is said to earn $40,000,000 through the operations of the Dingley tariff, in addition to the profits which it would make if it were not protected at all. Naturally this trust and all other trusts that are favored by the tariff sympathize with the party of protection and contribute financially to its success at the polls.

In a letter to the Parker independent clubs Hon. Carl Schurz make this incisive statement:

Of all agencies of corruption the farthest reaching and the most generally demoralizing is a system or policy by which the Government deals out benefits of pecuniary value to special interests, those favored interests then to support by pecuniary aid the party controlling the Government. This is corruption organized on a national scale.

If an end is not put to the practice of corrupting voters the United States will soon have the evil distinction of possessing the most venal electorate in the world. There is scarcely a "doubtful State" in which there are not a large number of electors whose ballots are for sale to the highest bidder. It is this class to which the "practical politician" addresses himself. Their votes count for as much as the votes of the wisest and best men of the community. The price paid them for their venality has been steadily rising in successive campaigns. They constitute now a permanently venal class, and their votes have to be reckoned with in every election. The vote of the clergyman, the professional or business man, the student, the mechanic, the clerk, the farmer—indeed, of any honest man with convictions on political issues may be offset by the ballot of a man who hawks his vote around and sells it to the purchaser who can afford to pay most for it.

Isn't it time for self-respecting men of both parties—men who value the privilege of voting at its proper rate—to unite and stop the demoralizing practice of paying corrupt men to vote any ticket? It is a practice far more dangerous than it appears. It is creating a class of professional purchasable voters of the lowest type. When partisan strife runs high men are accustomed to resort to almost any expedient to win. "All's fair in politics," has come to be an axiom with political parties. To win elections men have been known to do things which in private life or business they would scorn to do. But the limit of safety, as well as of decency, has been reached in regard to the use of corruption funds in national elections. The venal vote is now so large that it is the determining factor in a number of States. It may be used by one party today and by another party tomorrow. It does not concern itself about the welfare of the nation, but about the amount it can extort from the party which wants its vote. Is it not a humiliating reflection that this debauched element decides the issues upon which intelligent Democrats and Republicans disagree; that this corrupt and vicious class has, by purchase, the determining voice in regard to who shall be President? Is it not enough to make the honest and enlightened men of both parties blush with shame to know that it is the venal voter for whose benefit enormous campaign funds are raised in order that the country may be saved from an unwise verdict at the polls? This is the menace to American civilization and republican institutions which every thoughtful man views with unfeigned alarm. Is the unprincipled man to decide what political principles shall prevail in this country?

QUESTIONS OF APPREHENSION.

Queries Made as to Fairbank's Political Fair Weather Talk.

In his recent speech at Hartford, Conn., Senator Fairbanks had this to say:

"Republican policies have never been a menace to the business interests of the country. Their triumph has never been awaited with serious apprehension."

In commenting editorially on this uttertance the New York World asks these pertinent questions:

"Is there no serious apprehension about policies that have trebled the expenditures of the Federal Government in little more than a quarter of a century?

"Is there no serious apprehension about an average deficit of $12,000,000 a month in the revenues?

"Is there no serious apprehension about the "Big Stick?"

"Is there no serious apprehension about a policy of Asiatic colonization?

"Is there no serious apprehension about the Republican party's encouragement of militarism?

"Is there no serious apprehension about government by executive order?

"Or perhaps Mr. Fairbanks means that these things for the most part represent Mr. Roosevelt's personal policies, for which a helpless Republican party should not be responsible."

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