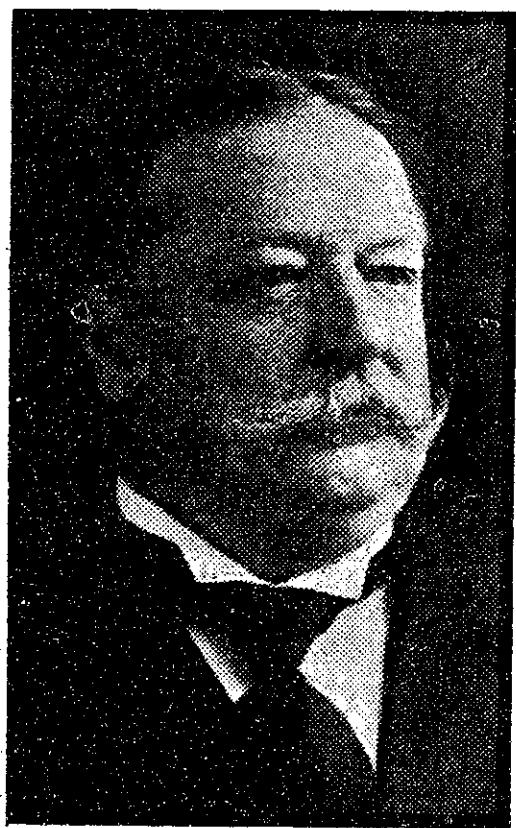


HON. WILLIAM H. TAFT GREETES COLLEGIATE REPUBLICANS



WILLIAM H. TAFT

Lieut.-governor Eben S. Draper 1878, of the Technology Corporation, Republican Candidate for Governor of Massachusetts to the College men of New England in a special interview to "The Tech."

"In a letter recently published in the New York "Times," purporting to have been written by ex-President Cleveland, the authenticity of which, however, has been questioned despite the fact that it shows a marked resemblance to Cleveland's style, the following statement was made, 'People ought to have all confidence in the results of this election for the reason that the voters who are to pass on these great questions are more intelligent and better educated than they have been in any previous national election which has taken place in this country.'

"Whether Cleveland wrote this statement or not, I believe that it shows the great fact that the perpetuity of the institutions of this nation depends on an educated and intelligent electorate. If this is correct then the man of university or of technological training and education has a very much greater responsibility for the success of his country than has his neighbor who has been less fortunate in these respects."

The lieutenant-governor then addressed himself particularly to men of his alma mater, Technology, as follows: "I urge upon every man who goes to or

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Hope you will express to the College Republican Paraders my appreciation of their efforts towards the victory which will be ours next Tuesday.

WILLIAM H. TAFT, 6.16 p.m.

COLLEGE REPUBLICANS START PARADE WITH MORE THAN 3000 MEN IN LINE

Twenty Divisions with Fifteen Bands and Drum Corps are Reviewed at State House by Lieut.-Governor Draper and His Entire Staff

MANY TRANSPARENCIES WITH CLEVER DESIGNS

Route of Beacon Street to Park to Boylston and Thence Up-Town Is Lined by Police and Cheering Thousands—O'Meara Orders Torches Collected

With a bugle call and a crash of bands, the largest parade in the history of New England colleges formally began. More than 3000 men started to march up Beacon street to the accompaniment of the music of seven bands and nine drum corps.

The parade was reviewed, as the marchers passed the state house steps, by Lieutenant governor Eben S. Draper 1878, and the following members of his staff: Brigadier General William H. Brigham, adjutant general and chief of staff, Colonel W. C. Catelle, Major Ira Vaughn, Major Thomas Talbot, Major Philip S. Sears, Major Guy Murchie, Captain John F. Kennedy, Captain Daniel H. Morgan, Captain Fred R. Robinson, Lieutenant B. F. Holton, Lieutenant W. S. Patten.

The parade passed the reviewing stand in the following order:

Chief Marshal B. S. Van Rensselaer and Assistant Chief Marshals L. K. Lunt, C. Turner, J. A. Locke, Jr. Staff Marshals J. R. Gilman, W. G. Wendell, M. Prince, W. G. Munroe, Gardner Wann, H. B. Pierce, L. Arrowsmith, K. S. Cate, T. J. Newbold, N. Harrower, C. Dunham, H. Rand, G. H. Bridg-

man, J. Knight, L. Wilson.
First division—Harvard Seniors and Sophomores; A. G. Gable, division marshal.

Harvard University band.
Second division—Harvard Juniors and Freshmen; E. P. Carrier, division marshal.

Lynn Cadet band.
Third division—North shore marching clubs; A. P. Lowing, marshal.
Peabody Rifles, Peabody, Mass.
Drum corps.

Salem Witches, Salem, Mass.
Drum corps.
West Beach Tars, Beverly Farms, Mass.
Drum corps.

Red Riding Hood Club, Beverly, Mass.
Drum corps.
Red Devils, Beverly, Mass.

Gardner Fusilers, Hamilton, Mass.
Andover Taft Guards, Andover, Mass.
Drum corps.

Methuen Farmers, Methuen, Mass.
Drum corps.
Washington Blues, Ipswich, Mass.
Drum corps.
Danvers Jolly Tars, Danvers, Mass.
Band.

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JAMES S. SHERMAN

Chairman Bernard S. Van Rensselaer, Harvard 1910, of Third Division, National Republican College League Calls Attention to Further Duties of Members of New England College Clubs.

Much work has been done by the National Republican College League, the parade being but one of the activities of the New England section. Under the direction of Bernard S. Van Rensselaer, Harvard 1910, head of the third division of the League, arrangements have been made to have college men working at the polls on election day, November 3, and it is believed that much may be accomplished in this way, even by non-voters. The Harvard club has done considerable canvassing for Mitchell Galvin, Republican candidate for Congress, and the chances of his being elected appear favorable at present.

In Massachusetts, Connecticut, and Rhode Island, the states which Rensselaer's division includes, the colleges have been thoroughly canvassed, and Republican clubs formed in most of them. A complete list of the college men who have not registered and do not intend to vote has been sent to the headquarters of the league at Chicago.

Van Rensselaer was much pleased with the arrangements for the parade and the attitude of the police in the matter, and anticipated no trouble from any source, with the possible exception of the few outsiders who might attempt something of the sort, and who could easily be controlled by the police.