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Talk of Young for Mayor of New York City

At a luncheon recently given for an entirely different purpose, at which Mr. Young was present, the gentlemen around the table were unanimous in asking him to consent to become candidate for mayor of New York city. "Mr. Young listened patiently and then with that wonderful smile of his said:

"Gentlemen, it is very kind of you to suggest my name, but there is one obstacle which prevents the carrying out of your suggestion, and that is that I am not a voter in New York city. I was born on a farm in Herkimer county and that has always been my voting residence and I expect it will be as long as I live."

This was final and his friends realized that no inducement could make him change that residence. One gentleman, however, did remark that the fact of residence in Herkimer county would not be a bar against his being eligible to the presidency of the United States."