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NEW JERSEY FIRST, IS GOV. EDGE'S CALL IN HIS INAUGURAL

Don't Subordinate Interests of State to Big Cities Nearby, He Says.

(Special to The Evening World.) TRENTON, N. J., Jan. 16.—"Jersey men for Jersey" was a slogan sounded by Gov. Walter E. Edge in his inaugural message to the Legislature to-day. In some parts of the State, he said, the interests of New Jersey are subordinated to or overshadowed by the interests of nearby metropolitan cities of adjacent States.

"In Northern Jersey conditions are similar. In the great colony of New York commuters of this section—men of brains, initiative, constructive ability—who do big things and add to the wealth of the State in New York City, yet who do little for New Jersey outside of maintaining homes here and paying their taxes.

"In the last election in New Jersey 50,000 more Jersey men voted for the two leading Presidential candidates than voted for the United States Senator or Governor; and, to my mind, this means, to a considerable extent, that about 50,000 Jersey men do not have sufficient interest in the internal affairs of New Jersey to take part in the State election.

"It is any wonder that New York and Philadelphia have the means to finance great undertakings of commercial development, while New Jersey sometimes lags behind and hesitates at the expense? What we need is more Jersey citizenship—real citizenship, active citizenship, jealous citizenship—rather than mere residential citizenship."

The Governor devoted a considerable part of his message to the question of road improvement. He advocated a comprehensive State highway system no matter what it may cost, within reason, and said that the funds provided for road improvement under existing laws were inadequate.

The Governor wants improvements not only on the main highways, but on the dirt roads and byways so that farmers may be benefited as well as motorists and remote property values may be increased.

The Governor made the suggestion that the State take ownership of the accessible waterfront along the Hudson and Delaware Rivers. Private ownership, he declared, imposes a severe handicap on business at New Jersey ports. In the matter of the controversy over the lightering question in the Port of New York, he said:

"It occurs to me that we want to encourage competition along the waterfront of our commercial cities at the same time that we are pressing, as we propose to do vigorously and relentlessly our fight against the lightering and rate discrimination of the railroads of the Port of New York. We should prosecute this fight, and, at the same time, interest and bring in line with New Jersey, St. Louis, Pittsburgh and other big shipping centers."

The Governor advanced a radical proposition regarding the fisheries of New Jersey. Pound fishermen, he said, licensed by the State in return for a small percentage of millions of pounds of fish which are shipped almost exclusively to the New York and Philadelphia wholesale markets, bringing the fishermen from 15 to 20 cents a pound while the State fish retailed in New Jersey markets bring from 15 to 20 cents a pound or more.

He proposed that the State establish fishhouses along the coast, purchase all the fish needed for New Jersey at market prices and fix the price to the wholesale markets at the State market sufficiently higher than the cost to pay for the expenses of handling. The Governor maintained that the New Jersey fish grounds are, virtually, public utilities.

The Governor admitted that conditions in the Trenton State prison are very bad and said that at the time he was in the State prison he was in the cell for all time and in a big way. He advocated penal farms and convict road work.

The Governor recommended, in effect, the repeal of the "Seven Sisters" legislation regulating corporations, which was put through by Woodrow Wilson's administration. The legislation, he said, has cost the State a good deal of lost revenue and business prestige. He declared he wanted to get corporations revenue for New Jersey without letting down the bars or fostering monopoly.

The Governor advocated a revision of the tax laws, better Civil Service laws and an administrative standardization of State salaries, amendment of the election laws to limit contributions to campaign funds, extension of the school center community idea, authorization for the Governor to remove officers whom he appoints and reorganization of the National Guard system to provide for universal service.

Gov. Edge took the oath on the Bible of his wife, who died recently and his infant son occupied a box seat near the stage.

RAE TANZER TELLS STORY ON STAND AS SHE FACES "OLIVER"

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man who accompanied you? A. Yes, he told me I was just the grandest girl and he'd take me home with him and marry me. I told him I had a prospect of marrying a doctor, and he said to me he didn't want me to even see the doctor again. He told me about his life on his California ranch and that he'd teach me to ride a horse and all that sort of thing.

Miss Tanzer then told of going to the Plainfield hotel and having dinner in the restaurant. "He took a ring off his finger and put it on the table," she continued. "and said 'That's for you.' Later I told him the ring was too big, so I gave it back to him and he put it in his pocket. The pin he had on his lapel was broken, he'd take it and have it fixed. But I never saw the pin or ring again."

The witness told of a walk with Oliver about Plainfield "to look at houses" and of returning to the Hotel Kensington where, she said, Oliver introduced her to Stafford, the clerk, and "Mrs. Osborne." Her "Oliver," she went on, had warned her against saying very much to anyone in case she was asked about California. He told the clerk he thought he'd better stay overnight at the hotel.

"The clerk said the house wouldn't take anyone without baggage," Miss Tanzer explained. "and Oliver told him that ours was at the railroad station."

"Then Mr. Osborne and Mr. Stafford and I went upstairs. I didn't know what we were doing or where we were going. But I realized it, and yet I kept on going up. Then he looked at a room."

MRS. OSBORNE IS GOVERNMENT'S LAST WITNESS. Mrs. James W. Osborne was the last witness for the Government. She related the incidents of the visit to her husband at his home, the Sherman Square Hotel, of Charles W. Wax.

Wax was led before Mrs. Osborne, and she, with a smile, promptly identified him, and Wax smiled too. In response to questions by Mr. Rand Mrs. Osborne said Wax had left two letters with her husband.

Q. Did you hear Mr. Osborne say anything to this man about seeing him again? A. I heard him ask the visitor to go to the United States District Attorney's office.

Q. What was the reply? A. The man said he couldn't go just then; that he'd lose his job if he didn't get to Boston right away, but that he'd be back the next afternoon at 4 o'clock.

Mr. Slade, in cross-examination, asked Mrs. Osborne where her husband was on Oct. 18, 1914. This was the day Rae Tanzer swore Mr. Osborne was with her at the Plainfield, N. J., hotel.

Mrs. Osborne replied that he was at the Bar Association and was sure of the date because it was Sunday and she had seen Matthew I. Smith, District Attorney of Queens County, for whom her husband was preparing a brief.

Three other witnesses testified that Osborne was at the rooms of the Bar Association on Oct. 18, 1914.

BILLY SUNDAY IN NEW LIGHT. Dr. McMahon to Tell Catholics of Merits. "Catholic Predecessors of Billy Sunday" is the title of the third lecture in the winter series of the Rev. Dr. Joseph H. McMahon to be given to-morrow afternoon at Belmont under the auspices of the Catholic Literary Association.

THIEF OF \$100,000 BLANK CURRENCY LAID TO STUDENT Part of Unsigned Money Taken From Train in 1915 Recovered in Kansas City. KANSAS CITY, Jan. 16.—Officers of the Post Office Department to-day arrested a student of a local medical school in connection with the theft of \$100,000 in unsigned currency from a Baltimore and Ohio train near Dodgeville, W. Va., Oct. 8, 1915.

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group, by establishing headquarters in Washington, where it would be very inconspicuous for Chairman Wilcox to be, by restricting his control of financial and publicity matters, endeavored so to humiliate him as to force his resignation and allow their man to assume the Chairmanship."

"The executive committee which took this action yesterday was hand-picked by Murray Crane of Massachusetts immediately after the national convention. From that day to this he has connived secretly in every possible way to keep the machinery of the Republican Party in the hands of himself, Hemenway, Barnes, Crocker, Sam Perkins and Martin. These men care nothing whatever for anything save the continuation of themselves in the positions of party power."

"During the campaign last fall we knew what these men represented, but we believed that Mr. Hughes knew what they represented also and that his election was a sure way of stripping them of their power in the Republican Party."

The Perkins-Colby statement declared there was need for unity against the "Incompetent Democratic Administration" but not by an executive committee which has done nothing except to perpetuate itself in power and urged action by the National Republican Committee to name some committee that will be representative of all elements opposed to the Democratic Party, that will outline policies and principles for which the reunited party should stand and that will give us some constructive leadership."

Explaining Hughes' defeat, the statement said "even the high character of Mr. Hughes could not overcome the distrust felt by masses of independent voters for the very men in control of the Republican machine who took this action yesterday."

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vice chairman immediately after the national election, when no vice chairman was appointed before election, the forcing of the appointment to an issue over the protest of the chairman and three other prominent members of the committee, and the refusal to allow the national committee itself to pass on the appointment, were for a distinct purpose.

"The purpose was two-fold. First, these men wished to keep the control of the machinery of the Republican party, present and prospective, in the hands of their own little coterie. Second, they wished to shift the responsibility for Mr. Hughes' defeat from their own shoulders, where it rightfully belongs, to the shoulders of Mr. Wilcox."

"These men took no chances. They proposed to see that a Vice Chairman of their own selection was installed, that the permanent headquarters were to be in the city which these served their personal purpose, that they could control the publicity and finance of the party and that the vacancy in the District of Columbia was filled—in fact that everything of importance that was to be done should be done before the question of a campaign committee was considered."

"In other words, they performed every act they could think of to build up as tightly as possible in the hands of their own little clique the entire organization of the party."

"The men who did this were Hemenway of Indiana, leader of the coterie; Martin of Virginia, Estabrook of New Hampshire, who were members of the Executive Committee, and ex-Gov. Gillette of California, holding the proxy of Executive Committee-men Crocker of California, Mr. McArthur of Oregon, with the proxy of Executive Committeeman Williams."

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RYAN TELLS HOW CUMMINS GOT HIM TO KEEP QUIET

Promised Bridge Builder Carnegie Trust Would Not Bother Him, He Swears.

Echoes of the time when William J. Cummins, bank wrecker, was the confidant of Tennessee statesmen, were heard in Justice Greenbaum's part of the Supreme Court to-day when Patrick A. Ryan, who rose from a town constable to millionaire builder of Manhattan bridges, testified.

Cummins was in court. He was pardoned recently by Gov. Whitman. The suit on trial was brought by Ryan to collect \$25,000 from the Carnegie Trust Company. Ryan testified that in November, 1910, his check for \$25,000 on deposit in the Carnegie Trust Company was transferred to the funds of the bank.

Ryan declared that Cummins telephoned him to meet him. Cummins presented me with a bundle of letters," Ryan said. "They were from friends in Tennessee to J. P. Morgan and there was one letter from the Governor of Tennessee. I told me that a druggist wanted to indict him and that I was the only man who could do any harm to him and for me to keep quiet and he would see that the Carnegie Trust Company would not bother me. After that Barney O'Neill gave me \$5,000."

"Was that to bribe you to keep your mouth shut?" asked Justice Greenbaum. "No, sir," replied the witness. "I did not know at that time Cummins was financially embarrassed."

HILLQUIT, SOCIALIST, AN ICE CO. STOCKHOLDER Disclosure Made at Hearing of Suit of Whitesells Against Burns Brothers.

Morris Hillquit, Socialist writer and orator, was revealed to-day as a stockholder in the Burns Brothers Ice Company, which is connected with the Burns Brothers Coal Company, when an injunction suit against the ice company came to trial before Justice Pendleton.

The fact was brought out by F. H. La Guardia, counsel for Frank B. and Walter W. Whitesell, who seek the injunction. Hillquit was not in court, but his associate in the law firm of Hillquit & Levene, represented Burns Brothers.

On Dec. 31, 1915, Burns Brothers bought out William Whitesell, ice dealer. Among the latter's employees were his sons, Frank B. and Walter. Burns Brothers paid the elder Whitesell \$5,000 for his business and the sons signed the sale agreement and were retained in the employ of the Burns Brothers concern. After the sale, it was testified by the sons, they were worked so hard that they decided to quit and were engaged

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Reprieve for New York Boys Sentenced to Be Hanged. NEW HAVEN, Conn., Jan. 16.—Frank Vettese and Joseph Castelli, New York youths under sentence to be hanged March 10, to-day received an indefinite reprieve because their attorneys are not ready to argue an appeal. The case will be called April 15.

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