

SAYS STIMSON WILL WIN

Chairman Prentice Predicts His Election by 100,000.

ROOSEVELT'S BUSY WEEK

Will Speak in Manhattan, Buffalo, Baltimore, Iowa and Ohio in Six Days.

State Chairman Prentice offered his first forecast on the election yesterday, but said that it was nothing more than an approximation from reports he had received and that he would have an analysis in detail later, probably toward the end of the week.

The state chairman figured, from the reports he had received from district leaders in New York City, that Stimson would have from 25,000 to 35,000 more votes in the entire city than Governor Hughes received in 1908. Governor Hughes received in the five boroughs in 1908, which would make Stimson's vote, according to the state chairman's rough estimate, from 25,000 to 29,000 in New York City.

Update, Mr. Prentice said, the reports he had received indicated that Stimson would get approximately the same vote which Hughes got two years ago.

"While there will be defections in some counties," he said, "the leaders report that these defections will be offset by a large vote of Democrats upstate who believe in the honesty of purpose of Mr. Roosevelt and by another large body of Democrats who will not line up at the whipcrack of Tammany Hall.

Figuring it all up roughly, Mr. Prentice said he estimated that Stimson would carry the state by a plurality somewhere between 90,000 and 100,000.

The state chairman was a guest with Mr. Roosevelt at the Union League Club dinner in Brooklyn last night. The last named got back to town early yesterday afternoon, and after a conference at the office of "The Outlook" with Lloyd C. Griscom, president of the Republican County Committee, he went to Brownsville, where he addressed a mass meeting in Sanger Hall.

After his last night's tour of Brooklyn Mr. Roosevelt will remain at his home, in Oyster Bay, until to-morrow afternoon. He will take dinner to-morrow night with Mr. Stimson, at the Hotel Manhattan, and the two men will speak at nine meetings in Manhattan to-morrow night.

To-morrow night after his hard speaking campaign in Manhattan, Mr. Roosevelt will take a midnight train for Buffalo, making several speeches in the neighborhood of that city on Tuesday afternoon and a night speech in Buffalo on Tuesday night. After that he will return to New York, reaching here at 9 o'clock on Wednesday morning.

At noon on Wednesday he will start for Baltimore, where he is to arrive at 4:35 p. m. Bishop Cranston of the Methodist Episcopal Church will meet him there and will escort him to the First Methodist Church, from the pulpit of which Mr. Roosevelt will address the faculty and students of Goucher College. In the evening he will address a Methodist missionary meeting at the Lyric Theatre.

Leaving Baltimore at 9 o'clock on Wednesday night for Davenport, Iowa, Mr. Roosevelt will be entertained at breakfast on Friday morning in that city, and after making a political speech, will start at noon for Des Moines.

Arriving there at 4:30 p. m. Friday, he will address the high school students that afternoon, and in the evening he will make two speeches, the first to the Iowa State Teachers' Association, and the other a political speech.

He will finish in time to take the 11 o'clock night train for Chicago, and will be met there at 8 o'clock Saturday morning by a committee of the Ohio Republican State Committee, which will escort him in a special car over the Lake Shore Railroad across Ohio.

It is expected that Mr. Roosevelt will make several rear platform speeches and he is scheduled for an hour's stop in Toledo, shortly after 1 o'clock, and an evening stop in Cleveland, from 5:34 p. m. to 8:30 p. m., at each of which he will make political speeches at indoor mass meetings.

Mr. Roosevelt will leave Cleveland on Saturday night and will reach New York at 9:45 a. m. Sunday, November 6. He will go at once to his home, in Oyster Bay, but will return to New York City again on Monday, where he will be entertained at a related birthday dinner at the Café Bonaparte by the Hungarian Republican Club. He is scheduled for one meeting that night in the Bronx and one in the "Little Italy" section of Harlem, but the halls for neither of these meetings has been definitely settled upon as yet.

REFUSES ASSAILANT'S NAME

Man Dying After Gang Fight Won't Say Who Shot Him.

William Hughes, said to be a member of a gang which frequents saloons on the outskirts of Chinatown, and who is well known in that quarter, is dying in Gouverneur Hospital with a bullet wound in his abdomen, which he received in a gang fight on Friday afternoon. The police have in custody Luigi Stupero, said to be a member of a rival gang, who is accused of shooting Hughes. He was held in \$2,000 bail for examination in the Essex Market police court yesterday after Hughes had refused to identify him.

Frederick Borganzl, a bartender and a close friend of Hughes, is also in the hospital. Borganzl was entering the hallway of a building in Pell street on Friday morning to warn Patrick Hughes, a brother of William, that the opposing gang was after him, when Patrick whipped out a knife and stabbed him, thinking him to be a foe.

It was after the stabbing, the police say, that the gang fight took place. William and Patrick Hughes met Stupero and his crowd at Market and Henry streets and the shooting began. Both Falk, ten years old, who stood nearby, was shot in the right leg. She was taken to the hospital.

SNOW COVERS UPSTATE CROPS.

Lynn, N. Y., Oct. 29.—The first snow of the season, which is still falling, has already covered two inches many acres of undug potatoes, unhusked corn and fields of cabbages and orchards piled with apples.

POSTOFFICE THIEVES GET \$800.

Middletown, N. Y., Oct. 29.—The safe in the postoffice at Loeh Sheldrake was blown by robbers during the night and \$800 in stamps and \$200 in cash stolen. The safe was wrecked and the windows of the building blown out. No one in the village heard the explosion.

VICTIM OF AUTO ACCIDENT DEAD.

Saratoga Springs, N. Y., Oct. 29.—Without remaining consciousness, W. W. Dixon, of Troy, whose skull was fractured in a collision between an automobile and a Delaware & Hudson train near this village last night, died in the Saratoga hospital this afternoon. The three other occupants of the machine who were injured are expected to recover.

FOOTBALL MAN P. O. INSPECTOR.

Washington, Oct. 29.—Postmaster General Hitchcock has appointed as postoffice inspector Walter A. Sommers, of New York, who was formerly captain of the George Washington University football team; Harry L. Conner, of Washington; George L. Bieder, of Williamsport, Penn., and Arsenius A. Rowe, of St. Louis.

WOULD STOP YERKES SALE

Widow of Traction Man Sues to Protect Bonds.

Mrs. Mary Adelaide Yerkes, widow of Charles T. Yerkes, the Chicago traction man, filed a suit in the Supreme Court yesterday asking for an injunction restraining the Central Trust Company, the Bank of America, Speyer & Co. and Louis S. Owsley, executor of her husband's estate, from disposing of \$4,640,000 par value of 4 1/2 per cent bonds of the Chicago Consolidated Traction Company, which formed part of the Yerkes estate.

Mrs. Yerkes alleges that the bonds are about to be sold at 30 per cent of their face value, which, she says, is much less than their true value, and that the sale is in violation of the agreement made with her when she surrendered her interest in the Yerkes house, at 68th street and Fifth avenue.

The bonds were deposited with Speyer & Co., the Bank of America and the Central Trust Company by Mr. Yerkes as security for loans. The Consolidated Traction Company, Mrs. Yerkes says, turned the bonds over to the Union Traction Company, and in 1908 the Chicago Railways Company absorbed the Union Traction Company, but sought to repudiate the bonds of the Consolidated Traction, despite the fact that they had been guaranteed by the Union Traction Company.

Although a committee of bondholders sued the Chicago Railways Company and succeeded in enforcing the guarantee, Mrs. Yerkes alleges, Owsley, the executor, failed and refused to take similar action in regard to the Yerkes bonds.

MANY VICTIMS OF SWINDLE

Merchants Ship Goods to Store That Never Opened.

Through the arraignment in the Bedford avenue police court yesterday of Louis Crystal, of No. 305 South 5th street, Williamsburg, and Meyer Lipschitz, of No. 55 East 7th street, Manhattan, on charges of receiving stolen goods a swindle was unraveled in which the victims were nearly all out of town business men. The complainant in the case was Isaac Lipschitz, a manufacturer of women's cloaks, at No. 602 Arch street, Philadelphia.

Under the false representation that he was selling goods to Samuel Brooks, a reputable Manhattan merchant, Lipschitz caused to be sent to a store at No. 390 Broadway, Williamsburg, goods valued at several thousand dollars. Later he found that about fifty other merchants from his home town had been called upon by the same alleged representatives of "Samuel Brooks" and that about twenty had shipped goods aggregating a value of more than \$50,000.

In Williamsburg no attempt has been made to open the store. Lipschitz came on and found that he was a victim of swindlers and learned that large quantities of goods had been shipped to other places. Property valued at \$10,000 was found in the store.

In court the prisoners had nothing to say, and were held in \$3,000 bail each for a further hearing to-morrow.

"COON" ON POSSUM'S TRAIL

Negro Hears One Is Loose in Central Park and Wants to Go After It.

"Ah done hear dat a possum is loose in de park," said "Jack" Johnson—no relative to the real one—to one of the Central Park menagerie keepers yesterday. Mr. Johnson said he was recently from Georgia, where he had the reputation of being the champion possum catcher of the state.

"Where did you hear that yarn?" asked the keeper.

"Somebody done tole me dat a possum was eatin' all de swans' eggs an' nobody could catch him. I'm de man what can, and I'll go after him to-night."

"Well, you've been told wrong," said the keeper. "It's a coon that's loose in the park. He got out of the menagerie cage some time ago."

"Yoh am kiddin' me, boss," said Mr. Johnson. "Of co'se, dere's a coon loose in de park—and I'm dat coon. What an want to know is, will you fellows let me catch de possum."

After a while, however, Mr. Johnson was convinced that it was a coon and not a possum that was loose, and he said he might consider the proposition of catching it if he could get a couple of dollars for the job.

DIVORCED FROM CHORUS GIRL

J. Raynor Storrs Wells Gets Decree on Recommendation of Referee.

Justice Greenbaum, of the Supreme Court, signed a decree of divorce yesterday in the suit brought by J. Raynor Storrs Wells against his wife, Irene Bishop Wells, who was a Weber & Fields chorus girl. Wells's father is William Storrs Wells, president of the Fairbanks Scale Company. He and Mrs. Wells, the young man's mother, were strongly opposed to the young wife of their son.

After marrying Miss Bishop, Wells enlisted in the navy as an ordinary seaman. He had been in the service thirty days when he was ordered from New York to Norfolk. He deserted and was apprehended in Philadelphia. He was sentenced to serve thirty days.

Then Wells decided that the life of a man-of-warman was not exactly what he liked and he went to Europe with his mother. His wife brought a suit against the father of the young man for alleged alienation of her husband's affections. The suit of young Wells for divorce was submitted to a referee and he decided in favor of the husband, Justice Greenbaum confirming the report.

WHO WANTS THESE TWINS?

Two Bright Little Girls Left Homeless by Their Parents.

Beulah and Betty were born May 6, 1905, of American parents in one of the northern counties of the state. They belong to a family of seven children, and all except the twins have already been placed in good homes by either the public officials of the county where they were born or by the matron of the institution which cared for them when they were deserted by their parents.

Both are pretty little girls, with soft, light brown hair, blue eyes, fresh complexions and dimples. They look much alike, but can be easily told apart, especially as one weighs more than the other and can wear size "twelve" dresses, while little sister still wears size "ten," though, as the little one says, "This don't really make her any older."

They are bright and lively and have pleasant dispositions. They are devoted to each other, and refuse to be separated. Several good families have offered to take one or the other, but so far no one has offered to take both.

There is no likelihood of interference from the relatives of these children, and no one seems to know where the parents are, and the fact that their other five children have been placed and not molested by them indicates that they have no interest in their offspring.

ACCUSED OF BURNING THEATRE.

Newburyport, Mass., Oct. 29.—Charged with maliciously setting fire to the Orpheum Theatre, of which he was the owner, Lawrence E. Thayer was arrested in Haverhill to-day and held for the police. Thayer is about sixty years old and a resident of Boston. He is well known in New England, where for several years he has conducted theatres and grocery stores. The Orpheum Theatre was burned on October 18.

LABOR SCARES DEMOCRATS

Huppuch, Much Concerned, Denies Children Work in His Mills.

PICTURES HAPPY OVERTIME

Only Two Months in Year Paper Mills Demand Excess, He Says

—Parker Flares Up.

State Chairman Huppuch and the other managers of the Democratic campaign are still worrying tremendously over the labor situation. Mr. Huppuch continued to explain yesterday that the workmen in the mills of the Standard Wall Paper Company and the Ironquills Pulp and Paper Company were not treated any worse than they were in other factories of the same character.

The state chairman showed a dispatch he had received from a friend in Thomson, which read: "Hearst undoubtedly is going to feature child labor in his mills here. Photographs of young children carrying fathers' dinner pails home taken to illustrate child labor."

"There are no children working in the mills in Thomson," declared Mr. Huppuch. "The youngest working there are between the ages of eighteen and nineteen."

"As for the statement of Chairman Prentice that women and boys are working sixty-nine hours a week at the Northumberland Mills, I want to say that there are no boys there, and the men and women who work sixty-nine hours a week do so willingly and they are paid overtime at the rate of one and a half times the regular schedule for every hour of work they do in excess of ten hours a day.

"There are probably not more than two months out of the year that we are obliged to work overtime. In our best get out our product. Then the employees only work overtime for four nights out of the six. This is in pursuance of an agreement with the American Federation of Labor," declared Mr. Huppuch.

Chairman Huppuch was considering getting up a statement in reply to the speech of Senator Root on Friday night when Judge Alton B. Parker came to the rescue. The speech of Senator Root unquestionably caused much perturbation among the Democratic managers, and they were overjoyed to learn that Judge Parker had undertaken to make some sort of reply. This is the Parker statement:

"So Senator Root decided to tell the hundred thousand Republicans who have made up their minds to vote against the Republican state ticket that the reasons they give for the action are unsound, that the real way to weaken Colonel Roosevelt for 1912 is to give a victory now and the way to strengthen him for that contest is to bury his ticket beneath a mountain of ballots. I hazard the prediction that it will not persuade one of them that his own reason was faulty."

Out of the vast number of letters the Democratic managers say they have received from Republicans saying they are going to vote for Dix, Chairman Huppuch gave out the names of just three. They were Thomas B. Crary, president of the Binghamton, Washburn, Maine Company, and president of the Binghamton Shoe and Rubber Company; Benjamin McFadden, president of the Commercial Envelope and Box Company, of Binghamton, and Arthur J. Ruland, professor of rhetoric at the Binghamton Central High School.

Chairman Huppuch reiterated yesterday his statement that there would probably not be any forecasts from the Democratic managers. "There can be no doubt about our success," he declared. Told that Chairman Prentice, of the Republican State Committee, had predicted that Stimson's plurality above the Harlem River would be from 50,000 to 100,000, Chairman Huppuch smiled and replied: "Mr. Prentice will wake up and hear the alarm clock ringing on election night, I guess, if not before."

It is probable that the speech which John A. Dix will make at the Carnegie Hall meeting here on Wednesday night will be his last of the campaign. A great effort, however, is being made to induce him to speak either in Albany or Troy.

SHARP BREAK IN COTTON

Brokers Committed to Long Side Lead the Bear Movement.

Prices on the local cotton market broke sharply yesterday following an estimate for a crop of 12,600,000 bales made by a Southern crop expert, whose figures for the last four years have so closely approximated the actual yield that his prophecies carry weight with the trade. A contributing influence to the decline was the unwillingness of many brokers who were committed to the long side to carry their cotton over Sunday.

The market opened 4 to 9 points under Friday's closing figures, notwithstanding higher cables from Liverpool and reports of freezing weather in the cotton belt. The bulls tried hard to force up prices on the frost news, but their efforts did not meet with much success and when the crop expert's estimate came out there was a rush of unloading by commission houses and room traders alike that carried prices down 20 points, or \$1 a bale, within a few minutes.

The bull leaders worked hard to stem the tide and managed to bring about a temporary rally, but the market soon sold off again and a number of stop-loss orders that were uncovered on the way down aided the bears in further depressing prices until the various options showed a net decline of from 27 to 37 points, or \$1.35 to \$1.85 a bale, under Friday's close. Covering in the last few minutes of trading rallied prices slightly, but the final figures were at near the low point of the day.

MAY ISSUE \$25,000,000 BONDS

Public Service Board Consents to Central New England Mortgage.

Albany, Oct. 29.—The Public Service Commission, Second District, has given its consent to the Central New England Railway Company to execute and deliver a mortgage on all its property to secure an issue of bonds to the aggregate amount of \$25,000,000. The bonds are to be issued in \$5,000,000 units, with a first mortgage bond of the Central New England Railway Company, \$1,812,500; general mortgage (income bonds and scrip) of the Central New England Railway Company, \$7,500,000; demand notes of the Central New England Railway Company, \$1,687,500; and demand notes referred to above, \$100,000.

WALL STREET MONEY ON DIX.

Election betting in Wall Street was quite active yesterday, with Dix still a 2 to 1 favorite. About \$2,000,000 of the Democratic money was bet on Dix, and the amount being wagered on the curb and the balance on the individual bets ranged from \$2,000 to \$1,000 down to \$50. Several thousand dollars were also offered at 2 to 1 that Woodrow Wilson would be the next Governor of New Jersey, but found no takers.

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HAVE LUNCH IN STABLE

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If a cow stable were established on Broadway, New York, and if the cows there were led out and large tables spread with food set in the stable, how many people would patronize this humble addition to the city's guided dispensaries? An answer to the question seems unnecessary, but this is just what happened near Elgin, Ill., and 210 Chicago enjoyed a luncheon in the home of the cattle as the guests of Borden's Condensed Milk Company.

This stable is on the Gulick farm, about three miles south of Elgin, and is used by some fifty-two head of cattle every day as their home. Within six hours after this herd had been turned out to pasture, the club women celebrated their abidication with a luncheon that would have done credit to the finest hotel in the United States.

All about were decorations from the farm, which had been assembled and placed during that busy six hours, and this was the only change made in the stable by the workers. There were clusters of autumnal foliage on the rafters overhead. Beneath the feet of the diners was spread a carpet of alfalfa. The stanchions, where shortly before the cattle had stood, were partially covered by sweet scented cornstalks, and here had been shining pumpkins, decorated the doorways. It was luncheon on a farm—and in a stable—and everything to make the guests realize this fact was done.

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