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SCOTT HAS MADE MANY BAD BREAKS.

West Virginia Senator's Confession Concerning Trusts One of a Series.

OFTEN EMBARRASSES HANNA.

Noted Throughout His State for Saying the Wrong Thing at the Wrong Time—New Dominion Voters Are Indignant.

REPUBLIC SPECIAL.

Wheeling, W. Va., Nov. 1.—The neighbors of Senator Scott in this, his home city, though dismayed by his recent Republican like trust break, are not particularly surprised that he has "put his foot in it."

Senator Scott is estimated to be worth \$6,000,000, made in mines, in glass works, and in banking. His wealth and his energy gave him prominence in the councils of his party, but his eloquence fills his fellow Republicans with dread.

Democracy is immensely pleased, and see in it all a great help, and especially in this State, where the trusts and the Standard Oil Company especially, are obnoxious.

Senator Scott first gained his peculiar fame as a political Mr. Malaprop by his widely-circulated utterance in regard to the negroes of this State.

URGES VIGILANCE AT THE POLLS.

President Hearst Issues an Address to League of Democratic Clubs.

TRUSTS VITALLY INTERESTED.

American Citizenship Is Called Upon to Thwart Fraud and Corruption at the Ballot Box—Reward Offered.

REPUBLIC SPECIAL.

New York, Nov. 1.—In an address issued to the Democratic clubs and societies of the United States, urging vigilance at the polls next Tuesday, President William H. Hearst of the National Association of Democratic Clubs, says:

"The supreme object of the National Association of Democratic Clubs is the defense of the institutions of the Republic, and this year its members are called upon by an extraordinary emergency to preserve the sanctity of the ballot box, without which free government on the continent must perish."

"It is a notorious fact that the Republican party managers have secured from the trusts and their confederates the largest fund ever employed in a political campaign in the history of the world. These sums are being held for use on election day."

"Four years ago the total vote in Ohio was so greatly in excess of the possible number of qualified electors in the State that wholesale fraud by the Republican managers was self-evident. The Republican managers this year are preparing the way for election frauds on the same scale in Ohio, Indiana, West Virginia, Illinois, Kentucky, New York, Maryland, Michigan, California, Washington and other States lying in the rear background of the campaign."

"Every organization in sympathy with the Democratic cause must at once pick reliable volunteers to fight fraud and intimidation at the polls. Nothing must be left to chance. No polling place in the country should be left without intelligent and courageous citizenship prepared to arrest every form of political cheating, overt or covert."

IT WAS ONLY A DREAM.

Nevertheless It Prevented Ten Prisoners From Escaping.

REPUBLIC SPECIAL.

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DEMOCRATS HOLD MANY MEETINGS.

Eloquent Speakers Address Enthusiastic Audiences in Various Sections of the City.

BIG ONE IN NORTH ST. LOUIS.

Republicans Listen Attentively at Social Turner Hall—Meeting at Bohemian Gymnasium—Mr. Butler's Two Speeches.

REPUBLIC SPECIAL.

Democracy was rampant throughout the city last night, and the enthusiasm manifested at the various ward meetings was remarkable even for the far end of what has been a remarkably vigorous local campaign. There were no less than eight "union" meetings, held in the northern, southern and western sections of the city under the auspices of the Jefferson Club and the City Central Committee, besides dozens of independent meetings, organized by ward and precinct committees.

More than a score of the ablest speakers in the State and city volunteered their services at these meetings, and every issue of the day was discussed by one or the other at each of these meetings in a manner which appealed forcibly to the intelligence of the voter.

One of the largest and most enthusiastic meetings of the evening was that held in Social Turner Hall, Thirtieth and Moore streets. An audience of nearly 1,000 gathered in the large hall, and it is estimated that more than 500 of these were Republicans, this being a Republican stronghold.

The remarkable feature of the meeting was the fact that these Republican auditors paid the closest and most respectful attention to the addresses. It was an impressive and gratifying feature of the evening that the Democratic party on election day.

James F. Butler was the first speaker, and he was followed by John D. Orear, both being heartily applauded. E. A. Barbour, of Springfield, who followed, made the hit of the evening with a forcible and convincing address, showing the tendency of the administration to involve the country in the evils of imperialism and militarism, which followed many in the audience had left the old country. Trusts, and their harmful effects upon the working classes, were also discussed from the standpoint of the laboring man, and the discussion evoked great applause. Among the enthusiastic demonstrators, G. T. Hamlin, Thomas L. Anderson, C. A. Bissett, W. T. Jones and H. F. Rogers also addressed these meetings.

HUSBAND TOO GOOD FOR HER.

Mrs. Myrtle Sechrest Kissed Her Children Good-By and Left.

REPUBLIC SPECIAL.

Louisville, Ky., Nov. 1.—Myrtle Sechrest, wife of a prominent citizen, was found by her husband, who had been away for some time, in a rooming house in the city, where she had been living with a young man.

"She left a note addressed to her husband, telling him that she was going to leave and that he was too good a man for her to live with."

"Mrs. Sechrest was a good-looking woman, 28 years of age. It is supposed that she had become infatuated with a young Louisville man and left town with him. For some time she has been making inquiries about St. Louis and the running of trains from this city to the Missouri city. Her husband thinks she has gone to that city."

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Patrick O'Malley, John W. Drabell, E. A. Noonan, Harry B. Hawes and Joseph W. Hall. The meeting was presided over by a hostler torchlight parade.

Other Meetings. Other meetings held last night, with the speakers who addressed them, were as follows: North St. Louis Turner Hall, Twentieth and Salsbury streets, J. W. Halliburton, Frank Farris, Harry B. Hawes, John A. Lee, John A. Noonan, Michael J. Gill, Harry Hall, Garrison and Cass avenues.

Clark Addressed Enthusiastic Meeting. Clark addressed an enthusiastic meeting at the Bohemian Gymnasium, Nov. 1. The meeting was held at the Bohemian Gymnasium, Nov. 1. The meeting was held at the Bohemian Gymnasium, Nov. 1.

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Warrant Issued for His Arrest. Quincy, Ill., Nov. 1.—A warrant was today sworn out for William Somerville, superintendent of the Soldiers' Home, for interfering with the judges of election at the home on registration day. As stated in The Republic last Wednesday, Somerville assaulted one of the judges because he refused to register a list of 10 names of veterans offered by Somerville, who said that they were to seek to come to the poll in person. The warrant will be served tomorrow.

128 Help Wanted Ads. Printed in To-Day's Republic.

TEXAS ROGERS MUST CEASE POLITICS. REPUBLIC SPECIAL. Austin, Tex., Nov. 1.—In view of the fact that the Adjutant General is in receipt of the information that some of the members of the State Barred Service are interesting themselves in political issues and political candidates at various points in the State, today issued an order that any dealings in politics on the part of the members of the State Barred Service would result in their being discharged from the service, as they were employed solely to do police and detective work, and not to manage political campaigns.