PARTY WISE MEN MAKE FORECASTS

Indications Multiply to Support Big Claims

EVEN PARKER HELPS FOES

Candidate's Future Handsomely Provided for by Trust Interests in New York—Woodruff Begins Work.

Veteran political forcasters like "Oom Shelby" Cullom and "Uncle Joe" Cannon and similarly capable representatives of the younger generation like Taft, Moody and Morton, who have been reading the handwriting on the wall and interpreting it for their less experienced fellow citizens, are receiving fresh indications from day to day that their early estimates are thoroughly likely to be fulfilled on election day.

Some weeks ago a declaration like this would have been termed by Democrats "merely an Administration claim," or something of that sort, and would have been regarded solely as evidence of strong partisan bias. On more thorough investigation, however, these self-same opponents of the party in power find themselves confronted by a most awkward, and, as our British cousins would say, "most deucedly unpleasant," situation. It is nothing more nor less than that belief in Republican success has been held all along not merely by the Republican leaders, but by the very men who have been conducting the national campaign for the reorganized Democratic party.

It must be a good deal of a sad awakening for the men who are accustomed to support the Democratic ticket in name, whether its standard bearers represent the same or opposite policies in succeeding campaigns, to find that their chosen shepherds have been calculating their own chances primarily, rather than looking out for the flock's protection. Recent developments indicate that "safe and sane" will have a new application in political history after the ballots are cast.

Parker's Great Foresight.

That Judge Parker accepted the Democratic nomination for the Presidency without any hope of being able to defeat President Roosevelt and that he gave up his place as chief judge on the Empire State's highest court only on the complete assurance that he would be "provided for" after election by the Belmont financial interests in the metropolis, is the interesting declaration made in a Newark paper, in its correspondence from Washington.

Some weeks ago announcement was made that Candidate Parker had decided to live in New York city after the election, and that he would be associated in law practice there with his Esopus friend and personal representative in the present campaign, William F. Sheehan. To this combination is to be added David B. Hill, thus explaining the State boss's ingenuous proclamation of two months ago that he will retire from politics on January 1. The three notable Democrats will handle the Belmont interests, such as the subway, tramway, and other properties, and Judge Parker's salary is intended to be at least $50,000 a year. This part of the plan seems especially planned so that he will not miss the Presidency so much after all. The judge's bucolic tastes are well known and his friends are well aware he prefers the quiet of the country to such an active life as is imposed upon the head of the nation. So everyone is mightily pleased and no apprehension for the future now creases the judicial brow. How it was all brought about is explained by the New Jersey paper in this wise:

Party Domination Won.

"The essential points in the bargain by which Judge Parker was induced to resign as chief judge of the New York court of appeals have been verified sufficiently to show that a definite understanding existed between the present Democratic Presidential nominee and his chief promoters whereby Judge Parker will receive a salary equal that of the President of the United States, or more than four times the amount he received as presiding judge of the court of appeals.

"Judge Parker was strongly opposed to giving up his place on the bench. He discussed the position and his feelings in great detail with Belmont, Sheehan, and Hill. Hill and Belmont were determined to get control of the Democratic party and wrest it from the Bryan crowd at any cost. To this end they had set their hearts on the nomination of Judge Parker.

"It was only a few weeks before the nominating convention that the judge finally gave his consent, and, when he did, it was arranged that there should be a new law firm, with offices in New York city, the firm name to be Parker, Hill & Sheehan—this in case of Parker's defeat on election day."

Judge Parker's Future.

Such a resounding title may seem to unreasoning Republican managers a rather old support of the trust-domination cry hurled at them by the Democratic leaders. American voters, solliloquizing on a candidate's anti-trust professions prior to the election and trust affiliations afterward may see some resemblance to voting for Brayn and free silver in 1896 and 1900, and asking support for Parker and the gold telegram in 1904.

Inconsistencies never seem out of place, Republicans think, in the Democratic way of doing things, and recent developments are hardly likely to change this view. From the Democratic standpoint, if Judge Parker succeeds in welding together all the opposing elements of the party and firmly intrenches a "safe and sane" party management for the 1908 campaign, few will begrudge him a full reward for his efforts, in reestablishing him in a lucrative position where his legal ability will be sure to gain recognition.

Woodruff Gets in Line.

Timothy L. Woodruff made his first public appearance in the campaign yesterday, when he was the principal speaker at a noon-day rally of the Commercial Travelers League in New York. He said that the personality of the Presidential candidates seemed to him to be above the other issues.

"Judge Parker is an excellent man and an able jurist," he said, "but he has never had one day's experience in the service of city, State, or nation—the other man has more experience than any other man who ever was a candidate for the Presidency.

"The Republican State ticket has at its head a man, who, if elected, will be governor. No one else is running, and no one else's record is the issue of the campaign.

"Higgins is running on his own record. I have known him all my life, and I challenge an examination of his record. He has filled positions in public life in an admirable way, fairly and thoroughly. It is not fair to the other candidates on the State ticket that attacks on anybody else's record should be allowed to cloud the record of Frank W. Higgins."

THE GOOD LITTLE BOYS AND THE BAD LITTLE BOY

—Philadelphia North American.

OFFICIAL PROPHET SEES A LANDSLIDE

"Old Figgers" Figures Republican Victory.

NEW YORK FOR ROOSEVELT

Grosvenor Says Only Maryland, Six Votes From the West, and South for Parker.

SPRINGFIELD, Ohio, Oct. 13.—Gen. Charles Grosvenor—"Old Figgers"—known the country over as the official prophet of the Republican party, made his first prediction relative to the coming election.

"Parker probably will carry Maryland," he said. "He may get six votes in the Rocky Mountain States; but outside of that he will not get a single electoral vote in the country, except from the South."

"How about Indiana" he was asked.

"I will admit there is a fight on there, and conditions to be considered; but we will carry that State all right."

"West Virginia?"

"That's settled for us."

"Wisconsin?"

"That's easy for Roosevelt."

"It has been said Parker will poll more than 10,000 Republican votes in Greater New York."

"That may be, but he cannot carry the State."

DEWEY MAY COMMAND THE NAVY MANEUVERS

Admiral Dewey will probably assume command of the combined American fleet in the Caribbean when it begins its winter maneuvers early next year.

Unless it should be found by Secretary Morton that Admiral Dewey cannot be spared from the general board, the admiral of the navy will leave Washington about January 1, and carry out the program for maneuvers which was announced in part late yesterday afternoon.

Rear Admiral Jewell will start with the European squadron for the Caribbean in December, and will be joined at Culebra by Rear Admiral Chadwick with the South Atlantic squadron, and Rear Admiral Sigsbee with the Caribbean squadron.

During the holidays the vessels will scatter throughout the West Indies to give the men shore leave. Late in December the battleship squadron of the North Atlantic fleet will visit Hampton Roads, where it will be reviewed by Admiral Dewey and Secretary Morton.

The squadron will then sail for Guantanamo. Admiral Dewey will probably go south on the Mayflower and assume command of the combined fleet at Guantanamo.

SECRETARY TAFT RETURNS.

The Secretary of War called at the White House today and said he had seen enough voters in his absence from the city to make Roosevelt President in the November election.

SPECIAL NOTICES.

BROWN & TOLSON, Auctioneers, 1412 H st. nw., will sell, OCTOBER 20, 1904, goods stored with People's Storage Co. in the name of Mrs. Julia Miller, to pay storage and other charges. PEOPLE'S STORAGE CO., 321 4½ st. nw. oct13-8t

THE ROOSEVELT AND FAIRBANKS LEAGUE meets at Metzerott Hall, 1110 F st., FRIDAY EVENING, OCTOBER 14. All Republicans welcome. 1t

"A SUMMARY of My Recent Travels in Europe" will be the subject of a lecture at McKendree Methodist Episcopal Church FRIDAY NIGHT at 8 O'CLOCK by Dr. Lucien Clark, of Hamline Methodist Episcopal Church. oct13-2t

ATTENTION, DEMOCRATS.

In less than five weeks the election will be held for President and Vice President and the control of the House of Representatives. The present conditions bode success of the Democratic cause if united and enthusiastic efforts are made.

It is apparent that to overcome the position of the Republican party, intrenched in office and with the financial advantages due to such position, the legitimate campaign expenses of the Democratic party must of necessity be great.

Friends of Democracy and citizens who desire the election of Alton B. Parker and Henry G. Davis can in nowise give more substantial aid than in financial assistance. I earnestly appeal to all Democrats in the District of Columbia to make such donations to the cause as they may be able to do. By so doing they will have the satisfaction, if we are successful, of knowing that they contributed toward restoring the National Government to a harbor of safety and re-establishing Democratic principles, which for so many years added to the healthy growth and prosperity of the United States.

Contributions by mail or in person will be received by me and proper receipts be given therefor. JAMES L. NORRIS, Democratic National Committeeman of the District of Columbia, Norris Building, No. 501 F Street northwest. oc6-26t

DISTANT NEAR SPECIAL SALE. $1.00 One pair glasses to see near and far. A. KAHN, 935 F STREET.

SPECIALIST IN CROWN AND BRIDGEWORK. DR. R. B. LEONARD, WASHINGTON DENTAL PARLORS, N. E. Cor. 7th and E Sts. N. W.

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Sole Agents for the Celebrated Magnolia Brand Elgin Butter.. 25 cents pound REDMAN'S ELGIN BUTTER DEPOT, 220 9th St. (opp. Center Market). Phone.

Friday's Great Gathering of Remnants

Ready-to-wear Hats Worth $2 to $4, At 98c

Clear-up of a maker's overplus lots of Ready-to-wear Hats, for ladies and misses, at this astonishingly small price tomorrow. About 15 dozen of them—in all the most approved colors, trimmed in various stylish ways, with velvets, feathers, buckles, etc. Made on frames of good materials.

In all colors and black.

No two are alike—and the shapes are the fashionable Turbans and Large Hats.

First comers will naturally secure best choice—but the last buyer will get a Hat worth double the price paid for it.

Children's Flats, of fine quality scratch felt, belle crowns. In red, brown, navy, castor and black. Regular 75c value..... 49c

Usual 98c Felt Shapes, in a large variety of styles, in black and all colors. Friday... 49c

All the new two-piece Sailor Shapes, of fine quality felt, bound edges; colors are red, blue, brown, castor and black. $1.48 Hats for..... 89c

A lot of Trimmed Walking Hats, in all the desirable large shapes and turbans. Very stylishly trimmed with silk velvet, ribbons and pompoms. Pretty colors and combinations; $3.50 values, at..... $1.98

A lot of superior quality silk velvet Hats, handsome Turbans and Large Shapes, made of shirring, folds and draped velvets; also plain covered Hats. Some of the turbans are finished with steel ornaments. Colors are red, green, navy castor, brown and black; $4 values at..... $2.50

Trimmed Hats, in large shapes and prettily made Turbans, of braid velvet. Usual $5 values, at..... $2.98

Black Ostrich Pom Poms, with aigrettes, excellent quality; regular $1.48 value, for..... 75c

Large black Ostrich Plumes, French curl, high luster, very large beads and broad fibres. Regular $1.50 and $2.00 values, for.. 98c

Glove Oddments

250 pairs of regular 25c Lisle Gloves, in 2-clasp style, black and white, Friday at..... 12½c

Regular $1 to $1.50 Mended Kid Gloves, in black and leading colors. These have been returned to the maker because of a slight rip or tear and have all been skillfully repaired until now they are stronger than ever. Friday, pair at..... 50c

Velvet Remnants

A remnant lot of Velvets, Velveteens, Gun Metal Effects, etc., in desirable lengths. Values worth up to 69c yard, at..... 39c

Remnant lot of Panne Velvets, in black only; which we will cut in any length desired. Regular $1.00 quality, at..... 59c

27-inch Corduroy, narrow welt; in brown, green, gray, and mode. Cut any length desired. Yard at..... 39c

Men's Clothing

87 pairs of men's all-wool heavy-weight Trousers, in Cheviots and Cassimeres. Regular prices, $2.00 and $2.50 pair, at..... $1.69

28 Men's Suits; of neat patterned Cassimeres and Worsteds, good weight and dark colors. 4-button sack coat. Regular prices, $6.50 to $10.. $4.50

63 pairs of Youths' Long Trousers, of Cassimeres and Fancy Cheviots; all winter weights. Sizes from 28 to 32 inch waist measure. Regular prices, up to $2.00, pair at..... $1.39

Men's Black Derby and Soft Hats; all this season's blocks. Actual $1.50 values, at..... 89c

5 Men's Tan Covert Cloth Top Coats; guaranteed all-wool; well made and trimmed; lined with Italian cloth. Actual $7.50 value..... $4.75

Black and white and fancy washable Pique Vests, sizes up to 44; regular $1.50 value at 79c

29 young men's three-piece Suits, medium weight. Regular $6.50 to $8.50 values at..... $4.25

Art Goods

Belding's and Hemmingways' Embroidery Silk, in assorted colors; per hank..... 1c

Regular 19c and 25c Button and Laundry Bags, in various shapes and colors. Friday at..... 10c

Regular 19c Spachtel Bureau Scarfs and Pillow Shams to match, plain and fancy braided effects, each at..... 12½c

Regular 5c and 8c Stamped Linen Dolleys, 2c each.

Battenberg Braid, 1c yard.

Goldenberg's

"The Dependable Store" Seventh and K Streets

Remnants have piled up at a great rate—odd lots have been created by busy selling in every department. Tomorrow they are all scheduled to go out in a hurry—for we've marked the prices so attractively low that complete clearance is a matter of only a few hours' work.

There's hardly a need for the home or for personal use that cannot be supplied at immense advantage.

Draperies, Curtains, Floor Coverings, Etc.

Remnants of Denims, Silkolines, Cretonnes, Curtain Swiss and many other useful materials. Regular 12½c to 19c qualities at..... 6¾c

Odd pairs of Nottingham Lace Curtains, slightly soiled, values worth up to $2.50 pair at..... $1.39

Odd pairs of fine Tapestry Portieres, oddments of lines sold at $5 and $7 a pair, for..... $3.98

36 by 72-inch Opaque Window Shades, slightly damaged. Ends of regular 25c Shades tomorrow at..... 12½c

Handsome Couch Covers, of extra heavy tapestry; strictly reversible; finished with heavy tassel fringe. Worth $4.50 at..... $2.48

Lot of Hassocks, made of body brussels, Axminster and Wilton Velvet Carpet. Worth 50c each, for..... 29c

Oddments of 5c Ball Fringe, 1c yd.

Odd rolls of Mattings, including heavy Jointless China and Cotton Warp Japanese Mattings in carpet patterns. Worth $10 to $12 a roll. Friday at..... $7.48

Lot of Genuine Wilton and Axminster Rugs; size 30 by 36 and 30 by 54 inch. Worth $1.50 and $2 for..... 98c

Lot of Framed Pictures, slightly tarnished; worth $1.50 and $2 for..... 69c

Juvenile Department.

Small lot of Infants' Heavy Merino Shirts, open down the front; sizes up to 4 years. Friday, each at..... 15c

Five little Girls' Broadtail Velvet Coats, in brown, blue, and gray, handsomely trimmed with lace, etc. Some lined with silk. Sizes 2 to 6 years. Sold up to $12.98, for..... $6.98

Small lot of Infants' Short White Flannelette and Cambric Petticoats; with waists; sizes up to 4 years. Regular 19c value at..... 12½c

Lot of Children's Silk and Knit Caps, French and full ruch styles; also Knit Sacques, Leggins and Toques. Sold up to 69c at..... 25c

Small lot of Girls' Plain Wool Cashmere Dresses, in Russian and waist styles; trimmed with fancy braid, velvet, and buttons. Sizes 4 to 14 years. Sold up to $2.69 for..... $1.49

Girls' School Aprons of White India Linon, waist and bretelles of embroidery. Sizes 4 to 14 years. Sold up to 39c for..... 19c

Small lot of Girls' Fall-weight Reefers, in red, blue, brown and castor. Deep collars trimmed with medallions, braid and buttons. Size up to 6 years. Sold as high as $2.98, for..... $1.49

10 little Girls' Cravenette Raincoats in oxford and brown, made with belts, capes, and collars. Sizes 4 to 7 years. Sold up to $7.98, for..... $2.98

Women's Undergarments.

Muslin and Cambric Undergarments, including lace and embroidery trimmed Night Gowns, long and short Skirts, long Skirt Chemise, Umbrella Drawers, and French Corset Covers. Samples and oddments. Soiled from handling. Values worth up to $1.75 at..... 69c

Small lot of Cambric Corset Covers, lace and embroidery trimmed; also women's white and gingham Aprons, and Children's Waists, Skirts, and Aprons, choice at..... 12½c

Small lot of Women's Flannelette Night Gowns, trimmed with wash and Children's Waists, Skirts, and Aprons, choice Regular 69c values at..... 42c

Small lot of Coutil and Ventilating Net Corsets, in medium and long styles; broken sizes, reduced for quick clearance to.. 19c

Lot of fine quality White Cambric Skirts and Night Gowns, handsomely trimmed with best laces and embroideries. Soiled and mussed. Worth up to $2.98 at.. 98c

Lot of 18 black Mercerized Petticoats, with double umbrella ruffles; 5 small ruffles on bottom; sold up to 98c at..... 65c

Sheet Music, 3c.

A miscellaneous lot of Sheet Music, the last few of a kind selections left from busy selling. Included are many of the latest hits. Some a trifle soiled. Friday, choice at..... 3c

Women's Hosiery

Women's guaranteed fast black Cotton Stockings, seamless foot. Friday, pair at..... 8c

Women's regular 25c Cashmere Stockings, seamless feet. Friday, pair at..... 19c

Infants' Wool Stockings in black and red, sold regularly at 25c a pair, for..... 15c

Ribbon Remnants

Remnants of all-silk plain Taffeta Ribbons, up to 3 inches wide; in assorted colors; worth 12½c yard..... 5¾c

Remnants of regular 19c and 25c all-silk Satin Taffeta and Liberty Satin Ribbons, in good desirable colors and useful lengths, yard..... 9½c

All the remnants of our best selling Ribbons, including finest Satin Taffetas and Novelty Ribbons; sold up to 45c yd., Friday, yard..... 17c

Remnants Black Goods.

52-inch Silk Finished Mohair Sicilienne, quality which sells regularly at 85c a yd. for. 59c

52-inch All-wool Black Cheviot, good firm quality, regular 89c quality, yd. at..... 69c

Remnants of desirable Black Dress Goods, in suitable lengths for suits and skirts at greatly reduced prices to close out tomorrow.

Handkerchiefs

Choice of Ladies' Fancy White Border, plain white hemstitched and fast color, fancy bordered Handkerchiefs, also men's Handkerchiefs. Friday at..... 3¾c

Regular 19c and 25c Swiss Embroidered and Lace Edge Handkerchiefs, in many dainty styles, each at..... 12½c

Women's Neckwear

Regular 8c and 10c Turndown Collars with embroidered medallions, each at..... 1½c

One-yard lengths of regular 19c and 25c Silk Veilings, in plain and fancy meshes, in brown, navy, and black. Friday at..... 11c

Skirts, Suits, and Wraps

Few-of-a-Kind Styles Marked for Quick Selling Tomorrow

9 Imported black Panama Walking Skirts, 9 gore, high kilted style; lengths 39 to 42 inches, were $7.50.... $3.98

3 All-wool Covert Raincoats, in dark olive, sizes 34, 38, and 40. Were $14.98, for..... $7.98

3 Black peau de soie silk Etons, handsomely trimmed; small sizes; sold at $10 and $12, for..... $1.98

2 peau de soie and 3 taffeta silk long Silk Coats, in black and blue; unlined, suitable for evening wear; reduced from $22 to..... $9.50

4 imported all-wool West of England Covert Coats; satin lined; sizes 42 and 44; were $5.98, for..... $2.98

3 misses' all-wool Novelty Tourist Suits, sold at $18.98, for..... $8.98

11 black and colored Silk Waists, of peau de soie, crepe de chine, and taffeta; small sizes only, and all are soiled or mussed. Worth up to $6.00, at..... $1.98

2 handsome imported black Chiffon Voile Dress Skirts, made over taffeta silk drops, sold at $26.50 and $30.00, for.... $12.98

21 children's full length Zebeline and Kersey Coats, winter weight, sold up to $6.98, for..... $3.98

3 navy blue and 1 black imported Cheviot Suits, sizes 34, 36, and 38. Satin lined jackets, regular coat suits; were $15.98, for..... $5.98

6 all-wool Broadcloth Walking Suits, with corset coat effects; full gored. Blue and black. $20 value for..... $10.00

7 imported English Covert Walking Skirts, sold at $10.98, reduced to.. $5.98

2 heavy weight Thibet Dress Skirts, trimmed with taffeta bands. Sold at $6.98, for..... $1.98

7 black Mohair Walking Skirts, tailor made styles; values worth up to $6.98 for..... $2.50

9 heavy quality Panama Dress Skirts, trimmed with milliner's folds, panel front; sold at $12, for..... $4.98

9 unlined Voile Dress Skirts, in blue, brown, and black; sold at $6.98, reduced to..... $2.98

2 black peau de soie Silk Coats, lined and interlined; sold at $12.50, reduced to..... $8.50

Women's Underwear

Lot of regular 50c and 75c Onetta Union Suits, perfect quality, and form-fitting. Friday at..... 39c

Women's all-wool ribbed shaped Vests and Pants, in natural gray; regular $1.25 value. All sizes Friday at..... 69c

Women's Ribbed Vests, with shaped pants to match, all sizes in the lot. Friday at.. 25c

Children's regular 25c fleece-lined Ribbed Underwear; sizes 16 to 22; Friday at..... 12½c

Dress Goods Remnants.

Woven Stripe Waistings, in the most approved colors, such as light blue, pink, garnet, navy, turquoise, tan, old rose, mode, cardinal, royal, reseda, and black. Regular 19c values at..... 12½c

50-inch All-wool Scotch and Mannish Suitings, in the most approved colors and combinations. Regular $1 value at.... 69c

38-inch Novelty Dress Goods, in neat check and plaid effects. These goods are woven and both sides are alike. Regular 25c values for..... 15c

52-inch All-wool Covert Suitings, the correct fabric for tailored suits and skirts. In tan and gray only. Regular 85c value at..... 69c

Domestic Remnants

Remnants of light and dark Outing Cloth; in neat pink, blue and gray stripes. Lengths from 2 to 10 yards. Good heavy quality. Yard at..... 6¾c

Remnants of heavy Unbleached Cotton, 1 to 10 yard lengths; Friday, yd at..... 3⅞c

Remnants of Flannelettes, in lengths from 1 to 10 yards; in stripes, polka dots, and Persian effects. Suitable lengths for wrappers and kimonas. Yd at..... 6⅞c

Short lengths of Cotton Suitings, in brown, gray, and black and white effects. Lengths from 2½ to 10 yards. For walking skirts and dresses. Yd at... 9¾c

Remnants of dark Percales, in navy and cadet blue, garnet, gray, and black and white effects. Lengths from 2 to 10 yards. Yd at..... 6½c

Remnants of 15-inch Stair Oilcloth, in gray, oak and brown. Good quality, yd at. 4⅞c

Waists and Wrappers

Odds and ends of Imported White Mercerized Waists, soiled and mussed, sizes 32, 34, and 36; sold up to $1.50, for..... 50c

3 dozen Black Satine Waists with hemstitched tucks; sold at 50c. Friday, for..... 19c

Lot of Novelty Plaid Waists, new fall styles, several dozen left from a $2.50 line at..... $1.98

About 3 dozen Women's Heavy Outing Cloth House Dresses; sizes 36, 38, and 40. Black and white checks. Worth $1.50 for..... 59c

Lot of several dozen finest quality dark Percale Wrappers, in neat effects; sizes 34, 36, and 38 only; worth up to $1.50 at... 69c