

MILLIONS BET ON ELECTION RESULT

Sports Stand to Lose Pot of Money.

ODDS ON ROOSEVELT HEAVY

Woodruff Says New York Will Go for Roosevelt, and Backs His Opinion.

BETTING ODDS IN PREVIOUS ELECTIONS

Betting odds on Roosevelt's election ranged from 5 to 1 to 6 to 1 in Wall Street yesterday.

In the campaign between James G. Blaine and Grover Cleveland, in 1884, odds varied from 5 to 1 at the beginning down to 10 to 7 just previous to election that Blaine would be elected.

Four years later the odds were 2 to 1 in favor of Cleveland's re-election, and bets favored the Democratic candidate right along.

In 1882 the betting was even up to the eve of election, Cleveland was elected President.

In 1893 the odds against Bryan were 4 to 1. McKinley was elected.

In 1890 the odds were 5 to 1 on McKinley, who defeated Bryan a second time.

It will be a cold day, indeed, for the sporting fraternity, should Judge Parker defeat President Roosevelt.

It is estimated that several million dollars have been wagered on the result of the election today, and nearly all the Roosevelt end of this is held by sports, who have put up the heaviest sort of odds.

However, the opinions of experts as to the way things are going seem to sustain Roosevelt bettors in their end of the purse.

Betting in New York.

While some bets were made in Washington, New York was, of course, the center of the excitement in this respect.

Men in New York were willing and eager to bet 1 to 2 that Parker would carry the State, 2 to 1 that Herrick would carry the State, and 5 to 1 that Roosevelt would carry the country.

All the wagers, except the usual freak bets always bobbing up, were recorded at these odds, and it is estimated that during the evening alone Broadway about \$300,000 was staked, in addition to the amounts already bet.

Woodruff's Wager.

Timothy L. Woodruff has wagered \$10,000 against \$5,000 that President Roosevelt will carry New York State today.

Tim Fayne, a bookmaker, and a member of the Metropolitan Turf Association, took the Parker end of the bet. The money was deposited with a trust company last Thursday.

So far as can be learned there has been no betting of importance on the results of the House and Senate.

Both the House and the Senate Republican Congressional Committee, and Chairman C. W. Townsend, are claiming the House, but the unbiased sportsmen believe the Democrats may cut down the present majority of their opponents, they have no serious chance of coming out.

Seats in the Senate.

As to the Senate, of the thirty seats to be filled Nov. 8, 1905, twenty-three are held by Republicans.

McComas, the Republican from Maryland, will retire and his successor, a Democrat, has already been elected in the person of Isidor Rayner.

The other twenty-two Republicans are from States twelve of which the Democratic managers claim to be doubtful, and in which they assert the chances are largely in favor of the Democratic ticket.

The States in which the chances are either for themselves or for some Republican in the States so claimed by Democratic managers, are: Arizona, Alaska, Idaho, Indiana, Iowa, Kansas, Kentucky, Louisiana, Maine, Massachusetts, Michigan, Minnesota, Missouri, Montana, Nebraska, Nevada, New Hampshire, New Jersey, New York, North Carolina, North Dakota, Ohio, Oklahoma, Oregon, Pennsylvania, Rhode Island, South Carolina, South Dakota, Tennessee, Texas, Utah, Virginia, West Virginia, Wisconsin, Wyoming.

May Be Democratic.

If the Democrats do not carry all these States claimed, and Judge Parker were elected by barely enough votes to give him the Electoral College, a Democratic majority in the Senate after March 4, 1907, would not be improbable.

Two years hence, thirty additional Senators are to be elected, ten of whom are Republicans.

The Republicans who hold seats that expire in 1907 are from the very States where the Democrats expect to make their gains in the succeeding Congressional election, especially if the Presidential campaign this year gives them the victory.

The Republicans whose terms expire two years hence and the States they represent are: Cullom, Illinois; Bryden, New Jersey; Elkins, West Virginia; Millard, Nebraska; Mitchell, Oregon; Warren, Wyoming, and Wetmore, Rhode Island.

Campaign Expenses Light.

Two million dollars, the amount Republican leaders say they have spent in the present campaign, is regarded as a small outlay for such a gigantic undertaking.

"Senator Hanna once told me he had exactly \$4,000,000 for the 1900 campaign," remarked one of the President's advisers yesterday. "He also told me that \$4,000,000 of this was spent on printing and \$1,000,000 for the pay and expenses of spellbinders. The other \$2,000,000 went for hall rent, equipment for marching clubs, bands, and miscellaneous expenses connected with meetings."

It is generally admitted by the Republican party that it has been able to carry on the present campaign so satisfactorily with such a comparatively small outlay of money. In my opinion it indicates that the day of heavy campaign expenses is about ended.

BITTER LOCAL FIGHT IN CUYAHOGA COUNTY

CLEVELAND, Nov. 8.—Cool and cloudy weather is the rule throughout Ohio today.

RECORD BREAK VOTE BROUGHT OUT EARLY

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West Roosevelt's carriage and was driven to the voting place.

After going upstairs, where the polling booths are situated, the President shook hands with a dozen or more old neighbors. This completed, he was handed ballot No. 165, and he disappeared into one of the canvas-covered compartments. The President did not linger more than one minute, and when he came out he was greeted by a flash from a photographer's battery, and a very good picture of the back of the President's head was secured.

After shaking another score or more of friendly hands he entered the carriage and drove around the town.

Secretary Loeb was at precinct No. 7. President Roosevelt left here at 11 o'clock on his return trip to Washington. He is expected to reach the White House at about 6:15 o'clock this evening.

Breakfast Aboard Train.

NEW YORK, Nov. 8.—President Roosevelt reached Jersey City at 7:35 o'clock this morning. His party consisted of Secretary Loeb, Dr. C. F. Stokes, of the navy, and Assistant Secretary Barnes, whose home is at Vineland, N. J.

The President had breakfast aboard the train while going at the rate of fifty miles an hour through the State of New Jersey. Upon arrival in Jersey City the President was escorted to the navy tug Lancaster, and after a short voyage around the lower end of New York, reached Long Island City at 7:55 where he boarded a special train on the Long Island Railroad, which conveyed him to his home town.

JUDGE PARKER CASTS HIS VOTE

ESOPUS, N. Y., Nov. 8.—The day dawned crisp and cloudless in Ulster county and at Rosemont. The faultless weather was hailed as an omen of cheer, and at many points along the road farmers with their families, en route to the village, cried out hearty words of greeting as they met him or stopped to shake hands.

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TO GET RETURNS AT WHITE HOUSE

All arrangements for receiving election returns at the White House were perfected today. Wires were strung from the executive offices to the library of the White House, where the President, who returns from Oyster Bay at 2:15 p. m., will remain during the evening.

A telegraph operator will be at the President's side to take the returns as they are clicked over the wire. The President will have the Cabinet officers who are in the city with him, and a few personal friends.

Mrs. Roosevelt has invited the Cabinet ladies to be with her when the returns come in, and the party will be gathered in the Red Parlor. Among them will be Miss Edith Shaw, daughter of Secretary Shaw; Mrs. Taft, wife of the Secretary of War; Mrs. and Miss Morton, Mrs. Hitchcock, wife of the Secretary of the Interior, and Mrs. Loeb.

The returns will be very complete, and will be furnished by the State committees and national headquarters. The local associations will also furnish bulletins.

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BOSTON TO POLL A HEAVY VOTE

BOSTON, Nov. 8.—Republican weather, so-called, prevails in eastern Massachusetts, the day being clear and cool.

From the actively displayed in the morning hours it was apparent that Boston would place on record a very large, if not a record-breaking vote.

Ideal Weather.

SPRINGFIELD, Mass., Nov. 8.—With ideal weather for election, the prospects for a heavy vote are good.

Observers in the vicinity of the polling places state that Roosevelt is drawing the full strength of his party, while William L. Douglas, Democratic candidate for governor, is running far ahead of Hodge, Republican candidate.

NORTHAMPTON, Mass., Nov. 8.—The weather is perfect here and a big vote is being cast. The indications are that Douglas is running considerably ahead of Parker.

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BLUE GRASS VOTE FOR DEMOCRACY

LOUISVILLE, Ky., Nov. 8.—The polls opened all over Kentucky at 6 o'clock this morning, to continue open until 4 this afternoon. The weather is ideal and voting is proceeding well.

The indications are for a big vote. The Democrats will carry the State by about 12,000, from the present indications. Ten Democratic and one Republican Congressmen will be elected.

Reports from the State show the bulk of the vote was recorded early.

WARM CONTEST OUT IN ILLINOIS

CHICAGO, Nov. 8.—With a sky deeply overcast, but accompanied by an ideal temperature, voting began at 6 o'clock this morning with lines of suffragists waiting for the polls to open.

Besides casting their ballots for electoral tickets, Illinois voters are today expressing a preference for ten Congressmen, a governor, and other State officers, three State senators, and fifty-seven State representatives.

The polls close at 4 p. m.

Reports from Springfield say the election day dawned bright, not a cloud being in the sky.

The contest in the city and county is for State's attorney, all other offices being overlooked in the scramble for this place.

Indications point to the largest vote in the history of the city.

FIGHT IN VIRGINIA OVER REPRESENTATIVE SLEMP

RICHMOND, Va., Nov. 8.—Ideal weather prevails over the greater part of Virginia today, but the State is so safely Democratic that little interest is reported, and the vote will be light, except in the Ninth district, where chances favor the reelection of Congressman Slemp, Republican.

The Democrats are sure of the other nine districts.

REPUBLICANS MAY MAKE A GAIN

ATLANTA, Ga., Nov. 8.—Ideal weather prevails in Georgia, and a heavy vote is predicted in all sections of the State.

The Republicans and Populists are said to be combining to put a Republican in the gubernatorial election.

The Populists claim a big vote for Tom Watson. Parker will receive a larger vote than Bryan in his last race.

BIG REPUBLICAN MAJORITY IN GREEN MOUNTAIN STATE

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REPUBLICANS LEAD IN RHODE ISLAND

PROVIDENCE, R. I., Nov. 8.—The weather is cold, but pleasant and a heavy vote is being polled throughout the State.

The indications are that the Republican national and State tickets will be victorious.

WILL EXHUME BROTHER'S BODY

NEWPORT NEWS, Va., Nov. 8.—Frank Campbell, of Philadelphia, will carry here Saturday to exhume the body of his brother, John Gardner, who was mysteriously murdered, and remove it to Philadelphia for interment.

Bears the Signature of *John W. Fletcher*

Weather file.

DO YOU GET UP WITH A LAME BACK?



Have You Rheumatism, Kidney, Liver or Bladder Trouble?

To Prove what Swamp-Root, the Great Kidney, Liver, and Bladder Remedy, will do for YOU, All Our Readers May Have a Sample Bottle Sent Free by Mail.

Pain or dull ache in the back is unmistakable evidence of kidney trouble. It is nature's timely warning to show you that the track of health is not clear.

If these danger signals are unheeded, more serious results are sure to follow; Bright's disease, which is the worst form of kidney trouble, may steal upon you.

The mild and extraordinary effect of the world-famous kidney and bladder remedy, Dr. Kilmer's Swamp-Root, is soon realized. It stands the highest for its wonderful cures of the most distressing cases. A trial will convince any one—and you may have a sample bottle free, by mail.

Gentlemen: I attribute my present good health to Swamp-Root. I suffered many years with kidney trouble and had an almost constant pain in my back. Your great remedy, Swamp-Root, cured my trouble, and I have since been perfectly well. Yours truly, B. H. CHALKER, Ex-Chief of Police, Ozark, Ala.

Lame back is only one symptom of kidney trouble—one of many. Other symptoms showing that you need Swamp-Root are being obliged to pass water often during the day and to get up many times during the night, inability to hold your urine, smarting, or irritation in passing, bright or sediment in the urine, catarrh of the bladder, uric acid,