

GILLETTS TO SPEAK OF GRAFT, JAW'S STONE

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By Associated Press.  
NEW YORK, Nov. 4.—The two candidates for governor of New York, Charles E. Hughes and W. R. Hearst, rested today after their campaigning last week.

Both are scheduled for a number of speeches tomorrow in Manhattan and it will probably be late in the night before election before they will have made their final appeals to the voters.

Charles E. Hughes, the Republican candidate, spent the day quietly.

Chairman Woodruff of the State Republican committee, was at headquarters for a short time, but had nothing to say on the probable result of Tuesday's vote, further than to reiterate his confidence in the election of Mr. Hughes.

The usual Sunday before election gathering was held in Harlem by Tammany. Speakers included Congressman Bourke Cockran and Francis Burton Harrison. Mr. Cockran said he believed the political movement headed by Mr. Hearst to be inspired by God and therefore irresistible.

A messenger sent to the home of Mr. Hearst with the request that he address the meeting, returned with the reply that the candidate would not under any circumstances address a Sunday meeting.

Hearst Remains at Home  
William R. Hearst, the Democratic-Independence league candidate, remained at home all day and denied himself to all callers. His campaign managers have arranged for him to appear at several meetings tomorrow.

Election officials and the police department are making preparations to prevent frauds and to maintain order. Superintendent of Elections Morgan today issued a statement of his election day plans, in which he says his department is working in conjunction with the police department and the attorney general's office to prevent frauds.

"Commissioner Bingham has caused the police to investigate every name registered and deputies have done similar work," said Superintendent Morgan. "The police and the deputies will have the evidence ready in each case found to have been fraudulently registered and arrest will be made at once, and in the police court lawyers from the district attorney's office and the bureau of identification will be present, equipped with the complete evidence in each case."

"We have ten thousand orders of arrest made out and ready to serve in these cases."

The judicial nominators today introduced a final appeal in behalf of their independent ticket for judges. The association to prevent corrupt practices at elections, of which Seth Lewy is president, announced they had retained counsel to represent it in proceedings in New York court.

W. R. Hearst's only political work today was his address at two gatherings of Independence league election day watchers at the polls, one in Brooklyn and the other in Madison Square garden.

COLONEL OLCOTT IS  
INJURED IN WRECK

By Associated Press.  
KANSAS CITY, Nov. 4.—Colonel Henry Steele Olcott of Alton, Ind., the president founder of Theosophical society and coworker, in her lifetime of the late Helen P. Blavatsky, has been seriously injured in a railway wreck in Italy, according to private advices received today by a member of the society in this city.

Beyond stating that he had been placed in a hospital and is in a bad way no details of the wreck are given. Because of his advanced age fears for his recovery are entertained.

Colonel Olcott at the time was on his way to India from Chicago, where he had presided at the annual convention of the American section of the Theosophical society, held in that city in September.

May Call the Thaw Case

By Associated Press.  
NEW YORK, Nov. 4.—The case of Henry K. Thaw is number two on the revised list of homicide cases and may be called this week. Thaw has been incarcerated since last June for killing Stanford White, the architect, at the Madison Square roof garden.

WILL EXPOSE  
TOBACCO  
TRUST

By Associated Press.  
BOSTON, Nov. 4.—District Attorney John B. Moran has sent a letter to District Attorney William T. Jerome of New York, in which he stated that he was informed by State Senator A. D. Hughes of Michigan that there is in the possession of Collier's Weekly evidence in the form of original documents, letters, telegrams, etc., which tends to show that an organized method of legislative corruption is practiced by the so-called tobacco trust throughout the country.

The letter follows:  
"I am credibly informed by Mr. A. D. Hughes, formerly a state senator of Michigan, that there is in the possession of the publishers of Collier's Weekly, having its place of business in New York city, evidence in the form of original documents, letters, telegrams, secret codes and the translation thereof, some copies of which I know of and which I append hereto, which tends to show an organized, systematic and general method of legislative corruption practiced by the so-called tobacco trust throughout the country."

"I am informed that some of the documents, copies of which I now have, tend to show that several bills affecting the interest of the said tobacco trust were defeated at the capital of this commonwealth at the last session of the Massachusetts legislature by practices which were a part of this systematic system. I am informed that the publishers of the said Collier's Weekly have purchased the evidence for a large sum of money under a contract to publish the same not later than ten days after the first of August; the last day for publishing the same has expired; that the said Collier's Weekly has refused to publish the same.

"I am further informed that Collier's Weekly is delaying publishing the evidence of its contract.

"Therefore I respectfully request you to obtain the same evidence and transmit to me forthwith in order that I may begin an immediate inquiry into such acts occurring within my jurisdiction as may be disclosed by an examination of the said documents."

In making public the letter Mr. Moran also gave to the press copies of many letters, telegrams and codes, one letter being from Hughes.

Hughes claims that he bought a factory in Marion, Ind., last April, from Henry Behrens, a Jeweler, last night Mr. Hughes found a desk which he asserts was full of documents revealing certain transactions with the American Tobacco company.

Behrens in his letter that he endeavored to interest President Roosevelt and Governor Hanley of Indiana, but was unsuccessful. He then sold the documents to Collier's under contract to publish them.

BELIEVE THEY HAVE  
"GAS PIPE" MURDERER

By Associated Press.  
SAN FRANCISCO, Nov. 4.—In the arrest of Louis V. Dabnet and John Kain, or John Simpson, after they had robbed and murderously assaulted Henry Behrens, Jeweler, last night the police think they have captured the men who were implicated in the recent "gas pipe" murders in this city.

After Dabnet was captured last night he was arrested by the police and as a result of his statements the police arrested Simpson while he was walking home with a young lady to whom he was engaged to be married.

A remarkable feature of the case was the call of Simpson at the police station soon after Dabnet had been arrested. Giving his name as James McGuire, he reported that he had just been robbed of \$900 in cash and a \$500 diamond ring.

Simpson when arrested admitted that his story was a hoax and that he had called at the station to get information about his companion, Dabnet. Simpson about seven years ago was given a five year sentence in San Quentin for holding up a Powell street car.

EASTBOUND PASSENGER  
WRECKED NEAR AUBURN

By Associated Press.  
SACRAMENTO, Nov. 4.—At 12:15 o'clock this afternoon eastbound passenger train No. 3 was wrecked a mile east of Auburn. The engine left the track pulling after it the tender and three tourist coaches.

Trainmaster G. A. Woodward of this city, who was riding in the cab, and Engineer F. E. Keenan were pinned in, although they were not seriously scalded before they could get out, and Fireman C. J. O'Brien, who jumped, had an ankle sprained.

The engine and tender turned over on their sides, but the tourist cars remained on the ties. Aside from a general shaking up none of the passengers was injured.

The wreck is supposed to have resulted from a broken flange of the engine truck wheels. The track was cleared and traffic resumed at 6 o'clock this evening.

One Killed, Four Injured

By Associated Press.  
NEW YORK, Nov. 4.—One fireman was killed and four others seriously injured in a fire today that caused a money loss of \$75,000 in the building occupied by the New York Vitified The company and the Pilgrim Steam laundry in Brooklyn. The dead and injured were buried under a wall that collapsed.

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Two dark-eyed children, weeping for a father who does not return, a wife whom the agony and suspense is driving well nigh mad, and a broken-hearted mother and sister bewailing the loss of a son and brother—such are the results of the strange disappearance of Winford E. Davies, 728 East Fortieth street, Friday night.

Davies has been employed as a marker in the Angelus laundry, but hard work had made him ill, and a short time ago he complained that he seemed to be losing his memory. About a week ago he decided to take a vacation, passing the time with his little family. Friday afternoon he went to the German Savings bank and drew \$75 in gold as vacation funds.

Going to the home of his sister-in-law at Santee and Main streets, he passed a part of the night in good natured fun and at 3:45 o'clock he decided to leave for home, intending to ride the short distance across the city on his bicycle, which he had with him. In a playful mood he said to his sister-in-law, "I guess I'll have to go home to the kid now, a pet name he called his wife. Tomorrow morning he told her that he would be home in fifteen minutes. The minutes have run into days, but still he does not come. Leaving the Santee street home, he rode away on his bicycle. Since then no one has seen any trace of him. He has disappeared as completely as if the earth had swallowed him.

At the little home at 728 Fortieth street the wife awaited his return. Nine o'clock came, 10 o'clock, 11 o'clock, and still no signs of the man. Finally, with a vague feeling of terror, the anxious wife telephoned to her sister to find out whether her husband had left as he intended. The reply confirmed her fears. He had left for home at the specified time and the sister wondered that he had not yet returned. Of the crushing fears and half formed dread of that anxious night, none but the grief-stricken wife can tell. The sad news was told to the children, whom the strid had awakened. Sleep finally came to the relief of the two little tots, Juanita, aged 6 years, and Edwin, aged 3. But the first question of the babes when they awoke in the morning was, "Has papa come home yet?" To the question of her children the mother could make no reply, but a mournful shake of her head.

The young man's mother, Mrs. Johnson, who lives at 1107 West Twenty-fourth street, was notified the next day, and she at once secured the services of detectives, who are now working on the case. As yet nothing has been discovered that would lead to the finding of the young man.

The family is undecided as to what to think of the disappearance. The fact that he drew money from the bank leads them to think that possibly some one observing this, followed the young man till he had the desired opportunity to attack him.

On the other hand, in such a case, it would be strange that the body had not been found, had he been the victim of foul play. Davies complained some time ago that his memory seemed to be deserting him and his mother thought that possibly his mind had given way and he is now wandering about the country, not knowing his own identity or where he lives.

Young Davies was 28 years old and of slight build. He was about 5 feet 5 inches in height and weighed 118 pounds. His light hair were almost of an ashy hue, but his eyes were dark. When he left his sister-in-law's home Friday night he wore a gray suit and a black hat and was riding a wheel. Any information given of his whereabouts will be thankfully received by the prostrated wife and his mother.

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SHOWERS AT SAN JOSE

By Associated Press.  
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HAVENARROW  
ESCAPE FROM  
DROWNING

Attorney Earl Rogers and Fire Chief  
Walter Lips narrowly escaped  
drowning in the plunge of the Venice bath-  
house yesterday afternoon.

Rogers and Lips with other members of a party were bathing in the plunge. Both are fairly good swimmers, but for some reason which Mr. Rogers has not explained he found himself in water beyond his depth and was unable to keep himself afloat. He called loudly for help and Lips, who was teaching one of the women of the party how to swim, heard his cries. He could not believe that Rogers was in any danger until he saw him going under the water for the second time. Realizing that his friend's situation was serious he tried to swim to his assistance but as soon as he struck deep water he, too, began floundering about and calling for help.

Seeing the plight of the two, Jake Cox, the professional swimmer employed at the bathhouse, jumped into the plunge and rescued first Rogers, then Lips, carrying them both to the edge of the pool.

Neither had been rendered unconscious, but each had swallowed a quantity of the water and it is certain that but for the timely assistance of the life saver both would have been drowned.

Soon after they were revived they attended the band concert at the auditorium and both asserted they felt no worse for their narrow escape from death.

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Downpour at Sacramento

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SACRAMENTO, Nov. 4.—Early this morning a fine rain set in that developed an hour later into a downpour. Seventy-six-hundredths of an inch fell, but before noon the clouds broke and the weather remains unsettled. In the afternoon a hard shower fell on Third street while three blocks east not a drop fell. The weather is still unsettled. Most of the grape crop is harvested and comparatively little damage will accrue. The rain will start the plows.

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Democrats and Good Government Re-  
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ing Administered Judge  
McKinley

"I feel that the people of this beautiful Southland will next Tuesday be found on the side of good government. Entertaining this feeling, I am certain of my election."

Leaving this as a parting message to his friends and followers in Southern California, Hon. Theodore A. Bell last night started for his home in Napa, where he will vote tomorrow and receive the election returns. Previous to his departure Mr. Bell said to The Herald:

"The issue of the campaign—that of good government as opposed to the usurpation by the Southern Pacific and its allied interests of the executive, legislative and judicial powers in this state and the capture of the organization of the Republican party of California—has been fairly placed before the people of this great commonwealth and by reason of the fact that a large majority of the voters of California, regardless of party affiliation, will cast their ballots in favor of the Democratic ticket, not because it is Democratic but because of the fact that the Democratic party is making a fight against influences inimical to the interests of the people and the material progress of the state and also to the fact that every nominee of the ticket personally is opposed to corporate influence and in no manner is affiliated with corporations.

Regrets Mud-Slinging  
"One thing that I most regret in this campaign is the tendency of newspapers supporting the nominees of the Santa Cruz convention to be unfair to the Democratic nominees, which unfairness has degenerated in certain quarters to the worst form of what has been termed mud-slinging.

"On the other hand we have confined ourselves to a discussion of the issue of the campaign and the statement of facts. These facts, we admit, have hurt our opponents, but this should not be a sufficient excuse for the misrepresentations and absolutely untruthful and willful statements contained in some of the Republican organs.

"The effect, however, of this method of campaigning will be opposite to that hoped for and will increase the majority in favor of the men laboring in behalf of the progress of the state, and cleanness in politics.

Now is the Time  
"The election Tuesday will afford the people of California an opportunity to rid themselves of the yoke of Southern Pacific oppression. Conditions are ripe for an overturning of the railroad machine, and if advantage is not taken of these conditions now it may be many years before such another opportunity will be offered the voters to strike a blow at the powerful influence that is satisfying its own greed at the expense of the progress of the state, for with the election of its candidate for governor, the legislature and the judiciary, its grip upon the machinery of government of the state will become so strong that no power can break it.

"I cannot conceive that the people of the great state of California and who are, as a whole, the most intelligent of any community on the face

IS TOLD  
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TO SAY

Gillett Takes Orders  
From Chairman  
Stone

Must Not Accuse Ruff  
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Graft

Copy of a Telegram Sent to the Re-  
publican Nominee by the Re-  
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Public

Special to The Herald.  
MODESTO, Cal., Nov. 4.—The following is an actual copy of a telegram received by J. N. Gillett October 26 from Chairman Stone of the Republican state central committee:

"SAN FRANCISCO, Cal., Oct. 26, 1906.—To Hon. James N. Gillett, care C. D. Swan, chairman, Modesto, Cal.: Talk for rebuilding of San Francisco and show conditions existing due to inefficient public officials, the danger to life in ordinary business occupations from thugs and highwaymen and of the malodorous reputation the city is getting throughout the entire country from the constant and continual reports and charges of graft by the authorities, the demagogic outbursts of such persons as McCarthy, Tweedmo and several of the municipal officials accusing those who oppose them of all sorts of crimes, the driving of the McCarthy labor union organization by its leader, McCarthy, to obey his requests as a shepherd drives sheep.

"Refer in your own way to Ruff and Schmitz without directly charging them with graft, as investigation is on and the people, although aroused and humiliated, yet withhold judgment until the courts have decided. Make straightforward statement of facts stating if you are elected governor you will do all in your power, if the condition exists, to help restore the fair name of San Francisco. I suggest that your course will not be an attack on the lectures and has ordered them to be expelled from the capital on the ground that they have not the right of residence.

"My Dear Sir—Your circular addressed to this corporation denouncing Ben J. Ward for assessor received, and in consequence thereof I have this day tendered the non-partisan committee the use of my two machines and chauffeur to be used in the interest of Mr. Ward for assessor on election day, together with a small donation of cash to be used in his behalf for hiring carriages.

"As we are heavy taxpayers in this county, we only hope that you will continue making the same kind of articles in reference to Mr. Ward, and it will do as it has done with us—make him voters. Very truly yours,  
"PIONEER INVESTMENT & TRUST COMPANY  
(Signed) "STONE."

Jews Are Barred

By Associated Press.  
ST. PETERSBURG, Nov. 4.—In spite of protests lodged by the students, the rector and the council of the University of St. Petersburg, the prefect of police has refused to allow Jews who do not belong to the university to attend the lectures and has ordered them to be expelled from the capital on the ground that they have not the right of residence.

ELECTION MANAGERS  
ARE SELECTED BY  
COUNTY DEMOCRATS

The following have been chosen by the Democratic county central committee as election managers for the out of town precincts Tuesday:  
Los Angeles city:  
First ward—C. F. Johnson.  
Second ward—George D. Keym.  
Third ward—Edward J. Morris.  
Fourth ward—George W. Calkins.  
Fifth ward—H. J. McGarry.  
Sixth ward—A. Neimeyer.  
Seventh ward—M. F. Betouski.  
Eighth ward—L. P. Collette.  
Ninth ward—E. O. Edgerton.  
Outside cities:  
San Fernando—John T. Wilson.  
Redondo—N. E. Devore.  
Whittier—P. A. Blake.  
Norwalk—J. W. Inman.  
Pasadena—G. R. Frampton.  
Pomona—F. H. Osler.  
Azusa—George E. Glover.  
Burbank—George Dewey.  
El Monte—William Shugg.  
Santa Monica—H. J. McKenzie.  
San Pedro—Ben Davis.  
Downey—L. H. Ardis.  
Alhambra—Frank L. Hiller.  
Monrovia—H. J. Thomas.  
Pasadena—Walter R. Simons.  
Long Beach—Stephen G. Long.  
Soldiers' Home—Henry Garippy.  
Hollywood—H. E. Westgate.  
Ocean Park—W. P. Snyder.

BEN WARD MAKES  
ANOTHER REPLY TO  
MACHINE STATEMENTS

The following statement has been issued by Ben J. Ward, non-partisan nominee for county assessor:  
One of the "machine" made circulars recently sent out gave thirteen reasons why you should vote for my opponent. The first one is a fair sample, viz.: Cook county assessed for \$442,000,000; Los Angeles county assessed for \$305,000,000. They did not tell you that Cook county rate was \$5 per \$100 and Los Angeles county rate \$1 per \$100 in the incorporated cities like Chicago. The balance of their statements are, one by one, and can be proven absolutely false, and are for one purpose only, and that is to mislead the public. All of them, including the last, viz.: "A square deal for everybody," which accuses me of "graft," "brag" and "bluster," etc., (which was

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THE DAYS' NEWS

FORECAST  
For Southern California: Probably showers Monday; light west wind. Maximum temperature in Los Angeles yesterday, 71 degrees; minimum, 52 degrees.

- 1—Awaiting count of ballots.
- 2—Democrats urge to make gains.
- 3—Hatchings gets into melodrama.
- 4—Use little room for last time.
- 5—Tiny boy shows Spartan spirit.
- 6—Editorial.
- 7—City news.
- 8—Sports.
- 9—Classified advertisements.
- 10—Crowds approve of new leader.
- 12—Railroad news.

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As a non-partisan, as a man, I appeal to men. No party lines should divide us in freeing California from corporate control. The false cry of the corporate press must never divert our minds from the wolf behind the mask. California must refuse support to the grasping corporations. By our votes next Tuesday we either declare our freedom or crucify the hope and ambition of a suffering people.

Let us stand together. We have no issue but home rule. The report of the Southern Pacific state committee prophesies the defeat of Mr. Bell by 19,000 plurality. This with a hoped for vote to Mr. Langdon of 26,000. I appeal to honest men not to lose the opportunity by sacrificing votes. The enemy of the state cannot control if the friends of honest government combine for one grand purpose. California in her distress pleads for justice. The opportunity is here. Don't divide. Division is the enemy's hope. Vote for Theodore A. Bell, who is an honest citizen, who stands unpledged to any individual or corporation, but who guarantees a faithful administration without partiality to capital or labor—to all a square deal. What more could an honest man do?

(Signed) TIMOTHY SPELLACY,  
Chairman Democratic State Central Committee.