

# Hearst Sentiment Waning and Defeat Generally Predicted.

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It was pointed out that while Hearst is counting on New York City to elect Hearst, Murphy is counting on the counties up-State to do it. This was declared to be a striking indication of the demoralization of the Democratic Hearst campaign.

### ENTHUSIASM ON THE WANE.

The best estimate that can be made on the canvasses of the district leaders give Hearst only 40,000 in New York County, and many of the leaders admit that they claimed everything in sight. It was noticeable also that the riotous enthusiasm and hilarious confidence in the Gilsey House has given place to a sort of religious calm. There was dismay when it was learned that Tammany had practically thrown up its hands, but the ebullient Hearstites merely said Murphy was mistaken.

There were many sermons against Hearst today. One of the most notable was delivered by the Rev. Dr. J. Lindsay Parker of the Protestant church in Brooklyn, himself a Democrat.

Other sermons were delivered for Hughes by the Rev. Dr. John P. Peters and Dr. Felix Adler.

Tammany Hall held an afternoon rally in the Star Theater and evening meetings in theaters on the Bowery. The principal speakers at these meetings were Representative Cockran and Senator Grady. Both of these men have been maligned by Hearst as dishonest, and both a year ago were opposing his election as Mayor on the ground that he was the embodiment of the spirit of riot and anarchy.

### SPEND A QUIET DAY.

Hughes and Hearst rested today after their campaigning last week. Both are scheduled for a number of speeches tomorrow in Manhattan, and it probably will be late in the night before they make 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 Hughes.

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

### POLICE ARE ACTIVE.

Hearst 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 maintain order at the polls. 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 arrests will be made at once and attorneys of 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 judiciary nominators today issued a final appeal in behalf of their independent ticket for judges. The association to prevent corrupt practices at elections, of which Seth Low is president, announced today that it had retained counsel to represent it in proceedings in New York County.

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.

### BIERCE SHIELDS HEARST.

Admits He Wrote Lines That in a Measure Incited McKinley's Murder.

WASHINGTON, Nov. 4.—Ambrose Bierce, the author, explained today that he was the writer of the lines: "The bullet that pierced Goebel's breast Cannot be found in all the west. Good reason: It is speeding here To stretch McKinley on his bier." Bierce explained he was writing for the Hearst papers when Governor Goebel was killed. "The bullet could not be found. Major Bierce was a friend of President McKinley, and, he said, wrote the lines, not for the purpose of instigating a sensation, but in prophecy that if such crimes as that against Goebel went unpunished, then the assassin's bullet would strike higher up. Twenty months later McKinley was killed and the prophecy was fulfilled."

It was then, Bierce says, the enemies of Hearst dug up the lines, wrested them from their context and used them just as Secretary Root did in his Utica speech, to make it appear that Hearst papers incited McKinley's assassination.

### EXPENSIVE FOR HEARST.

Those Who Should Know Say Campaign Has Cost Editor \$1,000,000.

NEW YORK, Nov. 4.—The announcement comes from up the State that William R. Hearst is not going to turn loose on election day the flood of money his followers expected. Great as is his wealth, Hearst's fortune would be impaired if he granted all the demands made on him. He has spent a huge sum already and he must spend a great deal more before the polls close Tuesday, but he would have writers' cramp signing checks if he filled all the requisitions made on him. This is the first time New York has

had a personally conducted and personally paid for campaign for Governor. Usually the campaign expenses are covered by contributions to the campaign fund. An ordinary campaign for the election of a Governor costs one of the big parties from \$100,000 to \$400,000. The lower figure is a cut rate and can only be had when one side is so absolutely sure of winning that there is merely the pretense of a contest.

The expense account of Mr. Hearst, which must be filed with the Secretary of State, will be a most interesting document, but it will not be complete. This will not be because the candidate intends to put other figures there than they should be, but because he has his campaign and business so involved and interwoven that it is practically impossible to separate them from a financial standpoint, what should be a charge against one account and a credit for another. Those who ought to know believe that his campaign expenses will be near \$1,000,000.

### COLORADO SITUATION.

Democrats Confident That Adams Will Be Elected Governor.

DENVER, Nov. 4.—Colorado's political campaign is at an end. The election of Alva Adams as Governor is confidently expected by Democrats, despite the fact that the betting odds favor Chancellor H. A. Buchtel. The Republicans will elect two Congressmen, and probably three. Adams is running ahead of his ticket and may be the only man on the Democratic State ticket elected outside of a Supreme Court Justice. The defeat of Chief Justice W. H. Gabbert, on whom a hard fight is being made, seems certain. Democratic Supreme Court Justices will be elected.

The Socialists will poll a much larger vote than usual, probably 10,000. This will affect the Democrats more than the Republicans. The campaign of Judge Lindsey has been weak and he will not be in the running. He will draw largely from the Republican party, to a degree offsetting the vote cast to the Democrats through the aggressive campaign waged by the Socialists. Denver will give Buchtel a plurality of from 7000 to 8000 probably, but Adams will overcome this in the State outside of Denver.

The important development in the political situation in Colorado was the publication of a letter signed by State Treasurer John A. Homburg, urging his personal friends to vote against the Republican State ticket with the exception of the candidates for Congress and Charles F. Caswell, candidate for Supreme Justice. Mr. Homburg was defeated in the Republican State convention in the race for the Governorship in spite of the fact that he is recognized as one of the strongest men the party has in the State. He attributes his defeat to treachery at the Denver primaries and double dealing on the part of a local county committee. The letter in part says: "The State ticket bearing the name Republican is not a Republican ticket. It is simply and solely a corporation ticket, and no Republican, in my judgment, is bound on account of party duties or obligations to support it."

### RELEASES CAMPAIGN MAIL.

Gotham's Postmaster Decides Fate of 40,000 Political Letters.

NEW YORK, Nov. 4.—Regarding the report that a large quantity of campaign literature deposited at a substation of the postoffice late last night was held up pending a decision by the postal authorities, Postmaster Willcox tonight made the following statement: "There was no matter whatever held up at the substation. The 40,000 letters arrived late Saturday night and two clerks in charge of the substation thought that perhaps they were not mailable matter. They notified the substation and the morning after the matter to go through the mails, and it was promptly released."

M. F. Ihmsen, chairman of the State committee of the Independence League, issued the following tonight regarding the alleged incendiary literature: "The reason why the scurrilous circulars sent out by Mr. Lexow's organization were allowed by Postmaster Willcox to pass through the mails is that they had been held up by his subordinates on Saturday night must be plain to every one. The circulars are of the same character as the postal cards which were held up last year when sent out by the McClellan machine because they were forwarded forwarded to Washington and burned."

Naturally when the postoffice clerks received them again this year they took the ruling of the department last year as a precedent, but they were overruled by Postmaster Willcox, unheeding the orders from Washington. Consistency was thrown to the winds. This was done undoubtedly because it occurred to them that this year was an extract from the speech of Secretary Root at Utica, which he made, as he declared, upon the direct authority of the President."

### GOVERNOR TOOLE FOR SENATE.

Montana Democratic Candidates Promise to Support Him in Caucus.

HELENA, Nov. 4.—The only development in the campaign in this State is that candidates on the Democratic ticket for the Legislature are pledging themselves that if elected they will vote for Governor J. K. Toole for Senator. It is claimed he already has fought to control a Democratic caucus. Both Democrats and Republicans are claiming the State.

To make sure of voting against the Ruff judges vote the Independent Non-Partisan judicial ticket first tomorrow. It is the bottom ticket on the machine.

### GROWTH OF IRON AND STEEL INDUSTRIES IS IMMENSE.

Gain in Operations for Period of Nine Months Reaches Enormous Figure of \$24,000,000.

WASHINGTON, Nov. 4.—A bulletin issued by the Department of Commerce and Labor says that exports of iron and steel manufactures show an increase of about 25 per cent in the nine months ended with September, and imports of a similar character show an increase of practically 25 per cent in the same period, as compared with the same months of the preceding year. The growth in operations of iron and steel, the bulletin says, was larger in the nine months ended with September, 1906, than in any corresponding period of our export trade. The gain in these months over the corresponding period of the preceding year was over \$24,000,000.

### PRINCE HENRY VISITS WASHINGTON.

Washington, Nov. 4.—Prince Henry of Reuss, a member of the German Imperial family, a naval officer, returning to his country from China, spent several hours in Washington today. He was the guest of Ambassador Sternberg at the German embassy.

## DEMOCRATS MAKE GAINS IN FIGHT.

Leaders Agree That Bourbonns Will Have Increased Strength in Congress SITUATION ANALYZED

WASHINGTON, Nov. 4.—With election day but a few hours away, the political situation has crystallized to an extent that permits a survey of the field, limited, however, to the points where the battle has waged the fiercest between the two dominant parties for control of the Sixteenth Congress and for State supremacy.

The managers of both the Republican and Democratic campaigns agree that the Democrats are to make gains over the present representation in Congress. Both also are agreed as to the States where these gains are to come from, and both are directing the energies of the closing hours of the campaign to these battlefields. In New York the State campaign has eclipsed all else. The vote for Congressmen will be disturbed by local conditions to such an extent that the returns Tuesday night will furnish perhaps the most interesting reading for those at the headquarters of both Congressional committees. A landslide for either candidate for Governor would carry with it unexpected results as to the Congressional ticket. It is conceded, on a normal basis, that the Democrats will make gains in this State.

Pennsylvania furnishes another interesting situation with the Governorship fight between Lewis Emery, Democrat and Lincoln party candidate, and former Mayor Stuart of Philadelphia, Republican nominee. Many Republican and Democratic headquarters have been sent into the western part of the State and the campaigning has been lively.

### DALZELL IS OPPOSED.

Representative Dalzell of Pittsburg is having opposition which some time ago assumed serious proportions in Dr. J. Black, former Mayor of McKeesport.

In the South the interesting points are in Texas, Mississippi and Tennessee. In Texas a campaign against the re-election to the United States Senate of J. W. Bailey is making things lively. M. Crane is regarded as the leader of the anti-Bailey forces.

In Mississippi Representative Williams, the Democratic floor leader of the House, is making a race for the Senatorship against Governor Vardaman. Tennessee furnishes interest because of the Governorship fight between H. Clay Evans, Republican, and Representative M. R. Patterson, Democrat. The Republicans in the State have hopes of electing more than two members to Congress, which they now have.

The districts where Samuel Gompers, president of the American Federation of Labor, has made a fight are also points of interest. The labor leader paid his compliments last to Representative Mudd of Maryland and Democratic presidential candidate M. W. DeLoach of Ohio Representative James Kennedy, representing the old McKinley district, has received a call from Gompers, who supported John C. Welby, the Democratic nominee. The Democrats now hold but one district in Ohio, but are making vigorous contests in a half-dozen others.

Gompers has been also heard from in the fight in Chicago, where the Republicans now have all ten of the Congressional districts. Both sides agree that this solid delegation will be broken into, and that Representative Rainey, now the only Democrat in the House from Illinois, will have competition for Congress. W. D. Linn, the Socialist party candidate for Governor of Colorado, are confidently looking for gains in Indiana and Iowa.

In Massachusetts the Governorship fight eclipses all else. Curtiss Guild Jr., Republican, is opposed by John B. Moran, nominated by the Democrats, Prohibitionists and Independence League.

Summed up, the States in which both sides seem agreed that Democratic gains may be made are New York, New Jersey, Pennsylvania, Ohio, Indiana, Illinois, Missouri, Iowa and Maryland.

### WANTS AN INVESTIGATION OF CHARGES OF PEONAGE.

Immigration Commissioner for Southern States Asks President to Direct an Inquiry Into the Matter.

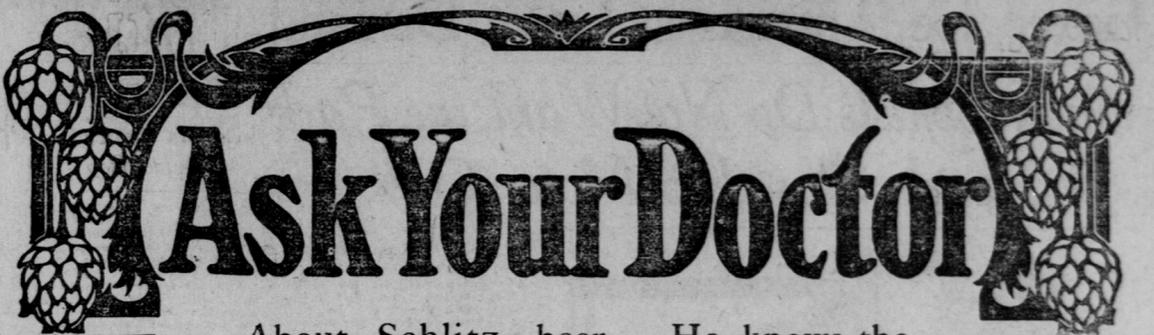
NEW YORK, Nov. 4.—David Robertson, Immigration Commissioner for the Southern States, made public a letter he has sent to President Roosevelt asking him to instruct the Department of Justice to seek in this city evidence in connection with the charges of peonage recently made against several companies. Robertson says he can prove that false testimony was given before the Grand Jury at Atlanta, Ga., concerning German employees who were engaged in this city for work in the South. He recites the difficulties encountered in securing help among immigrants landing here and says that agents of Southern firms are constantly imposed on by men who did not care to work or to further the interests of the community to which they are sent, but who, on making frivolous charges, are given a hearing by officials, who fall to investigate both sides of the case. The result, he says, is injurious to the cause of labor in the South.

### KILLED WHILE FIGHTING FIRE.

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

### PANAMANS STILL CELEBRATE.

COLON, Nov. 4.—The celebration of the third anniversary of the foundation of the republic of Panama continued here today. There was bull baiting and other amusements in the afternoon and fireworks in the evening. A thanksgiving service was held and a reception by the Consular officers.



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### THEOSOPHIST'S LIFE IN THE BALANCE.

Colonel Henry Steele Olcott Is Seriously Injured in Train Wreck in Italy

KANSAS CITY, Nov. 4.—Colonel Henry Steele Olcott of Adya, India, the president-founder of the Theosophical Society and co-worker 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.

Colonel Henry Steele Olcott received his title in the civil war. He is 75 years of age. In his early life Colonel Olcott was a newspaper man and at the execution of John Brown of Osawatimie he represented the New York Tribune. He left newspaper work in Tri-

70s, and, with the late Helen P. Blavatsky, founded the Theosophical Society in New York in 1875. For years these two worked together, Madame Blavatsky as the writer and Colonel Olcott as the organizer. After Blavatsky's death he went to India and from there has, in conjunction with Mrs. Annie Besant, conducted the entire movement. His authority in the Theosophical Society is supreme. The charter of the American section is entirely under his control and with the stroke of a pen he could wipe out of existence the seventy different branches with their hundreds of members in this country. He is a lecturer of great power and has written some books on theosophy. He was prominent in the famous split in this society in April, 1895, when William Q. Judge seceded with his following after charges of fraud and falsehood had been preferred against him. That event served to make him known in all parts of the world.

Colonel Olcott, for the first time in many years, came to this country from India recently to personally preside at the twentieth annual convention of the society, which opened in Chicago on September 16. His presence served to bring to Chicago one of the largest gatherings of Theosophists that ever convened in this city since the organization of the society.

Colonel Olcott was accompanied to and from the United States by Mrs. Schuerman of Amsterdam, president of the Dutch branch of the society. Colonel Olcott was noticeably feeble and was greatly fatigued upon his arrival in Chicago. They sailed from New York on September 25.

A. P. Smetton of London, vice president of the Theosophical Society, is next in line for president of the society. Mr. Smetton is a journalist of note and has held several Government positions in India.

### VOLIVA TO BUILD A NEW ZION.

CHICAGO, Nov. 4.—Wilbur Glenn Voliva, successor to John Alexander Dowie as head of the Christian Catholic Church, tonight outlined to some of his followers in Kenosha plans for the erection of a new Zion, which he said would make the greatest religious colony in the world.

"My policies will be as different from those of John Alexander Dowie," he said, "as day is different from night. The first command to be observed in the new city will be absolute freedom from debt. Neither Zion nor a man in Zion shall owe a cent. It is my plan to establish colonies where the homeless and friendless shall be cared for. I shall have a tract of thousands of acres of land to which I shall be able to invite the homeless of the world and ask them to take twenty-acre tracts and earn an honest living. It will be my plan to build factories for the workmen and work with them. I shall do away with the aristocratic city that has grown up in Zion and all shall be of equal standing."

Voliva declared that he had no use for orthodox churches. "If the churches of today," he said, "represent the modern religion, I will take the platform as an infidel and smash them."

One reason why colonization by Latin races has been so successful is that they intermarry with the natives.

### STATEMENT OF THE CONDITIONS AND AFFAIRS OF THE NORWICH UNION FIRE INSURANCE COMPANY

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CAPITAL.	
Amount of Capital stock, paid up in cash	\$ 650,000.00
ASSETS.	
Real estate owned by company	\$ 280,100.00
Loans on bonds and mortgages	40,000.00
Cash market value of all stocks and bonds owned by company	5,532,446.00
Expenses in company's office	1,195,907.51
Cash in banks	62,787.67
Interest due and accrued on all stocks and loans	804,084.67
Premiums in due course of collection	4,241.06
Bills receivable, not matured, taken for fire and marine risks	18,090.45
Total assets	\$8,150,666.45
LIABILITIES.	
Losses adjusted and unpaid, losses in process of adjustment or in suspense, losses resisted, including expenses	\$ 390,790.00
Gross premiums on fire risks running 50 per cent or less; reinsurance	2,277,155.42
50 per cent or more; reinsurance	18,090.45
All other liabilities	18,090.50
Total liabilities	\$3,685,035.92
INCOME.	
Net cash actually received for fire premiums	\$5,824,909.33
Received for interest on bonds and mortgages	1,800.00
Received from interest and dividends on bonds, stocks, loans and from all other sources	205,648.25
Received for re-insurance	14,413.02
Received from all other sources	47,864.77
Total income	\$8,094,157.37
EXPENDITURES.	
Net amount paid for fire losses including \$... losses of previous years	\$2,933,120.23
Dividends to stockholders	274,530.00
Paid or allowed for commissions or brokerage	1,120,107.60
Paid for salaries, fees and other charges for officers, clerks, etc.	491,358.33
Paid for State, national and local taxes	143,453.15
All other expenses and expenditures	301,668.44
Total expenditures	\$5,270,177.75
Losses incurred during the year	\$2,933,910.23
RISKS AND PREMIUMS.	
Fire Risks. Premiums.	
Net amount of risks written during the year	\$2,062,949,565 \$7,731,813.69
Net amount of risks expired during the year	1,086,032,453 3,061,294.52
Net amount in force December 31, 1905	1,732,421,465 6,368,482.48
FRANK A. CURBITT, President.	
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