

WILSON SPENDS ELECTION EVE WITH FRIENDS

Democratic Standard Bearer Deals Mainly With New Jersey Affairs

Overflow Crowd at Paterson Fights to Gain Admission to Auditorium

PATERSON, N. J., Nov. 4.—Governor Wilson spent the night before election addressing democratic rallies in Paterson and Passaic, industrial cities of his own state.

An illuminated street parade had stirred the city to a high pitch of excitement and many more persons than could be crowded into the auditorium fought to gain admission.

The applause continued for more than 10 minutes after the nominee appeared on the platform, with his head bearing a large strip of plaster over the scalp wound that he received in an automobile mishap Sunday morning.

"NOT THINKING OF PRESIDENCY" "I am not thinking of the presidency," said Governor Wilson. He dealt mainly with New Jersey affairs, urging support of the democratic congressional and legislative tickets.

"I am here wondering what the state of New Jersey is going to do with herself," he continued. "Suppose I should have the honor, with the support of New Jersey, to go to Washington and there look back on the state I leave and see that the voters of this state have not maintained the things I love and the things I believe in."

"It would be a distressing thing to look back on the state and see many of the things you had hidden me to, strive for, and the things for whom I knew."

SUMMARIZED ISSUES The candidate only summarized the issues of the national campaign. He charged that all the panics of the country were brought about in republican administrations, as a result of our antiquated banking and currency system.

After the Paterson speech the governor was entertained at a local club at dinner. During the dinner Joseph Tumulty, the governor's secretary, arrived with the news that an hour earlier Mrs. Tumulty had presented him a new son.

Wilson to Vote Early PRINCETON, N. J., Nov. 4.—Governor Wilson reached his home here at 11:45 o'clock tonight. He rode in a crowded day coach and many people pressed forward to see him tomorrow.

He forgot his lacerated scalp today and continued with his correspondence. He said he would not be in New York until after the election, but he will be in New York on the day after tomorrow.

Governor Wilson will receive the election returns tomorrow night through the same telegraph instrument that ticked off victory to Grover Cleveland in 1892.

W. J. B. Sure of Victory [Special Dispatch to The Call] LINCOLN, Neb., Nov. 4.—William J. Bryan today gave a resume of the campaign and his forecast of the result of the election Tuesday.

Bryan's statement followed a campaign on his own part behalf of the democratic national ticket that has occupied seven weeks, carrying him through 22 states from California on the west to Delaware on the east, and from North Dakota in the north to Oklahoma in the south.

"As far as I can see, Mr. Wilson's election is not only almost certain, but the probability is that he will not only have a large majority in the electoral college, but a large plurality of the popular vote."

"I expect to see the democratic pluralities outrun the estimates made by the campaign managers. Governor Wilson has made a splendid campaign. He has grown constantly and more than justified the expectations of his friends."

TWO STATES ARE NEEDED TO RATIFY INCOME TAX Notice of Louisiana Vote on Amendment Received WASHINGTON, Nov. 4.—Formal notice of the ratification by Louisiana of the income tax constitutional amendment reached the state department today.

Delaware, Florida, Massachusetts, New Jersey, New Mexico, Pennsylvania, Vermont, Virginia, West Virginia and Wyoming.

Supposed Crazy Man Arrested Jumping two flights in his pajamas, he was escorted to 53 Stockton street and properly dressed on the "California" \$1 a week credit plan.—Adv.

Mrs. Catt Here After Tour Old World's Women Studied



Mrs. Carrie Chapman Catt, suffragist, who is visiting here.

Suffragist Says Fair Sex of Philippines Lead—She Speaks Tonight

By MARY ASHE MILLER

Traveling entirely around the world, Mrs. Carrie Chapman Catt, foremost in the battle for suffrage for 10, these many years, has arrived in San Francisco in time to rejoice with the ardent of the cause who are casting their first presidential ballot today.

Mrs. Catt, president since its organization of the International Woman's Suffrage alliance, arrived yesterday on the Chitro Maru from Japan, and will rest here until Saturday when she will depart for her home in New York.

Within the last year and eight months, Mrs. Catt has made a journey which blends quaint old world conditions of womanhood with all that is newest in the up and doingness of the sex.

She is a most attractive woman, charmingly pretty with wavy gray hair, an exquisite skin and great gray eyes, a gentle well modulated voice and every hallmark of the well bred, well educated woman. She is distinctly one of the type who makes you feel how lucky the suffragists were to have caught her for one of their leaders as she refutes every argument as to the strong minded female.

FOREIGN WOMEN STUDIED This tour of the world was undertaken for a twofold purpose; primarily to find the position of women under the colonial government of virtually all nations, to come home and tell the women of the occidental world of what these conditions were and when necessary seek help to improve them; secondarily, to find wherever existing.

Education BEFORE BALLOT Education is the keynote of all advancement of these native women. "It would be ridiculous to try to arouse these women to the vote," said Mrs. Catt. "We must try in every way to help them by encouragement and the value of our own experiences. We were surprised to find how far some of them had advanced and we found many leaders who will send us reports of their achievements. The results of this trip have been at least 100 per cent more than we had dreamed of accomplishing."

This evening Mrs. Catt will be at the headquarters of the San Francisco Civic center at 220 Post street and will speak for one and a half hours during her sojourn in California, at 8:30 o'clock.

A reception will be given afterwards and the public is invited to attend. Yesterday Mrs. Catt was entertained at luncheon at the Town and Country club by Mrs. James Ellis Tucker, president of the San Francisco center and then taken in a motor trip through the Presidio and the park.

LAUNDRY WORKER HEIR TO \$100,000 OCEANSIDE, Nov. 4.—Pierre Claverie, an Oceanside laundry worker, started for France a week ago to visit his aged mother, and today his friends learned that he has gone to claim an estate of \$110,000 in cash. Besides this, he is named co-heir to a cousin of an estate of \$100,000 cash and property worth \$60,000.

SPANISH ROYAL DOCTOR FINISHES WORK IN U. S. NEW YORK, Nov. 4.—Dr. Vicente Llorente, physician to the Spanish royal household, will sail from New York this week after completing a two month study of methods employed in American institutions for the deaf and dumb. He was sent to this country by the queen of Spain to collect data to use in connection with the bringing up of Prince Don Jaime, the queen's second child, who has been a mute from birth.

COLONEL PUTS FIRE INTO HIS FINAL SPEECH

Answers Eleventh Hour Attack of Corporation Lawyers in Convincing Manner.

OYSTER BAY, N. Y., Nov. 4.—As he began his campaign in Chicago last June, when it became apparent that he probably would take the lead in forming a new party, so Colonel Roosevelt, with the same words, brought the campaign to a close tonight.

"We stand at Armageddon and we battle for the Lord," he said to his old friends and neighbors of Oyster Bay, who gathered in the village playhouse for the final rally before election.

Earlier in the day Colonel Roosevelt escaped injuries in another of the series of mishaps that have befallen him during the campaign, when a platform on which he was seated at Mineola gave way. With the crackling of timber and cries of frightened women and children, the hundred persons on the platform were dropped two feet until the center of the platform touched the ground.

The only damage to Colonel Roosevelt consisted of being splashed with the contents of a pitcher of water. No one was injured.

Eleventh Hour Attack Colonel Roosevelt's remarks were in reply to a statement made today by the four men in rejoinder to his speech in Madison Square Garden Friday night.

Colonel Roosevelt's speech was made in Oyster Bay tonight at the closing rally of the campaign. He said: "I want to speak of certain gentlemen on the other side—Messrs. Root, Milburn, Guthrie and Marshall—who answered my Madison Square Garden speech this afternoon so that, I suppose they thought, could not make any reply to their answer. There is always a presumption against any individual who waits until the afternoon before election to reverse the statement of an opponent."

Colonel Roosevelt said he had been informed that these four men, "in their present position of counsel against the United States," had attacked statements he had made regarding decisions of the New York court of appeals as being contrary to an interpretation of the employers' liability law.

ANSWERS ALL CHARGES He continued: "These big lawyers who are employed by the very corporations that are at fault come to me and say they are defending the law, and that they are defending the law. Defending the law? They are defending a perversion of the law and they themselves have been responsible for that perversion."

And now they are defending the courts. The perversion of justice for which they are themselves responsible, they, the counsel hired by these great corporations, they are the attorneys of the very privileged class, involving an interpretation of the law, they stand for precisely that perversion of justice, that substitution of legalism for justice against which we protest."

Colonel Roosevelt directed these remarks until this afternoon in a statement asserting that Colonel Roosevelt had misstated the law, and the fact that the Philippines were not a subject of appeals in his Madison Square garden speech. One by one the cases which Colonel Roosevelt cited were taken up by the attorneys of the other side, and he was declared to have made pointed.

"The colonel has made so many inaccurate statements calculated to mislead today from Walter L. Cunningham, now in the office of Attorney Green in the Mills building. Detective Sergeant Arthur MacPhee made the arrest on a warrant sworn to by Auditor Ambrose, charging the embezzlement of \$1,500 on a check withheld October 2, Police Judge Weller fixed the bail at \$50,000 bonds or \$25,000 cash."

JAKE RUDOLPH GAINS FREEDOM FROM ASYLUM Former "Lamb" of Chris Buckley Proves Sanity [Special Dispatch to The Call] STOCKTON, Nov. 4.—Jake Rudolph, formerly a San Francisco politician, is a free man today as the result of a writ granted by Judge Norton. Rudolph, 30 years old, was confined in the city jail for more than 30 years and was one of Chris Buckley's leading lambs. Rudolph was sent to the asylum in this city on a charge of suicidal insanity May 5, 1911. Since then he has endeavored by every possible means to gain his freedom. He rapidly won a reputation as a wit, a humorist and gained a hearing. This afternoon Judge Norton declared Rudolph sane.

OPERA SINGER SECURES DIVORCE FROM PRISONER Alma Cunningham Awarded Decree in Capital [Special Dispatch to The Call] SACRAMENTO, Nov. 4.—Alma Krause Cunningham, opera singer and entertainer, secured a final decree of divorce yesterday from Dawson, Yukon territory, for White Horse, where connections will be made with the railroad to Skagway, Alaska. The Vidette has 100 passengers who are on their way to the state to spend the winter. Among the passengers of the Vidette is Dr. Alexander Thompson, Yukon member of the Canadian parliament, who will go to Los Angeles to join his family before proceeding to Ottawa.

GLAVIS' SALARY AGAIN HELD UP BY BOARD [Special Dispatch to The Call] SACRAMENTO, Nov. 4.—The state board of control today formally held up the October salary of Louis R. Glavis, as secretary of the state conservation commission. An explanation is awaited from Glavis of his activity in behalf of certain timber interests in Washington recently, while there ostensibly on behalf of the state of California. This makes the third month Glavis has been refused his pay until he explains.

Cashier Robs Harvester Trust Puts Money in 'Movie' Shows

Mania to Become Great Theater Promoter Ruins Employe

Arrested for the embezzlement of \$84,000, which he used in establishing a string of theaters and moving picture shows in this city and Modesto, also a saloon in Market street, Wallace J. Poland, 27 years of age, cashier of the local branch of the International Harvester company, is lodged in the city prison and has confessed. The case is a remarkable one, for but little of the money was spent in riotous living and the only motive for the embezzlement was a consuming desire on the part of Poland to become a capitalist and head of a "trust."

More than \$50,000 of the \$84,000 was spent in the up-building of a moving picture show and theatrical trust with which Poland aspired to gain a monopoly in the northern half of California.

NEST EGG IS LACKING With all the proclivities of a financial octopus, but without the necessary little golden nest egg with which to start his career in the world of August, Poland sought control of the St. Regis bar, in Market street just below the Flood building.

He had given out in explanation to his wife and friends that he first borrowed money for the Hayes theater, from the success of which he derived sufficient funds to promote his other ventures.

Poland's pecuniary first were discovered last month, when Special Traveling Auditor Aubrey E. Ambrose began auditing the accounts. Traveling Auditor J. C. Lanus later arrived and the two experts uncovered startling discrepancies. The very day they arrived Poland had withheld a \$1,500 check. All funds were held from two accounts and easily tallied up by the experts.

POLAND FRANKLY CONFESSES In making annual statements Poland has resorted to the trick of "hiding checks," thus evading suspicion. The day following the discovery of the shortages Auditor Lanus approached Poland on the subject and Poland frankly confessed, without any show of remorse or any feeling. A few days later he made a detailed confession before officers of the company in the rooms of Judge Milton J. Green of Green, Humphrey & Green, local counsel for the company.

Poland compiled a complete financial statement, showing his pecuniations to amount to \$84,000. He accounted for all of the funds except about \$12,000. He admitted slight gambling, usually winnings, but said that he had lost \$500 at Villa Mateo, the notorious gambling resort, which officially has been "closed" for two years. This play at roulette was last July, according to Poland.

An idea of Poland's aspirations may be obtained from the fact that a few months ago he organized the Poland Theaters company, with a limit capitalization of \$750,000.

DISCUSSES "BUSINESS" CALMLY Throughout daily meetings with Judge Green and the auditors Poland calmly discussed details of his "business investments" with all the deliberation of a business man discussing deals. For the last month, since the discovery of the shortage, Poland had been shadowed by Bureau detectives, and he knew it and was quite friendly with his "shadows." He was arrested at 1 o'clock yesterday while stepping from the office of Attorney Green in the Mills building. Detective Sergeant Arthur MacPhee made the arrest on a warrant sworn to by Auditor Ambrose, charging the embezzlement of \$1,500 on a check withheld October 2, Police Judge Weller fixed the bail at \$50,000 bonds or \$25,000 cash.

POLAND TURNS OVER PROPERTY At the city prison Poland refused to discuss the case and he has retained Attorney H. M. Owens. Poland is married and without children. Mrs. Poland first learned of the pecuniations a week ago, when she discovered that her husband was followed by detec-

MISTRESS OF WHITE HOUSE TO BE CHOSEN

You Hadn't Thought of That, But Nominees' Wives Are Eagerly Waiting

By Margaret Watts de Peyster [Special Dispatch to The Call]

NEW YORK, Nov. 4.—Practically within the limits of New York city or its suburbs three anxious groups of women will hang over the telegraph instruments tomorrow night with more anxiety than even the men of their families, or the big political managers who for weeks have put all the strength of their bodies and minds into the campaign that has just come to a close.

The news to be ticked out tomorrow night not only will tell who is to be president of the United States, but it will tell who will be the next mistress of the White House and while the politicians may have overlooked this phase of the campaign, it is of about as much real importance as the tariff, the trusts and other such things to a pretty large part of the community.

Mrs. Taft and Miss Helen Taft came down from Beverly to be near the center of things and will receive the returns in their apartments at the Manhattan hotel.

At Oyster Bay, Mrs. Roosevelt and Miss Ethel will be part of the family group that will gather about the big bull moose as he reads in the dots and dashes, the story of victory or defeat. Most interest in these notable groups of women is naturally in that at Princeton, because the general opinion is that the eagle of victory is finally to settle over that cottage in Princeton. Moreover, it is remembered that watching presidential election returns is no new thing with the women at Oyster Bay, as the Manhattan hotel, while it has all the sensation of novelty to those at Princeton.



Wallace J. Poland, cashier of the local branch of the Harvester trust, whose accounts are short \$84,000.

She went down to the office of Judge Green and learned the particulars. She asserts that Poland had explained his financial fortunes to her as having borrowed the first money and made big returns on his moving picture show.

Poland has turned all properties over to Judge Green in the interest of the company. The total value of the property is less than \$10,000, showing that Poland had made big losses and that his ideas of finance were not altogether perfect. A review of the pecuniations shows that the smallest amount taken at one time was \$200 in the beginning and the largest amount \$2,000. Poland has been living at 1604 Hyde street.

MOVING PICTURES A MANIA Judge Green issued the following statement yesterday afternoon: "It is a case of a young man possessed of good business attainments and occupying a position of trust, who, with a desire apparently to become a moving picture magnate of the Pacific coast, has misappropriated funds of his employer."

International Harvester company of America, at its branch office in this city, for four years and possessed the implicit confidence of the company.

Upon the arrival of the company auditor in this city about October 1 a shortage was discovered in the company's funds, and such shortage has been admitted by Poland to be true.

The company's representatives have been in daily conference with Poland to ascertain what disposition has been made of the moneys and to endeavor to save what we could out of the various enterprises in which he has been engaged. It has been found that a large portion of this money has been invested by Poland in moving picture theaters, a saloon and in options on property intended to be taken over for theatrical purposes.

NO RIOTOUS LIVING SHOWN Unlike so many similar cases, there is no evidence of the money having been spent in riotous living; he has admitted having lost money at roulette in July last at Villa Mateo, which is said to be a gambling place, and which the public supposed had been closed for the last two years. Poland has lived extravagantly and has been generous in his gifts to members of his family, but generally it appears to be a case of endeavoring to attain sudden riches.

The company will not specially prosecute Poland, but has placed the matter before the district attorney for his advice and action. Judge Green later discussed the details of the case.

Poland, according to his statements to Judge Green and the auditors, statements in a great part corroborated by investigation, has spent a large amount of money on his wife and parents. He sent his parents on an extensive trip east during the early part of the year, and his wife recently returned from a tour of the country.

CAPE HAITIEN, Haiti, Nov. 4.—Monte Christo, on the north coast of the Dominican republic, was attacked by revolutionists. The defenders put up a strong resistance and the fighting was of a desperate nature.

MONTE CRISTO UNDER FIRE OF REVOLUTIONISTS

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