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NEW YORK ELECTION

Newspapers' Forecast Elects Hearst, But McClellan Is Favorite

Tammany's Nominee Backed at Odds of 2-1 to 1 to Win, But the "Yellow" Candidate's Admirers Are Many--Jerome's Victory Conceded on All Sides, Colonization on Tremendous Scale Unearthed--More warrants than Ever Issued.

(From Our Own Correspondent.) New York, Nov. 6.—On the eve of election the situation may be fairly described as chaotic and one guess is probably as good as another. There are men who bet on the Republican candidate, Ivins, getting, of course, five or six to one for their money. Their argument is that Hearst and McClellan will split the Democratic vote that Ivins will split in between them. As a matter of fact, if Ivins got the full Republican vote he would be elected. But he won't. In the first place the organization is not sincere in supporting its candidate. Then many Republicans will vote for McClellan with the idea that it is the only way to beat Hearst.

Also the notion that Hearst will draw only from Tammany is very fallacious. He will get thousands of Republican votes from the same class of men who will change their Tammany allegiance to vote for him. Hearst is hailed as a Demagogue. The Hearst people are extremely confident. The demonstrations for him in the last week have been remarkable. He has been hailed in some quarters as a demagogue. Men have fought fiercely to get a glimpse of him. The other night when he passed down the Bowery through cheering thousands, standing in his carriage bareheaded, the central figure in a lane of red fire, he was acclaimed as the angel who comes to deliver us and many kissed the sleeve of his coat.

This form of "Hearstism" as it has been called, has been most pronounced. Last night Madison Square Garden held perhaps the biggest crowd of its history, and the streets for blocks about were packed that it was only by the energetic work of the mounted police that serious accidents were avoided.

Hearst did not intend to speak at the garden, but the 20,000 persons there wouldn't listen to anything till he appeared. He left the box where he was sitting with his wife, once Millie Wilson, of the Casino chorus, and came to the front of the platform. For twenty minutes there was pandemonium.

Newspapers Concede Hearst's Election. The newspaper canvasses give Hearst a plurality, except the Tribune, which elects Ivins, a forecast not taken seriously. Notwithstanding all this, your correspondent hazards the prediction that a very different story will be revealed when it comes to the actual placing of the ballots. McClellan will probably be elected, although possibly by a greatly reduced plurality. He got 62,000 plurality when he was elected last time and he will do with 20,000 this time.

There are nearly 2,000 election districts in the greater city, so it will be seen that it is pretty close figuring when it comes to a matter of ten votes a district. The election of Jerome seems a reasonable certainty now. The polls open at 10 o'clock in the morning and close at 5. Usually the result is known by 7 o'clock. This year it may possibly be so close that the result may be in doubt very late in the evening. If Hearst is defeated by a small plurality he will undoubtedly contest the election, and raise the cry "counted out!" This may lead to all sorts of trouble. The forecasters at the headquarters of the several majority candidates differ widely as to the vote tomorrow. At Tammany Hall an authoritative announcement was not made, but men who were close to Murphy gave three figures to their friends: McClellan, 230,000; Hearst, 115,000; Ivins, 150,000. It was said, however, that the worst poll against Tammany, taken by Tammany men, showed 230,000 for McClellan, 200,000 for Hearst, and 150,000 for Ivins.

Jerome's Election About Sure. On all sides, even by Tammany Hall, the election of District Attorney Jerome is conceded. At the Hearst headquarters they were not so timid about making forecasts. The Hearst men had all sorts of estimates, the favorite one being 50 per cent. of the total vote for Hearst, with Ivins second and McClellan, third. Shearn they conceded would not run as well as Hearst, but the worst that could happen to him was to run second. While claiming this election there were many regrets that Jerome had not been placed on the ticket with Hearst. At Tammany Hall the whole ticket. At Republican headquarters Ivins got 217,000; Hearst, 204,000, and McClellan, 170,000. Mr. Halpin was of the opinion

NEWFOUNDLAND SENDS PROTEST TO HOME GOVERNMENT

St. John's, Nfld., Nov. 6.—The government of Newfoundland has forwarded to the British cabinet a formal protest against American vessels hiring Newfoundland waters outside the three mile limit, or Canadian ports, to assist in taking her to Newfoundland waters, on the ground that this is an evasion of the letter and the spirit of the treaty of 1818, which excludes the inshore fishery privilege only to actual inhabitants of the United States. The British government has transmitted the protest to Washington.

CIVIL SERVANTS TO PAY FULL FARE

No More Cut Rates When Traveling on Business of the Government

THE BAVARIAN WRECK

Marine Department Has Word That Allan Liner Will Be Floated Tomorrow--Channel More Than Two Miles Wide Where She Went Ashore--Old Documents Transferred to Archives.

Ottawa, Nov. 6.—(Special)—Civil servants traveling on government business will hereafter not avail themselves of cut rates on railways. The Intercolonial and the Canadian Pacific, where it competes with the I. C. R., give a special rate to government employees. Therefore, when going on government business in that part of the country officials have availed themselves of the reduced rate. A circular issued by the deputy ministers does away with this now and orders that the full fare be paid and charged up. The railways are "in" that much. For civil servants going on vacation or on personal business the cheap rates will still be available.

It was stated in the department of marine and fisheries, today, that the Allan liner, which went ashore opposite Grosbeak Island, was removed about Wednesday. The accident is causing much regret among the officers of the department, but the cause is not attributed to any fault of the ship channel. Only recently Hon. Raymond Prefontaine had the route and found the channel in excellent condition.

Channel Two Miles Wide.

The marine officers say that it seems, in spite of every effort for minimizing danger of navigation ships will run ashore, and in most cases at a point of least danger. The channel where the Bavarian was damaged is more than two miles wide. The pilot says that it was on account of one of the buoy lights being out that the accident occurred. In the Canadian archives report just compiled reference is made to the wrecking of the Allan liner, which was carrying 400 volumes of original despatches and the answers to them, dating from 1791, to the archives. These papers were sent by Lord Minto and they are naturally much prized. He also sent a series of despatches relating to Prince Edward Island, Vancouver and British Columbia. A mass of correspondence between the provinces, original instructions from England to government and other records, which these papers are all well preserved and it is quite marvellous how over a century of time could affect them so little.

GALLERY ELECTION PETITION RESULT OF FAMILY QUARREL

Friends of Dr. Guerin Charged with Bringing it on for Revenge--Sensation I Evidence Monopoly.

Montreal, Nov. 6.—(Special)—In the St. Ann's election case today, sensational evidence was given by Patrick Murphy, of the division of the gallery, who said he had been given money by the candidate personally to influence voters by treating them.

EQUITABLE ASSETS CUT DOWN \$15,000,000

Report of New York State Superintendent of Insurance Submitted--That Mysterious Loan.

Buffalo, N. Y., Nov. 6.—A special despatch from New York says: The final report of Francis Hendrick, state superintendent of insurance upon the condition and affairs of the Equitable Life Assurance Society has been published. The report has been made by examiners of the department and is addressed to Superintendent Hendrick. It deals chiefly with the financial condition of the society. In regard to the \$655,000 fund carried by the Equitable in the Mercantile Trust Company the report says that the records of the company at one time to that amount. In these transactions Mr. Hendrick shows that former President James W. Alexander, without the authority of any committee, assumed on behalf of the Equitable Society obligations amounting to more than \$2,000,000 of which the Henry B. Hyde estate, Louis Fitzgerald, Marcellus Harvey and others were personally responsible. Mr. H. Hendrick in his final report makes a reduction in the total amount of the Equitable assets of about \$15,000,000.

ONTARIO COUPLE AGREED ON DEATH BEFORE DISGRACE

Philander Burkholder Killed Wife and Baby, and Then Himself.

Letter of Man to Family Reveals Cause of His Desperate Deed--Declares After Confession Woman Made to Him No Other Course Was Left to Them.

Hamilton, Ont., Nov. 6.—(Special)—Philander Burkholder, the Saftest township farmer, who killed himself after slaying his wife and seven-week-old baby, left a letter explaining the reason for his terrible deed.

The message, which was found in his house, read:—Dear Friends,—I have committed a fearful deed, but it seemed the only way out of a bad job. My wife made me a confession and then we decided rather than disgrace our friends and relations, I was to kill them and myself. It was an awful deed, but I said I thought I could do it. Then followed details as to the manner in which the killing was done. Burkholder concluded: "Good bye, everybody, and tell my poor old mother not to sorrow over it, because God will forgive me under the circumstances. I leave all my property after we are buried to my brother Frank. He is to pay off all my debts and try to pay for the place. Good bye, Frank, and father and mother, for you have taught me the ways of truth and righteousness always."

OTTAWA CITY COUNCIL MADE ILLEGAL GRANT

Money Paid for Expenses of Fire Chief to a Convention Wrong Says Court--Loving Cup for C. W. Spencer.

Ottawa, Nov. 6.—(Special)—Judge O'Meara gave judgment today in the celebrated action of F. W. Forde against the corporation of the city of Ottawa regarding the granting of \$100 to the chief of fire to attend a fire chief's convention at Duluth, giving a verdict against the city, with costs. The judge held that the payment was illegal.

Ex-Alld. Chas. Scrim died at his residence, 175 Argyle avenue, of pleurisy. Mr. Scrim was one of the best known citizens of Ottawa, and was popular with all classes. He was the pioneer florist of Ottawa, having been in business more than twenty-five years. C. W. Spencer, former general superintendent of the C. P. R. at Montreal, and now general manager of Mackenzie & Co., arrived in Ottawa today, and was tonight presented by the telegraph operators and station agents of the C. P. R. between Ottawa and Montreal with a loving cup, upon which is inscribed a telegraph instrument. The presentation took place at the Russell House.

BAVARIAN LIKELY TO STAY ON ROCKS THIS WINTER

Twenty Feet of Water in All Her Compartments--Owners Making Every Effort to Float Steamer.

Quebec, Nov. 6.—(Special)—That the Bavarian will pass the winter on the Bay River is the opinion expressed among shipping men here. She has now twenty feet of water in all her compartments, and the agents of the vessel are still optimistic regarding chances of floating her. One hundred and fifty men are at work lightening the cargo, which includes 10,000 boxes of cheese, 13,000 barrels of apples, and heavy consignments of butter, meat, lard and eggs.

FATALLY INJURED "LOOPING THE GAP"

Columbus, O., Nov. 6.—Luke Howard was fatally injured this afternoon at Sellsville, near Columbus, while "looping the gap" in an automobile this afternoon. The machine had gone safely through its evolutions, then it bounded up after landing and turned over, falling on Howard and breaking his back.

Maine Doctor Killed.

Portland, Me., Nov. 6.—Dr. Frank S. Hamlet, of Gorham, this county, was killed this evening by falling from the roof of his house while cleaning out the gutters. Deceased was a native of Brownville, and completed his education at Bates College. He had been a resident of Cumberland county since 1899, coming to Gorham, and stood very high socially, being a member of the local Masonic lodge. Dr. Hamlet was about forty-five years of age. He is survived by a widow and three children.

Will Send Grain All-Rail Route.

Fort William, Ont., Nov. 6.—(Special)—The C. P. R. is to forward 1,500,000 bushels of grain by all rail route over the close of navigation to relieve eastern terminals.

LUNCHEON WITH THE PRESIDENT

Prince Louis and Nephew Guests at Informal Affair at White House

ADMIRE ROOSEVELT

Much Impressed With Him and Wishes He Might Visit England as Guest of King Edward--Praise the Efficiency of the American Navy--Leaves Washington for Annapolis.

Washington, Nov. 6.—Lunching with the president at the White House, Rear Admiral Prince Louis of Battenberg kept his special train waiting three-quarters of an hour this afternoon while the president engaged him in a long personal conversation. The White House luncheon was not on the programme and was an entirely personal compliment to Prince Louis and his nephew, Prince Alexander, a midshipman on the Drake.

In the morning Prince Louis visited Mount Vernon, making the trip down the Potomac river on the dispatch boat Dolphin, commanded by Commander John Gibbons, who will soon go to the British capital as naval attaché of the American embassy.

Leaving the embassy about 8.30 o'clock the prince, accompanied by his personal staff and Captain Ryan, the naval attaché of the embassy, drove to the Washington navy yard. There he was given a rear admiral's salute of thirteen guns and was welcomed by the commanding officer, Captain Leitzner. On the boat landing to meet him was Mr. Bacon, the assistant secretary of state, and at the gateway to greet him as he came over the side was Commander Gibbons. On board the Dolphin was a party of about fifty, including Rear Admirals Evans and Brownson, Rear Admiral Caproni, and the British naval staff, and the commanding officers of the British squadron.

Flying the pennants of Rear Admiral Prince Louis and Rear Admiral Evans the Dolphin got under way promptly at 9 o'clock. At Mount Vernon the party was met by the superintendent of the grounds, who conducted them through the home of the first president. As they came to the tomb each person bore his head uncovered and reverently stood in silence for a few moments. It was a simple but impressive tribute.

Upon leaving Mount Vernon the prince was presented with an ivy plant, a sprout from the plant which grew about the tomb of Washington. "I shall treasure this as a souvenir of this interesting morning."

Lunched With President.

The prince went first to the British embassy to take leave of the British ambassador and then to the White House, where he was while in Washington, and a few minutes later, accompanied by his nephew, Prince Alexander, went to the White House to dine with the president and his family. The prince was accompanied by his nephew, Prince Alexander, and his wife, Mrs. Roosevelt, at an informal luncheon. Nothing has pleased the two distinguished visitors more than the warm reception which they met from the president and his family this afternoon. The president is sending to King Edward a letter, cordially and kindly, that have been shown us by the president, members of the cabinet and officers of the army and navy. I came to America as the commander of a British squadron, simply to make a friendly visit, and the great cordiality with which we have been received I take not as personal to myself but rather as a compliment to the British navy and as indicating the mutual respect and good-fellowship that exists between the Great Britain and the United States.

High Opinion of Roosevelt.

"As a seaman I was much impressed with the American fleet as it lay at anchor off Annapolis. Its appearance, the smartness of the officers and the discipline of the men, all gave evidence that the vessels were in the highest state of efficiency. And equally impressive was the review of the cadets which showed the thoroughness of their training and the magnificent esprit de corps that prevails there.

"I had long looked forward to knowing the president and he was good enough to give me that opportunity at a dinner at the White House on Saturday. I was greatly impressed with his personality, his intellectual strength, his comprehensive knowledge, his democracy but at the same time his dignity. He looks what he is—the material ruler of a material people, determined, courageous, bold. I am only sorry that I cannot see and know more of an extraordinary man as well as a very charming man.

"The simplicity but at the same time the dignity at the White House was very pleasing. It was exactly the house and the surroundings that one conceives to be in keeping with republican institutions. There was never extravagance nor ostentation, but everything was in such quietude and so perfectly arranged that it was delightful. I shall always remember with pleasure my dinner at the White House and the very interesting conversation I enjoyed with the president.

"This is the first time, I believe, that a British admiral has been received by the president at Washington. I should like to see an American president received by the king in London. Such a meeting would be peculiarly appropriate, as both the king and President Roosevelt have rendered such distinguished services to the cause of the world's peace. I am sure nothing would give greater pleasure to the British people than to welcome the president of the American republic on British soil."

SUSANNA GEARY'S HEAD IDENTIFIED BY MOTHER

Finding of Mrs. Dean, the Nurse, will Complete Clean Up of Suspects.

Police Have a Clue to Woman's Whereabouts and Expect to Get Her Today--Dr. McLeod Not in Boston Yesterday, But His Case will Come Up Friday--Friends Say His Defence will be an Alibi--Grand Jury Will Take Up the Case This Week.

Boston, Nov. 6.—The identification today of the head which was recovered yesterday in a leather bag from the bottom of the harbor as that of Miss Susanna A. Geary, removed all doubt as to her being the victim of the dress suit case tragedy. The mother and sister of the chorus girl, after serving themselves for the ordeal, declared the face to be that of Susie.

The authorities, sure of their ground as far as the identification is concerned, continued today the accumulation of evidence against the four men who are being held for the crime, and also kept up the search for Mrs. S. Dean, for whom a warrant has been granted in connection with the case. It was expected that what material the police had collected would be presented at the initial session of the November grand jury today, but after a consultation with the police officials, District Attorney Sughrue decided to wait a few days. There will be no session of the grand jury until after election day, but possibly the case will be taken up Wednesday. The police are anxious to obtain the extradition of Louis W. Crawford and William Howard, now being held by the New York authorities, and unless an indictment is returned against them in a few days, the authorities will ask for a bench warrant on which to base requisition papers on Governor Douglas.

What new evidence the police may have obtained today they kept carefully concealed. Morris Nathan, the girl's lover, still remained in the hospital, although it was announced that he had sufficiently recovered from the state of collapse which followed his arrest in Pittsburgh, to be arraigned in court. At a late hour tonight it was reported that the police had obtained a clue to the whereabouts of Mrs. Dean, and that her appearance was expected tomorrow. Dr. Percy D. McLeod, of the Back Bay district, who was arrested last Friday night, was not in the city today. He will be arraigned in the municipal court next Friday.

(Boston Herald, Nov. 6.) Dr. Percy D. McLeod, after consultation with his counsel Saturday night, decided to stay at his Back Bay home until the matter is disposed of. There he denied himself yesterday to all except some old patients and some of whom called to express their sympathy. Mr. Innes, on the other hand, had a very busy day of it. His actions would lead to the belief that McLeod intended to make a hard fight for his liberty and his reputation, and while he said last night that he had not told a soul what his defence will be, it is understood that it will be a general denial, setting up that at the time when he is alleged to have been operating on the girl he was engaged elsewhere. This will make it necessary for the state to substantiate the statements of Crawford and Howard, something friends of Dr. McLeod think it will be unable to do. This morning the grand jury will meet to take up the work of the month, and the case will be one of the first reported. It is probable that before noon indictments will be found for the men under arrest in New York, for Dr. McLeod, for Mrs. Mary Dean, alias O'Brien, alias O'Brien, and perhaps for two or three others not yet under arrest or being publicly named.

It is possible that an attempt will be made to indict everybody connected with the Bishop office, including Mrs. Babcock in fact, the statement of the police would indicate as much, but she will make a hard fight. Ten years ago—to be exact, in November of 1896—she was indicted in four secret counts, but the government was unable to convict her. In the present case she feels that its chance of convicting her is even more remote than in the former matter, and that that reason will make a determined fight. Speaking for her last night, a close friend declared she had not the slightest idea of leaving her Newton home because of the case.

POLAND FLIES THE RED FLAG AND DEMANDS HER FREEDOM; CONDITIONS BETTER ELSEWHERE

Reports received from many points indicate that the situation throughout the Russian provinces is improving. The first train out of Odessa since the disorders began arrived yesterday at St. Petersburg, having taken thirteen days to accomplish the journey. The struggle for autonomy in Poland has been revived and flags bearing the Polish coat of arms are flying from many buildings—preliminary to further action. Count Witte is having trouble in organizing his new Cabinet and has taken up his residence in the palace in St. Petersburg, so that he may be at the Emperor's elbow when his majesty returns, which is expected to be very soon.

The text of the imperial manifesto concerning Finland has been made public and has caused great rejoicing in Helsinki and other cities of Finland. Despatches to the London morning papers tell of great distress in Kishineff, in the Caucasus and other places that have been the centres of disorders.

Odessa Threatened With Ruin.

Odessa, Nov. 6, 6.50 p. m.—Fresh disorders were reported at 3 o'clock this evening in the suburb of Dalnia Melitza. Troops have been dispatched there.

The theatre of the town of Akkerman, near Odessa, is in flames. In view of the entire devastation of almost all the Jewish mills, shops and factories, the trade of Odessa is threatened with complete ruin and wholesale bankruptcies are feared, involving the international credit of Russia.

Some of the banks and all the shops have re-opened and the streets are being cleared of debris. It is claimed in some quarters here that estimates higher than 2,000 killed and 5,000 wounded are exaggerations.

Text of Ozar's Finnish Manifesto.

St. Petersburg, Nov. 6.—Following is the text of the imperial manifesto concerning Finland: "By the grace of God, we, Nicholas II, emperor and autocrat of all the Russias, Great Prince of Finland, Grand Duke of Finland, etc., in virtue of the law of the diet of April 23, 1809, command the opening at Helsinki Dec. 20 of an extraordinary diet to consider the following questions: "First—The proposals for the budget of 1907, provisional taxes and a loan for railway construction; "Second—A bill providing by a new fundamental law a parliament for Finland on the basis of universal suffrage with the establishment of the responsibility of the local authorities to the nation's deputies. "Third—Bills granting liberty of the press, of meeting and of unions. "We expect from all an exact execution of our will. (Signed) "NICHOLAS."

Witte's Job a Hard One. St. Petersburg, Nov. 6.—It is announced that Emperor Nicholas and his family will shortly return to the palace at St. Peter-

SAID HUNTERS SHOT CATTLE WITH SALT

S. P. C. A. Secretary Investigates Case in Queens County, But Evidence is Lacking.

A case of alleged cruelty to animals is reported from Queens county. Two cows, the property of Cady Cove, had to be killed because of injuries inflicted, and a third is lame. The story which reached the city was to the effect that some hunters had maliciously shot the animals, using salt instead of shot. Secretary S. M. Wetmore, of the S. P. C. A., was informed by Mr. Corey, who wished him to go to the place to investigate and deal with the matter.

Mr. Wetmore went up river late last week on this mission, and returned yesterday. He told a reporter that he found that there was a lack of incriminating evidence, and expressed his belief that the cattle had not been injured by hunters firing salt at them, as had been charged, but that the cattle had been hurt by getting in one of numerous moose traps which are in that vicinity.