

HUGHES CARRIES N. Y. IN CLOSE FIGHT TAMMANY HALL GOES BACK ON HEARST

THE LATTER ADMITS HIS DEFEAT BY OVER FIFTY THOUSAND PLURALITY

Editor Ahead in Greater New York, But Not Enough to Offset Country.

Moran Loses in Massachusetts—Congress Remains Republican by Good Majority.

New York, N. Y., Nov. 7.—Charles E. Hughes, Republican, has been elected governor of the State of New York by a plurality of 54,000, according to figures available early today. William R. Hearst, his opponent, had a clear plurality in every borough of Greater New York, but Hughes' vote up-state overcame this. Hearst's total plurality in Greater New York, complete, according to unofficial returns early today, was 76,956. Mr. Hearst also polled 641 plurality in two up-state counties. Hughes' plurality up-state, according to the unofficial returns, with 126 districts missing, was 129,516, leaving a total plurality for the Republican candidate of 54,016. The missing districts may vary this general result by a few thousand votes either way.

Hearst Admits Defeat. William R. Hearst received the returns with his family at his home. Up to a late hour, he said, he believed he had been elected. At 7:15 this morning he made a statement in which he admitted defeat, saying that "the people have decided to retain the Republican party in power."

He also said that he was "enlisted in this fight against the control of the Government by the trusts and corrupt corporations, and I will fight it to the end."

The New York American, in an extra edition timed 2 a.m., prints Mr. Hearst's statements in its editorial columns, and in its news columns, says Hughes has been elected by 50,000 plurality.

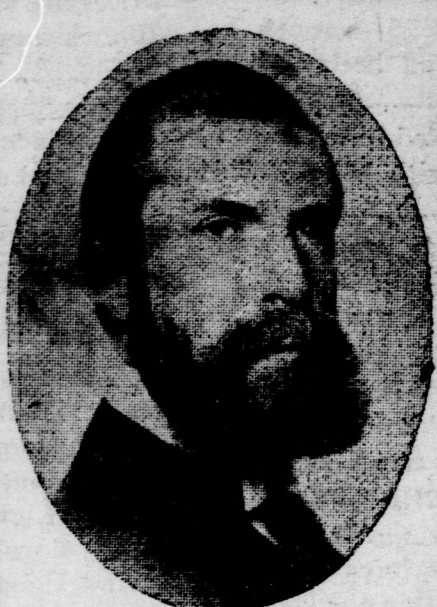
The Rest of the Ticket. The morning of the day after the election found returns in New York State for the ticket below governor anything but complete. The election of Lewis Stuyvesant Chanler, as lieutenant-governor, was claimed by some of the Independence League and Democratic managers, and the rest of the ticket was in doubt. In the work of compiling the returns, the gubernatorial candidates, the lesser offices had been neglected. Split tickets in every county in the state—especially in New York, Kings, Queens and Richmond—made the work of the counters one continuous grind. The straight tickets were the only ones between which the voters had to choose, especially in Greater New York. With dawn the men with pencils were still going over the ballots, not lost in the maze, but dazed by the task.

The vote for lieutenant-governor in Greater New York, with nine districts missing, gave the Independence League and Independence League a plurality of 134,940 over Bruce, Republican.

In the interest which centered about the Hughes-Hearst vote, little notice was given to the judiciary results by the masses last night. The indicated defeat of the judiciary nominators' ticket in this city—the ticket which was named by a committee of lawyers headed by Joseph H. Choate and Alton B. Parker, escaped general attention. As to the legislature, while it is expected, its complexion will not be changed materially, still there were so many interesting contests—more than them three-cornered in the city, that the finals on the returns were awaited for with interest.

For an election in which so much interest was taken, it was a remarkably quiet day about the polling places. The 400 arrests at the polls were more than had been expected. The crowds lingered about the streets and cafes, with horns and other noise producers, until daylight, and only one case of serious trouble was recorded. This was at Forty-second street and Broadway, where a crowd of about 100 persons, some of the police, and before the fight ended several patrolmen were beaten, but not seriously hurt.

Moran Snowed Under. Boston, Mass., Nov. 7.—Complete returns show the plurality of Governor Curtis Guild, jun., Republican, over District Attorney John B. Moran, his Democratic opponent, at 31,862, while Lieutenant-Governor Eben S. Draper, Republican, defeated E. Gerry Brown, (Continued on Page Three.)



CHARLES EVANS HUGHES, Successful Republican Candidate for Governor of New York State.



WILLIAM RANDOLPH HEARST, Millionaire and Editor, the Defeated Democratic Candidate for Governor of New York.

HARRISON—KENT A PRETTY WEDDING

Nuptials of Two Well-Known Young Londoners at St. Paul's.

A very fashionable wedding was celebrated at St. Paul's Cathedral this afternoon at 2:30, when Miss Edna Louise Kent, only daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Malcolm J. Kent, was united in marriage to Mr. George Harrison, formerly of Oxford, England, now of the Canadian Bank of Commerce in this city. The ceremony was conducted by Rev. Canon Dunn.

The bride, who was attired in white duchess satin, trimmed with Brussels lace, and a veil, with orange blossoms, and carried white lilies of the valley and white roses, was supported by Miss Nenone Carling and Miss Marjorie Gibbons, who were dressed in white crepe de chine, with pink velvet hats, and carried pink roses. Miss Ramsay, of Montreal, was the maid of honor. She wore white crepe de chine, with a pink velvet hat, and carried pink roses.

Mr. Victor Kent attended the groom, while the ushers were Messrs. Innes Carling, Ibbotson Leonard, Stratton, and W. Meredith. The groom's present to the bride was a beautiful diamond and pearl pendant. His gifts to the bridesmaids were pearl pins. The other presents, of which the happy couple were the recipients, were very numerous and beautiful, showing the warm place they occupy among their circle of friends in this city.

After the wedding a reception was held at the home of the bride's parents, "Fairlawn."

Mrs. Kent, mother of the bride, wore a gown of lavender eolienne, with old lace trimmings, and a hat to match. Mrs. Gibbons, of Toronto, grandmother of the bride, wore black voile with a heliotrope bonnet.

Mrs. Mara, of Toronto, was attired in heliotrope eolienne with a black hat.

Mrs. Cartwright, of Ottawa, wore gray voile, with white and black plumed hat.

Mrs. Shannon, of Brantford, wore a dress of black voile, with a heliotrope bonnet.

Mrs. R. Sanborn Box, of St. Marys, was attired in an embroidered net gown, with lace trimmings, and a black picture hat.

Miss Cartwright, of Ottawa, wore a white silk gown and an old rose hat.

Miss Cody, of Toronto, who wore a blue crepe de chine dress, with a white hat.

Mr. and Mrs. Harrison will reside in this city after a short honeymoon trip to New York City.

BARNS BURNED. Belleville, Ont., Nov. 7.—The large barn and stables of the Windsor hotel, together with a smaller barn, owned by Mr. Hugh Howie, cheese inspector, were burned early this morning. The fire is believed to have been incendiary. Loss, including the contents of both barns, nearly \$5,000; insured for \$1,500.

NEXT CONGRESS THE REPUBLICANS'

Latest Returns Give Republicans 212 Members and Democrats 155.

Chicago, Ill., Nov. 7.—Revised dispatches to the Associated Press show that with nineteen districts missing the Republicans have elected 212 members of the 60th Congress, and the Democrats 155.

The Democrats made gains in the following states: Illinois 4, Indiana 2, Iowa 1, Missouri 5, Nebraska 1, New York 1, New Jersey, North Carolina 1, Ohio 2, Wisconsin 1, Maryland 1, Pennsylvania 1. The Republicans gained one in Kentucky and one in Maryland.

IN JAIL FOR NON-SUPPORT

Second Charge Preferred By Wife Against Walter Tucker.

At the police court this morning Walter Tucker appeared to answer to a charge of non-support, laid by his wife, and was remanded to jail for one week.

Tucker is a young man who appeared a few months ago on a charge of non-support, and was given another chance, but instead of doing better toward his wife he left town. Nothing was seen of him until yesterday, when he was arrested by a member of the local police force.

One first-time drunk was allowed to go upon promising to refrain from over-indulgence in the future.

DIED IN THE STREET

William Frezell Expired While on His Way to Work.

While on his way to work in St. Thomas, yesterday morning, about 7 o'clock, William Frezell, of 185 Central avenue, dropped dead.

Mr. Frezell was about to step into a rig, when he fell over and expired. A doctor was summoned, and found that death had been due to heart failure.

Mr. Frezell came to this country from Ireland over 50 years ago, and in 1888 settled in London, remaining here until a few days ago, when he went to work in St. Thomas.

The deceased is survived by his wife, five sons—George, of Aylmer; Daniel, of Toronto; Joseph, James and John, of this city—and one daughter, Mary, of this city. Three brothers also survive him. They reside in Ingersoll, Woodstock and Delhi.

The funeral will take place to St. Peter's Cathedral tomorrow morning.

BANK OF ENGLAND RATE

Wall Street Nervous at Report That It Is Going Higher.

New York, N. Y., Nov. 7.—Persistent rumors of an increase in the Bank of England discount rate tomorrow, and general apprehension as to money conditions locally produced a weak opening of the stock market, with severe losses in a number of active issues.

The monetary situation more than nullified the effect of the election, although leading financial interests were pleased at the return of a Republican majority to Congress. Sales for various out-of-town points were reported and the trading element was almost unanimously inclined toward the short side.

FOUND A SKELETON.

Quebec, Que., Nov. 6.—News comes from St. Charles, Bellechasse, of the finding of the skeleton of a man near Lake St. Charles. It is believed the man died ten or twelve years ago.

BOTH CASES TO SPRING ASSIZES

Trials of Lewis and O'Meara Traversed—Bail Increased

NORTHERNERS IN WITNESS BOX

Prosecution's Attempt to Show Several Received Money Fails—Mr. Curry Acts for Mr. Robinette.

[Special to The Advertiser.]

Toronto, Nov. 7.—The cases of Thos. Lewis and John O'Meara, of London, charged with perjury, were traversed by Judge Riddell yesterday afternoon to the spring assizes in Toronto. Both are out on bail, but the securities were increased.

Lewis is held in \$16,000 bail instead of \$10,000. He gave his own bail for \$5,000, and his brother, John Lewis, went bail for the other \$11,000. John O'Meara is out on bail of \$3,000. He is held in his own bail for \$2,000, and Robert McIntyre and John Lewis, of London, going surety for the other \$1,000.

The London election conspiracy case was resumed at 11:25 this morning. Before evidence was taken Mr. Curry announced that he had been retained to act for the defense in Mr. Robinette's case, the latter being H. Mr. Curry also stated that he had instructed Thomas Lewis, who is being kept in court for the purpose of allowing witnesses to identify him, to refuse to answer any questions which might be put to him by the prosecution. Mr. DuVernet and the magistrate agreed that this was only fair.

Philip C. Lewis, of the customs department, London, was the first witness called. Lewis said he took no part in the bye-election of 1905, and had held no envelopes for anybody. "Did you write on any envelopes?" "No."

"Write 'Arthur Redding, 187 Oxford street,' on this paper," said Mr. DuVernet.

Lewis took the paper and was about to write, when Mr. Curry objected. "The witness is entitled to know that he need not write unless he wants to," said Mr. Curry.

Lewis at once objected to writing, and the magistrate asked for Mr. Curry's authority for the objection. It will be produced this afternoon.

Mr. DuVernet then showed Lewis an envelope on which Redding's name was written. Witness denied that it was his writing, and the envelope was placed in the evidence as an exhibit. Lewis said he had not canvassed a voter in years. He had only been in a committee room the night of the election, when he went to learn the returns.

"You never held an envelope for anybody?" "No."

"Did you promise anybody any money?" "No."

Lewis was then allowed to leave the box, but was ordered to remain in court until the point was settled, as to whether he could be compelled to write a name for the prosecution.

Couldn't Identify Pritchett. Brock Cowan, of Brockville, who gave evidence the other day, was called to identify J. G. Pritchett, of London, as the man who gave him bogus ballots to use in the White-Comstock election.

Cowan could not say Pritchett was the man. Neither could he say that Lewis was the man who paid for the work he did at that time.

J. G. Pritchett said Cowan was one of the men he gave the ballots to at Brockville.

Richard Hexter, of London, swore he got no money at the election, nor was he offered any. He knew Mr. Shea. Witness had worked for him.

"Did you get any money at all from Mr. Shea?" "Only for paper-hanging I had done." (Continued on Page Eight.)

THE WEATHER

TOMORROW UNSETTLED.

Toronto, Nov. 6-8 p.m.

Moderate gales are still blowing over the Gulf of St. Lawrence and Maritime Provinces, but the disturbance is dispersing slowly. The weather continues fine and mild from Quebec to the Rocky Mountains, with the exception of a few scattered showers in the Western Provinces.

Minimum and maximum temperatures: Dawson, 4 below-4; Atlin, 12-18; Port Simpson, 38-44; Victoria, 44-46; Vancouver, 42-45; Kamloops, 44-48; Calgary, 22-50; Edmonton, 26-30; Winnipeg, 32-46; Port Arthur, 35-48; Parry Sound, 24-30; Toronto, 28-50; Ottawa, 22-46; Montreal, 38-46; Quebec, 24-42; St. John, 34-42; Halifax, 35-42.

FORECASTS.

Today—Moderate winds; fine and mild. Fair until night, then showers. Detroit, Nov. 7.—Showers today; fair. Thursday—Fresh winds.

Stations.	8 a.m.	Min.	Weather.
Calgary	22	20	Clear
Winnipeg	40	38	Cloudy
Port Arthur	35	40	Main
Parry Sound	30	28	Clear
Toronto	32	28	Clear
Ottawa	30	28	Clear
Montreal	32	30	Fair
Quebec	34	30	Cloudy
Father Point	34	30	Cloudy

WEATHER NOTES

The disturbance over the Maritime Provinces has not moved much, but is gradually dispersing. The weather continues fine and mild in Ontario and Western Quebec, and also in the Western Provinces.

LOCAL REMINDERS.

The highest temperature at the London weather bureau yesterday was 51.5°; low, 27° above.

Serious Charge Against Youthful Night Operator

Alleged to Have Attempted Criminal Assault on Twelve-Year-Old Girl.

Acting on the strength of a telegram received from Wm. E. Cusson, agent of the Grand Trunk at Dorchester Station, Detective Egelton yesterday afternoon placed Elmer Vrooman under arrest in this city. The charge against Vrooman is attempted criminal assault on Jennie Cusson, the 12-year-old daughter of the station agent, who laid the complaint. Vrooman was found at the G. T. R. depot, where it is supposed that he was waiting for a train to take him across the border.

The attempted assault is alleged to have been committed on Monday evening between 8:30 and 9 o'clock. Vrooman has been employed for some time past as night telegraph operator at Dorchester, and he became acquainted with Cusson's family. Monday night, after he had gone on duty, he learned that Cusson's daughter had been sent by her mother to the postoffice, a short distance from the depot, and leaving his place in the station, he is said to have met her on her return and dragged her to a lonely spot near the railway tracks, where he gagged her and attempted the assault. Vrooman finally decamped, and the little girl walked to her home, where she told her mother of what had happened. A search failed to reveal the whereabouts of the night telegraph operator.

Vrooman is supposed to have started immediately for this city, partly to escape the wrath of the neighborhood should the news of his alleged crime spread, and partly to avoid arrest. He walked the entire distance to London, and the first heard of him after he left Dorchester was when he presented himself at Hudson's livery office and wanted to hire a rig. He appeared to be a little excited, and when asked by questions by the attendants at the stable he first told them that he wanted to drive to Dorchester, pretentory to leaving the country, as he had got into a little trouble. He did not give any hint as to the nature of his difficulty. Later he volunteered the information that he was night operator on the Grand Trunk at Dorchester Station, and that as a result of failing to carry out an order he was afraid he had been the means of causing a wreck.

Vrooman secured the rig, and was driven to Dorchester by Edward Barnett. Then he went to his boarding-house, where he obtained a change of clothing and some money, and returned to the city with Barnett. On the way to and from Dorchester, Vrooman repeated to Barnett the story of the failure to carry out his orders, but never once hinted at the real cause of his departure. He paid for the rig before leaving the livery and nothing more was thought of the matter.

Early yesterday morning Mr. Cusson notified the local police of the affair, and Detective Egelton was set to work on the case. He paid a visit to Dorchester and heard the girl's story. In the afternoon, on the strength of the description obtained, he arrested Vrooman at the city depot, and later did not attempt to deny his identity. He was brought before Squire Chittick and remanded until Friday. The accused is about 21 years of age and formerly belonged to Princeton.

RESPONSIBILITY WITH TORIES

Next Move To Uncover Conservative Corruption Rests With the Prosecution.

[Special to The Advertiser.] Toronto, Nov. 7.—Messrs. Wilkie and Godfrey, counsel for the defense in the London conspiracy case, informed The Advertiser that as yet the prosecution had failed to agree to the opening up of the Conservative side of the elections in London, South Ontario, West Elgin and West Huron.

"Do you intend to press the matter?" was asked Mr. Wilkie.

"No," he replied. "Not at present. We are simply leaving matters as they are. We have made a proposal to assist the prosecution to get at the bottom of election corruption. The responsibility now rests with them."

HARD ON THE ROCKS BUT NO SIGN OF CREW

Fourteen Men Have Probably Perished on Norwegian Bark Adeona.

St. John, N. B., Nov. 7.—Word from the scene of the wreck of the Norwegian bark Adeona, off Richibucto Bar, expresses fear that all the crew of the ill-fated vessel have perished. Information is hard to obtain.

Efforts were made to get to the wreck, but no one could get near the vessel. The bark was still holding together, but there was no sign of life aboard, and this is the basis for the fear that the crew of twelve or fourteen men have all been lost, but how it is not explained, unless they were washed overboard by the mountainous seas. The wind is still high and the sea running wild. Efforts to get a lifeboat are being made.

YELLOW HEAD PASS FOR G. T. PACIFIC

Big Road Finds It Best Grade With Which to Surmount the Rockies.

Ottawa, Ont., Nov. 7.—The Grand Trunk Pacific has decided upon the Yellow-Head Pass as the one which it is to use to reach the Pacific Coast. This has been done after careful surveys. The Government will be asked to approve this pass, which will give a grade through the Rocky Mountains of about four-tenths of one per cent.

LOOKS BRIGHT FOR POSTAL CLERKS

Delegation Asks Govt. for Increased Wage and Is Favorably Received.

Ottawa, Ont., Nov. 7.—Adam Zimmerman, M. P., Hamilton, is here today with a delegation representing the clerks in the outside postal service. The delegation comprised J. A. Webber, of Hamilton; D. R. Perault and C. Moore, Montreal; J. S. Boddy, Toronto; E. Chevrier, H. W. Mielix and F. J. A. Lalancette, Ottawa. Mr. Zimmerman, in introducing the delegation to the Postmaster-General, spoke of their faithfulness to duty and the increased cost of living, which necessitated an increase in salaries. All the members of the delegation addressed the minister. Mr. Lemieux, in reply, promised to give their case careful consideration. It looks as if they will not be forgotten when the proper time comes.

THE QUEBEC TERMINALS.

Quebec, Que., Nov. 6.—The members of the Transcontinental railway commission will arrive here tomorrow to meet the members of the committee appointed by the combined railway and steamship interests in this city three weeks ago, and receive the winter's recommendations respecting the proposed Quebec terminals.

M'GILL FACES CHARGE OF THEFT

Ex-Manager of Ontario Bank Before Magistrate.

COURT REFUSES TO TAKE BAIL

Accountant Gives Evidence as to Alleged Speculations and Arrest. Follows.

Toronto, Nov. 7.—Charles McGill, ex-manager of the Ontario Bank, left the city hall last evening a closely-guarded prisoner. As he climbed into the patrol wagon, which had waited an hour to take him to the jail, a wedding party swept by in a score of carriages and the occupants were throwing confetti from the windows. The fortunes of Charles McGill had taken a sudden and unpleasant turn. Only a few minutes before he had been made aware that his liberty would be denied and that he must enter a cell with the charge of "theft" registered against him. Until then the charge had been the somewhat technical one of "preparing false returns," but just before the late adjournment Magistrate Denison ordered a new information laid, and without warning denied bail to the prisoner.

The case had been in progress all day, and Walter R. Chenoweth, who prepared the false statements to the Government, as he smugly under the direction of General Manager McGill, had been some hours on the witness stand.

The feature of the morning's proceedings was the production of an extra securities ledger, which was used by the bank for years in addition to the ordinary securities ledger. In this extra ledger the investment accounts with brokers were shown in detail, and the losses upon the accounts were later transferred to the ordinary securities ledger, and there shown as advances to brokers upon securities, and later produced in the statement to the Government as part of the current loans in Canada.

On Sept. 6 of this year a portion of the losses, representing a sum of \$316,355.51, was placed in the "reserve for loss account," which account was made up of various items. There were other losses that were included in this account, which amounted to exactly the same as the losses charged against it, namely \$316,355.51.

THE STATEMENTS

Thomas Lawson, a clerk in the office of the receiver-general, appeared as the representative of Deputy Minister of Finance Boville. He produced the monthly returns of the Ontario Bank from 1900 to 1906. For this year there were statements up to and including the month of September.

"The September statement would not be evidence against us," interjected Mr. Johnston.

"No; that statement was prepared by the curator," asserted Mr. Bicknell. The statements formally produced, Mr. Johnston began to cross-examine.

Mr. Johnston selected the statement of August, 1906, and prefaced the examination by stating that he admitted the correctness of Mr. McGill's signature. Mr. Lawson said that the form of the monthly statement was prepared from the form contained in the act. The form contained eleven columns for assets, liabilities, and 22 columns to show assets.

Mr. Lawson was not able to throw much light upon the method by which the liabilities and assets were divided. He could not tell what "other assets" not included under other heads meant. In the August statement this amount was \$1,784.

"Possibly postage stamps," suggested the magistrate.

Mr. Lawson thought this suggestion might be correct. He added that the returns were sent into the receiver-general's office, taken to the auditor, and then printed in the Canada Gazette.

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DRANK CARBOLIC ACID

Port Stanley Man, However, Took an Overdose and Will Recover.

An attempt at suicide was made on Monday night by Samuel Martin, a resident of Port Stanley, and for several years the proprietor of the Franklin House at that place.

Martin drank a quantity of carbolic acid, but it is said that he took an overdose, and that this alone is responsible for his recovery. Today he is reported to be able to leave his room, although he is still very weak.

No cause can be assigned for Martin's rash act. He disposed of his hotel at Port Stanley two years ago, since which time he has been living retired. He has a wife and two grown-up children.

ALLEGED FAULTY MEASURE

A Windsor Concern Said To Be Using the American Standard.

Windsor, Nov. 7.—W. J. Hayward, of London, inspector of weights and measures for the Government, is taking action against the Windsor Herpicide Company for the use of alleged faulty measures. It is alleged the company is using the American standard of measure instead of the Canadian, the difference being 30 ounces to the gallon. The case will come up before Magistrate Bartlett.

GREAT FIRE AT HAMILTON, OHIO LARGE BUSINESS SECTION SWIFT

Many Big Concerns Destroyed and Loss Will Be in Millions.

Hamilton, O., Nov. 7.—The most destructive fire in the history of this city broke out this morning in the dry-goods store of C. D. Mathes & Co., on High street. The flames were communicated to the dry-goods store of Holbrook & Co., and both stores were

destroyed. The loss upon the building is estimated at \$150,000, and that upon the stores at \$250,000.

The flames leaped across the alley to the building occupied by the T. V. Howell & Sons' Dry-goods Company and the Second National Bank. Both will be destroyed. Later the fire spread east and west on High street toward Second and Third streets, and many buildings in the path of the flames were destroyed. Assistance was summoned from Cincinnati and Dayton. It was estimated early today that the loss might reach \$1,000,000.

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