

# WHAT ALL THE WORLD IS DOING

Trend of Civilization in All Lines From Week to Week

## POLITICS and GOVERNMENT

### General.

#### The President's Acknowledgment.

As soon as the election returns surely indicated the result President Roosevelt summoned the correspondents into his room at the White House and dictated the following statement:

"I am deeply sensible of the honor done me by the American people in thus expressing their confidence in what I have done and have tried to do. I appreciate to the full the solemn responsibility this confidence imposes upon me, and I shall do all that in my power lies not to forfeit it. On the fourth of March next I shall have served three and one-half years, and this three and one-half years constitutes my first term. The wise custom which limits the president to two terms regards the substance and not the form. Under no circumstances will I be a candidate for or accept another nomination."

Answering a telegram of congratulation from Chairman Cortelyou of the national committee, the president expressed his appreciation of the chairman's management of the campaign. More than 10,000 messages of congratulation have reached the president, including the rulers and statesmen of Europe as well as the leading citizens of America. Among them was the following from Alton B. Parker:

"The people by their votes have emphatically approved your administration, and I congratulate you."

The president replied as follows:

"I thank you for your congratulations."

#### Judge Parker's Afterthought.

In an open letter "to the Democracy of the nation," given to the press on the day after election, Mr. Parker thanks those in charge of his campaign and expresses his belief that the people will soon realize that "the tariffed trusts are absorbing the wealth of the nation." He declares his purpose never to seek a nomination for public office, but promises to work in the ranks for ultimate Democratic harmony and success. In his opinion the great moral question is, "Shall the trusts and corporations be prevented from contributing money to control or to aid in controlling elections?" He charges his defeat in a measure to the large army of Republican officeholders in every northern, western and eastern state. It is understood that Mr. Parker will resume the practice of law at New York.

#### Principal Election Features.

Missouri.—For the first time since the war this rock ribbed Democratic state has toppled into the Republican column by from 10,000 to 15,000 plurality for Roosevelt, while at the same time the awakened conscience of the state elected Folk (Dem.) governor by an indicated majority of 50,000. Legislature Republican.

Massachusetts.—Organized labor in this state is credited with electing the Democratic candidate for governor, William L. Douglas, the millionaire Brockton shoe manufacturer, by a plurality of over 30,000. The labor element had been incensed by Governor Bates' veto of the overtime bill to prevent women and children from working in factories after 6 at night. This diversion, however, did not affect the national canvass, Roosevelt's plurality being about 100,000 and the legislature Republican, as usual.

Rhode Island.—Back in the Republican column, Utter defeating Garvin by 594 votes and Roosevelt winning by 15,000.

Wisconsin.—Governor La Follette was elected by an estimated plurality of 50,000 and Roosevelt electors by more than 60,000. The La Follette faction controls the legislature, which will choose a successor to Quarles. This means also that Wisconsin will have a primary election law.

Maryland.—At this writing it appears that Maryland's electoral vote will be divided.

West Virginia.—In this the home state of Candidate Davis a Republican plurality of over 25,000 was indicated. Dawson (Rep.) elected governor and a Republican majority in the legislature.

Colorado.—Here the result was close and at first disputed, but later Governor Peabody himself conceded his defeat by Adams with a plurality of about 10,000. Both sides claim the legislature. Peabody attributes his defeat to his policy in the mining strike.

Nebraska.—In Bryan's state Roosevelt received over 80,000 plurality, and McKey (Rep.) is elected governor by a close majority. Watson polled a large vote.

Delaware.—Interest here centered in the legislature, where the Republican factions have a substantial majority, but with the supporters of Addicks for senator still short of a majority.

Nevada.—The Republicans appeared to have the state by 2,000.

New York.—The Empire State, which Democrats had professed to regard as

doubtful, gave Roosevelt 174,000 plurality, or 31,000 more than McKinley's in 1900. This wave carried Higgins into the governorship by over 75,000, although the betting odds had favored Herrick.

Indiana.—Unofficial returns gave Roosevelt over 60,000 plurality.

#### The Sure States.

All the rest of the northern and western states went Republican as expected, but with unexpected majorities, Pennsylvania heading the list with the unprecedented plurality of 494,525, said to be the largest vote every given a presidential candidate in any state. Philadelphia gave Roosevelt 227,693 out of 280,713 votes. Other pluralities were: Ohio, 259,000; Illinois, 200,000; California, 115,000; Washington, 70,000; Connecticut, 30,000; Michigan, 125,000; Iowa, 150,000; the Dakotas, 16,000; Minnesota, 90,000; New Jersey, 55,000, and the New England states about as usual. Roosevelt's total plurality in the country has reached at this writing 2,062,426. Governor Toole (Dem.) of Montana was re-elected by 5,000, but all other offices and the legislature are Republican and Roosevelt gets over 7,000. All the southern states except Missouri remained in the Democratic column. The electoral vote stood 343 for Roosevelt to 133 for Parker.

#### Socialist Gains.

The vote for Debs (Socialist) showed surprising growth in the country, and especially in the middle west, where in some places it ran neck and neck with the Parker vote. In Illinois the Socialists estimate their vote at 75,000 and in Chicago at 45,000. This state heads the list, New York taking second rank, with over 40,000 Socialist votes. The gain of this party in the country since 1900 is over 400 per cent, the total vote probably exceeding 500,000.

#### Increased Congress Majority.

The elections for members of the house of representatives showed Republican gains in nearly every state except those of the solid south. Even the chairman of the Democratic congressional committee, Mr. Cowherd of Missouri, lost his seat. On the other hand, that of Chairman Babcock, in Wisconsin, is still in doubt at this writing. Unofficial returns indicate a Republican majority of 108. Although Senator Cockrell of Missouri will lose his seat after a service of thirty years, the Republican majority in the senate is likely to remain unchanged.

#### Bryan Again in Front.

Without affirming or denying the stories about his conferring with Hearst and Watson to reorganize the Democracy, W. J. Bryan says the defeat of his party was in no sense personal to Judge Parker. With great unctious he adds, "Surely silver cannot be blamed for this defeat." He declares the result was due to the fact that the Democratic party "attempted to be conservative in the presence of conditions which demand radical remedies." He thinks the campaign shows that "it is expedient from the standpoint of policy, as it is wrong from the standpoint of principle, to attempt any conciliation of the industrial and financial despots who gradually are getting control of the avenues of wealth." To win in 1908, Mr. Bryan says, the Democrats must break away from the conservatism which has failed of its purpose and again stand for liberal policies, such as smaller army, income tax, bimetallism and the curbing of trusts. He reasons that the trusts cannot be fought successfully by any party that depends upon trust funds. He suggests "death to every private monopoly" as the party slogan. State ownership of railroads and the postal telegraph system are among the reforms he will seek.

#### Debs on Socialist Gains.

Eugene V. Debs, the Socialist candidate, in a statement made at his home in Terre Haute, Ind., says that the tremendous increase in the Socialist vote this year means that the working class is waking up to the necessity of independent political action. From this time forward he thinks its growth will

be rapid and permanent without fusion or compromise. He believes that organized labor will soon vote, as it strikes, to make the 25,000,000 wage-workers "the masters of the machinery of production." He thinks that the "trustification" of industry will now go forward more swiftly than ever, thus paving the way for "the collective possession of it when the working class comes in control of the government." With the Republican party in absolute control he figures a heavy reckoning of disappointment in the next four years. Factiously he remarks that we shall now see President Roosevelt draw the fangs of the trusts and wave the wand of prosperity in the face of the impending industrial depression.

### Foreign.

#### Italian Conservatives Gain.

General elections for the members of the Italian chamber, which occurred Nov. 6, resulted in an increase for the Conservative or Ministerial party. The power of the extreme parties was lessened. All the members of the cabinet were re-elected, and likewise the leaders of the Constitutional and Socialistic parties.

#### More Mobilization Riots.

In spite of press censorship Berlin papers continue to receive reports of serious resistance in Poland and other provinces of south Russia to the compulsory enlistment of soldiers for the eastern war. At Czesochowa, Russian Poland, the regular soldiers were ordered to fire upon a procession of men opposed to the war, the flag bearer and five others being killed and twenty injured. Similar uprisings are reported from Kaner and Rodomsk.

#### Cuban Congress Reconvened.

The winter session of congress opened at Havana Nov. 7, and it was expected that the Nationalists would abandon their obstruction policy. President Palma submitted the budget for next year, amounting to \$19,000,000, of which \$2,500,000 is for new roads and bridges.

#### Wants to Parley on Tibet.

The Chinese government has requested Great Britain to name a meeting place for a commission representing both countries to consider the Anglo-Tibetan treaty signed at Lassa in September.

### Executive.

#### To Standardize Whisky.

The department of agriculture under the law to establish food standard of purity has decided to begin extensive experiments for the standardizing of whisky. Samples from about 100 houses and from many hotels and saloons over the country have been ordered for examination. Distillers, rectifiers and consumers will be heard. Chief Chemist Wiley insists that Dr. H. W. Wiley, all whiskeys should bear a label stating their composition. So far the standardizing committee has acted on meats, butter, cheese, spices and sugar.

#### Another Battleship Ready.

In the presence of a distinguished company of naval officers and state officials of New Jersey and Massachusetts the cruiser New Jersey was launched Nov. 10 from the shipyards of the Fore River Shipbuilding company at Quincy, Mass.

#### Wireless Forest Protection.

A system of wireless telegraph fire alarms is to be tried for the protection of the national park reserves under the direction of the secretary of agriculture. It will be tried first in the Black Hills reservation, and the alarm will be communicated automatically as the wireless circuit comes in contact with flames or excessive heat.

### Japs In Port Arthur Will Talk Peace

Fleeting visions of what must be happening every day in that inferno, the Russian fortress and city of Port Arthur, have roused again the conscience of civilization for permitting the continuance of the eastern war. Lord Lansdowne voiced England's plea for arbitration in his lord mayor's address last week, and the triumph of President Roosevelt, it was hoped, would justify him in taking an initiative with Germany, France and England to second the motion.

Just as these peace overtures were in the air and while the Japanese besiegers were expected almost hourly to enter Port Arthur either by a last bloody assault or by the surrender of the Russian garrison Baron Hayashi, the Japanese ambassador at London, said, "After the fall of Port Arthur Japan would, I believe, be ready to treat for peace on no higher essential basis than that Russia should evacuate Manchuria, Japan also agreeing to a similar evacuation."

The opposing armies in Manchuria remained face to face along the Sha river, with a frontage of eighty miles, the outposts so close that the men could banter each other and exchanged luxuries, while the artillery kept up desultory firing. Each army was crouched as for a leap at the other's throat.

It was denied that all the Russian ships had been destroyed by the Japanese fire. Three hospital ships were reported sunk in the harbor with all on board, being hit by shells. General Stoessel was said to have asked for a truce to bury the dead. The fear of a massacre by the victorious and resentful Japanese caused him to consider a surrender.

### In Jungle Society.



Monkey (as Policeman Lobster gets him)—Cheese it, fellers! I'm pinched.—New York American.

### In Doubt.

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