

# PARTY HAS WEST

## Republican Poll Is Very Gratifying.

## ROOSEVELT FAST GAINING

## Visit of Taggart to Illinois Causes No Concern.

## REAL WORK NEXT MONTH

## Both Parties Will Endeavor to Get Out the Vote as Never Before—New Campaign Documents Put into Circulation.

POLITICS OF CONGRESSMEN.	
Following is the present political complexion of Congress:	
Republicans	210
Democrats	118
Union Labor party	2
Vacancies	2
Total	332

CHICAGO, Sept. 20.—(Special.)—The sentiment of the West is overwhelmingly Republican, according to preliminary reports from state polls which have been going on all over the country for a month. This announcement was made today by managers at the National Republican Headquarters. The reports also show that the minds of the voters are already made up to an unusual degree. This fact is ascribed largely to the fact that labor unions and similar organizations and the free rural-mail delivery have done much to educate the people in the last four years.

While the Republican managers are inclined to view the political situation with confidence, they say there may be a whirlwind campaign in October, and that both Republicans and Democrats will work to get out the vote on election day as they never worked before.

"The sentiment in favor of President Roosevelt and a continuance of Republican policies is evident," said Chairman West today. "The real work of the campaign will come when we get to the point where the vote must be gotten out. We feel confident because we are fighting all along the line, overlooking no opportunities, and we believe we will come as near getting out our vote as anybody. The poll in many counties in Illinois has been completed."

Roosevelt Gaining Fast in Kansas. At the National Headquarters today W. R. Hobbs, chairman of the State Committee of Kansas, reported that half the canvass of that state had been completed and said that the returns showed that Roosevelt would beat the McKinley majority of 2,000 in 1900. The returns show a substantial gain all along the line and the Democrats are making a hard fight in the state at that.

The Illinois committee is watching closely all signs of Democratic activity. They assert that the visit of National Chairman Taggart will not result in any great impact in the campaign at this time. In fact, the Republican State Committee is reserving its powder for October, it is asserted. A poll of Chicago will not be taken until after October 1, at which time, it is believed, the voters will have made up their minds definitely.

The Eastern headquarters of the Republican National Committee has put into circulation two new campaign documents. One contains elaborate quotations from President Roosevelt on all phases of Irish questions and upon Irishmen in general. The other document is the speech of acceptance in pamphlet form. Large quantities of both documents are being scattered broadcast.

## URGES REPUBLICANS TO WORK

### Babcock Quoted as Saying Hard Fight Is Necessary.

WASHINGTON, D. C., Sept. 20.—(Special.)—A special issue of the Post from New York quotes Chairman Babcock, of the Republican Congressional Committee, as saying:

"As matters now stand we are likely to lose the House of Representatives."

This statement was not made for the purpose of scaring funds out of reluctant campaign contributors, but was an estimate of the situation after a calm survey. Representative Sherman, of New York, and Lodenlager, of New Jersey, united with the chairman in saying the Republicans would lose the House unless they inaugurate an active campaign at once and fight for every district in which there is a chance of winning.

"If the Democrats carry 15 districts, which are now represented by Republicans, they will wipe out our majority in the House entirely," added Babcock. "Without regard to the campaign work to be done by either party, the chances favor the Democrats. With election held right now we would probably elect Roosevelt and lose the House. The Democratic majority in the House means that they would be able to dictate legislation to a large extent."

"I feel confident we can carry the House, but it can be done only by an unusually active campaign in every doubtful district."

## TAGGART IS VERY HOPEFUL.

### He Believes Indiana Will Go Democratic and Has Hope in Wisconsin.

NEW YORK, Sept. 20.—Thomas Taggart, chairman of the Democratic National Committee, arrived in New York tonight from Indianapolis after a week's absence. He said:

"I have had a most enjoyable time and not only have worked, but have had the satisfaction to receive the most positive assurance of victory throughout the Middle West." He added: "The Democrats are working hard, harder in fact than they have worked in years, and nothing but victory can be seen. Indiana will go Democratic, and I am assured that Wisconsin will fall into line, and of course New York will go for Parker and Davis."

"Will National headquarters be estab-

lished in the West?" Mr. Taggart was asked. "Of that I cannot speak as yet. I will know more about it later."

Senators George of Maryland, also arrived here tonight.

## COLORADO OFFICE SEEKS MAN

### Democrats Not Out for Governorship Are Most Frequently Mentioned.

DENVER, Colo., Sept. 20.—The Democratic State Convention will meet in this city tomorrow to select a full state ticket and five Presidential electors. Contrary to the usual conditions, the names of those who are most inactive in pursuit of the gubernatorial nomination are most frequently mentioned as having the favor of the delegates. It is even asserted that Charles J. Hughes, Jr., of Denver, a leading attorney who has never authoritatively announced that he is a candidate for the office, could be nominated on the first ballot, if he would express a desire to be chosen.

Agua, ex-Governor Alva Adams, of Pueblo, who has given out a statement and reiterated in an address before the Pueblo County convention that under no circumstances would he allow his name to be placed before the convention, has been endorsed by the Pueblo convention, and the delegation has been instructed to vote for him for Governor.

Of the remaining five or six men mentioned for the nomination, it is believed that with Hughes and Adams set aside, ex-Congressman John F. Shafer, of Denver, and State Senator Edward P. Taylor, of Glenwood, would lead the race.

Taylor has announced his candidacy, and is making an active campaign for the nomination. He claims to have most of the delegates from the Western slope pledged to vote for him, although it is admitted Shafer is strong in that section of the state. The latter is not making an open fight and is, perhaps, the most likely dark horse of any in the list.

For all the remaining positions on the ticket, there are from three to six candidates, with the exception of Secretary of State. For that place the only aspirant seems to be Horace W. Havens, of Leadville, who has been strongly endorsed by several delegations.

Two candidates for Congress will be named tomorrow, one for the First District and another at large. It is almost certain that Clay B. Whitford, of Denver, will get the former nomination. State Senator Charles B. Ward, of Boulder, is the only man seriously talked of for Congress at-large.

The fact that 18 of the 37 State Senators will retire and their places be filled this Fall is having considerable influence in the molding of candidates. The desire to retain control of the upper branch of the State Legislature in the interest of candidates for United States Senator, a vacancy in which body will be filled two years hence, has caused much pressure to be brought to bear upon certain men to seek reelection as State Senators and forego their personal ambitions for higher office. The platform adopted tomorrow will deal unflinchingly with the so-called "law and order" policy of Governor Peabody, nominee for reelection on the Republican ticket.

## LETTER OF ACCEPTANCE OUT

### Populist Nominee for Vice-President Discusses Party's Aims.

LINCOLN, Neb., Sept. 20.—Thomas H. Tibbles, nominee of the People's party for Vice-President, mailed his letter of acceptance today to the Hon. S. W. Williams, chairman of the notification committee. The letter in part was as follows:

"We look forward with confidence to the coming of the time, not far in the distance, when the principles of the People's party shall guide the rulers of the Nation. The adherents of the People's party come from all classes wherever a man is found who loves mankind and believes that governments are instituted among men, not for the purpose of enabling a few to gather gold and pile it up mountains high, but for the purpose of advancing the human race, bringing gladness to the hearts of all the people, enabling them through the development of the mind to enjoy the delights of the intellectual world and lay up treasures that all the cycles of time cannot corrode."

"To this work more than a million men have consecrated themselves. They are found among the wealthy and in the ranks of the proletariat, among the professional classes and among the wage-earners, wherever a heart yearns to see mountains and valleys, our cities and plains inhabited by a people whose heads are clear, whose hearts are loving and whose hands are adapted to all things useful."

## Populists Expect Gains.

JOLIET, Ill., Sept. 20.—The National Populist Committee announces that it will have Presidential electors for Watson and Tibbles in every state in the Union, with the possible exception of two. The committee hopes to build up sufficient strength at this election to make petitions unnecessary four years hence.

## New Hampshire Republicans.

CONCORD, N. H., Sept. 20.—John McLean, of Milford, was nominated for Governor by the Republican state convention here today. Candidates for Presidential electors were also chosen. There were no other nominations, a suit state officers except Governor are appointive.

## KAISER WILL NOT ATTEND.

### Bismarck's Wish That Funeral Be Private Will Be Respected.

BERLIN, Sept. 20.—As Prince Bismarck desired that his funeral should be private, Emperor William will not attend. Surprise is expressed that the Emperor's message of sympathy has not been published.

The body of the Prince lies in the room in which that of his father lay. Princess Bismarck is 38 years old today, and her eldest son, Otto, will be 7 years old on Saturday.

A bitter fight is expected over the late Prince's Reichstag seat. The Socialists of the district at the last election cast 810 votes.

## Orioff Has Not Ended Life.

ST. PETERSBURG, Sept. 20.—The report circulated in certain quarters that Major-General Orioff, who had been held responsible for General Kuro-pakin's retirement from Liao Yang, owing to Orioff's failure to obey orders, has committed suicide, is absolutely denied.

## Bad Blood

Pimples, rashes, eczema, boils, headache, nervousness, debility—these are some of the results of impure blood. Medical authorities agree that impure blood can be made pure and rich. Your doctor will tell you about Ayer's Sarsaparilla. *ALL DRUGGISTS.*

Bad blood follows constipation, and constipation follows a sluggish liver. Ayer's Pills are liver pills. They produce natural daily movements in a natural way.

J. C. AYER CO., Lowell, Mass.

## WORSE THAN FIRE

### Fairbanks So Regards Democratic Policies.

## PARTY IS EVER SHIFTING

### Senator Tells Baltimore Her Losses From Big Blaze Were Not as Great as Those Resulting From Election of '92.

BALTIMORE, Sept. 20.—Senator Charles W. Fairbanks was the chief speaker at a Republican mass meeting held in this city tonight, the event being the formal opening of the Republican campaign in Maryland. Senator Fairbanks was escorted from Wilmington to Baltimore by a committee of leading Republicans. At the Hotel Rennett a reception was held.

In his speech, Senator Fairbanks declared the losses of Baltimore in the conflagration of this year were not so large as those sustained by the city during the last Democratic Administration as a result of the temporary overthrow of Republican principles. He declared that during the Cleveland Administration business in this and other leading cities was checked, payrolls were reduced and the wage rate diminished. On the subject of protection, he said:

"The Republican protective system is in issue in the pending campaign. The Democratic party, true to its traditional policy of hostility to it, has declared protection to be 'robbery.' Its triumph would be a direct and positive blow to the protective system which has so splendidly vindicated itself."

"The overthrow of Republican policies today must bring similar results to those that followed their overthrow in 1862. Strike down the protective system today, and we will eat the bread of repentance tomorrow."

"A restoration of Democratic policies and Democratic Administration does not mean that your business establishments will be reduced to ashes as they were a few months ago, but it means to touch the nerves of your industries with paralysis. It means loss of revenue, loss of opportunity in which merchants, manufacturers and workmen must all share in some degree for an indefinite period."

"Let us not forget that a revolution in our economic policies means a revolution in our industrial and commercial conditions. We cannot undermine the foundation upon which the structure rests without putting it in peril."

## Party Continually Shifting.

"The instability of the Democratic party during the last few years gives no ground for confidence in its capacity to administer the great affairs of the Government. It is continually shifting its issues. It has been grasping to a blind effort to seize hold of some issue which would restore it to power. Its paramount issue of today is abandoned tomorrow. It has seemed to lack confidence in itself."

"We should understand that a party is not fit to administer the mighty affairs of this Government which does not advocate rational policies, policies which are founded upon principles of sound economy and which does not persevere in them. We want to enter upon no experiments in Government. They are fraught with peril. They lay the foundation of uncertainty, and uncertainty breeds commercial disorders."

The Senator defended the course of President Roosevelt toward Panama, declaring that "had it not been for the President's timely act, the construction of the canal would have been postponed for years."

"The country's sound monetary system," he maintained, had been established "through the genius the courage and wisdom of the Republican party."

Senator Fairbanks spent the night in Baltimore. At noon tomorrow, he will leave for Reading, Pa., at which place he will deliver a speech tomorrow night.

## Call to Bryan Democrats.

OMAHA, Sept. 20.—Petitions are being circulated in this state calling on all Bryan Democrats who "decline to follow Parker into Wall street" to meet in convention in October and endorse Watson and Tibbles. The call refers to the St. Louis convention as the "abortion of July 6."

"Ever hear of a man that didn't kick about the Swannaker's bills?" "Adam."—Detroit Free Press.

## Hood's Pills

Do not gripe nor irritate the alimentary canal. They act gently yet promptly, cleanse effectually and

## Give Comfort

Sold by all druggists. 25 cents.

White pepper is black with its coat off; different flavor, of course. There is little demand for it; costs too much. There is only one mill in the world; Schilling's Best is its finest product. [There's another way of getting the coat off; rotting it off. That's cheaper. Need we mention it?]

Moneyback everything always and everywhere.

## Tutt's Pills

### Cure All Liver Ills.

### A Strong Fortification.

Fortify the body against disease by Tutt's Liver Pills, an absolute cure for sick headache, dyspepsia, sour stomach, malaria, constipation, jaundice, biliousness and all kindred troubles. "The Fly-Wheel of Life"

Dr. Tutt; Your Liver Pills are the fly-wheel of life. I shall ever be grateful for the accident that brought them to my notice. I feel as if I had a new lease of life.

Fairleigh, Platte Cannon, Col. Tutt's Liver Pills

Portland's Foremost Store

*Olds, Wortman & King*

The "Different Store"

## Special Store Bulletin, Wednesday, September 21

Announcing Olds, Wortman & King's 27th Grand Annual Autumn Opening Expositions for 1904, TODAY AND TOMORROW, September 21 and 22

The formal opening of FALL AND WINTER Seasons' showings of COSTUMES, WRAPS, SUITS, EVENING WAISTS, SKIRTS, Etc., and the

## GRAND AUTUMN EXPOSE OF MAGNIFICENT MILLINERY

The immense Grand Salons on the second floor are entirely given over to the Surpassing Style Shows. Magnificent settings and bewildering artistic decorations, symbolic of the Autumn Season, present a marvelously beautiful, fascinating and intensely interesting kaleidoscopic panorama, that has Autumn as its theme, and emphasizes with enthusiastic ardor, the incomparable, stupendous and magnificent displays of all that's latest and newest from Fashionland. Autumn's authoritative styles, a masterly expose that proves more vividly than ever the absolute dictatorship of the Olds, Wortman & King store as style arbiters among Western stores.

See the Window Displays!  
See the Store Decorations!  
See the Wonderful Merchandise Shows!  
Listen to the melodious strains of the Concerted Orchestra.

New Gowns and Wraps will vie with the latest conceptions of the World's most famous Milliners in Europe and America. A BATTLE ROYAL OF FASHIONS

Brown's Full Military Orchestra  
Will discourse Popular Selections from 2 to 5 P. M. each day.



## An Olds, Wortman & King Autumn Opening Feature



### \$650.00 FOR THIS TROUSSEAU

We herewith reproduce a likeness—photo by Moore—of a model posed especially for The Oregonian at the grand Salons of Dress at Portland's "Style Store"—Olds, Wortman & King. This magnificent costume and outfit form a leading feature among the thousands to be shown at the formal Autumn openings of this foremost among Portland stores, today and tomorrow, when the authoritative style season will really start. Portland woman-folk await these openings here as Chicago's women wait that of Marshall Field. The costume above is a magnificent replica of the Court costume of the times of Louis XVI; of pompadour crepe material with trimmings of real Renaissance lace, a superb evening costume, valued at \$350.00. The hat, stole and muff are valued at \$300, making the superb outfit approximate the figure above named—\$650.00.

This set is of Marabout feathers principally, imported from Paris. The large picture hat is of whirl-pool plush with real Valenciennes lace, Marabout and ostrich feather trimmings. The stole and muff are covered in Marabout feathers, edged with plaited Mousseline and rows of real Valenciennes lace. This beautiful trousseau may be viewed in one of the Olds, Wortman & King windows—on corner of Fifth and Washington streets—and is worth going to view. The opening displays in the windows surpass anything ever before attempted in the city.

## Monster and Magnificent Grand Opening Showings Today of the Newest and Latest Authoritative Styles in

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| <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Silks and Dress Stuffs,</li> <li>Linens,</li> <li>Flannels,</li> <li>Domestics,</li> <li>Underwear,</li> <li>Hosiery,</li> <li>Men's Furnishings,</li> <li>Ladies' Neckwear,</li> <li>Millinery,</li> <li>French Lingerie and Undermuslins,</li> <li>Art Goods,</li> <li>House Furnishings,</li> <li>Bric-a-Brac,</li> <li>Rugs,</li> <li>Go-Carts for Baby,</li> </ul> | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Leather Goods,</li> <li>Laces,</li> <li>Gloves,</li> <li>Ribbons,</li> <li>Embroideries,</li> <li>Umbrellas,</li> <li>Jewelry,</li> <li>Toilet Articles,</li> <li>Shoes for the Family,</li> <li>Women's Apparel,</li> <li>Infants' Wear,</li> <li>Corsets,</li> <li>Stoves and Heaters,</li> <li>Curtains,</li> <li>Carpets,</li> <li>Beds and Bedding,</li> <li>Waistings,</li> </ul> | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Table Napery,</li> <li>Bedspreads,</li> <li>Dressmakers' Supplies,</li> <li>Stationery,</li> <li>Veilings,</li> <li>Boas,</li> <li>Children's Waists,</li> <li>Children's Caps,</li> <li>Petticoats,</li> <li>Crockery, Glass and Silverware,</li> <li>Kitchenware,</li> <li>Draperies,</li> <li>Curtain and Drapery Goods,</li> <li>Blankets, Comforts, Etc.</li> </ul> |
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#### Panama Canal Model Voting Contest

The interest is strengthening wonderfully. Don't lose a day; don't waste a ballot. See that your friends vote your way—or get them to give you their ballots. A vote goes with every 25c purchase. Voting closes Wednesday, November 23, at 6 P. M. For the present, on account of the pressure of advertising matter—this store is so full of good things—we shall only publish the names of the ten schools having the highest vote at the time of counting.

THE VOTE AT 5 P. M. YESTERDAY:

St. Mary's Academy	5328
High	5222
Atkinson	5083
Harrison	5222
Park	5242
Falling	5241
Williams Avenue	5230
Clinton Kelly	5257
Highland	5254
Central	5066
Total votes	57,877

All on Dress Parade Today—Biggest Assortment in the City—Fairest Prices on the Pacific Slope. Our sales-people are ready to show buyers and lookers alike through the lines. BROWN'S MILITARY ORCHESTRA OF 10 PIECES will discourse popular selections from 2 to 5 P. M.

## WELCOME! All Promenade Through