

## HEARST QUOTES PARTY FATHERS

### Equal Opportunity Against Privilege.

### HIS LETTER OF ACCEPTANCE

### Aims to Dethrone Bosses and Corporation Men.

### RID PARTY OF PLUTOCRACY

Democratic Candidate Admits Democracy Needs Purging—Proposes Direct Nomination and Will Enforce Eight-Hour Law.

ELMIRA, N. Y., Oct. 12.—William Randolph Hearst today formally accepted the Democratic nomination for Governor of New York State in a letter addressed to W. J. Conners, chairman of the Democratic state committee, and made public here late this afternoon. The letter says in part:

"I accept the nomination of the Democratic party, bearing in mind the record of that great party in the past, and knowing that the membership of the party is determined still to be ruled by the principles of Jefferson and Jackson for the best interests of the whole citizenship, rather than for the selfish interests of any party, class or individual seeking for special privileges.

#### Corporations Control Democracy.

"It cannot be denied that certain individuals and classes have at times secured control of the machinery of the Democratic party and attempted to use it for their own personal or class profit. The duty of true Democrats is to deprive of all authority with the party those who represent only special interests and who seek to promote such interests at the expense of the general welfare.

"The Democratic convention at Buffalo did this thing in a most conspicuous and effective manner. Democrats, so-called, but seeking after special privileges in reality, were driven over into the Republican party, where those of their class flourish.

#### Privilege Versus Equal Chance.

"The line is now clearly drawn between special privilege on one hand and equal opportunity on the other. The Democratic party, purged in this state of corporation control and pledged to end the boss control through which corporations act, now has an opportunity to serve the people as efficiently as it did in the times of Jefferson and Jackson. To serve the people and the party today as in the days of Jefferson and Jackson, it is only necessary to be sincerely Democratic and loyal to Democratic principles.

"The attitude that the Democracy should take toward great capitalistic organizations now is precisely that of Jackson toward the United States Bank, which appeared as a menace in his day.

"The property rights of every man and of every organization of every kind must be respected, but today, as in the days of Jackson, it is necessary to declare that no power shall rise up greater than the Government or menacing to the Government.

"The Democrats of today must declare and they must mean that no matter how great the wealth of individuals or corporations, that wealth must not be an irresponsible, dominating power in government.

#### Election and Labor Laws.

"The people beyond any question demand open primaries and the passage of direct nomination laws to bring the Government directly under the control of the people.

"The enforcement of the eight-hour day in Government work, the enforcement of the law concerning the prevailing rate of wages is demanded by the people, and it is demanded by Democratic principles as old as the Declaration of Independence.

"Democracy speaks also in denunciation of the Chinese labor menace, which now revived because of the introduction on a large scale of Chinese labor in Panama. The suggestion to introduce into this country and to employ by the taxpayers of this country a people of low intelligence and still lower morals is an attack upon the welfare, moral and material progress of the American citizens.

#### Rid Government of Plutocracy.

"I accept the nomination of the Democracy, as I recall the great names from Jefferson to Tilden which the party has honored and that have honored the party. I accept the nomination gladly, realizing the opportunity for useful work which is offered today to all of those that may be elected to office as servants of the people and anxious to deserve the confidence of the people.

"I promise faithfully, if elected, to do all that I can as a citizen of the United States in office to realize and apply the great principles of the Democratic party. And I pledge myself to work with others to rid the Democratic party, and so far as possible, all branches of Government of that plutocracy trust element that seeks to rule both parties and to destroy the Democratic party utterly."

Before a large audience, Mr. Hearst spoke this evening in the Lyceum Theater, and then left for Ithaca, where he was scheduled to speak tonight. The theater where tonight's meeting

was held had been engaged and billed for a musical comedy tonight, but Mr. Hearst bought out the comedy company's claim, paying, it is said, a bonus of \$200. The theater was packed to suffocation half an hour before the time of the meeting, and a large crowd filled the streets in front and on the side of the theater.

A feature of tonight's speech was what most of his hearers took to be a repudiation of the support of ex-Mayor Van Wyck of New York City, when he said: "I do not want the support of any so-called Mayor." Hearst applause greeted this reply, as did also his declaration that "if any lackey of the trusts has not yet departed from our purified party, let him speak up, and I will help him to go speedily, if not gracefully."

### NEVER EMPLOYED CHINESE

Hearst Offers \$1000 to Charity for Proof to Contrary.

ITHACA, N. Y., Oct. 12.—W. R. Hearst and his party reached Ithaca by special train from Elmira tonight at 10:45 o'clock. In spite of the lateness of the hour, the Lyceum was crowded, and Mr. Hearst's



Kaiser Wilhelm II of Germany.

speech was frequently interrupted by applause.

An article published this morning in the Elmira Advertiser (Republican), in which, under a California date, doubt was cast upon Mr. Hearst's repeated denials of employment by him of Chinese labor, called forth the following telegram from Mr. Hearst to the Elmira Advertiser, sent from here tonight:

"I had the pleasure today of contributing to your local charity, the Home for the Aged, in a small way. I would like to contribute in a larger way and I will give \$1000 to the charity, so far as the truth of your statement that I employ Chinese labor, or that I own, directly or indirectly, through any Hearst estate or in any way any property at Ithaca, Cal., or any other property on which Chinese labor is employed.

### TAKES UP HEARST CHALLENGE

#### Elmira Paper Ready to Prove He Employs Chinese.

ELMIRA, N. Y., Oct. 12.—On the receipt of W. R. Hearst's dispatch tonight from Ithaca, offering to pay \$1000 to the Home for the Aged, if the Advertiser will prove its charges that Chinese labor is employed on Hearst's estates in California, the Advertiser will announce in its issue tomorrow that it accepts the challenge and will submit the evidence in the case to the chief judge of the Court of Appeals of New York, to the chief judge of California, and to President of the United States Cleveland.

### FOUR PARTIES FILE TICKETS

#### Lawyers Nominate for Judges—More Time for Independents.

NEW YORK, Oct. 12.—As the state election laws require that all party nominations be filed before tomorrow, October 13, the office of the board of elections was kept open tonight until midnight. The Democratic, Republican, Prohibition and Socialist parties filed full party tickets. The judiciary nominators, a non-partisan body, composed mainly of members of the New York city bar, also filed a list of candidates for the Supreme Court, Justiceship, first judicial department, surrogate, city judge and judge of the Court of General Sessions.

The Independence League, the Socialist Labor party, the Social Democrats and other independent political organizations which nominate by petition have until next Wednesday, October 17, to file lists of nominees.

### LOS ANGELES EXTENDING

#### Election to Determine If San Pedro and Wilmington Be Taken In.

LOS ANGELES, Oct. 12.—A project to make of Los Angeles a seaport in reality bore fruit today when the City Council at a special session, coincidentally with a petition signed by 780 voters, called the election to determine, so far as the municipality is concerned, whether Los Angeles, San Pedro and Wilmington shall be consolidated. The election will be held November 15.

If consolidation carries the present area of Los Angeles will be enlarged by a tract of eight square miles adjoining the southern boundary of the city and the city will have municipal control of the Government harbor at San Pedro and Wilmington associated frontage.

#### Safeguarding the Ballots.

ALBANY, N. Y., Oct. 12.—State Superintendent of Insurance Kelsey has completed arrangements with the Mutual Life of New York and the New York Life for the co-operation by the insurance department in the receipt and safe custody of ballots for directors returned to the respective companies from which policyholders from October 18 until the ballots are delivered to inspectors of elections, December 18, 1906.

#### King Haakon to Visit Pope.

ROME, Oct. 13.—(Special.)—Arrangements are being made for a visit by King Haakon of Norway to the Pope. The programme is being pushed by a Norwegian prelate attached to the papal household. The plans have been kept secret thus far, lest it be given political significance.

## PLOT TO DESTROY KAISER'S POWER

### Motive for Publishing State Secrets.

### HOSTILE CLIQUE AT HIS COURT

### Many Leading Men of Germany Oppose Him.

### UPHOLD VON HOHENLOHE

Even William's Own Secret Agents Involved—He May Publish Own Version of Quarrel With Bismarck to Turn Tide.

BERLIN, Oct. 12.—(Special.)—"Is the publication of Prince Von Hohenlohe's diary detailing the relations of Prince Bismarck and Emperor William part of a plot by the Kaiser's enemies to undermine his influence and crush the autocratic power he has wielded since the overthrow of the first Chancellor?"

That such is the case is the widespread opinion of disinterested persons who have analyzed the incident which is now convulsing the country and which may be truly described as the paramount sensation of the decade in Germany. Upon no other grounds can the political experts account for the relentless exposure of the younger Von Hohenlohe in exposing to the world such objectionable chapters in the Fatherland's innermost history.

#### Tide Turns Against Kaiser.

Public sentiment, which earlier in the week was inclined to the view that the Kaiser had emerged from the incident with credit, has veered in the other direction in consequence of the publication of fuller details and especially of the quotation of the Kaiser's assertion that he might possibly look Bismarck up in the fortress of Spandau. This of itself was enough to reverse the tide and turn it in favor of the Iron Chancellor.

#### Clique Undermines William.

It has been known for some months that the Kaiser has been combated by one of the most powerful and influential cliques that ever undertook court intrigue. It includes a brilliant array of princes, grand dukes, generals, admirals and editors, who among them have contrived to sow dissatisfaction on an unprecedented scale in all classes of society with Emperor William's methods of government. It was these "pestilences" the Kaiser had in mind in his Breslau speech in September, when he advised them to get out and stay out of Germany.

With the intricate system of secret intelligence wherewith the Kaiser is surrounded, it is almost inconceivable that he could have been kept in ignorance of the approach of the Von Hohenlohe publication and thus deprived of an opportunity to stop it. This, it is surmised, could not have been done without the direct conniv-

ance of some of his entourage with the elements that are seeking to injure him.

#### May Publish His Own Story.

The war for supremacy may thus be said to have only begun. The Kaiser is a resourceful fighter and will not easily be worsted. Today it is officially announced that he has for years been compiling his own account of his feud with Prince Bismarck. If he finds that the trend of opinion is running too strongly against him in consequence of the events of the past 48 hours, Emperor William may do some revealing on his own account.

The third volume of Bismarck's own memoirs is locked up in the vaults of the Bank of England with instructions that it shall not be published in the lifetime of the Kaiser.

### STOPS PANIC WITH FISTS

Ready Policeman Puts Theater Audience to Work Quenching Fire.

CHICAGO, Oct. 12.—(Special.)—While a company of firemen fought a stubborn blaze in the topmost of the three galleries a large audience upon the lower floor of the Haymarket Theater listened calmly tonight to a series of popular airs by the orchestra and watched the vaudeville turns upon the stage until the curtain fell at the close of the regular programme.

There was a small panic in the gallery when the fire started. Special Policeman Charles Withhold ended it by knocking down two of the worst frightened individuals and organized a bucket brigade among the others, which kept the flames down until the firemen arrived. The throng in the auditorium was startled for a few moments by the commotion, but settled back in its seats when the manager explained that there was no danger and that the performance would not be interrupted. The fire started from crossed electric wires. The damage was not heavy.

### WILL REBUILD VALPARAISO

#### Chilean Congress, City and Property-Owners Will Combine.

SANTIAGO, Chile, Oct. 12.—In his message to Congress today, President Montt proposed a bill to provide for the reconstruction of the buildings, etc., in the Alameda district of Valparaiso, which were destroyed by the recent earthquake. According to this bill, the Government will contribute \$7,000,000 gold, while the remainder of the sum required will be found by the municipality of Valparaiso and the owners of property destroyed. The Alameda district is to be rebuilt on an entirely new plan.

#### Chile Will Borrow \$25,000,000.

SANTIAGO DE CHILE, Oct. 12.—The Chilean Congress, at its coming session will discuss a project to raise a loan of \$25,000,000 to be devoted to the work of reconstructing the public buildings, etc., destroyed by the recent earthquake.

### RUGBY PLAYER IS KILLED

#### Toronto University Student Suspected to Have Been Kicked in Head.

TORONTO, Ont., Oct. 12.—W. Glynn Ellis, aged 21, of Toronto, fourth year modern history man at Toronto University and manager of the third Rugby team last year, died tonight from injuries received in a practice football game on the variety field Wednesday afternoon. He walked home after the game and no serious results were looked for until today, when he suddenly collapsed. It is believed he was kicked in the head.

#### Schiff Coming to the Coast.

CHICAGO, Oct. 12.—A party of New York financiers, headed by M. L. Schiff, of Kuhn, Loeb & Company, spent today in Chicago. Mr. Schiff stated that he and his companions are bound for the Pacific Coast on a pleasure trip. It is understood they will inspect various railroad properties on the way.

## GREAT LOCK-OUT NEAR IN CHICAGO

### Wrangle Between Unions the Cause.

### ALL BUILDING MAY BE TIED UP

### Contractors Threaten to Resort to Open Shop.

### AFFECTS 50,000 WORKMEN

Strikes of Unions Against One Another May Ruin Contractors and Abrogation of Closed-Shop Contracts Is Remedy Proposed.

CHICAGO, Oct. 12.—(Special.)—Owing to quarrels among labor unions, whereby contractors are the chief losers, Chicago is facing the probability of a great lock-out in the building trades similar to that of 1900. Disgusted by the constant bickering among the different unions, all of which have been granted their demands, the contractors threaten to abrogate all contracts for the closed shop.

Here is the situation in a nutshell: The new Marshall Field & Company building, a two million dollar structure, is tied up because of a quarrel over the question of jurisdiction between the Plumbers' and Steamfitters' Unions. A heating plant was being installed. The plumbers decried the work and the steamfitters struck. Then, to conserve peace, the contractor decided to abandon the installation of the plant, whereupon the steamfitters struck. Then work was resumed and an effort made to divide the work between the disputing unions. Then both struck and called out the other trades. Thus the contractor is facing ruin, no matter what he does.

#### Contractors and Unions Confer.

One of the most important conferences of labor leaders with representatives of organized building contractors since the historic stagnation of the building industry six years ago was called last night in the rooms of the Building Contractors' Council in the Chamber of Commerce building. Those in attendance representing the employers were: President William O'Brien, of the Contractors' Council; Superintendent Graham, for D. H. Burnham & Co., contracting architects for the Marshall Field & Co. building; and the new Commercial National Bank building. Representatives of a dozen organizations of contractors affiliated with the General Council, like the Master Steamfitters' Association and that of the Master Plumbers' Association, were represented.

For the building trades unions there were Martin B. (Skinny) Madden, president of the Associated Building Trades, and subcommittees from each of the 37 different local unions of the general body. Recent alliances, which were disclosed as existing between Shea, president of the International Brotherhood of Teamsters, and Madden's or-

ganization, and between Shea and the Bricklayers & Stone Masons' Union, tended to show that lines had been drawn by the building trades and teamsters to wreak vengeance upon certain labor unions unfriendly to the allies, and the employers became alarmed.

#### Threat of Open Shop.

As soon as the shut-down order went out, tying up the Field building construction today, plans were set on foot by employers to have a definite understanding with the men in control of the various unions with which the several contractors' associations have made agreements. It was plainly intimated that, unless the leaders could devise some way of settling inter-union disputes in the future and particularly the one between plumbers and steamfitters, contracts now existing, which bind employers to closed shop rules and the eight-hour day for 50,000 organized building craftsmen would be declared invalid.

Since the close of the building trades



John Barrett of Oregon, who will be appointed Ambassador to Brazil or Vice-Governor of Philippine Islands.

lockout six years ago every contract made with the exception of the painters, provides against sympathetic strikes. In the present dispute there is no question of wages involved.

### RUNAWAY ON STEEP GRADE

#### Four-Horse Team Whirled Coach to Boulder-Filled Creek Bed.

GROSVILLE, Cal., Oct. 12.—Three passengers were badly injured, one of them perhaps fatally, in a runaway today of the four-horse team attached to the stage running between Maroline and Lakeview, in Modoc County. The horses became unmanageable on a steep grade and ran at great speed into the dry bed of Thomas Creek. The stage was demolished on boulders and the passengers thrown out. Thomas Flukes was so badly injured that it is believed he cannot survive. C. Henderson and H. McCall were severely hurt and Miss Flukes, F. Flukes, W. H. Dick and Albert Olsen badly bruised.

#### Life Is Cheap for Automaniacs.

NANCY, France, Oct. 12.—The chauffeur of the automobile of the Duke of Montpensier, who ran over and killed a railroad workman near this city yesterday, was today sentenced to two months' imprisonment and to pay a fine of \$130. The Duke was not prosecuted.

#### Root's New York Itinerary.

NEW YORK, Oct. 12.—Secretary of State Root will make at least three speeches in the New York State campaign, it was announced at the Republican State Headquarters today.

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## JOHN BARRETT TO GET PROMOTION

### Chosen for One of Two High Positions.

### MAY BE AMBASSADOR TO RIO

### Also Recommended for Vice-Governor at Manila.

### WINS ROOT'S GOOD OPINION

If He Does Not Succeed Griscoom at Rio, When Meyer Enters Cabinet, He May Help to Govern the Philippines.

OREGONIAN NEWS BUREAU, Washington, Oct. 12.—John Barrett, now minister to Colombia, is in line for early promotion and probably will succeed Lloyd Griscoom as Ambassador to Brazil with headquarters at Rio Janeiro. If this change is made Mr. Barrett will be promoted from \$10,000 to \$12,000. Mr. Griscoom, it is arranged, shall succeed George L. Von Meyer at St. Petersburg when the latter is brought to Washington to enter the Cabinet. This change is expected to take place some time during the coming session of Congress, probably in February.

There is a possibility, but not a probability, that Barrett, instead of being transferred to Brazil, may take Mr. Magoon's place as Vice-Governor of the Philippine Islands. It has been decided that the office cannot be held open until Mr. Magoon concludes his duties in Cuba, and Mr. Barrett is one of the men being considered to fill this important position. Secretary Root is understood to look favorably upon the Oregon man in this connection, but no selection will be made until Secretary Taft returns one week hence. Then the President, Mr. Root and Mr. Taft will make the choice. President Roosevelt and Mr. Root are both very favorably impressed with Mr. Barrett's work in the diplomatic service, and since his return from South and Central America Mr. Root comments more favorably than ever before on his efficiency. It seems almost certain that if Mr. Barrett does not go to the Philippines he will be promoted to the Brazilian diplomatic post.

#### Captain Bradley to Vancouver.

OREGONIAN NEWS BUREAU, Washington, Oct. 12.—Captain John J. Bradley, Fourteenth Infantry, is detailed as acting Judge-Advocate of the Department of the Columbia.

Frank H. Lee has been appointed regular and Tracy Cox substitute rural carrier, of Route 4, at Palouse, Wash.

### ALL RIGHTS SAFEGUARDED

#### Insurance Superintendent Assures Policy-Holders' Committee.

NEW YORK, Oct. 12.—Otto Kelsey, State Superintendent of Insurance, in reply to a telegram received by him recently by the International Policyholders' Committee of the New York and the Mutual Life Insurance Companies, regarding the protest of James H. McIntosh, general counsel of the New York Life Insurance Company against the international committee sending out ballots for the election of directors in advance of October 15, said tonight that the rights of all persons were protected under the statutes, and no policyholder need fear disfranchisement. The statute does not fix a date when voting shall commence.

### MAKE IT HOT FOR LEOPOLD

#### Belgian Socialist Leader Threatens Exposure About Congoland.

BRUSSELS, Oct. 12.—(Special.)—The Belgian policy in the Congo Free State is to be the subject of a furious attack by Emile Vandervelde, the Socialist leader, as soon as Parliament sits next week, and claims to have evidence of more frightful atrocities than have hitherto been hinted at, and promises to stir up a scandal which will convulse Europe.

The Socialist leader will also accuse the multi-millionaire employers of provoking the lock-out at Verviers, which has caused fearful sufferings among the poor. An agitation is to be started, too, in favor of emigration.

### SOCORRO HAS NEW SHOCK

#### New Mexican Town Rocks for Ten Consecutive Minutes.

ALBUQUERQUE, N. M., Oct. 12.—The most severe earthquake shock in months was felt at Socorro, N. M., at 1:45 o'clock this afternoon. It is said that shocks were felt continuously for ten minutes. At the same time all the shocks were experienced at Belen and Albuquerque. No damage has been reported.

### WILL RESIST TO THE LIMIT

#### Newfoundland Cabinet Decides to Fight Fishery Agreement.

ST. JOHN'S, N. F., Oct. 12.—The Colonial Cabinet, at its meeting last night, decided, it is understood, to resist to the fullest possible extent the enforcement of the modus vivendi arrived at by the British and the American governments.

HOW IS HE GOING TO LAY IN HIS WINTER'S SUPPLY OF FUEL?

CORD WOOD \$4.50 PER CORD (UNSAWED)

SLAB WOOD \$2.50 PER CORD (UNSAWED)

COAL \$8.50 PER TON

MY INCOME