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DOUBLE 1904 VOTE

Socialists Claim Final Figures Will Show Big Result.

FALLING OFF APPARENT

Party Leaders Confident Total Will Show Nearly 1,000,000 Votes Cast for Debs Party.

NEW YORK, Nov. 5.—Undaunted by figures from the West showing a heavy falling off in the Socialist vote in supposed Socialist strongholds, state headquarters of the party in New York reiterated today that when all returns are in it will be shown that the total vote is double or almost double that of 1904, which was 492,000.

In 1904, with the Independence League in the field, it dropped to 217,121. Generally speaking, the up-state Socialist vote showed a falling off in the cities and increases in the small towns. Few complete returns by counties had been compiled, but the Socialists cited the case of Schenectady where the vote this year for Debs was 1290 as compared with 517 in 1904. Considerable increases were shown in Chautauque County, where Dunkirk gave Debs 263 votes as compared with only 19 four years ago.

In Greater New York, according to the Socialist daily paper of this city, Debs polled a total of 25,361, a gain of only \$47 over 1904. This figure is behind the vote cast for Hilgen, the Independence party candidate, who received 27,279 in Greater New York. In like manner Shearn, the Independence party candidate for Governor, leads Washop, Socialist candidate in Greater New York by 24,176 to 23,414. Debs ran several thousand ahead of Washop throughout the state.

SOCIALIST VOTE FALLS OFF

Debs' Party Receives Little Support in Election.

CHICAGO, Nov. 5.—The Socialist vote in Tuesday's election showed a great falling off from the record in 1904 in the three principal cities of the country in which Socialists thronged. Chicago Socialists who polled 45,000 votes in 1904 were given less than 14,000 votes in the returns, and the more sanguine do not expect that the totals will exceed 20,000 votes for Mr. Debs. Cincinnati and Cleveland, also listed as strong Socialist centers, according to the leaders of the party, polled a greatly decreased vote.

ACTUAL GAIN MADE, SAYS DEBS

Heavy Vote in 1904 Attributed to Disgruntled Democrats.

TERRA HAUTE, Ind., Nov. 5.—E. V. Debs, defeated candidate for the Presidency on the Socialist ticket, today made the following statement concerning the Socialist vote: "The so-called falling off was not a falling off. I attribute the vote falling short of the expected mark to the fact that an unusually large vote was cast

for the Socialist candidate in 1904. Then there were a great many disgruntled Democrats who were charmed because Parker was nominated, and they voted with the Socialists. This year they went back to the Democratic party and voted for Bryan. I count that we have made a gain in the actual Socialist vote."

Heavy Gain in Milwaukee.

MILWAUKEE, Nov. 5.—The total vote of Wisconsin will not be known for some days. Aside from the two leading parties the Socialist-Democrats showed the greatest strength. In Milwaukee County that party's vote ranged from 18,350 to 19,900 votes, which is a gain over four years ago of 3000 and over two years ago of 1000. The Prohibitionists polled 1227 for Chafin and 1532 for Cox for Governor in Milwaukee County, a slight gain over the last vote. The Independence party did not have a ticket in the state.

Vote Doubles in Oklahoma.

GUTHRIE, Okla., Nov. 5.—The Socialist vote in Oklahoma will aggregate 2300, double that of last year. The Independence Party vote appears to have been very light.

Socialists Hold Their Own.

RENO, Nev., Nov. 5.—The Socialist vote in Nevada, based on returns already received, will be about the same as that cast in 1904.

DECLARES EXTRA DIVIDEND

Northern Pacific's Coal Company Divides Its Surplus.

NEW YORK, Nov. 5.—The directors of the Northwestern Improvement Company, the stock of which is owned by the Northern Pacific road, today declared an extra dividend of \$11.25 a share on the stock of the Northern Pacific Railway Company. The dividend was ordered paid out of the accumulated surplus of the Northwestern Improvement Company.

The Northwestern Improvement Company owns timber land and operates coal mines in Montana and Washington. The sum required to pay the dividend declared today constitutes a large part of the improvement company's surplus. The company has a capital stock of \$2,785,000, and is authorized to issue bonds to the amount of \$7,900,000.

Tariff Hearings Next Week.

AUBURN, N. Y., Nov. 5.—Serenio E. Payne, chairman of the committee on ways and means of the House of Representatives, has issued the following call for tariff hearings, to be held at Washington: November 9, Chemicals, oils and paints; November 12, spirits, wines and other beverages; November 13, tobacco and manufactures thereof; November 16, sugar, glucose and manufactures thereof; November 18, agricultural products and provisions; November 20, wood and manufactures thereof; November 21, pulp, paper and books; November 22, earthenware and glassware; November 23, metals and their manufactures; November 25, sundries; November 30, flax, hemp and jute and their manufactures; December 1, cotton manufactures and silk and silk goods; December 2, wool and its manufactures; December 4, miscellaneous matters. Persons desiring to be heard should apply to William K. Payne, the clerk, previous to the day set for the hearing.

Argue Bill of Exceptions.

SAN FRANCISCO, Nov. 5.—The bill of exceptions in the appeal of E. E. Perrine and John A. Benson, convicted of conspiring to defraud the Government out of 5000 acres of public land, and sentenced to one year in jail and to pay a fine of \$2000, is being argued in the United States Circuit Court of Appeals today.

Morse Shows Disappointment.

A stifling sob of relief escaped Mrs. Curtis as she heard the recommendation for mercy for her husband. Frank took the verdict like a stoic, but Morse was unable to conceal his disappointment, while his wife showed no signs of emotion. She kept her eyes on her husband, forgetting herself.

Sir Robert Bond Leads.

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TRIAL JURY CHOSEN

Time Consumed New Record in Criminal Cases.

THREE MONTHS ARE USED

Cost of Selecting Men \$5000. Transcript Covers 5000 Pages, Including 1,375,000 Words. 1400 Venemen Examined.

SAN FRANCISCO, Nov. 5.—The taking of testimony in the third trial of Abraham Ruef, former political boss of this city, on one of the several cases of bribery indictments against him, will be commenced before Superior Judge Lawlor tomorrow.

After ten weeks' work, during which time more than 1600 veniremen were summoned, a new record in criminal cases, the twelfth man to complete the jury, was secured and sworn in today.

Jury Completed.

The jury as accepted is as follows: John Anderson, bulldozer; William S. Harrison, merchant; Timothy Sullivan, contractor; John Reuther, butcher; Alexander Bond, real estate; Charles A. Ezzell, retired; William J. O'Leary, no business; Dennis Murphy, retired; George M. Shilling, manufacturer; Joseph O'Brien, real estate; James McNamara, retired; William Oakley, retired contractor.

The work of getting a jury was begun August 26. The transcript of the examination of the veniremen covers 5000 pages, containing 1,375,000 words and if printed would make two volumes the size of the Bible. The cost of the transcript alone, preliminary to the actual trial, is about \$5000.

The specific charge upon which Ruef will be tried this time is the bribing of ex-supervisor John J. Furey, to vote for a trolley franchise for the United Railroads, which was granted to the street railway company soon after the disaster of April 18, 1908.

Opening Statement Made.

After hearing the contentions of counsel, Judge Lawlor denied the application of the defense for the exercise of additional peremptory challenges. The indictment was then read and Assistant District Attorney Henry began the opening statement for the prosecution.

Judge Murasky today denied the motion to set aside the indictment against Frank Murphy and A. S. Newburgh, charging them with attempting to bribe John M. Kelley, a venireman on the panel from which a jury was to be selected to try Abraham Ruef. Murphy and Newburgh were two of Ruef's attorneys. Tomorrow Judge Murasky will hear the argument upon the demurrers to the indictments.

MORSE AND CURTIS GUILTY

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Foreman John Elder was reading the verdict, and their wives sat near them, leaning forward in tense attitude to catch every word.

"We have agreed upon a verdict in the case of both defendants," said the foreman in a subdued voice. "On the charge of conspiracy we find them not guilty."

A look of relief came to the faces of the prisoners and their wives, but it lasted only a moment, for Mr. Elder continued: "On the charge of misapplication of the funds of the bank we find both defendants guilty. On the charge of making false entries in the books of the bank we find both defendants guilty. In the case of Alfred H. Curtis the jury wishes to make a strong recommendation to the mercy of the court."

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Prisoners Go to Tombs.

Judge Hough said that he would hear the motions tomorrow morning, when the prisoners are to be arraigned before him to be sentenced. He then dismissed the jury. Morse and Curtis were accompanied as far as the Tombs prison by their wives.

There has been wide interest in the joint trial. It was brought out in the testimony that Morse had made large loans from the bank through dummies, and that President Curtis had enabled him to do so. The money thus obtained was used to finance the Morse ice pools and steamship operations.

Blacks Camera Friend's Eye.

After the jury had retired, upon receiving further instructions, Mrs. Curtis, who had been listening intently to Judge Hough's instructions, buried her face in her hands and began to sob. Mrs. Morse, the wife of the other defendant, hurried to the side of the weeping woman and placed her arms around her, endeavoring to reassure her that everything was all right for both defendants.

The tedium of waiting was relieved for a time early this afternoon when a newspaper photographer attempted to take a snapshot of Charles W. Morse and two ladies who accompanied him, when he was leaving the courtroom for luncheon. Just as the camera was about to snap the shutter, Morse sprang at him, seized the camera, smashed it and gave the photographer a black eye.

United States District Attorney Stimson said that according to his computation the prisoners had been convicted on 54 counts, all of which were combined in the charges of misappropriation of funds and making false entries in the books of the bank. The latter charge also included the charge of making false reports to the Controller of the Currency.

There was hope for a suspended sentence because of the aid he had given to the Government attorneys.

GAMBLER BEATS PRINTER

Police Arrive to Find Men With Revolvers in Separate Rooms.

RENO, Nev., Nov. 5.—As a result of an election quarrel, Gene Pendergast, a gambler, is in jail here charged with attempting to kill his brother-in-law, William Lumsford, president of the Reno Typographical Union. Pendergast was arrested Lumsford's election Tuesday to the State Assembly and, driving to the Lumsford home last night, entered through a rear door, found Lumsford, accused him of being an anti-gambler and beat him over the head with a revolver. In the fight that followed Pendergast's wife arrived and urged the men on while her sister, Mrs. Lumsford, struggled to secure the revolver. Falling to do this, she rushed to a neighbor's and telephoned the police.

Meantime Lumsford beated his assailant, escaped to another room, locked the door and secured his revolver. The police arrived and urged the men to get out of the dining-room and Pendergast and wife hiding in the kitchen, both with revolvers drawn. Pendergast was arrested and taken to jail and will have a hearing later in the week.

Catch Broker in Seattle.

CHICAGO, Nov. 5.—Wallace H. Hopkins, former mining broker of Chicago, was brought back from Seattle by the Federal authorities yesterday morning, and in the afternoon was arraigned before Judge Betha on a charge of using the mails to defraud. Assistant District Attorney Reid insisted on having the bond fixed at \$5000, and the court did this despite the protests of the prisoner's counsel. Hopkins was formerly president of the Wallace H. Hopkins Company, with a fine suite of offices at 311 LaSalle street. He departed from Chicago last April, following his failure in business, which resulted from an unsuccessful attempt to float a \$1,000,000 bond issue of the Consolidated Zinc Company. He left \$200,000 of obligations and fled just previous to his indictment on a charge of larceny by bailee, made by Henry Elder, and his indictment on the charge of using the mails to defraud.

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