

GENERALSHIP OF CAMPAIGN GREAT

Triumph of Poindexter Shows Much Skill and Sagacity at Game of Politics.

R. R. WILSON GETS CREDIT

Every Move on Part of Insurgent Nominee for Senator From Washington Was Timed Nicely and Manager Is Praised.

SEATTLE, Wash., Sept. 15.—(Special.)—With complete county returns coming in from all over the state the lead of Miles Poindexter for United States Senator mounts upward steadily and the chances for William E. Humphrey, for Congress, grow steadily slimmer.

The Poindexter campaign is regarded by politicians generally as the most remarkable of the insurgent victories in the country. As an organization, the Poindexter forces never have been equalled in this state.

There were more than 2500 active workers, covering every city, hamlet and crossroads, who worked without pay and for that reason more enthusiastic. Aside from the men recognized as squad leaders, every insurgent in the state was a missionary to convert his neighbor. Late returns indicate that the missionaries were more than ordinarily successful.

Politicians Bow to Poindexter.

That the Poindexter fight was skillfully handled the politicians are willing to concede. Few mistakes were made and the insurgent wave swept steadily upward until it reached its highest point on primary day.

The man who managed the fight for Poindexter in Washington is Rufus R. Wilson, journalist, author and political reformer.

Last October, Rufus R. Wilson came from Washington, D. C., and organized the Progressive Republican League at Spokane. Its purpose was to endorse the candidacy of Miles Poindexter for Representative in Congress. During the early days of the league it was not believed possible to elect Poindexter United States Senator.

However, after more than 50 newspapers in the Third Congressional District had fallen into line for Poindexter, the Progressive League became ambitious and endorsed Mr. Poindexter for Senator.

Wilson Always on the Job.

While Congressman Poindexter was insuring reelection, Joe Cannon at Washington, Rufus R. Wilson was on the job in this state, seeing that his candidate was kept prominently before the public. It was through his work and enlisted a great company of volunteers.

The Progressive League wanted Poindexter to leave his seat at Washington and come back to this state early last Spring. On the surface it appeared that insubordination was languishing, and the Poindexter men wanted to see a little more ginger in the fight. This plan was opposed by Rufus R. Wilson, who contended that a whirlwind finish would be not only more effective but less costly had little money this was important.

Subsequent events proved that Mr. Wilson's judgment was rightly correct. The campaign seemed timed exactly right to reap the best results.

Result Surprises Insurgents.

The number of insurgent votes was a surprise to the most enthusiastic Poindexter man. The Poindexter campaign in King County was in the hands of Tom Marshall, a young lawyer and a former student of the University of Washington. He was given full charge of the fight here and he also made good.

While the Spokane League was clamoring for Poindexter to come home last Spring, the insurgent Congressmen were quietly filling his trunk with campaign material. He got himself talked about in the newspapers and when Theodore Roosevelt came home, it was as a former student of the University of Washington. He was given full charge of the fight here and he also made good.

Burke Collapses as He Hears News.

Judge Burke has no comment to make over the outcome. He was at the Rainier Club when the returns began to come in and suffered a physical collapse when it became certain he could not be elected.

It is a matter of curiosity to know how much the Burke campaign cost, as it is believed Judge Burke conducted the most expensive campaign known in state politics of Washington.

The grade of Representative in Congress between William E. Humphrey and Thomas P. Reville is now a question of percentage. Humphrey has a substantial lead over Reville on first-choice votes and late returns indicate that he has received a little more than 40 per cent of the total vote cast for Representative. If the missing returns do not show a decided change of form for Humphrey, he will win and the contest will be decided without recourse to second-choice votes.

Reville Leads in King County.

The total vote in King County for Congressman gives Reville a lead over Humphrey of 574. However, in the northern counties Humphrey has more than made up this discrepancy and the question of leadership on first-choice votes is settled.

In King County Humphrey lacks 296 votes of having the necessary 40 per cent, but he has votes to spare in Snohomish, Skagit and Whatcom counties. The indications are that Reville has carried San Juan County.

PUBLIC MARRIAGE IS OFF

Sentiment Forbids Wedding of White Woman and Chinaman.

Owing to public sentiment, the marriage of Lee Gov, a Chinese restaurant keeper, to Miss Etta Worley, a white girl, will not take place at the Pure Food Show in the Armory tonight, as was originally announced.

among those who have been interested in the exposition, and last night the announcement was made that the marriage would not take place.

As a feature for Friday night, in place of the Chinese wedding, Miss Katherine Dinmore, a singer of ability, will render a number of well-selected solos.

That interest and enthusiasm in the Pure Food Exposition has not abated, was evidenced last night by the crowd of people who stood in a line at the box office of the Armory. Yesterday was a record day for the show, there being a larger attendance last night than on any of the previous evenings.

Members of the Manufacturers' Association, numbering about 160, marched in a body from the Chamber of Commerce Building to the Armory, where many of them were joined by their wives and families.

Besides the special musical programme which was arranged for last night, there was another pie-eating contest. Willie Wells carried off the prize, which was a pair of roller skates. These pie-eating contests will be held each evening this week.

This afternoon will be tag day at the Armory. Every woman attending

NEW LEADING MAN OF BAKER THEATER.

Thomas McLarnie, the new leading man of the Baker Theater, who is rehearsing for his first appearance Saturday night. He has recently been appearing at the New Theater, New York, with John Mason, in "A Son of the People." Formerly he was leading man of the Valencia Theater, San Francisco, and his reputation as an actor of ability with stock companies in Chicago and Boston is also well established.

The show will be presented with a numbered tag. The number will agree with a number on one of the booths, where a prize will be given when the tag is presented.

Tonight will be Rotary Club night, when members of that organization will march in a body to the Armory. A special programme has been arranged for the entertainment of the club members.

BERRY READY FOR FIGHT

ANGELS' MAGNATE WILL URGE TWO-UMPIRE SYSTEM.

Expansion Into Eight-Club League Will Also Be Considered at San Francisco.

LOS ANGELES, Cal., Sept. 15.—(Special.)—Trained to the minute and with his fighting toes in trim Henry Berry left for San Francisco tonight for the assembling of the Coast League moguls in that city Saturday, when questions of Seattle and Tacoma or some other city and the installation of the double umpire system are two important questions which are down for debate.

"My attitude on the double umpire system is well known. I am the author of the agitation for the double system in this league and intend to see it through. I will endeavor to induce the other directors to fall in line for the double system next season as it is hardly likely that the league will install the double system at this stage of the race."

London used to possess the cheapest journal ever published. It was called the six-penny Daily News and its subscribers could get it for a penny. The paper delivered to them every day, while single copies were sold at a farthing.

WEDDING OF CHINESE TO WHITE WOMAN AT PURE FOOD EXPOSITION OFF.

Miss Etta Worley, who was to marry Lee Gov.

Although Aberdeen is the home of Scotch granite a shipment of 250 tons recently was exported to that city from South Carolina quarries to meet a demand for a variation in color from the native stone.

GOODSELL'S BOOKS ARE MISSING TOO

Absence of Papers Perplexes Investigating Committee in New York Inquiry.

ROOSEVELT IS MENTIONED

Ex-President, Then Governor, Signed Bill Granting Privileges to New York Transportation Company, Says Witness.

NEW YORK, Sept. 15.—The books, private accounts and vouchers of Louis F. Goodsell, former State Senator from Orange County, and those of H. S. Beardsley, secretary-treasurer of the New York State Railway Association, with which Senator Goodsell had business dealings, are no longer in existence.

They were wanted by the Merritt legislative committee, but both Goodsell and Beardsley testified yesterday they had destroyed them.

The books, private accounts and vouchers of Louis F. Redell, formerly Assemblyman from Orange County, are no longer in existence. Mr. Redell testified at a previous hearing of the committee that they had been destroyed in the Hotel Gramerin fire.

Testimony Creates Sensation.

The cumulative effect of the testimony of Messrs. Goodsell and Beardsley produced a sensation. Mr. Goodsell caused another milder one, when, in defending his bill granting sweeping privileges to the New York Transportation Company, he noted that Colonel Roosevelt, then Governor, had signed it.

There was a craning of necks when the name of C. H. Betts, member of the Republican state committee from Wayne County, was mentioned as one who had received \$1750 during 1909 from the Railway Association "for information furnished the association."

The nature of the information, or whence it came, was not disclosed. Mr. Betts was elected Tuesday to head the Wayne County delegation to the Republican state convention. He is the only man now alive and in public life whose name has been brought into the present controversy.

Campaign Contributions Admitted.

Yesterday Mr. Goodsell was asked to throw light upon a credit of \$2000 placed with Ellingwood and Cunningham by President Rogers of the Street Railway Association, in 1909, during 1909. It probably had been "for campaign purposes." The books of the Republican state committee might show it, the witness "imagined."

The witness was asked concerning a letter sent him by Ellingwood and Cunningham in 1903, advising him that if he visited the firm's offices he would be given the sum of \$2000 in cash. He professed ignorance of this \$2000 and could not recall ever having received it.

In justification of the annual reports of the railway association would show its income and disbursements.

Louis F. Redell testified he had advanced \$1000 to the New York State Street Railway Association so that the association could turn it over to the Republican state committee as a campaign contribution.

COLONEL IS FOR UNITY

ROOSEVELT URGES REGULARS TO SUPPORT POINDEXTER.

As He Urged South Dakota Progressives to Support Regulars, That Party Be United.

OYSTER BAY, N. Y., Sept. 15.—Reports of the "progressive" victory in the Republican primaries of Washington reached Theodore Roosevelt last night and he immediately urged that all factions of the party unite to support Representative Miles Poindexter for the United States Senate and the three "progressive" nominees for Congress.

"Just as in South Dakota, where the regulars won, I urged the progressives to support the regulars heartily," he said. "So I most earnestly urge that the 'progressives' in Washington, where I am informed that Mr. Poindexter has been endorsed for the Senate and the three 'progressive' candidates have been named for Congress, must be given loyal support by the regulars."

Colonel Roosevelt spent several hours yesterday in talking with James R. Reynolds, of New York, assistant District Attorney. He said they had talked over the labor plank of the state platform and had gone over general labor conditions.

This morning Colonel Roosevelt will leave by automobile for River View, to make an address at the Suffolk County Fair.



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MAN LOSES \$1600 TO SWINDLING PAIR

Clever Crooks Gain Access to George Daviolos' Deposit Box and Fleece Him.

"FLASH ROLL" IS UTILIZED

Stranger Gains Confidence of Local Sateonist, Who Accommodates Friend by Allowing Him Access to Savings.

By one of the cleverest swindling games to come before the notice of the police in months George Daviolos, who conducts a saloon at Fifth and Burnside streets, was enriched with out of \$1600 by two debonair chaps Wednesday. Daviolos attributes his loss to his generosity and the confidence placed in a new-found friend who passed under the name John Ferran, who claimed French heritage.

For the past several weeks Ferran made Daviolos' saloon his headquarters and in some manner learned the fact that the saloonist had recently secreted \$1600 in a safety deposit vault in the Bank of California in the Chamber of Commerce building.

Yesterday Ferran brought a friend, a man well advanced in years, to Daviolos' place of business and introduced him to the proprietor as being an Alaskan miner who had \$2400 in greenbacks in his possession which he desired to temporarily secrete in a safe place.

A blind manner Ferran suggested that the saloonist permit the money to be placed in his safety deposit box. The latter acquiesced and the three hid themselves to the bank, where a "flash roll" consisting of two greenbacks of small denominations, covering a wad of newspaper, was deposited in the box by the stranger.

Apparently contented with the favor extended to him the elder of the two sharks suggested that the three retire to a nearby burlesque building standing at the corner of the street. Moments later, the depositor suddenly concluded that he forgot to peel off enough bills from his supposed wealth to tide him over his stay in the city. Here, a blind manner Ferran happily suggested that Daviolos permit his friend to take the key to the strong box. The latter again consented to the request and an attendant turned over the key to the elder man.

While Ferran engaged his victim in a conversation at the bar his pal slipped into the vault and by means of the loaned key pried the door of Daviolos' \$1600. Both succeeded in getting away without exciting the suspicions of their victim, who did not discover his loss until he visited the bank vault in search of the man with the key. He found the "flash roll" utilized by the crooks to deceive him. This he turned over to the police with a meager description of the pair.

Detective Sergeants Day and Hyde, who have been assigned to the case, have been unable to locate the swindlers. They are believed to have fled from the city soon after the crime was perpetrated.

BETTER WATER WANTED

CIVIC COUNCIL COMMITTEE TO CONFER WITH OFFICIALS.

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part of the city can have satisfactory service, was the keynote of the meeting of the Civic Council of Portland, held last night.

Bull Run water has been one of the chief factors in the rapid growth of Portland, argued the speakers, and now the lack of a sufficient supply of this far-famed water is the cause of complaint by a large part of the citizens, especially those residing on the East Side.

"We must have something done to improve the water system in Portland," declared Emerson L. Mills, Republican member of the School Board, and declared that the water question had reached a crisis and made an appeal to the city authorities for speedy action. A committee, composed of President Haak, Emerson L. Mills, E. F. Moldenhauer, S. E. Latourrette, J. W. Campbell and W. T. Gardner will confer with the city officials.

It was decided to have an inspection made of the Jefferson High School, which has been declared by some to be unsafe. A committee was appointed to confer with the School Board, and consists of F. W. Jobelman, of the Mount Scott Citizens' League; James N. Davis, of the Sunnyside Club; J. A. Currie, of the Portland Heights Club; F. J. Perkins, of the Mount Tabor Club; C. H. Piggott, of the South Portland Club, and R. D. Merchant, of the Kentworth Club. President Haak is ex-officio member and chairman of the committee.

R. C. Wright declared that the street railway company had failed to comply with its franchise by failing to publish a true and complete account of its business from year to year. The meeting adjourned until next Wednesday night.

MAINE VOTE IS DIVIDED

REPUBLICANS WILL HAVE TWO MEMBERS IN HOUSE.

Guernsey's Election Conceded—Hansen Will Demand Recount of Asher C. Hinds' Ballots.

PORTLAND, Me., Sept. 15.—Two Republican and two Democratic Representatives will constitute the next Maine delegation in the National House. Doubt as to the makeup of the delegation was cleared up when belated returns from remote towns of the fourth district showed the re-election

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