

WILSON DENIES HE WANTS FREE TRADE

Nominee Says Those Who Ask Him to Define Position Cannot Read English.

PANIC OF '93 DISCUSSED

Speaker Attributes Hard Times of That Period to Currency Legislation, and Says Tariff Was Not to Blame.

NEWARK, N. J., Oct. 29.—Governor Wilson in three speeches filled with satirical attacks on his opponents emphasized tonight that he is not a believer in free trade and that the Democratic party does not intend to disturb legitimate business or the prosperity of the country if put into power.

The Democratic nominee said that those of his opponents who constantly asked him to define his position on the tariff "could not read English."

He said he had repeated time and again in his speeches his policy of cutting out of the tariff merely the special privileges lodged in it.

"No thoughtful Democrat," he added, "has advocated free trade."

Taft Statement Criticized.

To President Taft's statement published today regarding the panic of the early '90s Governor Wilson made an extended reply first at Montclair, where he addressed a big audience, and again at Newark, where he spoke tonight.

He said it was wrong to attribute that panic to tariff legislation, "because the panic started before the tariff bill was enacted." He attributed the panic to Republican currency legislation.

"I find I am invited to return to my old occupation," said the Governor. "I used to be a teacher of history and I find it necessary to teach it some more. I find myself ashamed in facing the necessity of teaching it to the President of the United States."

"When the President of the United States makes himself responsible for the statement that the panic of 1893 was due to a tariff bill that came a year afterward and came because of Mr. Cleveland's administration, I can only express my deep regret that the President of the United States has not read the history of the United States."

Currency Legislation Blamed.

"Any statement that Mr. Taft makes I believe to be made in honesty, but this statement, if he had made it, he has made in ignorance, because the panic of 1893 can be shown to have arisen out of currency legislation of a Government absolutely controlled by the Republican party. The panic of 1893 was on its way before Mr. Cleveland became President, and its matured form in the first part of his administration, and could have been stopped if the Senate of the United States had yielded more promptly to the advice of the administration."

The Governor said that the programme of the other two parties were "one of the evidences of the weakness of the regular Republican party," he said, "is its mis-statements and misrepresentations of despair on the billboards. They say Governor Wilson does not sufficiently define his position on the tariff. All we have to do to know Governor Wilson's position on the tariff is to be able to read the English language. In almost every speech I have defined my exact position. This evening I had a telegram from a man in Wisconsin, saying that the Detroit Free Press had announced that I had declared for free trade. It is awkward to characterize the management of the Detroit Free Press, for I have confined myself to polite language in this campaign."

Free Trade Desire Denied.

"But for those who are curious, or cannot read English, I will explain my views again."

"In the first place I have not heard a single thoughtful Democrat declare for free trade. I have heard every Democrat declaring for a policy of going through all the schedules of the tariff and finding all the illegitimate concealed privileges and cutting every one of them out, leaving absolutely safe every sound and healthful fiber of American business."

"If a crisis comes," he added, "if panic comes on top of that, they can come only through those who control the credit of America. It is not a prediction of panic which they make. It is a threat. I want to mark it and watch it as a threat of men who, if they dare, can show they hold the credit of America in their hands."

BOURNE'S RECORD LAUDED

Retail Grocers Listen to Address Favoring His Candidacy.

Jonathan Bourne's candidacy for United States Senator was the subject at the meeting of the Retail Grocers Association in Albany Hall last night. Dan Kellaher presided, and gave the first address, comparing the candidacy of Bourne with that of A. E. Clark, of the Progressive party.

"Bourne," he declared, "has been in Oregon 34 years and has always been a Progressive. Mr. Clark has been in Oregon only six years and has never been up to this time shown any evidence of progressiveness that has drawn to him anyone, with the exception, perhaps, of Dr. Coe."

Joseph Hammerley, the second speaker of the evening, dwelt exhaustively upon the record in the Senate of Senator Bourne, and insisted that it would be unwise for the voters of Oregon to make a change at this time. While he made no direct attack upon other candidates, he expressed doubt of their ability to take a place of prominence in the affairs of the Nation, and urged the voting men to return Bourne "so that he may continue the work which he has ably carried on during the past six years."

Lute Pease, Progressive candidate for County Commissioner, was also a speaker, dealing with the County Commission and urging the need of its being taken out of politics. "He said that the country has been run as a political machine heretofore, controlled through motives purely political rather than economical."

Music for the occasion was furnished by Mr. Lynch, Joseph Alstok, Clara Eddy and Daniel Rice, of the Rose City Quartet.

"We are taking this method of addressing such meetings as this," said Chairman Kellaher, at the close of the programme, "to counteract the statements of the press and to let the facts of Mr. Bourne's record come fairly before the people, and I would urge each one of you who stands with us to go out and preach it to someone else."

Thomas W. Lawson Visits Portland.

Thomas W. Lawson, the Boston capitalist, was in Portland for a few hours

yesterday, en route to Crook County, on a visit to his daughter and son-in-law, who have one of the largest and most valuable ranches in that county. He was optimistic about general conditions of business in the country.

40 YEARS PASS, HEIRS SUE

Second Accounting Is Asked for on Daniel Lower Estate.

Nearly 40 years after the death, in 1873, of Daniel Lower, an early-day merchant of Portland, a petition was filed yesterday in Probate Court asking for the appointment of Elizabeth J. Braun as administratrix de bonis non of the estate. The petition was presented by Attorney J. Le Roy Smith, who holds a power of attorney from Robert A. Lower, of Yates, Ill., alleged in the petition to be a nephew of Daniel Lower and one of the heirs of Sylvester Farrell, who died three years ago, was administrator of the estate and filed his final accounting in 1900. County Judge Cleaton stated that before signing the order appointing an administratrix de bonis non he will summon the members of the Farrell family and allow them an opportunity to show cause why the appointment should not be made.

In the petition the heirs are enumerated: John Lower, Rock River, O.;

PRESIDENT MEETS HIS PARTY LEADERS

No Change of Plan of Campaign Contemplated on Eve of Election.

ENTIRE ACCORD REPORTED

Secretary of Navy Accompanies Mr. Taft From Washington and Official Party Will Attend Launching Today.

NEW YORK, Oct. 29.—President Taft held one of the last political conferences of the campaign here tonight in the Manhattan Hotel. Charles P.

spent only \$137, of which \$100 went to Secretary of State Olcott to purchase space in the campaign book. Senator Bourne said that the Bourne Popular Government Club has been raising funds for his campaign, but he is not aware of the amount raised or the manner in which such money has been or are to be expended. The secretary of that club, he says, will render an accounting of all moneys handed at the close of the campaign.

PAGET DEFENDS LABORER

Prohibitionist and Socialist Engage in Lively Street Debate.

R. Lee Paget, candidate of the Prohibition party for the United States Senate, and J. A. Hughes, a self-styled Socialist and an engineer on the Southern Pacific Railroad, held a unique debate at the corner of Sixth and Washington streets last evening in the presence of some 200 persons.

The Senatorial candidate had just completed an address to his audience when he was approached by Mr. Hughes, who asked Paget to state just what was meant by the plank of the platform of the National Prohibition party which pledged the organization to stand for the absolute protection of the rights of labor, without impairment of the rights of capital. Mr. Paget stated in answer to this, among other things, that he stood unqualifiedly for the just protection of the liberties of the workingman, but with a due regard for that

TYPE OF BALKAN TRIBESMEN NOW ENGAGED ON SIDE OF ALLIES IN WAR AGAINST TURKEY.



MONTENEGRIN OUTPOST OF MALISSORI

Jacob Lower, Elmwood, Ill.; Adam and Benjamin Lower, Shelbyville, Ill.; Mrs. Katherine Euwall, Peoria, Ill., and Mrs. Mary Benjamin, Beardsville, Ill., as brothers and sisters of Daniel Lower who were living at the time of his death, and it is alleged they received nothing from the estate. All these are now dead, it is stated, but the names of 15 of their children are given as the present-day heirs. These live in Illinois, Idaho, Missouri, Colorado and California.

ROSS ISLAND IS DEFENDED

History Shows It Has Been Occupied, Says Correspondent.

PORTLAND, Ore., Oct. 29.—(To the Editor.)—A communication in Sunday's Oregonian from C. L. Daggett, and one in Monday's paper from O. H. Peters, makes reference in both instances to Ross Island, as "swamp land." A short history of the island may be of interest to your readers, and at the same time disprove a mistaken idea that the land is "swamp."

Ross Island was originally taken up as a donation land claim by Sherry Ross, from whom it derived its name. Its ownership passed through various hands until acquired by John Kiernan. Prior to this, a man named Marshall lived upon the island. Then John Rathbone lived thereon. Then John Kiernan became its owner, and ran a dairy on the island for some years. He then leased it to George Bangasser, who farmed it for some years. Phil Wyman and Joe Keller next leased it for some years, after which John Kiernan again moved on the island and ran a dairy for some five years. It was then leased to the late Richard Scott, of Milwaukee, Oregon, who lived upon it and ran a dairy for six or more years. After Mr. Scott came a man named Maloy, who farmed it for some years. Then came Mr. Graham, now one of the largest dairymen of the Pacific Northwest, who ran a dairy on the island for some five years. The persons mentioned in this article lived with their families on Ross Island, and some of their children were born there; and not a few of them got their start in life there, this especially being true of John Kiernan, the late Richard Scott and Sam Graham, all of which would tend to disprove the statement that for years one of the finest hog farms in Oregon was upon Ross Island.

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BEND MEN ENTERTAINED

Seattle Ad Club Gives Halloween Party to Oregon Boosters.

SEATTLE, Wash., Oct. 29.—(Special.)—In the glow of artificial twilight, accentuated by heroic silhouettes of witches astride broomsticks on the walls, jack-o'-lanterns of paper mache on the tables and paper caps of white, black and yellow on the heads of the hosts and guests, the Emblem Club of Bend, Ore., today entertained the 400 members of the Seattle Ad Club at a Halloween party and luncheon at the Rathskeller and sung songs and made speeches in which the fame of Bend was linked with the destinies of Seattle for a lively hour and a half.

The programme was enlivened for the first time at an Ad Club luncheon by the presence of 30 pretty women, who lent their voices in paraphrased song and chorus to the great enjoyment of the guests of the day.

George P. Putman, Mayor of Bend and editor of its leading newspaper, said Bend had many good friends in Seattle.

Property Worth \$105,000 Stolen.

FORT WORTH, Tex., Oct. 29.—Stocks and jewels belonging to the late S. W. Wilson, valued at \$105,000, were stolen from the safe of the S. Wilson Lumber Company last night. The safe door had been left unlocked.

Taft and Henry W. Taft, his brothers; Chairman Hillis, of the Republican National committee, and Senator Crane, of Massachusetts, discussed the political situation with the President at dinner. Afterward many Republican leaders in New York and many near-by states met the President and talked over conditions.

Leaders Meet President.

Among the leaders who saw the President were Secretary of State Knox, Chairman Barnes, of the New York Republican state committee, President Keen, of the New York County committee; Henry Cleva, banker; ex-Representative Olcott, of Connecticut; William Nelson Cromwell, of New York.

Launching to Be Witnessed.

The President came to New York to witness tomorrow the launching of the Nation's biggest battleship, the dreadnought New York. Secretary of the Navy Meyer came over from Washington with him.

"I talked with a number of distinguished gentlemen connected with the party in one way or another," said the President, laughing, "and I may say we were in entire accord as to the wisdom of the American people would show if they re-elected me and also to the reasonable probability that they will do so."

SMUGGLER QUEEN FREE

MRS. HALL PAYS SMALL FINE IN FEDERAL COURT.

Judge Is Lenient Because of Ill-Health of Woman Leader of Ring.

LOS ANGELES, Oct. 29.—Mrs. Ethel Hall, known here as the "smuggler queen," was released today from the county jail, where for nearly a year she has been awaiting trial in the United States Court.

Mrs. Hall was taken before Federal Judge Olin Wellborn and entered a plea of guilty to one of the "swamp" cases against her. A fine of \$10 was imposed, and on the other indictments the woman was released upon her own recognizance.

The action of Judge Wellborn was taken because of the ill health of the young woman. She is said to have been the directing genius of one of the greatest smuggling rings that ever operated in Southern California. In one indictment against her and Antonio Felix there are 32 counts alleging the traffic in contraband Chinese. Felix is in jail awaiting trial.

TURKS MAKING LAST STAND

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troubled political horizon. Exchange London here is rising sharply and is already above the gold export point, due chiefly to American financing cotton bills.

There was heavy liquidation on the Bourse. Several provincial failures were reported and some other concerns are understood to be holding out only by means of the support given them by the big banks.

It is feared that several firms not thus supported will be unable to meet their obligations at the settlement at the end of the month.

Bourne Says Expense Is \$137.

OREGONIAN NEWS BUREAU, Washington, Oct. 29. According to a statement filed today with the clerk of the Senate, Senator Bourne personally has received no contributions to his campaign fund and from October 5 to 14

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BECKER TO BE SENTENCED

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Lawyer Confirms Confession.

Aaron J. Levy, his counsel, tonight confirmed the report that Shapiro had confessed and would take the stand against the four gangsters.

"Shapiro told District Attorney Whitman that the four gunmen, who were his passengers, were Rosenthor's murderers," Mr. Levy said. "Shapiro also implicated Jack Sullivan, Becker's lieutenant."

"Did Shapiro implicate Becker?" "Only by hearsay. He said he did not have personal conversation with Becker about the murder, but he told Mr. Whitman of a conversation he overheard among the four accused gangsters—a conversation implicating Becker in the crime."

"Did Shapiro implicate Vallon and Scheppe?" "He did not," said Levy. "He exonerated them. He said the gangsters begged and pleaded with him to blame the murder on Vallon and Scheppe."

Mr. Levy said neither he nor Shapiro made any bargain for immunity in return for the confession.

"Shapiro was only the driver of the murder car," said Levy. "Driving a car is not murder. Mr. Whitman has never had anything to say about any time. He will never be tried for any crime. At this time there could be no bargain with the state."

Astoria-Seaside Line Assured.

ASTORIA, Ore., Oct. 29.—(Special.)—Two of the crews of Southern Pacific surveyors who have been running the lines for a proposed railroad from a connection with the Lytle road near Buxton, via the Nehalem Valley and Seaside to Astoria, have finished their work and the other two crews will be laid off within the coming ten days. A route with an exceptionally low grade and slight curvature is said to have been found and announcement of the construction contracts are expected within the coming few weeks.

Creameries Invade Springfield.

SPRINGFIELD, Ore., Oct. 29.—(Special.)—Springfield will have two creameries if the present plans of the promoters carry. Charles Barkman, of Brownsville, has rented the old March

factory building, and will soon install a plant in it. He says the machinery will be here inside of a week. Mr. Barkman also has an interest in the creamery at Brownsville. Looney & Worth are preparing to install a similar plant in a building on Main street.

Grange Studies Bridge Issue.

VANCOUVER, Wash., Oct. 29.—(Special.)—A meeting of the Pomona Grange at Felida, October 30 and 31, the question of how money shall be raised for construction of the proposed Pacific Highway bridge across the Columbia River will be discussed. C. S. Rood's address will be followed by a general discussion. An elaborate programme has been prepared for the two days' session by J. O. Wing, lecturer. "Our Duty as Farmers on November 6" will be treated by B. A. Curtice.

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