

CONSPIRACY REVELATION A POLITICAL MANEUVER

Roosevelt Makes Capital of Announcement of Facts Previously Well Known.

ONLY NEWS WAS EXACT AMOUNT OF FUND RAISED

News Writers Hide in Roosevelt's "Psychone" Cellar to Escape Fury of Blasts From Executive Offices When Conspirators Were Exposed.

By John E. Lathrop.
(Washington Bureau of The Journal.)
Washington, April 30.—Apparently, the "psychone" of White House denunciation of "conspirators" has temporarily subsided. For a time, it seemed to be imminent that everyone here must yield to the dictum of the president and be classed either as a Roosevelt man or an arch "conspirator" against the very government itself. People who were not in the national capital while the storm was raging cannot realize the terrific velocity attained by the gales which, originating at the presidential mansion, blew across the city and out into the various sections of the country, with gradually decreasing force.

Probably, beyond every precedent, experienced newspaper men who had weathered many a political hurricane sought shelter beneath the Roosevelt roof, or, to change the figure, dived down into the Roosevelt "psychone" cellar. Men who have lived here for a quarter of a century, writing their impressions of national events, appeared in many instances to have been "loosed," and penned screeds which, reading after they appeared in print the authors felt their heads to be certain they were themselves or someone else, metamorphosed by the wizard of the White House.

None Against Roosevelt.

It is given out authoritatively from the White House, "many of these stories ran, that Mr. Roosevelt has determined to run the campaign himself, no matter who shall be the candidate, and that everyone who opposes him in any manner shall be classed as belonging to the company of conspirators who have raised \$5,000,000 to encompass his defeat."

Apparently there were to be no La Follette men, no Bryan men, no Culbertson men, no Hughes men, no Cummings men, no Daniels men, no adherents of Governor Folk of Missouri, excepting they accept classification with the reactionaries who had \$5,000,000 corruption money in their campaign coffers, with several hundred millions more with which to debauch the national electorate. If a man pronounces for Robert M. La Follette, he belongs to the "conspiracy"; if for Mr. Bryan, he is an arch traitor; if for the young militant governor of New York, and against Mr. Roosevelt and his candidate, Mr. Taft, then he is fit to be denounced along with those low creatures who despoil the patria and hate the flag.

Some Dare to Criticize.

Now that the "psychone" has spent its force, the newspaper fraternity again is sticking its head through the jagged neck of the "psychone" cellar and viewing the ruins. Things seem much as they were before the storm.

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broke. Neither the arch-conspirator nor the only preserver of the verities seems to have complete possession of the field. Strangely enough, men remain who vouchsafe to express their opinions, even though those opinions be contrary to the dicta of the president. Some are found who pick flaws in the White House policies, even today, after the denunciation has been proclaimed to the world.

It is explained that the etymology of the word "psychone" shows it to be derived in common with "psychology" or "psychic," and that it is synonymous with "brainstorm," a word recently written into the lexicon.

Only a Gains of Politics.
Seriously, the president has been playing practical politics. He has capitalized as a discoverer of facts known to everyone in the country, even the tyros. Everyone knew that E. H. Harriman and J. B. Foraker and Charles Warren Fairbanks and Joseph Cannon, the speaker, and others of that cult desired to defeat Mr. Roosevelt. They have been ever against his policies.

Everyone knew that, desiring defeat, they would strive to encompass it. They ever have so striven. Everyone knew that, so striving, they would raise a campaign fund. They ever have done so, as a matter of fact, raising it the last time to elect Mr. Roosevelt himself.

The only element of "news" in the discovery was the naming of the exact quantity of money which had been raised by the conspirators, \$5,000,000. On that point, the president hasn't offered a single scintilla of evidence. He asks the country to accept his unsupported word, without any explanation, without the production of one statement excepting his own.

If there be those who ask for more proof than this in the national court of political judgment, as to the exact amount of money raised by the conspirators, it is not strange.

Discovery Was Opportune.

But there is one point in the matter which has escaped the observation of most people—that the president's discovery came at a time when the country was agape over the confession of Mr. Roosevelt—made because Mr. Harriman himself the next day would have published the letters—that he was hand-glove with Harriman in the 1904 campaign, counseled with him and offered to permit him to blue-pencil his forthcoming message to the congress.

If some believe the discovery was a bit of clever political juggling, to turn attention from the unpalatable details of the Roosevelt-Harriman love feast of 1904, let it not be thought strange.

In spite of "psychones," some here refuse to enter the White House "psychone" cellar.

RAILWAY COMMISSION PARCELS OUT WORK

(Special Dispatch to The Journal.)
Olympia, Wash., May 1.—The state railroad commission has adopted a plan governing office work under which the state will be divided into three districts, each commissioner exclusively signing the correspondence from his particular district. It happens that each commissioner is from a different section of the state and each one from a different congressional district. Mr. Fairchild, chairman, will have the Seattle & Southwest congressional district, Commissioner Jones the Tacoma and Southwestern district, and Commissioner Lawrence the Spokane and Eastern Washington district. The general correspondence will be sent out over the signature of the secretary. This follows the plan in use by the interstate commerce commission, the territory being divided among the members of the national board. The Washington state commission will shortly promulgate office rules to guide those doing business with the commission.

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BUSINESS CHANGES OF MOMENT TO CORVALLIS

Texas Parties Buy Strong's Sawmill—Hazelwood Creamery Buys Dairying Plant.

(Special Dispatch to The Journal.)
Corvallis, May 1.—Two important business changes have taken place in this city during the past few days. One is the sale of the Corvallis sawmill, owned and operated so many years by E. W. Strong, who has disposed of the property to a stock company. The stockholders will be L. B. Menefee, Percy Allen and G. M. Standifer, all of Houston, Texas, but with headquarters in Portland at present. Organization of the company is not yet perfected, but Messrs. Allen and Standifer are already here looking after the business and have taken possession of the plant.

Another important change is the sale of the Corvallis ice and Butter works to the Hazelwood Creamery company of Portland, who take possession today. May 1. C. D. Arnold, one of the three former owners, goes to Portland Wednesday to become an engineer for the Hazelwood company; John Creson, another member of the firm, remains here, and covers the cream route as before, while Guy Seeley, the third partner, becomes general superintendent of the local plant. There will be no ice manufactured at the plant here for the present.

OFFICERS ELECTED FOR PENDLETON PRESBYTERY

(Special Dispatch to The Journal.)
Pendleton, Or., May 1.—The presbytery of Pendleton, which includes several eastern Oregon towns, and which met at the Tutuilla mission on the Umatilla reservation this year, closed Sunday. The following officers were elected for the ensuing term: Moderator, Rev. E. T. Allen; temporary clerk, Elder S. K. Yates; permanent clerk, Rev. Levi Johnson; stated clerk, Rev. J. M. Cornelison.

The Indian camp meeting, which had been in progress at the Tutuilla church for several days, also came to a close. The leaders of the local church had invited the presbytery to meet with them at this time, and the Umatilla came from miles along the river to attend.

TACOMA HUB OF ELECTRIC WHEEL

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FORTY MILLIONS READY TO POUR INTO PROJECT

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(Special Dispatch to The Journal.)
Tacoma, Washington, May 1.—Among the most extensive railway propositions ever planned for construction in a single state is that projected by eastern capitalists to build a network of lines in Washington which represent an investment of about \$40,000,000. The plan includes the construction of water and power plants in the towns between Tacoma and Spokane, the supplying of water and light and furnishing electric railways with power.

It includes the completion of the proposed Puyallup Valley & Northern Rapid Transit railway at the cost of \$2,000,000, also the completion of the Snohomish Valley railroad, upon which construction work has already commenced. This line will cost \$3,000,000. The third electric line incorporated in the plans is the Seattle, Chelan & Spokane railway. A company was recently chartered to construct this electric line. Its cost as planned is \$7,500,000.

Tacoma the Hub of it All.

Tacoma, it is announced, will be the principal terminal point of all these lines. P. B. Carroll, the Seattle attorney, states that the same men who have authorized him to propose the building of water and power plants at Tacoma and other cities and who have \$5,000,000 to invest here, are men who are promoting street railway enterprises.

Rich agricultural sections will be penetrated by these railways, together with great tracts which have been valueless until recently, but which are now being rapidly populated because of government and other irrigation development. Over 1,000 miles of electric railway lines will be operated by the men Mr. Carroll represents, if their plans prove successful.

CATHOLIC INSTITUTIONS TO RISE AT HERMISTON

(Special Dispatch to The Journal.)
Hermiston, Or., May 1.—Fifty thousand dollars will be expended this season in a Catholic academy, hospital and church at Hermiston. Bishop J. C. O'Reilly of the Catholic diocese of eastern Oregon has purchased from J. F. McNaught & Co. at this place an entire block of ground on the west side of the O. R. & N. track for the purpose of founding the three institutions named. They will draw from a large territory, including Echo, Umatilla, Irrigon, Arlington and the country immediately surrounding Hermiston. They will be first class in every particular and at the center of a large Catholic following in all that section of country between Echo and The Dalles.

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\$5.00 shapes for	\$1.39

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\$10.00 values for	\$2.55
\$12.50 values for	\$3.25
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