

STANDARD OIL BACKING HURTS TAFT

STANDARD OIL REVEALS FRIENDS

Hearst Presents Further Proof of Archbold's Use of Certificates of Deposits with Republican Officials—Astonishing Bribery.

(Hearst News by Longest Leased Wire.)
New York, Oct. 31.—William Randolph Hearst delivered a speech at Carnegie Hall tonight in which he read several letters purporting to have been written by John D. Archbold, head of the Standard Oil Company. The speech in part is as follows:

"My Friends—Last Monday Mr. Archbold attacked me quite severely for my lack of etiquette in reading his private letters to the people's public servants. Mr. Archbold did not consider it outrageous for him to send secret certificates of deposit to United States Senators and Attorney General and Judges, but he did consider it utterly inexcusable for me to tell you about it. Mr. Archbold became almost angry and used very strong language, and I was compelled to reply.

"I gave him excellent advice. I told him not to lie; if he did, I had the deposits to convict him. Mr. Archbold did not take my kind and well-meant advice. He would go ahead, he would lie and here I have the documents to convict him. Mr. Archbold gave out the following statement:

Quoted Letters.

"I am very sure that until Hearst read the letters which Judge Morrison for Judge Henderson had any knowledge of my having written Governor Stone in their behalf.

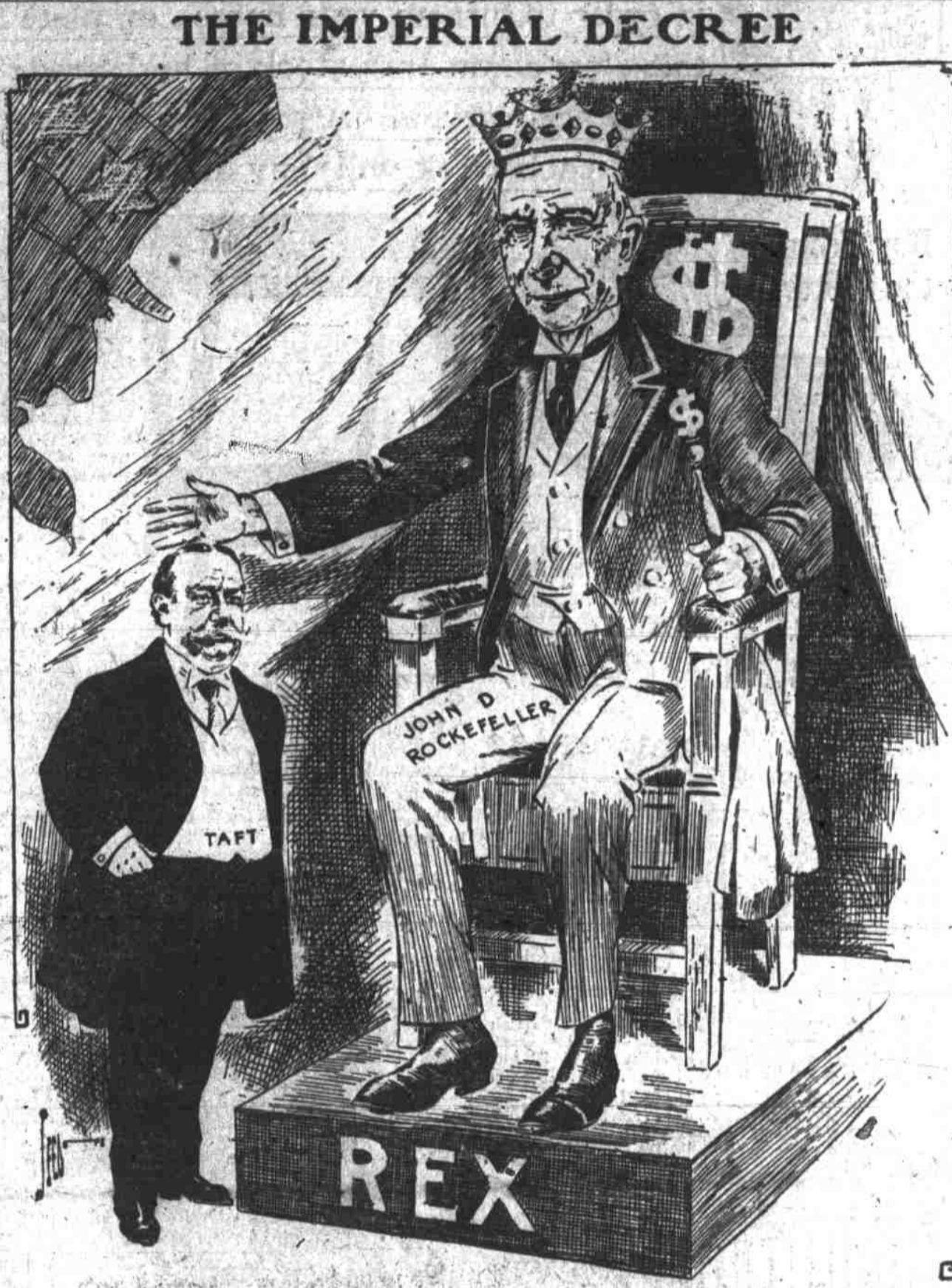
"Judge Morrison also declared that he knew Mr. Archbold years ago, but that he had not seen him in years, and said Judge Morrison, 'It is inexplicable that the Standard Oil man should have taken so deep an interest in my welfare.'

"In the light of the letter I am about to read the explanation which seems simple enough. Mr. Archbold apparently took so deep an interest in the matter of the appointment of Mr. Morrison to a judgeship because Mr. Morrison asked him to do so and Mr. Morrison knows of Mr. Archbold's activity in his behalf, because Mr. Archbold wrote Mr. Morrison telling him about it. You will see plainly from the first paragraph that this letter which Mr. Archbold wrote was in reply to a letter which Mr. Morrison wrote. Here is Mr. Archbold's letter:

"26 Broadway, New York, Aug. 3, 1899.—Hon. Thomas A. Morrison, Smithport, Pa. My dear sir—I am duly in receipt of your letter of the 27th and it has given me great pleasure to write Senators Quay and Penrose expressing my earnest desire to do all that is possible and consistent for them to support you for the supreme judgeship. Very truly yours,
JOHN D. ARCHBOLD.

"26 Broadway, New York, Aug. 23, 1899.—Hon. E. Penrose, Philadelphia, Pa. My dear senator—I give you the greatest possible pleasure to testify to the eminent ability and fitness of the Hon. Thomas A. Morrison of Smithport, Pa., who is a candidate for a supreme judgeship. If it proves possible and consistent for you to support him for the position, I shall be greatly pleased. His abilities are so well known that I need hardly dwell upon them. Very truly yours,
JOHN D. ARCHBOLD.

"The letters to Senators Quay and Penrose are obviously written as per promise of Mr. Archbold to Mr. Morrison and still Mr. Archbold has the hardihood to come out in the public



"William H. Taft Shall Be the Next President of the United States."

LAST STAND OF THE CHAIRMAN

Mack Claims 341, While Hitchcock Clings to His Old Guess of 325.

(United Press Leased Wire.)
New York, Oct. 31.—The last stand of the Democratic and Republican chairmen was made this afternoon when their rival political generalissimos made their final prediction and claims.

Chairman Mack of the Democratic committee, went his Republican opponent, Chairman Hitchcock, 16 votes better, claiming 341 electoral votes for Bryan, 99 more than enough to elect, while Hitchcock estimated Taft's electoral vote at 325, 83 more than necessary.

Hitchcock claimed 32 states for Taft and placed two, Kentucky and Missouri, in the doubtful column. He conceded Bryan 12 states, with an electoral vote of 137, all these being in the "solid south."

In addition to the "solid south" vote, Mack declares the following states will give their electoral vote to the Nebraska candidate: Colorado 5, Connecticut 7, New York 39, Kansas 10, New Jersey 12, North Dakota 4, Oregon 4, Rhode Island 4, West Virginia 7, Wisconsin 12, Wyoming 3, Indiana 15, Idaho 3, Maryland 3, Montana 3, Ohio 23, Nebraska 3, South Dakota 3, North Dakota 4, Wyoming 3.

The list of states whose electoral votes are claimed for Taft by the Republican chairman are as follows: California 10, Colorado 5, Connecticut 7, Delaware 3, Idaho 3, Illinois 27, Indiana 15, Iowa 13, Kansas 10, Maine 3, Maryland 3, Massachusetts 10, Michigan 14, Minnesota 11, Montana 3, Nebraska 3, Nevada 3, New Hampshire 4, New Jersey 12, New York 39, North Dakota 4, Ohio 23, Oregon 4, Pennsylvania 21, Rhode Island 4, South Dakota 3, Utah 3, Vermont 4, Washington 5, West Virginia 7, Wisconsin 13, Wyoming 3.

The last state claimed by Hitchcock is Nevada, which he placed in the Republican column today.

CONGRESS G. O. P. BY SIXTY-THREE

Secretary Republican Congressional Committee Also Elects Cannon.

(United Press Leased Wire.)
New York, Oct. 31.—A Republican congress by a majority of 63 members, in the way Secretary Harry Laugenslager of the Republican congressional committee sized up the situation today.

The prediction of the committee, based on reports from districts throughout the country shows 27 Republican members and 184 Democratic members. If the prediction proves correct the Republicans will gain seven members in the house.

Cannon will carry his district by 800 plurality, according to Secretary Laugenslager, and his election as speaker is assured.

CLAUDIA DEFIES HAIN'S BROTHERS

Warns Them to Cease Attacks or She Will Face Them at Their Trial.

(United Press Leased Wire.)
Boston, Mass., Oct. 31.—An ultimatum was issued tonight by Mrs. Claudia E. Hains to the attorneys for her husband and brother-in-law, directing them to stop the "torrent of abuse" recently poured upon her through the newspapers or accept the alternative of having her as a witness against them at their coming trial for the murder of William E. Hains.

In an interview given the United Press the accused wife said:

"Ever since the shooting of William E. Hains by Captain Hains, the newspapers have been full of irresponsible statements issued on behalf of Captain Hains and his brother, attacking my character. The reason has obviously been that they were the only means by which the two brothers could manufacture public sympathy.

"To all those charges I have attempted under great difficulty, to maintain a dignified silence, and I have, I think, succeeded in doing so, except so far as my friends have persuaded me to make brief replies to some particularly malicious and scandalous stories.

"The recent interview and statements on behalf of the defense, including the publication of forged letters and unsupported stories of irresponsible assertions, have demonstrated the fact that my husband and his brother feel compelled to resort to every means in their power to blacken my character in the attempt to save their own lives.

"The desperate straits to which these men find themselves reduced, and the unscrupulousness of their conduct, appear not only from the falsity of their charges, but also from the fact that the alleged letters never furnished me to me, and now being issued, my lawyers tell me, would not be admissible in evidence in the murder trial, even if true, and that is untrue. It is my belief, however, that the severity and volume of these attacks upon me have already disgusted the public, and that their unmanly position, if continued, would lead to disbeliever in any statements put forth in the interest of the accused men."

HOT SPRINGS CLUBS RAIDED

Outgoing Sheriff, Lidster, Strikes Parting Blow—Burns Tables.

(Hearst News by Longest Leased Wire.)
Hot Springs, Ark., Oct. 31.—Before daylight this morning Sheriff Buchanan conducted raids on the Ohio, Illinois and other clubs, taking roulette, faro and "sixty-nine" tables to the court-house, where they were burned.

The burning orders were issued in circuit court on affidavits by "Umbrella Bill" McGulgan, formerly prominent on the turf as owner and breeder of "Lady Inez" and "Bannockburn" but now connected with the reform organization of this city.

Sheriff Buchanan's term of office expired at midnight tonight and Sheriff Jesse Hout, who assumed charge, is believed to be friendly to a liberal policy here. The club rooms had received warning of the raids this morning and all were closed but the two raided.

WHAT DO WE MANUFACTURE!

"The made-in-Oregon campaign that The Journal is pursuing is certainly interesting and will do much good," said Harry T. Clarke, president of the Portland Iron Works, "but how are the people to know what articles are made in Oregon? When the readers of The Journal are sufficiently enthusiastic and patriotic to call for Oregon-made goods how are they to be guided aright? How many articles do we know are home-made because they are advertised? We have many articles of almost everyday consumption that are made under much more sanitary conditions locally than they are made in eastern cities; but who is aware of it? Do the majority of local consumers know it?"

BRYAN FEELS VICTORY IN HIS GRASP

States Reasons for Faith That Is in Him—Trusts for Taft, Knowing a Friend When They See Him—Commoner Happy.

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"I believe that the Democratic party will win a signal victory next Tuesday:

♦ "First, because it appeals to the awakened conscience of the nation by publishing its contributions.

♦ "Second, because it appeals to the sentiment for popular government by advocating the election of senators by direct vote.

♦ "Third, because it is the only party that favors tariff reduction in the interest of consumers.

♦ "Fourth, because it is the only party that opposes the trusts.

♦ All the trust magnates have fallen in behind the Republican candidate, and the victims of the extortions of the Carnegies, Rockefellers, etc., find their only hope in Democratic success.

♦ "Fifth, because the Democratic success means a laboring man.

♦ "Sixth, because the Democrats favor the guarantee of bank deposits.

♦ "Seventh, because the Democratic party favors the improvement of our waterways, and economic government.

♦ "Eighth, because the Democratic party favors the restoration of prosperity on a permanent basis, a prosperity in which all share.

♦ "These and other policies set forth in our platform have taken such a hold upon the people that I am satisfied neither threats nor coercion can prevent a Democratic victory of a sweeping character.

♦ "WILLIAM J. BRYAN."

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By John E. Nevins, Staff Correspondent United Press.

South Bend, Ind., Oct. 31.—The above statement as to why he thinks he will win next Tuesday was given to the United Press by William J. Bryan while en route to Chicago tonight.

A tired but happy man, Bryan at 9:40 tonight was speeding towards Chicago as fast as a locomotive would carry him. His invasion of the east complete and with but one day's work ahead of him before the verdict of the ballots will be recorded.

"The greatest demonstration I have ever seen is the way he characterizes his tour of Indiana today. The crowds were so large that the candidate had his troubles and lost buttons off his clothing several times as he fought his way through the throngs."

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BIG PARADE PROVES PUBLIC HAS TURNED

Business Men in Thousands March Along Streets of New York—Crowds Shout "Four Years More of Full Oil Can."

New York, Oct. 31.—While thousands paraded today and tonight with Taft banners and gave vent to Taft shouts, there was a noticeable lack of enthusiasm along the line of march. The big stories carried by the Democratic newspapers showing the trend of Standard Oil opinion in favor of the Republican ticket made the public sit up and take notice. The people did not seem to be with the marchers. In many parts of the city the crowd shouted, "four years more of the old oil can," and "What do you think of the two John D.'s—Archbold and Rockefeller?"

There was a great outpouring of humanity, but it was not a Republican crowd. There was noise, red fire and all that goes to make up an oldtime expensive parade, but the spirit was not there. It was plain to be seen that the demonstration was a failure, except as an impressive object lesson of the power of corporate influence.

Bunting, bands and business men were combined in this remarkable political drama. About 100,000 men, representing every line of business industry and important trade tramped in a steady stream up Fifth avenue cheering for Taft. Through a police guarded gauntlet of several hundred thousand spectators and under a cloud of banners and tri-color brating the marchers paraded past the Madison Square reviewing stand where Vice-Presidential Candidate Sherman and other Republican leaders reviewed the procession.

The morning parade was held under the auspices of the Business Men's Republican association. Rear Admiral Coghlan, retired, who officiated as grand marshal, was aided by a staff of ex-navy officers and Republican leaders.

Various organizations were massed about the streets intersecting lower Broadway, some waiting patiently many hours for their turn to swing the line. At dusk there were still thousands waiting to begin another long march, torches were provided and the night parade was even more spectacular than that during the daylight hours.

FIGHT IN WAGON MAY COST LIFE

One in Jail; One in Hospital—Wounded Man Said to Have Shot Self.

(Special Dispatch to The Journal.)
Chicago, Wash., Oct. 31.—A man named Goodell, while in company with four others in a wagon last night, traveling from this city to Forest, was shot in the head near the nose, the bullet ranging upward. The five men are said to have been under the influence of liquor, and Goodell pulled a revolver from his pocket and began to threaten the others.

He fired two shots over his head at these sitting in the back of the wagon. Billy Reno, one of the men in the rear seat, grabbed the hand in which Goodell was holding his revolver and in the struggle to get it away from him, Reno was wounded in the forehead and sent a bullet into his own head.

The wounded man was taken to Forest and from there removed to St. Helens hospital here, where he now lies. His recovery is extremely doubtful. Reno gave himself up to the officers and is now in the county jail.

TO EXILE WITH LEPER HUSBAND

Mrs. John Early Determined to Follow to Molokai, With Children.

(Hearst News by Longest Leased Wire.)
Washington, D. C., Oct. 31.—Woman's love in its highest sacrificial form will impel Mrs. John Early, wife of the Washington leper, to accompany him to the leper colony at Molokai, Hawaii. She announced today that if the department of justice sends him to Molokai she and her baby boy will go with him. It means for her a farewell to the outside world, for, once in Molokai, she would not be allowed to leave. For the children it would mean social ostracism from the start and the life of a leper camp their one outlook in the future.

It is expected that Secretary Cortelyou, through the decision rendered by Attorney General Bonaparte, will soon order Early deported.

An interesting feature will then arise through the attitude of the various states he must pass through on his way to the leper colony. The interstate commerce commission will set him safely through, however.

Record of Closing Week of Campaign

Monday.
New York World accuses Sherman of sland'ring connection with New Mexican land deal.
Gompers publishes vigorous reply to president's letter to Senator Knox.
Taft makes five speeches in Brooklyn, addressing 30,000 people.
Bryan talks to workmen in Paterson, N. J., is kissed by two women at Madison Square Garden.
Archbold and Hearst exchange long distance shots via the typewriter route.

Tuesday.
Taft talks all the way from Yonkers to Troy.
Bryan makes 15 speeches in Manhattan, but they did not get to Sherman denies illicit participation in land deal.
Taft makes 15 speeches in New York City, winding up at Madison Square garden, where he was cheered for 19 minutes.
Bryan covers practically same territory along Hudson river that Taft did Tuesday. Introduced at Albany by David E. Hill.

Wednesday.
Taft and Bryan both campaigning up state in New York. Both at Syracuse in evening, but they did not get together.
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Friday.
Gompers issues final appeal to labor on behalf of Bryan's candidacy, and makes further attacks on President Roosevelt.
Bething six to one on Taft; 10 to nine on Hughes.
Bryan makes whirlwind tour in northern Ohio.
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BAD POLITICAL BLOOD IN INDIANA

Two Hundred Men Mix in a Free Fight at Lebanon—Seven Are Hurt.

(United Press Leased Wire.)
Lebanon, Ind., Oct. 31.—Seven prominent citizens were injured, three seriously, in a political riot in the courthouse yard this afternoon during which revolvers were drawn and knives were freely used.

The most seriously injured were E. J. H. White and J. W. White and J. W. Gouther. A number of men got black eyes.

The trouble grew out of a showing by the Democrats that the Republicans had violated a "pure election" agreement which the leaders of both parties had signed.

The agreement stipulated no "boodle" should be used to influence any voters. At a meeting in the square the Democrats demanded that several prominent Republicans present be searched. The Republicans refused to submit to the search and made counter charges. In a minute the courthouse yard was in an uproar and the scene which Indiana witnessed in the old days of presidential campaigns were enacted. Two hundred citizens engaged in the fight, many furnished a revolver and instantly a open others were glittering in the sunlight.

The free-for-all fight lasted several minutes. Order was restored and the broken heads patched up.

The riot created bad feeling and further trouble is feared on election day.

BRYAN WINS OVER TAFT IN MONTANA

(Special Dispatch to The Journal.)
Butte, Mont., Oct. 31.—The vote of the Farmers' Protective association, embracing the northern Montana districts, in session here today, gave Bryan two to Taft's one.

Archbishop of York Resigns.
(United Press Leased Wire.)
London, Oct. 31.—The resignation of York, which was announced today, was the result of a count of six advanced age and failing health.

JUSTICE BEATTY ANSWERS HENEY

Says Heney's Roast of the Schmitz Decision Is For Politics.

(Hearst News by Longest Leased Wire.)
San Francisco, Oct. 31.—Chief Justice William H. Beatty replied tonight to the lengthy criticism directed at the supreme court by Francis J. Heney this afternoon in respect of the decision freeing former Mayor Eugene Schmitz and Abe Ruef of extortion in the Fremont restaurant cases.

The assertion that the whole decision in the form of a reply to a letter written by Justice Beatty in defense of the decision, is as voluminous as some of his numerous affidavits in the great trials, covering 28 typewritten pages.

In the reply Heney, after citing statistics and decisions to sustain his contention as to what the supreme court could have taken judicial notice of, said:

"I am prepared after careful reflection and consideration to state my opinion as a lawyer—if I have any—in this state and the United States upon the question of whether it is proper to conclude that the opinion was hastily written and the matters dealt with so ill-considered and that the whole decision is so contrary to the fundamental principles of law that it cannot safely be relied upon as an authority upon this or any other point."

Justice Beatty tonight characterized the criticism of Heney as a campaign document and said that its main contention was based on a statute that had been misquoted by the assistant district attorney and on decisions that were antithetical to the adoption of the code of civil procedure.

NORTH BAKER SCHOOL CONSUMED BY FLAMES

(Special Dispatch to The Journal.)
Baker City, Or., Oct. 31.—The North Baker school building was destroyed by the incendiary's torch last night, causing a property loss of \$20,000 with but \$8,800 insurance. The flames were first discovered under the cupola. The city is wrought up and should the firebug be found it is probable that Mayor Jones' proclamation of several days ago, wherein he urges any citizen to shoot an incendiary on the spot, will be acted upon. Eight schoolrooms comprised the North Baker structure. It was one of four very fine school buildings in this city.