

### FIRST SHOTS OF STATE CAMPAIGN

Three Hundred Republicans from Over the State Meet at Dollar Dinner at Kearney.

### SENATOR BROWN BIDS WELCOME

Reviews Work of Party in Congress and of President Taft.

### HAYWARD ON STATE ISSUES

Democrats Coming Forward with Hypocritical Nonpartisanship

### LAST LEGISLATURE REVI

Bank Partisanship of Its Every Set Forth in Strong Terms by the Republican State Chairman.

KEARNEY, Neb., Oct. 14.—(Special Telegram.)—Over 300 republicans assembled at the Midway hotel tonight to partake of the big dollar dinner and to listen to speakers from all over the state. The demand for places at the tables far exceeded the supply. Judge Jacob Fawcett arrived at noon. Among the other speakers who are now in the city are Senators Brown and Burkett and Chairman Hayward of the state central committee; Editors Victor Rosewater of The Omaha Bee and Will Owen Jones of the Lincoln State Journal; State Treasurer Brian, Superintendent E. C. Bishop and United States Marshal Warner are also here for the big feast. Ex-Governor George Sheldon wired from Waynesville, Miss., that he was unable to attend, but sent his greetings to the republicans and says: "Vote for a county and state victory." Congressman Kinkaid also wired greetings and regrets that he was unable to attend.

Senator Brown welcomed the guests from over the state and congratulated the republicans from Buffalo county on the presence of the distinguished guests. He called their attention to the fact that Buffalo county was the county in the state which last year showed the largest gain for Governor Sheldon. He asserted that it is a habit with the Buffalo county republicans to sustain the public officials who stand for better things and who keep faith with the party. That is the reason they stood for Sheldon and that is the reason today they stand for President Taft. Among other things he said:

**Mission of Parties.**  
"Political parties are the only responsible agencies the people have in a representative form of government. During the 125 years this republic has been doing business, not a law on the statute books affecting the public policies of the nation can be found except in obedience to the command of some political party, yet no one will contend that any political party was ever perfect. Parties must be judged by their general character. The good results of the republican party is due to the fact that it has stood on the whole in the state and nation for better things. It has undertaken to meet and solve the live questions of the hour and to bear the responsibilities with a large regard for the public welfare and the good of the country. Republicans should insist that the party continue to deserve the confidence and respect of the people. Unless it deserves it, it will not receive the support of the people. The fact that at times republicans are not perfect, does not detract from the fact that the party is the best guaranty the public has that the best results are likely to come from the discussion arising from the disagreements."

He also emphasized the tariff commission provision of the new law and endorsed with unqualified enthusiasm the tax on corporations put in the new tariff law. At the instance of President Taft. On that subject, among other things, he said: "The other provision which is of immense importance is the provision for the taxation of the corporation. The theory of the corporation tax is that the corporation owes the government something for its charter and its privilege of doing business. An individual has the right to do business without first obtaining permission from the government, but a corporation has no right to exist unless it is first authorized to do so by law. The right to exist carries with it the right to do business, which is a valuable right, and the theory of President Taft and congress was that this right was taxable."

**Corporation Tax Record.**  
"While you remember that the corporation tax suggested by the president met the opposition of many republicans, especially those from New England and of the united democrats, yet when the roll was finally called in the senate on whether or not this corporation tax should be made a part of the new tariff law all the republicans but five voted for it and all the democrats against it but two. To the tax on the corporation is added another provision of very large importance to the people. The additional provision requires the corporation to report to the government its stock and bond values thereof, its stockholders and who they are. Its earnings and where they come from, its disbursements and where they go. The effect of this publicity feature is, first, that minority stockholders know just what the fellows in control of the corporation are doing, how much they really earn, how much they really disburse and what the disbursements are for. With this information the minor stockholder does not need to be at the mercy of the majority. But this is not the only value of the publicity feature. Its still greater value to the public is that a stop is put to stock watering and stock jobbing. The original manipulation in stocks is put out of business by this law. The law lets in the light on corporations. Light is what the public wants. Dark lantern concerns cannot live under the law."

**One Republican Governor.**  
Lieutenant Governor Hopewell was introduced by Senator Brown as "the only governor Nebraska has with northwesterning." Mr. Hopewell confined his remarks to lauding republican policies and past commendable actions of republican legislators. He also criticized the democratic view of a non-partisan judiciary. Further, he expressed his pleasure at learning that the democratic party and decency were shaking hands.  
Senator Brown remarked later that the hand-shake was a farewell shake.  
William Hayward was introduced by Senator Aldrich of David City and spoke on "The Legislature of 1907," laying the record of that body before his hearers and

### President Taft Agrees With Knox; Crane is Retired

Executive Wires that Much as He Regrets to Do So, the Resignation is Accepted.

WASHINGTON, Oct. 14.—All doubt as to what action the president would take with respect to the resignation of Charles R. Crane, minister designate to China, was dispelled by the receipt this morning of a dispatch from President Taft, addressed to his secretary, Mr. Carpenter, directing him to convey to Mr. Crane announcement of the fact that the resignation had been accepted.

The telegram was dated Prescott, Ariz., October 13, and reads as follows: "Convey to Mr. Crane following communication: 'I concur in the letter under date of October 12, which the secretary of state addressed to you and I greatly regret circumstances found to exist which make it necessary for me to accept your resignation.'"

TAFT.  
"I am greatly relieved by the president's decision. There has been no minute since I learned that attitude of the Department of State which I have not contemplated the possibility of a continuance of my official relations with the deepest repugnance."

"Nevertheless I have felt that my obligation to the president was to permit him to decide the issue. I have appreciated fully what would be involved in a decision by him that I should continue. I have realized also the impossibility of his securing information at this time. He has chosen to base his decision upon circumstances found by the secretary of state."

"I accepted the Chinese mission at Mr. Taft's request and solely because of assurances that I could be and would be permitted to be of service to the country in constructive work of the greatest importance to it and of the greatest interest to me."

"It has made perfectly clear that conditions here were not, and are not such as to make this possible. To demonstrate this has involved a personal humiliation such as no self-respecting man who is drafted into the public service should be called on to endure, but I am grateful, indeed, that I have had the test of official confidence and support here rather than in China and now rather than at some real crisis involving the honor or the interest of the nation."

"I think I should state at this time that until I arrived here last Sunday, I had never seen the newspaper article which is made the excuse for my recall, nor had I read the article which had been published, and at my interview with the secretary of state, it was not shown to me. I accepted the description of my character and consequences then given to me and assumed full responsibility for my connection with it, purely incidental as that connection was."

Mr. Crane left here today at 3 o'clock for New York.

### Burglar Steals Seven Cents and Gets Prison Term

Self-Confessed Robber May Serve Ten Years for Theft of Child's Toy Bank.

CHICAGO, Oct. 14.—Robert Keller, a self-confessed burglar, was today sentenced to an indeterminate term in the state penitentiary after being found guilty of stealing 7 cents.

The crime was committed September 24, when Keller entered a house in Chicago and was surprised by a police sergeant. His sole plunder was a baby's toy bank, containing the 7 cents.

"It is tough to be sent to jail for maybe ten years," said Keller after the sentence was imposed, "when I got only 7 cents."

### Auto Speed Race Fatal to Woman

ST. CHARLES, Mo., Oct. 14.—Mrs. Charles A. Swade of St. Louis was killed when she drove a racing automobile this afternoon, crashed through the fence while making sixty miles an hour. Ireland lost control of the car and was slightly hurt.

The race was a feature of the centennial celebration here.

The racing car tore away forty feet of fence on which the spectators were sitting. Mrs. Swade and several persons were injured. Mrs. Swade's skull was crushed.

### John Rush Sues to Stop Property-Injuring Stench

Residents of the vicinity of Thirteenth and Cassel streets have begun an action in district court to put a stop to what they assert is a vigorous odor, an all pervading smell, an offensive stench, a too lively flavor, an indelicate scent, a troublesome aroma, a discomforting effluvia, everything, in fact, except the "good old Anglo-Saxon" word which does not obtain in polite society.

John Rush, formerly city and county treasurer and a resident of Omaha for forty years, and his wife, Annie Rush, are the plaintiffs in the suit which is brought for an injunction against the Smith-Lockwood Manufacturing company. The defendants operate a whip manufacturing and a tannery, and it is the latter part of the business that is complained of.

The suit will cause a considerable stir when it comes to trial, because it involves not only the right of residents to abate a nuisance, in this case an alleged odor of packing house proportions, but an alleged lethargy on the part of the city officials. The plaintiffs a year ago sought relief from the city council, which passed a resolution ordering Health Commissioner Connell to investigate and return recommending a conference and saying that he had urged the company to remove its hide-picking vats to the river side, but that the com-

### GAYNOR RESIGNS FROM THE BENCH

Political Situation in New York Waxing Exceedingly Warm and Interesting.

### DEMOCRATIC LEADER VERY ILL

Evins Comes Out with Another Attack on Supreme Court Justice.

### CHARGES IMPROPER DECISIONS

Affair Goes Back to Removal of Sheriff in Race Track Case.

### RETIREMENT NOT UNEXPECTED

Number of Independent Tickets Beats All Records in Gotham—Official Ballot Will Be Over Four Feet Wide.

NEW YORK, Oct. 14.—With State Senator Patrick H. McCarron, democratic leader of Brooklyn, seriously ill; with William M. Evins, the republican supporter of Hearst, making additional charges against Gaynor, and eighteen more indictments returned against Tammany election officers in connection with the alleged theft of the independence league primaries, there was plenty of material to sustain interest in the political situation during the day. One of the more formal occurrences was the resignation of Gaynor as a justice of the state supreme court, a step which has been looked for ever since his acceptance of the democratic nomination for mayor.

Evins, who charged Gaynor on Monday night last with conspiring to defeat the enforcement of the anti-race track betting law in this state, a charge in which he is supported by Assistant District Attorney Elder of Brooklyn, came out today with another broadside in which he charged the former justice with attempting to upset the state constitution by an improper decision. His declaration is based upon the so-called Guden case of several years back, involving the removal by Governor Odell of a sheriff of Kings county (Brooklyn).

Guden was removed on evidence that he had made pre-election promises, agreeing to make certain appointments if elected. Evins charges that Gaynor had the case reopened in order to gain public commendation and to overthrow the governor. In his decision at the time Gaynor held that the sheriff's removal was illegal, but this was reversed by the higher court of the state. After reviewing the case at length, Evins in his statement says:

"A few days after the appellate division had reversed Gaynor the latter was walking through the corridors of the court house and met one of the district attorneys, who said: 'By the way, I see the appellate division has reversed you on this Guden case.'"

"The judge replied: 'I didn't think that they would have the tendency to do it, because I saw them before I gave my decision in the first instance and they promised me that they would sustain me.'"

Never before in the history of New York have so many independent tickets been placed in the field. There will be at least twenty of them, necessitating the use of an official ballot on election day, November 3, four feet, two inches wide and fifteen inches deep. This is believed to be the largest ballot ever used anywhere.

### Key West Needs Help from Outside

Victims of Recent Hurricane Require Assistance People Are Unable to Furnish.

KEY WEST, Fla., Oct. 14.—Immediate assistance from the outside world is necessary to carry on the work of cleaning up the city and caring for the victims of the hurricane of last Monday.

Mayor Fogarty today announced that the city was forced to suspend work because of lack of funds. Great suffering already is reported among the employes of the large tobacco factories, which suffered heavily by the storm. Sewers are broken and clogged throughout the town and an epidemic of sickness is feared.

**Speculative Account Invalid.**  
FORT DODGE, Ia., Oct. 14.—(Special Telegram.)—John Pearsons, brother-in-law of Senator J. P. Dolliver, has won his case in the United States circuit court of appeals the suit brought by Ware Leland to recover upon book account and notes. The case was tried here in June, 1907, in the federal court and the verdict given for the defendant on the claim that Ware & Leland were conducting a bucket shop and their account was contracted illegally. There was several thousands of dollars involved.

### Six Killed in Explosion.

MAASSLUIM, The Netherlands, Oct. 14.—While torpedo boats were engaged today in clearing wrecks from the coast near Scheveningen, a ship's pinnace was destroyed by an explosion of acid. A first lieutenant and five men were killed.

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THE HEARST PHOENIX

From the New York World.

### TAFT VIEWS NATURE'S WORKS

President Rises Early and Views Wonders of the Grand Canyon.

### SPENDS THE DAY IN SIGHTSEEING

President Diaz of Mexico is Accorded Magnificent Welcome at Chihuahua While Enroute to Meet Mr. Taft.

GRAND CANYON, Ariz., Oct. 14.—A picnic lunch at Grandview, a sunset trip to Hopi Point and a stage ride of thirty-five miles made up President Taft's stay at the Grand Canyon of the Colorado today.

The president tonight was the guest of honor of Governor Sloan of Arizona at a formal dinner at El Tovar hotel and left at 11 p. m. for Albuquerque enroute to El Paso, Tex., where on Saturday morning he will meet President Diaz of Mexico.

The president's first view of the canon, where he gazed thirteen miles across space to the opposite rim, had the same effect upon him, he said, which it must have upon all who see it—a feeling of awe in the face of the terrific force that through ages cut such a rift in the rock.

The president, accompanied by Governor Sloan, Postmaster General Hitchcock, John Hays Hammond and other members of his party, arrived here before daylight. After breakfast at the hotel the day's sightseeing began with a stage ride to Hopi Point, where the greatest panoramic view of the canon is to be had. Lunch was served picnic fashion at the edge of a great precipice. Mr. Taft was anxious to go down the trail into the valley, but time did not permit.

### President Diaz Wins Favor.

EL PASO, Tex., Oct. 14.—A magnificent welcome was accorded President Diaz in the city of Chihuahua yesterday and today. His arrival was heralded by the blowing of every whistle and the ringing of every bell in the city and the booming of cannon. He was met at the foot of Avenida Jauregui by the entertainment committee and presented with an immense silver key to the city.

The roofs of the buildings were packed with spectators. At many points the people broke through the lines, crowded about his carriage and loaded it with flowers. The last three blocks of his progress was through a line of thousands of school children singing the national anthem.

Tonight President Diaz was the guest of honor at a banquet. His train leaves Chihuahua early tomorrow for Jauregui and will arrive there early in the afternoon. During President Diaz's stay in Chihuahua he was presented with two loving cups of solid gold, one by the foreign clubs, composed mostly of Americans, and another by the Casino club, accompanied by a certificate of membership engraved on solid gold.

### BISHOP M'VICKAR SPEAKS

Address Made to Brotherhood of St. Andrew Now in Session at Providence.

PROVIDENCE, R. I., Oct. 14.—The twenty-fourth annual convention of the Brotherhood of St. Andrew in Grace church today began with a celebration of holy communion, followed by an address by Bishop William M. McVickar, D. D. The delivery of "The Charge to the Brotherhood," by Rev. R. P. Williams, rector of Trinity church, was the principal event of the afternoon with a public meeting bringing the day's session to a close.

### Dr. Wu Talks With Spirits of Mother and McKinley

WASHINGTON, Oct. 14.—Dr. Wu Ting Fang, the learned and popular Chinaman who is about to retire from the post of minister of China, pursued still further last night his investigation into the mysteries of spiritism as demonstrated by Washington spiritualists.

The woman medium who officiated brought to him messages purporting to come from the late President McKinley, who was an intimate friend of Dr. Wu, and also from the minister's own mother. The latter was the more startling because apparently delivered in the Chinese language.

These messages are claimed by the spiritualists to be brought to the medium in trance by the spirit of a 16-year-old American Indian girl, under whose "control" she speaks but broken English; yet the conversation between Dr. Wu and the medium, while ostensibly under this "control," was somewhat extensive, lasting fully five minutes, and seemed to be in the Chinese language.

"The Indian girl told what she foresaw in the future in connection with the Chinese minister. First of all, she saw 'much fighting' in the far away country which he came. His native land was preparing, she said, for a great struggle, it was building ships of war. Dr. Wu would be vitally interested in this terrible

### Dead Bank Robber May Have Been Former Attorney

Vaudeville Actress Claims to Have Met Man in West and Later in Chicago.

CHICAGO, Oct. 14.—The Chicago police were satisfied tonight that the man who robbed the bank of D. M. Erskine & Co. at Highland Park, Ill., Wednesday, and committed suicide when run down by the authorities, was Lamar A. Harris of Los Angeles, an attorney.

Late today Miss May Harrington, a vaudeville actress appearing here, told the police that she had met Harris in Los Angeles and that he had looked her up in Chicago a few days ago. She last saw him Friday, when she took dinner with him at a local hotel. She said she first met Harris in Los Angeles last August. When he found her here he entertained lavishly and spent money freely. When Miss Harrington saw Harris last Friday he told her he was going away soon and probably would not see her again.

The police have been requested by relatives of Harris in Los Angeles for a full description of the body of the dead bandit. It was forwarded tonight.

Miss Harrington's narrative of her experience with Harris in Chicago was confirmed by Frank Leighton, an actor now in St. Louis, who met Harris in Los Angeles, and also in Chicago last week, having been entertained by him at dinner on several occasions.

### NET CLOSING AROUND NEGRO

Police Have Strong Evidence in Frankland Murder Case.

### SUSPECT PAWNS VICTIM'S WATCH

Also Has Knife with Blood Stains on Blade, but Stoutly Denies Killing Man at Union Depot.

A negro known as Thomas Johnson is held by the police as the slayer of Henry Frankland of Chicago, who was found dying from knife wounds about his throat on Tenth street near Union station Wednesday night. The officers believe that they have strong evidence against Johnson and hope to gain a confession before the case is brought to trial.

The evidence standing against Johnson identifies him as the man who sold a watch which was carried by the victim. The suspected negro's clothes bore blood stains, which he explained but weakly, and he has been identified as the man seen in company with Frankland about Union station on the day and evening of the killing.

Johnson told the police that he was a cook. He has been in Omaha for several weeks at least, and in the last month has been employed as a waiter at the Henshaw, and for a few days at the Rome.

Johnson was released from the state penitentiary last July for the robbery of the Eumathgar saloon, near Union depot. At this same place he and the murdered man were drinking together shortly before the crime was committed. Johnson served about two years. He was convicted of entering the saloon and taking \$125 from the cash register.

Johnson had been about Union station several times Thursday, and it is presumed that he was preparing to leave the city. He shipped a valise and a suit case to Chicago. They have been intercepted by the officers and will be returned Friday. Further evidence may be obtained from their contents.

H. A. Cunningham and W. T. Deveress, detectives, were sent to Union station on a tip to the police that the man seen with Frankland was there. They arrested Johnson and he was searched and examined at the station by Captain Mott.

### Sold Victim's Gold Watch.

A valuable watch carried by Frankland was found by detectives in Hascol Segal's pawnshop.

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### PENNANT HOVERS OVER TWO NINES

Detroit Wins Sixth Game in World's Series by Narrow Margin and Ties Race.

### DECISIVE CONTEST SATURDAY

Tigers' Victory Means Seventh Game in Trophy Battle.

### DETROIT PLAYERS CRIPPLED

Tom Jones Badly Injured—Schmidt and Moriarity Also Hurt.

### MULLIN PITCHES GREAT GAME

Twifler Unmercifully Hammered in First Inning, but Overcomes Batting with Revelation Work—Schmidt Also a Hero.

Standing of the Teams.

Team	Played	Won	Lost	Pct.
Pittsburg	5	3	2	.600
Detroit	5	2	3	.400

DETROIT, Mich., Oct. 14.—Detroit kept in the great fight for the world's base ball championship by defeating Pittsburg, 5 to 4, today in a battle full of sensational and thrilling situations and to-night the two teams are tied, with three victories each. The seventh and deciding game will be played here Saturday. A fear-inspiring rally in the sixth inning by Pittsburg was stopped after one run was scored, but three Detroit players were injured in stemming the rush of Pittsburg runs.

Tom Jones, the Detroit first baseman, was the most seriously hurt. His neck and spine were injured in a collision with Wilson at first base and this resulted in Pittsburg scoring its run of that session. Charles Schmidt, the catcher, had his leg badly gashed in blocking Abstein off the plate in the final inning. The play that finished the threatening rally of the National league champions resulted in the injury of George Moriarity when he caught Wilson trying to steal third on Abbattochio's strikeout. In the same inning Moriarity's left knee was badly hurt when Wilson slid into the base.

Tom Jones was so badly hurt that he was carried from the field in an unconscious condition. He recovered consciousness in the club house and insisted that he be taken to his home, rather than to a hospital. He was taken home in an ambulance and it is practically certain he will not be able to play in Saturday's game. Schmidt, it is thought, will be able to play and there is no doubt that Moriarity will be in the decisive battle. The injury to Jones has hastened the shifting of Crawford to first base. D. Jones to center field and the sending of McIntyre to left.

**Pittsburg Gets Early Start.**  
The Pittsburg team "got away" in the lead by amply repaying the Detroit team after that the great Mullin was invincible until the ninth, when he weakened enough to get into a dangerous situation, only to extricate himself by another marvelous exhibition of pitching.

Detroit put up another of its wonderful uphill games. The American league champions scored one run in the first inning and batted Willis off the slab by scoring two runs in the fourth and one more in the fifth by terrific batting. Camnitz succeeded Willis, and Detroit batted him hard enough to get another run in the sixth inning. Camnitz was withdrawn when Hyatt batted for him in the seventh and the veteran Phillips stopped the Detroit team scoring.

The ninth inning rally of Pittsburg teemed with tense moments and dramatic incidents. At one time a hit meant the probable winning of the world's championship by Pittsburg when a single would have tied the score and a two-bagger, perhaps, would have put Pittsburg in the lead.

Pittsburg went to bat with a score of 5 to 3 against it in the last inning. Miller started with a single to right and Abstein put another in the same place, sending Miller to second. Wilson placed a bunt in front of the plate and Schmidt flew out to first, but the collision with Wilson caused Jones to lose the ball, Miller crossed and Abstein moving to third. The delay occasioned by Tom Jones' injury gave Mullin an opportunity to recover his balance. Gibson grounded to Crawford, who had succeeded T. Jones at the first base, and the star fielder made a great stop and throw to the plate. Abstein was out when Schmidt blocked him off the plate and tagged him, but the Detroit catcher was in front of the plate and Schmidt, however, and few in the crowd knew that he had been injured.

### Mullin Proves His Mastery.

Manager Clarke sent Abbattochio in to bat for Phillips. With Wilson on second and Gibson on first, a hit by Abbattochio meant a tie score at least. Here is where Mullin arose. He pitched and made himself another notch in the Detroit base ball hall of fame. He performed a feat that nearly equaled his great performance of striking out Clarke and Wagner in Tuesday's game. Abbattochio was a stubborn batter and it required nearly everything Mullin had to strike him out.

On the third strike Wilson tried to steal third, but was caught, Schmidt to Moriarity, ending the game with a victory for Detroit.

The crowd rushed upon the field and the players were jubled about by the mob of cheering Detroit supporters anxious to shake their hands and congratulate them. The injured Moriarity was surrounded by a crowd of sympathizers and an attempt was made to carry George Mullin off the field, but the big pitcher evaded his would-be captors.

Today's wonderful game has set Detroit base ball mad again. The interest in the series was beginning to wane a bit because of the long, drawn-out fight and the decisive victory of Pittsburg yesterday, but tonight conditions are changed. Every one in the city believes Detroit will be the next world's champions and capture the title after two unsuccessful attempts against the Chicago Nationals.

The waning interest in the series was clearly shown by the fact that only 10,535 persons saw the game. The receipts for the day were \$12,517.50. Of this the national commission will receive \$1,251.75 and each club owner \$5,627.75.

**New Record for Crowds.**  
This brings the total attendance for the series up to 32,824 for six games. This is (Continued on Fourth Page.)