

HUGHES OR ROOSEVELT?

Movements of Politicians Show Plan to Nominates New York's Governor, Holland, in Philadelphia Press.

In view of the departure of President Roosevelt for a somewhat prolonged excursion through the West, South and Mississippi Valley, and the probability that some demonstrations serving to show the intensity and tenacity of the confidence in and admiration for the President will then be made, one of his true friends in this city was asked this morning what in his opinion is to be the presidential politics of the Republicans, soon to begin in this State through the meeting of the Republican State committee.

His reply came so instantly that it was apparent that he had already given much thought to the subject and had reached a conclusion. He said: "In my opinion it is to be either Hughes or a third term."

This opinion came from one who is so sincere in his friendship with the President that he can afford sometimes to speak with mention and even with gentle criticism. Thus he has sometimes said that he has been apprehensive that the President had somewhat impaired his authority with men who are cautious or conservative by reason of his somewhat excessive use of epithets or adjectives.

In this respect a striking difference between the addresses of President Roosevelt and the many already made by Governor Hughes, and especially those he is now engaged in making from time to time to the other, is very noticeable.

This friend frankly confesses that he would regret the second nomination and election of President Roosevelt to what is practically a third consecutive term, and in great part because of the fact that the temper of the American people, and their peculiar disposition to shift with great suddenness their opinions, as was shown during the time of the second term of Grover Cleveland, President Roosevelt would, if he were to serve a third consecutive term, find himself constantly in danger of being confronted with one of those violent tempests of public opinion of which the history of American politics contains so many narratives.

Some men are speaking for public opinion, but do not speak in private. Certain Congressmen of this State are professedly warm supporters of the purpose to cause the Republican national convention at the very outset after its organization to demand with overwhelming and irresistible clamor and enthusiasm that President Roosevelt be named a second time for what is practically a third consecutive term. These politicians, however, when asked how they explain their public professions of admiration for the President with their private statements that a good politician must never attempt to prevent a stampedee by standing in front. He should appear to follow the crowd, striving in that way to divert the procession, or, as the cowboys of the plains do, by indirectness and upon the flank of persuasive the stampeding herd to enter the corral.

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THE WEATHER.

Washington, Oct. 1.—Forecast for Wednesday and Thursday: Virginia, fair and cooler Wednesday; extreme south portion Thursday fair; fresh north to northeast winds.

Eastern Florida, scattered showers Wednesday and Thursday; light, variable winds, becoming west.

Alabama, western Florida, Mississippi, Louisiana, possibly showers along the coast; Thursday fair; fresh northeast winds.

Western Texas and Arkansas, fair Wednesday and Thursday.

Tennessee, Kentucky and West Virginia, fair Wednesday; Thursday fair and warmer.

LOCAL OFFICE U. S. WEATHER BUREAU Charlotte, Oct. 1.—Sunrise 6:23 a. m.; sunset 5:38 p. m.

TEMPERATURE (in degrees). Highest temperature 74. Lowest temperature 62. Mean temperature 69.

PRECIPITATION (in inches). Total for 24 hours ending 4 p. m. 0.28. Total for the month 0.28.

WIRELESS TO PHILIPPINES? Marconi Experts in Nova Scotia Claim to Have Picked up Manila Station.

While Marconi experts were testing new focusing cones at the top of the tower at the station at Port Morien, an operator was in communication with the wireless station at Manila.

The Marconi people say that no mistake was made and that the message was undoubtedly sent by the Manila station, which is about 12,000 miles distant, and that as a result experiments with the stations in the East will shortly be attempted.

Seattle, Wash., Oct. 1.—The cruiser Philadelphia, referred to in a dispatch from Sydney, N. S., last night which stated that a wireless message had been "picked up" by the station at Morien, C. B., saying that the cruiser had reached Manila, is at the Bremerton Navy Yard.

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Washburne, Oct. 1.—At the home of the bride's parents, Mr. and Mrs. G. Thomas of Burnsville township, Sunday morning Miss Mary T. Thomas became the bride of Mr. C. C. Holmes, a prominent young farmer of Union county.

Washburne, Oct. 1.—A large group of young men and women were seen to have a very merry time at the dance given by the Gen Hotel Co.

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