

Senator Pritchard Says a Few Words on Politics

State Expenses Under Democratic Administration to Be Attacked—On His Way to Oyster Bay

By THOMAS J. RENCE

Washington, Aug. 20.—Special.—Extraordinary as their administration, the tariff issue and industrial expansion will be the battle cry of the Republican party in the campaign in North Carolina according to Senator Pritchard who arrived in Washington today. The Senator is not inclined to indulge in campaign promises though he predicted that the Republicans would elect congressmen in all three of the mountain districts—the Eighth, Ninth and Tenth. So far as his reelection was concerned he expressed the opinion that the outlook was never better in North Carolina for the Republican cause.

Senator Pritchard is on his way to Oyster Bay, where he goes at the invitation of the President to be his guest tomorrow afternoon. He was accompanied to Washington by his bright little eight-year-old son, McKinley, who has desired to enter the Republican service.

After spending the day here, Senator Pritchard took the midnight train for New York and will proceed to Oyster Bay during the day, arriving there in time for the engagement tomorrow afternoon with the President.

The visit of the Senator to the temporary capital of the nation on Long Island is altogether personal. Federal patronage has nothing to do with it. Undoubtedly President Roosevelt will discuss political conditions in North Carolina and it is safe to assert that he will have something to say about the attitude of Southern Republicans generally with respect to the candidacy of Theodore Roosevelt at his own successor. This is the subject that most interests the President just now.

The Southern delegation is a very important factor in all national conventions. Speaking of the acceptance of his invitation for a joint discussion by Locke Craig, Senator Pritchard said he desired to begin the canvass at the Democratic convention not later than September 15th. He said he understood that it was Mr. Craig's desire to open the joint discussion at Kingston. Senator Pritchard said this would be agreeable to him. While none of the details of the arrangements for the joint discussion have been agreed upon and they will not until after the Republican State convention next week, the Senator said he was sure that there would be no limit to the canvass and that both state and national issues would be discussed.

Asked what would be the issue in the campaign in North Carolina, the Senator laid stress on the fact that the state administration had been forced to borrow \$200,000 to finance the government. "The sum will be larger than that," he said. "Not only has there been a large increase in expenditures, but there has been a large increase in receipts. The expenses of the administration are far in excess of those under Republican and Populist rule."

"I notice Senator Simmons says the tariff will be the issue in the campaign," said Senator Pritchard. "Mr. Bryan and other leading Democrats have said the same thing. I am sure that the tariff would be the issue to place raw materials on the free list. Tariff revision would sound the death-knell of industrial activity in this country. I intend to make the tariff in connection with industrial expansion, showing the practical value of protection to manufacturers and the extension of the trade of our factories to foreign countries."

Senator Pritchard said the prospects were growing brighter for Republicans in North Carolina. He expressed the opinion that both Congressman Moody and Blackburn would be re-elected, and predicted that the Republican nominee would win in the new Eighth. Asked whom the candidates will be, he said he did not know. He stated that his

brother, Mr. George Pritchard, would not enter the race. As a Republican, he would nominate for chief justice, Mr. Pritchard said he had not the least idea. "Will it be Hill?" I asked. "They say Hill is a good man, don't they?" "A good man, but I don't think he is nominated. I don't say who the nominee will be, for I really have no idea. Senator Pritchard is not a well man by any means. His friends have advised him to take a rest and it is thought his trip north will do him much good."

The hearing in the case of B. H. Butler, colored, who is wanted by the North Carolina authorities to answer a charge of larceny, which was to have been held today before Justice Glendon, was postponed until Friday. Butler is charged with stealing a diamond brooch from Mrs. J. Donald Pickard while she was a passenger on a Pullman train en route between Charlotte, N. C., and this city.

When the matter came on for hearing today Attorney Tracy I. Jeffers, representing the prisoner, filed a petition for a writ of habeas corpus asking for Butler's release from custody. Pending the hearing of this petition Butler was released from custody on \$1,000 bail. Bernard Courvoisier, Butler's attorney, was a waiter in the dining car attached to the train on which Mrs. Pickard traveled, and waited on her during her travels.

Senator Pritchard and Judge Boyd were chatting in the lobby of the Ebbitt today when I showed them an Asheville report which transferred the judge to the court of claims and arranged for Senator Pritchard to take the judgeship of the western district of North Carolina. Both had a hearty laugh.

"The most I think I am a generous sort of a fellow," Judge Boyd remarked, "because I would be resigning an office the salary of which is \$5,000 to accept one that pays \$4,500." There is nothing at all in this story. There is one judgeship that Senator Pritchard may receive and that has yet to be created. If a third circuit judge is appointed in the circuit in which Senator Pritchard will be the appointee.

An interview of much interest was given by V. A. Oldham of Columbus, Ohio, in a morning paper. "If the Republicans are smart; they will pick Roosevelt's running mate from the south," remarked Mr. Oldham. "The south in the matter of furnishing candidates for president and vice-president," said Mr. Oldham, "has been ignored now for nearly forty years and I think the time has come to consider the claims of the section of a country that furnishes 172 electoral votes."

"President Roosevelt, unless the unexpected happens, will be nominated to succeed himself. As this disposes of the presidential nomination, interest at once attaches to the second man on the ticket. There are plenty of able men in the south who would add strength to the ticket. I could name half a dozen southern Republicans any one of whom would receive strong support in the south. There is representative Walter P. Brownlow of Tennessee, ex-representative Hawley of Texas, Senator Pritchard of North Carolina, ex-Governor Bradley of Kentucky, Senator McComas of Maryland and others. They are men of ability."

"Because they are from the south should be no bar to their availability, and as a number of the southern states, notably Alabama, Louisiana, Virginia, North Carolina, South Carolina and Mississippi have practically eliminated the negro as a political factor it is but a question of a year or two when there will be politically no such thing as a solid south."

"The best way to hasten this much to be desired condition is for the Republican national convention of 1904 to select some well known southern Republican for Roosevelt's running mate, and if that is done it will be all over but the shouting, for the Democrats won't have the ghost of a show."

Work for the Party the Only Passport

The President Lays Down the Law to Republicans Who Exist for Party Patronage

Oyster Bay, Aug. 20.—In a conversation with Chairman Cecil Lyon of the Republican state committee of Texas, President Roosevelt today said some very severe things about a certain type of Republican factionalism, the type which exists itself only to obtain recognition as the leading faction to monopolize patronage and get delegates to conventions, and never is known by effective work on election day. The president's remarks to Mr. Lyon were called out by a complaint which Mr. Lyon came to Oyster Bay to make.

Several weeks ago, ex-Congressman Hawley came out to see the president and on his return the Texas newspaper blossomed with yarns that the president was supporting that part of the Texas Republican organization which was seeking to down Mr. Lyon. The president had never heard of the factional trouble with any detail, however, until Mr. Lyon came out here today and asked what he could do to avert the calamity which seemed to impend over his forces if the president were really going to help the opposition.

When Mr. Lyon had stated his woes to the president Mr. Roosevelt said to him with the utmost plainness and directness that nobody had any right to assume to speak for the president with regard to affairs in Texas. The president said that he was not taking sides with anybody in Texas or against anybody. The president expressed himself as altogether dissatisfied and impatient with those Republicans who devoted all their energies to carrying on factional divisions in any state like Texas or Virginia, in which the Republican party is in a minority, but nevertheless has an occasional chance to do something on election day. The president said he felt that the credit and recognition would fall to those Republican leaders who

were able to make substantial showing at the polls, especially for the candidates for congress, and that he would not try to divert the full strength of the party on election day had no claims upon the president's consideration.

The president has told his visitors lately that he did not want to be regarded as demanding impossible things of southern Republicans. He feels very strongly that opportunities to elect Republican congressmen in the south which are neglected because the members of the organization think that they completed their claims for federal patronage by the simple process of organizing and calling themselves Republicans and putting out their hands for recognition as a matter of right.

One way in which worthy men in the south may attract the president's attention to themselves as available candidates for office, according to the men who have talked with him recently, is by accepting nominations on the Republican ticket and by making an aggressive and educational campaign. A good man, a natural party leader, who makes such a fight as he can for the credit that fight is the president with the feeling that it

will serve as a first-class letter of introduction for him. Director Roberts of the mint was a caller today. Mr. Roberts has bought the Des Moines Register and will become an editor some time during the next year. He said today that he did not know just when he would leave the government service, but he was not going very soon.

Stopped Into Live Coals
"When a child I burned my foot frightfully," writes W. H. Eads, of Jonesboro, Va., which caused horrible leg sores for 30 years, but Bucklen's Arnica Salve wholly cured me after everything else failed. Infallible for Itch, Scalds, Cuts, Sores, Bruises and Piles. Sold by all druggists; 25c.

CONTINENTAL TOUR

Boer Generals Intend to Go on the Platform

The Hague, Aug. 20.—The Boer generals returned from their visit to Mr. Kruger this evening. It is understood now that they have decided to make a continental tour. They will, however, go to Brussels and will then return to London. They expect to hold several conferences at the colonial office before beginning their career as public lecturers. Much depends on what arrangements will be made with Mr. Chamberlain, who it is reported is ready to place all three on an advisory council, and is also ready to discuss what measures of autonomy would be desirable for South Africa at the present time. General DeWet has almost completed his book on the war, the other commanders, Delarey and Botha, will write a preface to it.

A Ragging, Hoarding Flood
Chas. C. Ellis, of Lisbon, Ia., had to repulse a "ragging" water, "gave me a terrible cold and cough. It grew worse daily. Finally the best doctors in Oakland, Neb., Sioux City and Omaha said I had Consumption and could not live. Then I began using Dr. King's New Discovery and was wholly cured by six bottles. Positively guaranteed for Coughs, Colds and Throat and Lung troubles, by all druggists. Price 50c.

IN DEEP MOURNING

Miss Van Alen Starts the Newport Gossips Again

Newport, Aug. 20.—An incident happened today which looked very peculiar in view of the fact that it is reported that the engagement of Miss Van Alen to Mr. Remington had been broken. It was the appearance of Miss Van Alen in the street today dressed in deep mourning. It was reported that this was so early in the day, and on investigation it was found to be true. Early in the day Miss Van Alen was driven to the yacht club and from there took a launch to the steam yacht *Maoha*, where she passed the day with her sister, Mrs. Robert J. Collier. Miss Van Alen was dressed in deep mourning and wore a heavy black veil over her face. She appeared to be ill and it was thought that a day on the water would do her good. This was the first time that she has left her room since the suicide.

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The cause of the explosion is not known definitely, but it is attributed to excess of steam and weak places in the boilers. The men who were caught in the wreckage were scalded by steam and burned by the acid in the boilers, the monetary loss to the company is about \$200,000. The plant will have to suspend work for some time.

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A motion was made to adopt the minority report which would give Hale Cumberland's entire delegation. The minority report was adopted by a vote of 203 19-70 to 105 21-76. Thus Bellamy's first card was trumped.

Pandemonium reigned supreme when Robeson polled its vote. Chairman McIntyre voted Robeson's 82 votes, which brought forth hearty and loud dissent from thirty odd Robeson delegates. But the chair made a unit rule for this county and the minority delegate, Chairman Myrover upon being called upon for a decision on the Robeson "split vote" decided that that delegation must vote as a unit.

Dr. W. H. G. Lucas of Bladen placed Hon. J. A. Brown of Columbus in nomination. Chairman J. H. Myrover of Cumberland placed Major Edward J. Hale of Cumberland in nomination, yielding the chair for the time to Hon. Stephen McIntyre of Robeson. Hon. Dan Hugh McLean of Harnett placed in nomination Hon. John D. Bellamy of New Hanover. Hon. Stephen McIntyre of Robeson nominated his fellow countryman, Hon. Gilbert B. Patterson.

COUNSEL ARGUED FROM SCRAP BOOK

Monroe Rogers Before the Attorney General of Massachusetts

Boston, Aug. 20.—Attorney General Parker gave a hearing this afternoon in the state house in the case of Monroe Rogers who is now in jail at Brockton, wanted by the authorities of North Carolina on a charge of arson. Clements, Sores, Bruises and Piles. Sold by all druggists; 25c.

Counsel Morgan introduced Col. N. P. Hallowell, who was armed with a huge scrap-book from which he read at length and argued that the promise of a fair trial which the North Carolina authorities have pledged the Massachusetts authorities would be vouchered for the runaway, was an impossibility. He quoted from a Durham (N. C.) newspaper to prove that 99 per cent of negro cases were in danger of Judge Lynch, and asked that the application for extradition be refused on this ground.

Counsel Morgan attempted to cite a case bearing on the hearing in proof that the negro in the South could not get justice, but his lot was an unhappy one apparently. The attorney general refused to permit the citation of the difference between sentiment and duty, and emphasized his invitation to them to do their best to bring forward facts and arguments in favor of their client. This seemed to be a rather difficult undertaking, and the appeal again rested on the assertion that fairness for the prisoner in any trial in the South was a most remote possibility.

The attorney general's opinion will be sent to the governor probably tomorrow.

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The tributes by Dr. Skinner were peculiarly appropriate and was a high and deserving tribute to the useful life and noble character of Dr. Marshall.

Mr. W. S. Jones presided over the meeting, and Mr. Arthur Johnson, as clerk of the church, acted as secretary.

The special feature of the meeting was the adoption of resolutions in memoriam of Dr. Marshall. These were impressively read by Mr. Thomas H. Buttz and were adopted by the church. They follow:

IN MEMORIAM
The members of the First Baptist Church, Raleigh, N. C., in special meeting assembled, on this third evening (August 20th, 1902), after the death of our beloved pastor, Alexis Abraham Marshall, D. D., LL. D., do hereby desire to express to the family of our dear brother a sense of the deep loss we have sustained in his death and to assure them that our sympathy and affection goes out to them in their great sorrow. We also wish to record our high appreciation of the faithful manner in which he discharged the duties of his position as a minister of our Lord and Saviour Jesus Christ.

We lovingly recognize the benefits which we have received under his ministry, and have grieved that personal affliction laid such a heavy and enduring hand upon him, terminating so fatally. The faithful minister has been removed and we feelingly recognize the great loss we have sustained as a church. Faith looks beyond and has heard the welcome as through the pearly gates he passed, and rejoices that the crown he wears in the presence of his Redeemer.

"Go to the grave in all thy glorious prime. In full activity of zeal and power; A Christian cannot die before his time; The Lord's appointment is his servant's hour."

Go to the grave; at noon from labor cease; Rest on thy sheaves; thy harvest task is done. Come from the heat of battle, and in peace. Soldier, go home; with thee the fight is won.

Go to the grave; for there thy Saviour lay. In death's embrace, ere he arose on high.