

VOTE FOR VAN WYCK TO SECURE

NON-RESIDENTS HOLD MANY FAT OFFICES FOR WHICH NEW YORKERS HAVE TO PAY.

The Reform Republican Administration of the City Pays Thousands to People from Other Cities.

COMMISSIONERS, TEACHERS, ASSISTANTS, CLERKS.

Australians, Pennsylvanians, Residents of New Jersey, Rhode Island, Connecticut, Massachusetts, Etc., All Dip Into New York's Till.

ONE of the strong points that the Democrats have scored against the reformers is the fact that 6,000 more political places have been created than were in existence when Tammany went out of power. The average yearly salary paid to each of these favored incumbents is \$1,500, making an increase in the pay roll of \$9,000,000 a year.

Although the Republican administration is in control of a city of 2,000,000 inhabitants, it has gone abroad, even as far as Australia, to find persons to fill vacancies at the expense of the taxpayers of New York. There are now in office and drawing pay from the treasury of the city hundreds of place-holders who maintain their homes outside of the city, and in many instances outside of the State. The greater part of the income they derive from the municipality is spent where their homes are located instead of in New York City.

Because of this policy of appointment New York now has a Fire Commissioner from San Francisco, a Public Works Commissioner from Philadelphia, a Superintendent of the Building Department from Philadelphia, an expert accountant from Georgia, consulting engineers from Washington and Chicago, a City Magistrate from Romania, Connecticut, Virginia and other States.

Haltimere has been drawn on for a secretary to the Civil Service Commission, Massachusetts, Pennsylvania and New Jersey for aids in the Law Department, and the villages of Long Island, New Jersey, and upper New York State for school teachers. That the arraignment of the "reform" administration in this respect is capable of incontrovertible proof is to be demonstrated by reference to the civil list from which the following partial record of sample appointments has been culled:

Geo. K. Waring, Street Cleaning Commissioner, Rhode Island, \$6,000.00
E. C. O'Brien, Dock Commissioner, Plattsburg, 5,000.00



"Vote for Me, I Am the Only Reformer Left."

O. H. La Grange, Fire Commissioner, San Francisco	5,000.00
Avery D. Andrews, Police Commissioner, Yonkers, N. Y.	5,000.00
C. H. T. Coile, Department Public Works Commissioner, Philadelphia	8,000.00
S. Constable, Superintendent Building Department, Philadelphia	5,000.00
John A. Sletcher, Superintendent City Record, Albany, N. Y.	5,000.00
Herman C. Kudlich, city magistrate, Hoboken, N. J.	5,000.00
Charles W. Hawkins, expert accountant, City of Accounts office, Georgia	5,000.00
E. D. Hazen, assistant superintendent of schools, New Rochelle, N. Y.	3,458.33
E. D. Andrews, examiner, Commissioner of Accounts, Roselle, N. J.	2,800.00
E. L. Saffern, Commissioner of Accounts, Philadelphia	2,800.00
Thomas L. Casey, consulting engineer, Dock Dept., Washington, D. C.	25.00
Geo. S. Morrison, consulting engineer, Dock Dept., Chicago Ill.	25.00
Ed. M. Field, Deputy Commissioner of Taxes, West Chester	1,800.00
Thos. C. Arroyo, Deputy Commissioner of Taxes, Wakefield, N. Y.	1,800.00
H. Blumenberg, Deputy Commissioner of Taxes, Wakefield, N. Y.	1,800.00
John Clark, confidential examiner, Building Department, Paterson, N. J.	1,800.00
Wm. B. Whitney, confidential examiner, Building Department, Brooklyn	1,800.00
W. J. Mangano, foreman, Park Department, Yonkers, N. Y.	1,500.00
Dr. John T. Buchanan, teacher, Board of Education, Kansas City	8,000.00
Dr. John S. Wright, teacher, Board of Education, New Rochelle	5,000.00
Professor E. J. Goodwin, teacher, Board of Education, Newton, Mass.	5,000.00
Warren B. Travell, superintendent, Bureau of Streets, Herkimer County	2,750.00
Alfred T. Shuffler, assistant supt., Board of Education, New Rochelle	4,000.00
Gregory E. Melons, assistant superintendent, Board of Education, Brooklyn	4,000.00
Edgar D. Shimer, assistant superintendent, Board of Education, Jamaica	4,000.00
Orin H. Klein, examiner, Commissioner of Accounts, Staten Island	2,400.00
Edw. B. Hubbard, examiner, Commissioner of Accounts, Roselle, N. J.	2,400.00
George Vix, inspector, Building Department, Fair Haven, N. J.	1,200.00
Frank W. Rolly, inspector, Building Department, Yonkers	1,200.00
P. M. A. Rice, inspector, Department Public Works, Kenosha, N. Y.	1,200.00
James Doyle, ase man, Department Public Works, City Island	1,000.00
W. P. Huger, inspector, Department of Public Works, Sparkhill, N. Y.	1,200.00
James D. Cooney, inspector, Fire Department, Yonkers	1,200.00
Stephen A. Gilman, clerk, Building Department, Elmhurst, N. Y.	1,400.00
Arthur O. Miller, clerk, Building Department, West Nyack, N. Y.	1,100.00
Paul W. Walker, clerk, Building Department, Jersey City	1,100.00
Ed. McCormick, foreman, Park Department, Westchester, N. Y.	1,200.00
Rayner Farrington, assistant, Park Department, Bloomfield, N. J.	1,500.00
George W. Herbert, road man, Park Department, Brooklyn	800.00
William Roberts, inspector, Park Department Springland, N. Y.	1,200.00
Robert Gere, collector, Dock Department, Yonkers	1,800.00
David W. Mosker, transit man, Park Department, Westchester, N. Y.	1,800.00
William V. Collins, messenger, Board of Education, West Hoboken, N. J.	300.00
James De Witt, inspector, Board of Education, Rutherford, N. J.	1,200.00
George Hart, helper, Department of Charities, Newark, N. J.	720.00
Owen Leonard, orderly, Department of Charities, Orange, N. J.	180.00
Annie McDonald, orderly, Department of Charities, Huntington, L. I.	180.00
Fanny J. Bryant, nurse, Department of Charities, Leucyville, Pa.	180.00
Jessie C. Brady, nurse, Department of Charities, Ottawa, Can.	180.00
Jessie H. Church, nurse, Department of Charities, Esperance, N. Y.	180.00
Reatha Campbell, nurse, Department of Charities, Whitteville, N. B.	180.00
Myra Chapman, nurse, Department of Charities, Williamsburg, Mass.	180.00
Lizzie Darch, nurse, Department of Charities, Gloversville, N. Y.	180.00
Ann Dorsey, nurse, Department of Charities, Middleburg, Vt.	180.00

W. H. DAVE SWEARS TO GEORGE'S WORDS.

I WAS present when Henry George made his last round of speeches. I heard him say substantially what the New York Journal reported and contained in this appended extract therefrom:

I WISH TO SAY I HAVE ADVISED NO ONE TO VOTE FOR MR. LOW. IN A WAY MR. LOW AND MYSELF STAND FOR THE SAME PRINCIPLE IN THIS CAMPAIGN. HE IS A REFORMER AND I AM A REFORMER. BUT MR. LOW IS AN ARISTOCRATIC REFORMER AND I AM FROM THE COMMON PEOPLE. MR. LOW IS A REPUBLICAN AND I AM A DEMOCRAT. I ADVISE NO ONE TO VOTE FOR MR. LOW. I WOULD NOT VOTE FOR HIM, MYSELF.

Sworn and subscribed before me, David L. Godley, Notary Public, Queens County, November 1, 1897.

Wm H Dave

George Against Low.

City and County of New York, ss: CHARLES W. BALCH, being duly sworn, deposes and says that he is and has been for many years last past a professional stenographer, and that as such he reported for the New York Journal a speech of Henry George at Long Island City Court House, on October 27. That the following extract is a correct transcript of a portion of such speech:

Charles W. Balch

"Now, let me say something more. There is a third man, President Low, President of the Columbia College of New York, a rich man, born rich, always had it, who has been twice Mayor of Brooklyn.

"Gentlemen, let me say clearly and decisively, what I have said from the first, that I took this nomination to stay; whether elected or not elected was something out of my hands.

"I will not, I cannot, consent to any sort of combination with Seth Low, if he wants to combine, there is but one way to do it, and that is to withdraw. (A voice: "That is what he will have to do.") If not, we must come to the issue. I believe that the Democratic masses count for more votes than do the aristocratic masses. (Applause.)

"I regard with favor this arraignment of the Republican masses to the evils of boss rule, but I cannot waive the Democratic principle in order to favor them. Low stands, so far as he goes, for what I stand, only I stand for a good deal more. (Applause.) He would palter with the evil thing. I would reform it with an axe in the way Mr. Gleason reforms bad trees. In none of these things do I regard Mr. Low as standing for much or knowing very much. I am therefore against Mr. Low. I represent entirely divergent ideas; I represent the rule of the people, against his idea of doing something for the people. I don't believe in doing anything at all for the people. I believe in clearing the way and letting the people do it for themselves."

"Stand by Van Wyck."

Robert W. Davis, Member of Congress, Palatka, Fla.—Tammany stood loyally by the Democratic party in the last national election, and it is devoutly to be hoped the Democrats of New York will stand by Van Wyck.

DR. GIRDNER HEARD HIS LAST SPEECH.

I WAS on the platform with Henry George and presiding at the meeting when he made the last speech of his life. These were almost the final words of his speech:

"I have never asked any one to vote for Mr. Low. I would not vote for him myself. He is an honest man, but he stands for plutocracy. I stand for Democracy."

These words were uttered by Mr. George while he was standing within three or four feet of me, and I am certain as to his having used them. He also said: "Mr. Low is a reformer, and I am also a reformer, but Mr. Low is a Republican and stands for Republican ideas, which are obnoxious to me and my principles." DR. JOHN H. GIRDNER, Member of the George Executive Committee.

"Of National Import."

John W. Maddox, Member of Congress, Rome, Ga.—The results of tomorrow's election is not local only, but national! Every Democrat should vote and work for Van Wyck's election. The intense interest felt for Van Wyck's success by the party in this section is my excuse for making any suggestions, in what is claimed by some as a local fight.

"Means People's Liberty."

Thomas J. Strait, member of Congress, Lancaster, S. C.—I think it very important for every man to turn out and vote the Democratic ticket, as the success of the Democracy means liberty to the people.

WELL KNOWN DEMOCRATS ALL OVER THE COUNTRY OVER THE COUNTRY NEW

As Seen Down in Georgia. Macon, Ga., Nov. 1. Editor of the Journal: I do not desire to interfere in the local affairs of Greater New York, but believing that party organization is essential to party success, I hold it to be the duty of all Democrats to support regular Democratic nominees. Were I an elector of Greater New York I should earnestly support Van Wyck. I hope he will be triumphantly elected. C. L. BARTLETT, Representative Sixth District.

HENRY GEORGE'S LAST

"I wish to say I have advised no one to vote for the same principle in this campaign. He is a tocratic reformer and I am for the common orat. I ADVISE NO ONE TO VOTE FOR MR. LOW. I believe in the rule of the people---REFORMERS."

STATEMENTS FROM MEN WHO HEARD HIM

To the Editor of the Journal.

I AM positive that Henry George said the exact words, in his Flushing speech, that are quoted in the Journal this morning. I was on the platform very near to him, and listened closely to all that he said. He said that while Mr. Low was a Republican, he was a Democrat. He said that both he and Mr. Low were reformers, but that Mr. Low was an aristocratic reformer, while he was from the common people.

Mr. George said that he advised no one to vote for Mr. Low, and that he would not vote for him himself.

The report in the Journal is absolutely correct. Of that I am positive, LAWSON PURDY, Member Executive Committee.

"STAND BACK! I'LL TAKE CARE OF YOU."



It Will Help the Party.

San Francisco, Cal., Nov. 1. Editor of the Journal: I strongly favor Van Wyck's election. I believe his success will strengthen the Democratic party throughout the nation. Every believer in the national platform should support him, for that platform can only be carried into effect by and through the party, not through independent individuals. JOHN H. G. VESHLAGE, Representative Seventh Congressional District.

All Should Vote for Van Wyck.

Birmingham, Ala., Nov. 1. Editor of the Journal: Van Wyck is the candidate of the Democratic party. He represents and stands for its principles in their broadest sense. He should have the united support of all loyal Democrats. OSCAR W. UNDERWOOD, Representative Ninth District.