

# Woman Suffrage Wins by 2051

## WATCHING ENEMIES TO PREVENT DELAY OF FIRST VOTING

### REPUBLIC SET UP IN CHINA; 10,000 TROOPS JOIN REVOLTERS

New Government Confiscates Banks and Redeems Empire's Notes with Paper Money

### EXILED REVOLUTIONIST IS NAMED AS PRESIDENT

Prisons Thrown Open in Hu-Peh Province and Foreigners Flee from Street Riots

(Associated Press—Night Report)  
PEKING, Oct. 12.—The Chinese government has awakened to the danger of the revolution in Hu Peh province. Gen. Yin Tcheng, the minister of war, departed hurriedly today for Poa-Ting-Fu, 100 miles south of Peking, where the sixth division of the army is making hasty preparations to depart tomorrow for Hankow.

An imperial edict today ordered the immediate dispatch of two divisions to the disaffected provinces. About twenty thousand are Manchus, against whom the rising is directed. Orders have been issued for the assembling of a fleet of warships in the Yangtze Kiang river.

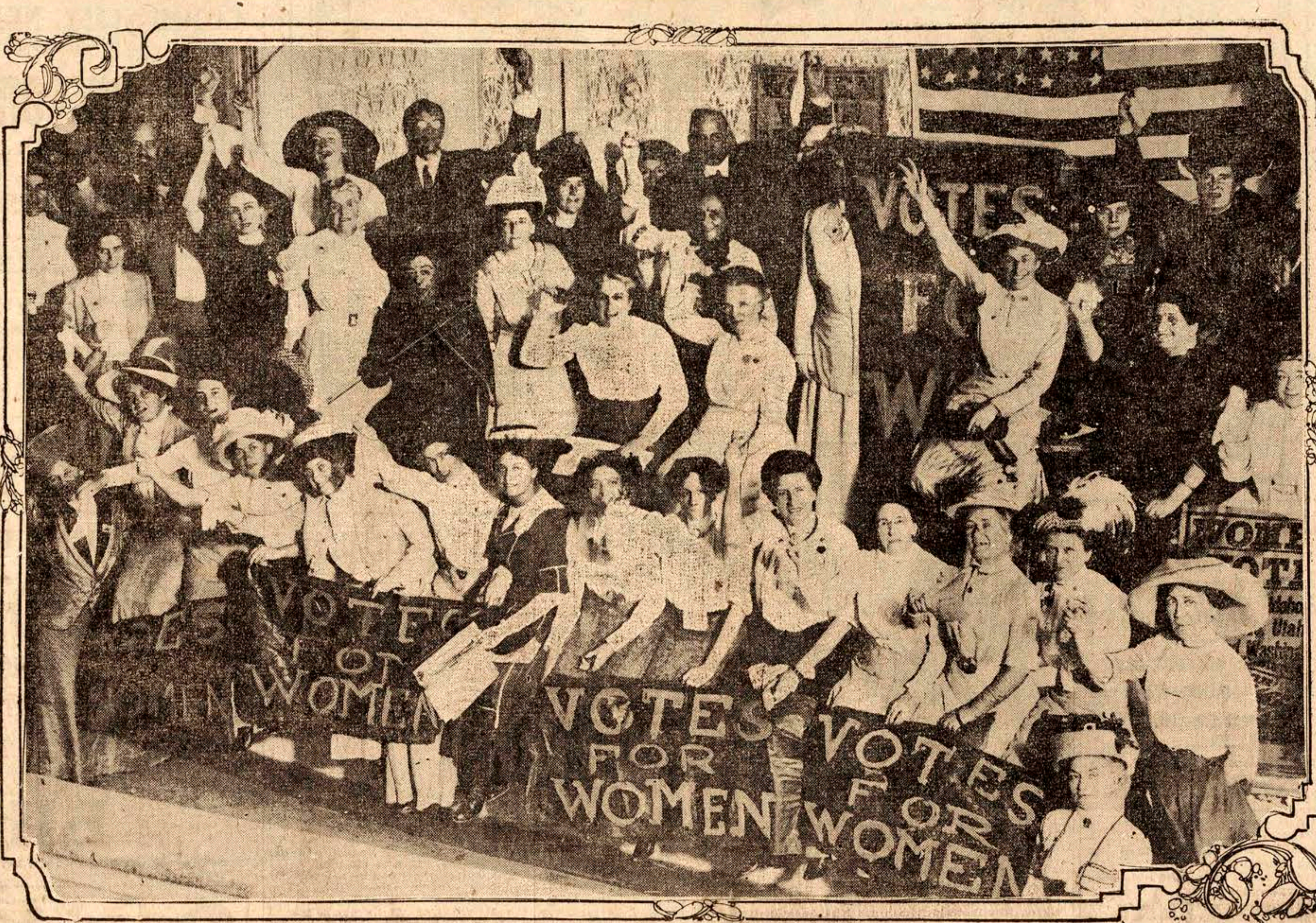
According to official reports at least 10,000 troops have mutinied in the province of Hu Peh alone. There is an unconfirmed report that the revolutionaries occupied Chang Sha on October 10.

Large bodies of troops are guarding the palace here.

HANKOW, Oct. 12.—The revolution that has been hanging over China for months and of which the rising in the province of Sze-Chuen was only a small part, has begun in earnest. It is a concerted movement to overthrow the empire and establish a republic.

EXILE TO BE LEADER  
It plans do not miscarry, the exiled revolutionist, Dr. Sun Yat Sen, leader of the anti-Manchu party, is to be elected president. He was the delegate of the revolutionary party to the United States in 1910 and is believed during that tour to have made arrangements for financing the movement.

Sun Yu, a brother of Dr. Sun Yat, (Continued on Page Three)



WHEN THE NEWS CAME THAT SUFFRAGE HAD TAKEN LEAD IN COUNT OF BALLOTS This remarkable picture shows scene in Choral Hall when Herald man brought the news that suffrage had surely won. Men and women burst into cheers and song and the scene was one of joyous enthusiasm

### MAJORITIES ROLLED UP BY INLAND COUNTIES

Adverse Action of San Francisco and Alameda Overcome by Rest of State

OFFICIAL RETURNS FROM 2877 PRECINCTS OF 3121

Congratulations from Prominent Men Pour in on Fair Campaign Managers

ANGELENOS TO START WORK OF REGISTRATION AT ONCE

Songs of Victory Heard in Choral Hall; Men Join in Big Celebration

SAN FRANCISCO, Oct. 12.—Woman suffrage has triumphed in California. Straggling returns late today from hitherto unreported precincts finally wiped out the majority previously recorded against the amendment, and since this turn

### AVIATOR FOWLER TO START SUNDAY

Robert G. Fowler definitely announced last night that he would start Sunday afternoon from Dominguez field on his attempt to fly from Los Angeles to New York city. In the meantime, beginning this morning, he will try a series of practice flights.

As early as possible his machine will be taken to Wilshire boulevard and Vermont avenue, where there is vacant ground, to make the start. From that point Fowler will fly to Dominguez field.

### WHAT'S GOING ON TODAY IN LOS ANGELES

- Belasco—"The Bird of Paradise," 8:15.
- Burbank—"Charley's Aunt," 8:15.
- Empress—Vaudeville, 2:30, 7:45, 9.
- Grand—Motion pictures.
- Mexican—Max Fagan in "The Old Curiosity Shop," 8:15.
- Mason—"The Spring Maid," 8:15.
- Olympic—"Duck's Bad Boy," 7:45, 9.
- Orpheum—Vaudeville, 2, 8.
- Pantages—Vaudeville, 2:30, 7:45, 9.
- Browning Study club, regular meeting, Mrs. A. J. Scott, 721 West Washington street, 7 p. m.
- Friday Morning club, address, Mrs. A. S. Lobinger, 19:29 a. m.
- Friday Morning club, reading of manuscript play, "Allas Jimmy Valentine," 2 p. m.
- Los Angeles Travel club, Mrs. W. F. Weak, Park Grove avenue, hostess, 2:30 p. m.
- Parent-Teacher association of Washington street school, Mrs. A. A. MacCurdy, 174 Harvard boulevard, hostess, 7:30 p. m.
- The Council of Presidents of the Parent-Teacher association, special meeting, Olive street school, 9:30 a. m.
- MISCELLANEOUS  
Congressman W. D. Stephens will address Occidental college assembly at 11:15 a. m. on "Congressional Experiences."
- Professor G. F. Taylor will address Y. M. C. A. on "Agriculture in Southern California" at 8 p. m.

### Taft at California Border Revels in Country's Progress

President Enthused by New Signs of Prosperity in North Makes Strong Plea for Arbitration Treaties

(Associated Press—Night Report)  
ASHLAND, Ore., Oct. 12.—His voice strong, although a bit husky from constant use, President Taft "spoke" his way today down the Willamette valley and across the state of Oregon. For hour after hour his train traveled a land that blossomed in flowers and fruit, and the folk who came to the little towns where his train paused for a minute or two brought tributes of all sorts to the chief executive.

With the California line only a few miles away, the presidential train passed tonight through Ashland. The president's car resembled the interior of a florist's and green grocer's shop, and the steward had accumulated enough fruit to garnish the president's table for days to come.

Mr. Taft spoke today on many subjects. He declared several times that the old battleship Oregon should be the first vessel through the Panama canal, an announcement that always brought forth cheering. He spoke on peace and arbitration and a half dozen other topics.

### WICKERSHAM TO PASS ON JOHN R. WALSH'S PAROLE

(Associated Press—Night Report)  
LEAVENWORTH, Kans., Oct. 12.—Hope for the parole of John R. Walsh from the federal prison here is dimmer tonight than it ever has been. The first list of paroles granted at the last session of the federal parole board has arrived and Walsh's name is not on it.

### ROYALISTS BEATEN IN NIGHT BATTLE

Col. Bardoja to Be Court Martialed for Not Moving on Monarchists

(Associated Press—Night Report)  
LISBON, Oct. 12.—The royalists, taking advantage of a storm Tuesday night, made a foray from their mountain stronghold in the direction of Vinhaes. Republican troops interrupted, and after a hot fight the royalists retired to the passes in Sierra da Corda, within half a mile of the Spanish frontier. They left several dead and wounded on the field.

### GOV. JOHNSON AND PARTY ON HAND TO MEET TAFT

(Associated Press—Night Report)  
RED BLUFF, Cal., Oct. 12.—Governor Johnson and party arrived here tonight for the purpose of welcoming President Taft into California today. Three automobiles met the train, and Governor Johnson, together with a dozen of his party, was taken to a hotel. Later the governor and a few friends visited a moving picture theater. At Marysville Speaker of the Assembly Hewitt was picked up, and at Chico Colonel Bond joined the party. Governor Johnson will meet President Taft soon after his arrival at 6:30 o'clock, when the private car will be attached to the presidential train. The first stop of the train will be made at Marysville, where the president will deliver a short address.

### WEST POINT CANDIDATES UNFIT FOR EXAMINATION

(Associated Press—Night Report)  
WASHINGTON, Oct. 12.—Legislation authorizing the president to appoint four senators and representatives to nominate candidates for admission to the West Point military academy, and a \$3,000,000 appropriation for completing buildings there are recommended, and admission of foreign students to the annual report of Major General T. Omas H. Barry, superintendent of West Point, today.

in the tide the margin in favor of amendment No. 4 has increased steadily.

Complete official returns from 2877 precincts out of 3121 in the state give:

For woman's suffrage 119,830; against 117,779.

Majority for suffrage 2051.

The remaining precincts are in remote mountain districts and their returns are not expected to change this majority greatly. In the aggregate, they should slightly increase the suffrage lead, as most of them are in counties that gave majorities for the amendment.

Not in years have early returns from an election in this state proved so baffling of interpretation as those upon which hinged the fate of amendment No. 4. When the populous precincts of San Francisco and Alameda counties rolled up their adverse majorities early Tuesday night it looked very doubtful for equal suffrage. Doubt gave way to hope throughout Wednesday, when returns from south of the Tehachapi and from the interior counties of central and northern California began to cut down the margin against the amendment.

For a time the totals see-sawed, first showing suffragist gains, then veering in the opposite direction.

Finally, in the early evening hours, the tide set in steadily toward a suffrage victory. Precinct after precinct reporting thereafter cut down the anti-suffrage lead until early today it had disappeared and in its place was a steadily growing margin in favor of the amendment.

### WOMAN LEADERS REJOICE

Only one setback gave fright to the supporters of the amendment during the day—when an error in the count of Santa Barbara county was revealed, and 1000 votes were added to the "against" column. This was quickly overcome, however, and by evening the majority for suffrage was safe beyond the peradventure of error.

Delayed realization of their triumph, after a day of serious doubt only added to the enthusiastic delight of the suffrage leaders. No campaign headquarters maintained by "mere man" ever resounded with more exultant rejoicing than was heard at the rooms of the women's campaign committee. Throughout the afternoon and far into the night, felicitations poured in upon the fair leaders, among the callers being scores of men prominent in all walks of life.

Interest in the close vote on amendment No. 4 coupled with the overwhelming majorities for the other more important amendments, relegated the latter to the background today. Apparently the verdict of the people has been favorable to all of the twenty-three propositions voted upon, the closest vote being upon amendment No. 19, providing for railroad passes for peace officers. On the latest count, the majority in favor of this was still beyond the 2000 mark with little likelihood of a reversal.

### ANGELENOS CELEBRATE VICTORY

Choral hall was the scene of notable gatherings yesterday when many prominent men and women who were actively identified with the successful suffrage campaign just closed dropped in to hear the latest election returns and to offer congratulations upon the wonderful achievement at the polls throughout California Tuesday.

Some of the men, like the Rev. Robert J. Burdette, Dr. John R. Haynes, David C. McCan and Clifford Howard could not stay long, but they could not resist the desire, they said, to drop in and congratulate the campaign managers.

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