CHICAGO, October 23th

5,000 persons were massed outside Grand Central Station to greet the President in Chicago and another 100,000 saw and cheered him along the route to the Blackstone Hotel. Riding in the President in an open car were Mayor Edward J. Kelly, national committeeman from Illinois.

In the second car were Mrs. Truman, Mrs. John R. Clark, state of the county assessor, Mrs. Elizabeth Sargent, Democratic national committeewoman from Illinois and a colleague. The President’s daughter, Miss Margaret Truman, rode in the third car with Mrs. Paul Bunyan, representative and wife of Democratic candidate for senator, and the Douglas’ teenage daughter, Anna.

Others who rode in the parade behind the President’s car were Adel A. Heitgerman, candidate for governor; Paul B. Logan, candidate for senator; John D. Healy, candidate for state’s attorney; Senator Scott Nagel, Senator Harry D. Jackley, State’s assistant Attorney General; Dr. and Mrs. Joel E. Arvey, and George B. Ring, state Democratic chairman.

An unusual feature, 50 feet apart lit up the streets in glaring color as the President waved to the thousands of Loan Workers who jammed the sidewalks. Marching band workers led the President from the Loop to the stadium along a route brilliantly illuminated with torchlights, fireworks, bonnets and rockets.

To handle the crowds and protect the President, 460 city policemen were on the job. In addition 300 uniformed police officers assigned for traffic work were aided by 12 detectives, six sergeants and six lieutenants assigned to the parade and the stadium appearance.

Nearly 300 Illinois Democratic women met the wife and daughter of the President at a tea in the Blackstone hotel from 4 to 6 p.m. President Truman met with a similar number of Democratic leaders simultaneously in the hotel’s Crystal Room decorated with a huge donkey made entirely of flowers.

At a reception for ladies of the press Mrs. Margaret Truman said that whatever the outcome of the election she’ll go into opera and do some concerts this season. She was photographed with Virginia Mac-"nade and other newspaperwomen. Miss Macnade is the reporter for the Chicago Sun-Times.

Shortly after the party’s arrival at the Blackstone Hotel, Mrs. Margaret walked right out again to the consternation of reporters, photographers and the Secret Service men who guarded the Presidential floor. But her trip proved to have no political implications. She went to a nearby Michigan Avenue store to buy a little purple stocking in a request that it be `girl-wrapped’, “after she said:’It is an anniversary gift for an aunt of mine. I wanted to get it off so it would reach her in time’.

Completely at ease with reporters and photographers Mrs. Truman said she fully enjoyed campaigning along with her father. It means less than six hours sleep a night, a lot of traveling and not much time for voice practice, she said. “But I’ll catch up on my practice after the election” she said. Then she added “Wish me – in Washington”.

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The President rode from the railroad station to his hotel in County Commissioner Arthur A. Eldred's sleek new Cadillac. He admired the car, whereupon Eldred remarked to Truman that he had the privilege of driving him, then the party's vice presidential candidate in 1944. "But at that time I only had a Chevrolet," Eldred explained. "See how good your administration has been to me." The President showed his delight at the remark.

The most embarrassed person at the reception for the President was a Secret Service agent who had arranged a picture showing a number of prominent Negroes with the President. The SS agent reached over and gently yanked out a person who was in the picture. "This is for Negroes only," he explained. The agent unknowingly removed light-skinned Lashun Heaver, executive editor of the Colored Defender and one of the most prominent Negroes in town from the picture.

One of the guests President Truman shook hands with at the reception was John W. Jarrett, collector of internal revenue. The President, in high spirits, listened carefully to Jarrett, first the name, and then "Aesop's title. Then he explained, "Hey, do I owe you any money?"

The tremendous heart-warming reception accorded the President in the stadium actually impaired his speech. He later explained he was so choked with emotion that at first he could hardly speak. The ovation lasted more than five minutes and thus cut into his speaking time.

In the privacy of his suite at his hotel the President said he was convinced that the nation, as a result of his back-breaking tour is now fully aware of the issues and will support the more liberal Democratic stand. He's convinced, too, that the large crowds he is attracting— the President is out-drawing Dewey— indicate that the tide has turned in his favor.
The entire Democratic state ticket was on hand bright and early at Springfield to greet the President on his first stop in Massachusetts. On the platform were Edward J. Cham- pin, candidate for Secretary of State; John S. Burke, state treasur- er; candidate; State Auditor Thomas C. O'Gorman; Mrs. Francis A. Kelly, candidate for attorney general and John J. Fitzgerald, seeking election to the U.S. Senate.

SPRINGFIELD, Oct. 27th

Rep. John F. Kennedy joined the President at Springfield as did Joseph C. Walsh, chairman of the Boston school committee and Francis R. "Bunny" McKeough, executive counselor. Senator Daniel E. Burns of Spring- field had his little daughter Mary with him and she got a Presidential hug and her picture made with the Chief Executive.

The President tied a "Truman necktie" in Springfield for Secretary of Labor Maurice W. Tolle, here. The Secretary worked his own tie for the campaign piece after John McKeough, a Springfield labor leader shouted from the crowd an offer to swap ties. The Presi- dent respectfully nodded the tie for the Secretary.

WORCESTER, Oct. 27th

At the Worcester stop the President was photographed with Mary Chapin E. "Nellie" Sullivan and Sullivan's small daughter Elizabeth.

BOSTON, Oct. 27th

It was estimated that 20,000 people united to welcome the President at South Station and a crowd estimated at 200,000 cheered him as he rode along the street to the Hotel Statler. Streets of "Hello Harry" were shouted by the throng and the Presi- dent stood and waved to the crowds as the cars swept along. At Mechanics Hall where the President spoke 15,000 people assembled, 7,000 inside the hall and 8,000 outside. The President called his Boston reception "Magnificent! Out of this world!"
NEW YORK CITY, Oct. 29

More than 5,000 persons poured the
main lobby of Grand Central station
and cheered as the President ap-
peared at 4:06 p.m. His train from
Boston was twenty minutes late. The
Excitement generated blandly played
"We'll Meet Again" as he appeared
and was welcomed by New York Demo-
cratic Leaders. These included
Mayor William O'Dwyer; Democratic
Chairman A. Norman Hadley; State
Chairman Paul S. Fithian; Bronx
Leader August C. Vigna; and Manhattan
Borough President Henry Foner and
James A. Farley.

Cheers welled up as the President's
car swept out of the station. The
confetti, ticker tape and telephone
book demonstration along 42nd street
was extraordinary. It fell in great
flurries and mush of it landed in
the open cars. It rained and twisted
from high windows. The cheers from
the crowd grew louder when Mrs. Tru-
man, five cars behind and Miss Mar-
get Truman six cars behind, came by.
Both were great old clowns. Mrs.
Truman waved only once in smile but
Miss Margaret's black-gloved hands
were busy responding to the throngs.
"Margaret, Margaret." She seemed
popular with the throngs everywhere.

New York Cops Greet Truman
Police Chief Wallander rode aboard the
President's car and with the Presi-
dent were Mayor O'Dwyer; Senator Ad-
guth and Manhattan Borough Presi-
dent Rogers. Chief Inspector Mar-
tin Dwyer rode in the car with Vice-
Chief Wallander.

The garment sector put on the great-
est show. Answering the greeting of
David Dubinsky, international head of
the ILGWU the President said, "Thank
you for this great welcome. We are
winning this election. Don't let them
tell you any different. The crowd
answered the approving roar.

At Greeley Square the President spoke
briefly and was greeted by Joseph Po-
takoff of the Amalgamated Clothing
Workers of America and his aides. As
the President left the speakers stand
Mr. Potakoff said: "We were loyal to
the job. We were loyal to you. You
made us. We will re-elect you
next Tuesday."

Spotlights and searchlights gave dra-
matic strength to the meeting in
City Hall Park next on the agenda.
Mayor O'Dwyer introduced the President
who spoke as the crowd cheered from
the City Hall place rich in colorful
flags and bunting. It was estimated
that 65,000 people heard his text.

At Sara Delano Roosevelt Park, named
for FDR's mother, the President was
presented with a five-tiered pink-and
white cake with a tiny replica of the
Statue of Liberty, marking the statue's
60th birthday. After his speech the
President cut into the cake and,
left-handed, tossed slices into the
crowd. Barrely gobbling down a piece
he said: "That cake is just as good as it
looks."

The next stop was the National Demo-
cratic Club where the President and
party went for a brief reception.
When the party emerged both Mr.
Truman and Margaret carried large
bouquets of American Beauty roses.
The club itself was bright with fresh
flowers and greenery in honor of the
distinguished visitors.

At the dinner at the Waldorf Astoria
in honor of Senator Robert F. Wage-
er, sponsored by the National C.I.O.
Community Services Committee, the
President addressed the cheering
group of 5,000 leaders and members
of the C.I.O. He paid a great tribute
to Senator Wagner and spoke of his
services to the welfare of the coun-
try. A bronze plaque and a check
for $10,000 were awarded in absentia
to Senator Wagner who, being ill, was
unable to be present. The check was
accepted by his son Robert F. Wagn-
er, Jr.

Among those who greeted the Presi-
dent were Ethel Wurman, head of
the C.I.O., Michael J. Quill, in-
ternational president of the Trans-
port Workers' Union; Joseph Cannon,
assistant of the National Maritime
Union and Jacob S. Rotofsky, presi-
dent of the Amalgamated Clothing
Workers of America.

At City Hall the President spread
his notes on a broad-topped lectern
which had been made especially for
him by the Park department when he
spoke in Central Park on July 4 in
1948. He remarked that it be
set up for him this time and even
had it taken up so that he
might use it at Madison Square
Garden in the evening.
The President covered 3600 miles on the second day of his New York campaign tour on Friday, Oct. 30th. The route took him from uptown Manhattan to Yonkers and back and almost every foot of it was a kind of triumphal journey. He covered another thirty-one miles to Brooklyn and Queens in the night phase of his campaign. Police officials figured that 1,246,000 persons came out to greet the President on the day tour.

YONKERS, Oct. 30th.

In his first talk of the day at Carlin Plaza in Yonkers the President's theme was the housing shortage. When the President left the platform he wore in his blue suit the red feather of the Community Chest. He had accepted it from city Bishop Weisgerber, a 77-year-old blind Yonkers clergyman. The President thanked him for it" and said Weisgerber in wonderment. Yonkers, put on an extraordinary demonstration for a city of its size. It was the first time that a detail of New York police - men on 60 motorcycles from Man- hattan crossed the Westchester line - had ever been invited to Yonkers to represent the police there. The children abundance cheered and hurled colored paper ribbon and confetti until the motorcyclist flanked next to the President trailed the stuff as a brutal cozen pulling away from the crowd.

HARLEM, Oct. 30th.

An enthusiastic crowd of 60,000 roared a welcome to the President as he arrived at a rally in Harlem - the first other executive to visit Harlem while in office. He spoke at the rally scene at 136th St. and St. Nicholas Avenue. It was here that he received the Franklin D. Roosevelt Memorial Brotherhood Medal. It was presented to him by Mrs. F. J. Alexander, executive president of the Negro National Brotherhood. It was also presented to Mrs. F. J. Alexander, executive president of the Brotherhood. The President announced that the individual who in 1934 had done the most in fostering human relations and international understanding was.

2The President left for Yonkers and Harlem he invited Police Commissioner Daley to call on him.

Wallender arrived with Chief of Police Daley and Chief of Staff August H. Field. The President thanked them and the entire department for the magnificent job of policing his route the previous day.

Three Democratic officials climbed into the President's car as he crossed the line into Westchester county. They were los T. Garbarini, Democratic Chairman of Westchester; Hugh Bracken Loop and Howard V. Furguson, Yonkers' Democratic chairman, State Chairman Paul Fitzgerald and National Chairman J. Howard No- uth were already with the President.

THE ENDE. October 30th.

At the Concordia Plaza Hotel the President was guests at a banquet given by nearly 1,000 members of the Bronx County Democratic organization. On the day with the Presi- dent were Theodore Follinger, Demo- cratic candidate for Congress against Leo Lyons and Municipal Court Justice Christopher G. Morgan, Dem- ocratic Liberal candidate in the 26th.

NEW YORK CITY.

Back at the Biltmore the President received Mayor Engeman, national commander of the Legion of Veterans and a group of JFK officials. Sorum thanked the President for his reaffirmation of the Democratic plank on Israel. The President also received 30 representatives of the nationalities division of the Democratic State Committee and various Democratic officials.

QUEENS, October 30th.

It was at the meeting in Long Beach Tul- lerton Hall in Queens that the President told his audience: "You can throw the Gallup Poll right in the ashtray." He was introduced by James A. Burke, Queens Borough President, James Dwyer, Queens Demo- cratic leader shared the platform with Mayor Shoemaker and James A. Burke just returned from Europe.
A crowd of 60,000 greeted the President in St. Louis Saturday night in a rally of the winning tone and 15,000 heard the President close a 24-hour "Keep on the Rails" campaign over 36 states with a fighting address in his home city. Besides the crowd at Kiel Auditorium, orders of Police Commissioner O'Connell estimated there were 6,000 persons at Union Station. At least 10,000 stood outside Kiel as he spoke.

As Mr. Truman walked onto the Auditorium stage he was given a 4-minute ear-splitting ovation.

Local Democratic leaders who went to the train to meet the Chief Executive included John A. Bower, Chairman of the City Committee; and John B. Mallo, chairman of the Truman-Kearney Club of Missouri. Mr. Bower and Mr. Mallo rode with the President while furnace operator and Mrs. Robert E. Hanseman rode with Mrs. Truman, Miss Margaret Truman rode with Mr. and Mrs. John J. Bruggeman.

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The President was photographed with Governor Keenan and Robert A. Taft, while putting up candidates for Governor on the Democratic ticket.

Florida, in the bill bore such signs as "Behold the Part-Warley Act" for better housing conditions; vote for Truman and "Anne" and "The Post Dispatch says Doey, the ADP says the Post Dispatch won't get away!"

The President had outlined notes in front of him for his speech but when he got to the train to meet the Chief Executive included John A. Bower, Chairman of the City Committee; and John B. Mallo, chairman of the Truman-Kearney Club of Missouri. Mr. Bower and Mr. Mallo rode with the President while furnace operator and Mrs. Robert E. Hanseman rode with Mrs. Truman, Miss Margaret Truman rode with Mr. and Mrs. John J. Bruggeman.

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St. Louis--continued

Margaret "Truman did not go directly to the train at the end of the reception in Kiel Auditorium. She and Mr. Deutche Snyder, daughter of the Secretary of the Treasury, went first to the Park Plaza Hotel with a group of friends for a bite to eat. The train left at 1105 P.M. for the President's home town, Independence, where he will take the Clinton Industrial Park

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