

Republican Victory Forecast by Butler on Eve of Election

National Chairman Declares G. O. P. Will Have 350 Out of 531 Electoral Votes.

Chicago, Nov. 1.—Statements predicting success in Tuesday's national election were issued from republican headquarters tonight.

Chairman William M. Butler of the national committee, said: "I have been asked for a statement giving my opinion as to the outcome of the election. It is my belief that Calvin Coolidge and Charles G. Dawes will be elected on Tuesday and that they will have more than 350 votes out of 531 in the electoral college. The issues are clear cut and I believe the country understands them thoroughly."

Representative Will R. Wood, chairman of the republican congressional committee issued this statement: "We will elect not less than 248 republican members of the next house of representatives; we may elect 265. In a total membership of 435 this will give us a margin of 30 to 47 over a bare majority. Making due allowance for those who, though elected as republicans, cannot be counted on as true adherents to the republican faith, we will have a minimum of 31 votes more than can be mustered by the combined opposition, and if our most sanguine hopes are realized, we will lead the combined minority by 65."

To Gain Strength. "These estimates are based upon returns which have been received from every congressional district in the country. These returns show, for instance, that in every state, save one, which now has republican representation in the house, we will retain our present strength and we will make certain gains in at least 14 states and possibly in as many as 22."

Based on our latest information, we will hold our own in California, Connecticut, Colorado, Idaho, Illinois, Indiana, Iowa, Kansas, Kentucky, Maine, Maryland, Massachusetts, Michigan, Missouri, Montana, Nebraska, New Hampshire, New Jersey, New York, North Dakota, Ohio, Oklahoma, Oregon, Pennsylvania, Rhode Island, South Dakota, Tennessee, Texas, Utah, Vermont, Washington, West Virginia, Wisconsin and Wyoming.

In Connecticut we will gain one seat. In Illinois and Indiana, where the tide is running strongly our way, we will gain from one to three seats in each delegation, while in Missouri and New Jersey we will make a sure gain of two and probably three. In Ohio we will gain two seats and one or two in Nebraska.

Gain in New York. "We now have 21 republican congressmen from New York. In the next house we will have at least 27 and possibly as high as 33. In Pennsylvania, where we have 30 republican congressmen now, we will have at least 34 in the next house, and it is not unlikely that all that the republicans will make a clean sweep in that state and elect all 36 congressmen. West Virginia, the home of the democratic nominee for president, now has two republican congressmen. In the new congress we will surely have four and we may have as many as six. In fact, I think the higher figure the more likely of the two."

We also stand to gain one member each in Oregon, Washington, Montana and New Hampshire. In Delaware, Nevada and New Mexico, having one congressman each, our prospects are very fair for electing republicans to succeed democrats now sitting.

In addition to the foregoing we have a fair prospect of gaining one seat each in Massachusetts, Michigan, Oklahoma, Rhode Island and Tennessee.

Summing up, we are sure to hold 222 of the 255 seats we now have in the house and a minimum gain of 26 would give a total republican membership of 248. If we make the maximum gains, which are based upon conservative estimates, we will elect 265 republicans to the next house. Disregarding those who, while running as republicans, are at heart not in sympathy with republican ideas, we still have a safe working majority in the lower branch of congress and a house which will uphold the national administration."

Woman Anarchist Tries Suicide in Church

By Universal Service. Paris, Nov. 1.—Mlle. Germaine Berton, the youngest and most dangerous woman anarchist in France, attempted suicide in the Church of Notre Dame de Lourdes today.

She was wild-eyed and disheveled when she staggered through the door and with a cry, collapsed on the floor. She had swallowed poison just before entering. The girl's nerves—she is only 20—had been shattered by her life in the underworld.

A year ago Germaine shot and killed Marius Plateau, assistant editor of the royalist newspaper L'Action Francaise, but was acquitted.

She was taken from the church to a hospital where it was said she will recover.

Campaign Fund Committee May Make Statement

Decision Held in Abeyance Pending Conference of Members Monday.

Washington, Nov. 1.—Decision as to whether the senate committee investigating campaign funds will submit a partial report before the election on the testimony produced at the hearings in Washington and Chicago was held in abeyance tonight pending a conference between members of the committee, probably Monday.

Chairman Borah said tonight that although he had "very positive ideas" bearing on the testimony and thought a statement should be issued for the benefit of the public, he did not feel he should issue a statement until he had obtained the views of the other members of the committee. He reached Washington late today from Chicago, where he and Senator Shipstead, farmer-laborer, Minnesota, heard testimony concerning campaign financing.

Senator Caraway of Arkansas and Senator Bayard of Delaware, both democrats, who conducted the Washington section of the hearing, were both out of the city today. The investigation will be resumed after the election, Chairman Borah said, but not "immediately after."

A telegram was received today by Senator Borah from Frank P. Walsh in New York as counsel for the La Follette organization, regarding the committee statements, but the chairman said he did not expect to reply to it.

Earlier in the day Walsh issued a statement from his office here saying that an analysis of the evidence produced at the committee hearings showed that at least 75 per cent of the republican contributors reported to date "have come directly from representatives of great corporate interests."

See Want Ads produce results.

SEARCH PLANNED FOR MISSING BOAT

New York, Nov. 1.—A search for the missing 40-foot sloop Liep Ericson, last seen off the coast of Greenland on September 8, will be instituted by the battle cruiser Trenton which is leaving Monday for the north Atlantic.

Emulating the Vikings who claimed to have been the first to discover America, the little sloop departed from Bergen, Norway, in July. The craft has been missing for 42 days.

Calles Visits Mount Vernon Mexican President-Elect Puts Wreath on Tomb of Washington.

Washington, Nov. 2.—A tribute to the memory of George Washington was paid today by Plutarco Elias Calles, president-elect of Mexico, on the last day of his stay in the capital.

Accompanied by the Mexican embassy staff, by J. Butler Wright, third assistant secretary of state and representatives of the war and navy departments, Gen. Calles boarded the Sylph, yacht of the secretary of the navy, for the trip to Mount Vernon.

Rear Admiral B. E. Hutchison, commandant of the navy yard, accompanied the general at the dock. Military and marine guards were drawn up and the marine band played the Mexican national anthem.

Arriving at Mount Vernon, Gen. Calles was escorted to the tomb of Washington, upon which he placed a large wreath as a tribute from the Mexican people and himself.

Luncheon was served aboard the Sylph on the return trip to Washington. At the navy yard military and marine guards were still on duty and as General Calles left the yacht a salvo was fired in his honor.

General Calles left Washington tonight for New Orleans, where he will meet Mrs. Calles. They then will journey to Mexico. No other engagements have been scheduled for the president-elect during his stay in the United States.

Library Board to Seek Aid of Paid Workers at Polls

Committee Working for Bond Issue Has No Friends to Hire Vote Solicitors Tomorrow.

Having no funds for the hiring of paid "workers" at the polls tomorrow, the special library board committee engaged in furthering the interests of the \$50,000 north side branch library bond issue has undertaken the unique stunt of trying to sell the library bond issue idea to such workers as have already been paid to boost some individual or individuals.

"You will not find many men or women who are not interested in books or libraries or reading material in some form," declared J. H. Mithen, chairman of the committee at its last meeting, "and I fully believe that if we take our 'vote year cards' to the workers at the polls they will be glad to include them in their offerings to the voters."

Mithen explained that the committee has been campaigning with practically no funds, but that the support for the "very important issue" has been practically unanimous.

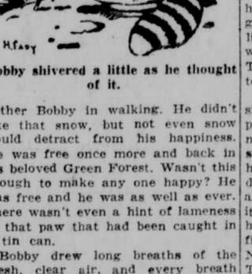
"We have not heard a single objection to the expansion of the Omaha public library service," he said. "We are more afraid of apathy and failure to vote than we are of the vote itself."

Mithen, as chairman, will be but one of several of the public library board members who have agreed to go out on election day and distribute the single small card that represents their literature. Other members include Nelson E. Thornton, Mrs. F. A. Nash, Bruce McCulloch, Mrs. H. E. Newbranch, Rev. O. D. Baitz and Miss Tobitt, as librarians.

Burgess Bedtime Stories

By THORNTON W. BURGESS. Happy he who never feels anger treading on his heels. —Old Mother Nature.

Bobby's House is Occupied. The happiest person in all the Green Forest was Bobby Coon as he headed for his home in a certain hollow tree. The ground was covered with snow, but it was deep enough to



Bobby shivered a little as he thought of it.

Both Bobby in walking. He didn't like that snow, but not even snow could detract from his happiness. He was free once more and back in his beloved Green Forest. Wasn't that enough to make any one happy? He was free and he was as well as ever. There wasn't even a hint of lameness in that paw that had been caught in a tin can.

Bobby drew long breaths of the fresh, clear air, and every breath made him tingle all over. How good it was to smell the pine trees. Bobby stopped every few minutes just to do this. Had there been no snow on the ground Bobby might have wandered about a bit before going home. But he didn't like the snow, and so he made straight for the big hollow tree

2 PERSONS DEAD IN AUTO WRECK

Santa Rosa, Cal., Nov. 1.—Two people are dead here tonight as the result of an automobile accident a short distance north of Cloverdale, near here, late today.

They are Clarence Lagrange, 39, of San Jose, and his wife, Mrs. Clarence Lagrange. The automobile in which the couple was returning home from Kersh's plunged over a 150-foot embankment, killing Mrs. Lagrange instantly. Her husband died several minutes later.

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If the many men and women in Douglas, Washington and Burt Counties, whose work and votes gave me such a fine position in the April Primaries, will do likewise at the coming Election, I shall appreciate it. Charles A. Goss, for re-election as District Judge.

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With the County Agents

Lexington—Present prospects are for the county agent. One of the old clubs has reorganized, another is planning reorganization, one is planning to change over to only beef production, and others are in the process of forming.

Dakota City—With bovine tuberculosis testing practically completed in Johnson and Logan counties of this county, a meeting was scheduled for last night at the Goodwin school to plan for the district.

Waban—County Agent Walter F. Roberts gave to farmers last week a detailed list of the temperatures that will affect seed corn at given seasons of moisture content.

Omaha—Nearly 100 persons went on the annual Douglas county farm tour last week, according to the county agent.

Blair—It pays to keep records of poultry flocks because it enables the flock owner to learn what phase of his poultry program is making the money and where satisfactory returns are not being received.

Requirements met and be eligible for an achievement certificate this fall. To enter the job available for men coming into the county to husk corn, the applicant must be a resident of the county, have a good record, and be a member of the county agent's club.

Seward—Up to the present this county had no weather that would spoil the best part of the corn crop for seed purposes.

Geneva—The county agent declared that all farmers of the county should be interested in the prizes being offered at the sixth annual grain and hay show to be held in conjunction with the Chicago International Livestock show.

Sioux Falls—Carl Wilson, farmer near Dunbar, has advised the county agent of his intention of exhibiting corn in the mid-winter corn show that has been planned for this county.

Lincoln—Several more outbreaks of hog cholera were reported to County Agent J. C. Aurbach during the week.

British Admiralty Will Reorganize Greek Navy

Athens, Nov. 2.—The British office at Athens has been detailed by the British admiralty to reorganize the Greek navy.

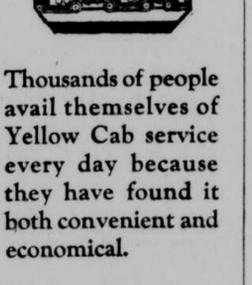
Vote for Robert Smith for Clerk of the District Court.—Adv.

Vote for Bob La Follette's choice: Roy M. Harrop, progressive, for congress.—Adv.

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to the Voters of the 4th Judicial District

Through a referendum officially conducted by the Omaha Bar Association, among all the lawyers of the Fourth Judicial District, comprising Washington, Burt, and Douglas Counties, nine candidates for the office of district judge of the Fourth Judicial District have been endorsed for election.

The purpose of endorsing judicial candidates by the members of the Bar is to let the voting public know which candidates are regarded by the lawyers as best qualified and fitted to serve as judges.

The referendum was conducted by a committee of five, consisting of the President and Secretary of the Douglas County Bar Association, and three members appointed by the president of the association.

The balloting was conducted in the above manner in order that the total vote cast might constitute a fair, impartial and accurate expression of the lawyers of the District in their choice of judicial candidates.

The Lawyers of the Fourth Judicial District endorse and recommend for election the present District Judges namely: William A. Redick, Charles A. Goss, William C. Hastings, A. C. Troup, Charles Leslie, Carroll O. Stauffer, James F. Fitzgerald, Arthur C. Wakeley, L. B. Day. Judicial Selection Committee of Omaha Bar Ass'n.

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