

BEACH SANGUINE THAT G. O. P. WILL WIN IN STATE

Sums Up Political Situation and Fails to See How Democrats Will be Able to Win at Polls.

Lincoln, Nov. 3.—(Special.)—"It is a mighty poor rule that won't work both ways," said E. D. Beach, Mr. Beach, as chairman of the republican state committee, has conducted a campaign free from anything which might be considered "off color" and at headquarters, discussing the campaign with several republicans who had dropped in, he appeared perfectly satisfied and sanguine as to a republican victory.

"I see by the papers this morning that the republican committee, one of the governor's chief appointees and the man who has been running the democratic machine with potash for fuel, has issued a circular calling upon all democrats to vote the ticket straight and not to vote for an opposition candidate under any circumstances. I guess that would be a pretty good rule for republicans to follow also.

Sprague Puts Out Letter.

"But while Ridgell is advising and ordering democrats to stick by their ticket, Chairman Bert Sprague of the committee, who has received great prominence in this campaign as a letter writer, issues another letter and tells democrats to get hold of a republican and not let loose of him until he has promised to vote the democratic ticket. Perhaps it would be a good idea if republicans when 'attacked' by democrats under the inspiration of the Sprague manifesto, would simply put in effect Colonel Ridgell's plan, applying it to republicans instead of democrats.

"This simply shows to what extent the opposition has run out of political wind. While one candidate is warning voters to apply a proposition which fits his peculiar case, the application of the same thing will bring defeat to some other candidate on the same ticket. As an instance of this kind, Neville, the democratic candidate for reelection for governor is beseeching the voters 'not to trade horses when crossing the stream,' while Morehead, the democratic candidate for the United States senate is calling upon the voters to 'trade horses' while crossing the stream. President Wilson is calling upon the voters and telling them that the present administration must not be changed, while Morehead by his plea is calling for a change.

Plan to Get Votes.

"Chairman Sprague issues a letter to the voters, calling attention to the 'honest' methods in which he has run the campaign, while the local democratic organ, the mouthpiece of the committee, and the Hickey-Muller-Neville-Gooch machine, is conducting one of the most reprehensible campaigns of misrepresentation of the state of Nebraska as ever witnessed. Notwithstanding that charges made by them have been from time to time refuted and shown to be false, they are continuing up to the very last minute to publish such false statements in the hope of getting votes by thus deliberately misleading their readers.

"That the voters are on to these reprehensible methods is becoming each day more plain to this committee. While at first we feared that such misrepresentations might harm our candidates, the continued publication by both the Lincoln and Omaha mouthpieces of the machine of these false statements in the face of the fact that the people and the papers themselves know them to be false, has opened the eyes of the public to the character of the machine with the result that instead of these papers harming our candidates, the committee rather feels that perhaps after the election is over that we will find that we are under obligations to them for the good they have so unintentionally done our candidates.

Wants Last Word.

"I simply want to leave a last word with the voters of Nebraska and that is that they turn out on election day and do their duty as they see it. While our boys are doing their duty 'over there' we should do our duty over here in the battle of the ballots and back them up in a way that will mean something, not only in the winning of the war but in giving a congress that will be able to handle the reconstruction period in a way that will bring the best results.

Siberian Republic Latest Nation to Adopt a Flag

Amsterdam.—The latest addition to the flags of nations is the standard of the new Siberian republic. It is plain white and green, symbolizing the country's snowfields and virgin forests.

The Weather:

Comparative Local Record.
1918. 1917. 1916. 1915.
Highest yesterday 64 70 73
Lowest yesterday 43 42 46 46
Mean temperature 52 54 54 50
Precipitation 00 00 00 00
Temperature and precipitation departures from the normal:
Normal temperature 44
Excess for the day 20
Total excess since March 790
Normal precipitation 0.95 inch
Deficiency for the day 0.04 inch
Total rainfall since March 11.01 inches
Deficiency since March 11.31 inches
Deficiency for year 11.31 inches
Deficiency for year, period, 1918 1919 inches

PERRY WHEELER

LAWYER
for
Municipal Judge

Voting on Amendments to Constitution May be So Much Labor Lost

Lincoln, Neb., Nov. 3.—(Special Telegram.)—At the headquarters of both of the political parties there is a feeling that unless voters mark their party affiliation, ballots cast for or against the constitutional amendments will not be counted and that consequently the probabilities are that all of the amendments will fall by the wayside.

Men who claim to be versed in constitutional matters assert that to have a vote for a constitutional amendment valid, there must be a party designation. On the official ballots, as printed, so far as the amendments to be voted on, there is no party designation. An attempt is being made to obtain a ruling by Attorney General Reed, but up to a late hour last night he had not been located.

Senator G. W. Norris Speaks Before Large Audience

Aurora, Neb., Nov. 3.—(Special Telegram.)—In a rousing speech last night, before an audience that crowded the district courtroom, United States Senator George W. Norris declared that if nebraskans want a rubber stamp senator they ought not to re-elect him. "Mr. Morehead has said in speech and advertisement he will do just what President Wilson wants done in all things," said the senator. "If you want a rubber stamp he is your opportunity. In two years Wilson will be out of office and then where will Morehead get his orders, from Roosevelt or from Hitchcock and Mullen. If I believed as Morehead does I would introduce a bill at once to abolish the senate and house and establish a monarchy at once. But I believe in the kind of government established by our fathers, a government of free speech, free press, with no coercion anywhere."

Senator Norris said that he had been maliciously attacked all over the state, and lies and falsehood without number had been circulated against him. The answers behind these lies, he said, was the hatred of the profiteers, who know he was fighting them to the limit. He declared he had insisted on heavy taxation of excess war profits and that thousands of dollars were being spent by profiteers to defeat him. In explanation of his dollar mark on the flag speech, he said he had been speaking of the profiteer who wanted war because it made business good.

Senator Norris did not refer directly to the fight that has been made against him by Editor Clark Perkins of the Aurora Republican, but denounced generally what he termed the lies and falsehoods of the press which opposes him. Perkins was present in the audience.

North Bend Soldier Boy Visits Home Folks on Furlough

Fremont, Neb., Nov. 3.—(Special.)—Corp. Joseph Lux, first Dodge county boy to return from France, is visiting with his brother and other relatives at North Bend on a short furlough. Corporal Lux is a member of the hospital corps and was sent back as an escort for wounded soldiers. Corporal Lux will return to New York the middle of the month. He says women have taken the place of men on the farms, in the shops and factories of France the women are running the locomotives.

Stella Soldier Boy Loses Eye With Canadian Battalion

Stella, Neb., Nov. 3.—(Special.)—Mr. and Mrs. Levi F. Chaney received word that their son, Sergt. Owen O. Chaney of the First Canadian battalion was wounded October 1. His right eye was injured and later was removed. Sergt. Chaney is an only son, and has been in the Canadian service three years.

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BOYS AT FRONT IN FINE HEALTH SAYS GENERAL.



MAJOR GENERAL IRELAND

Maj. Gen. Merritt W. Ireland, surgeon-general of the American expeditionary forces, returned to this country from Europe recently to assume his duties at Washington as surgeon-general of the United States army, relieving Major General Gorgas. General Ireland, who has been in Europe for the past 18 months, paid high tribute to the efficiency of the men in charge of the health of the American troops. He said the health of the boys was fine.

Fifty Thousand Chinese Build Railroads in France

London.—The allies have employed 50,000 Chinese behind the fighting lines in France, principally for road and railway building, blacksmith and carpentry work. Although China declared war on the Central powers almost a year ago the Chinese are made to understand that when transported to France they will not be used in the fighting lines. Coolies are paid about \$13.50 a month and pay for other laborers ranges upward to about \$27 a month for skilled men. In addition they are given \$250, a fabulous sum for coolies, as a bonus for embarking for France; \$75 in case of injury, and \$150 is given to the next of kin in case of death.

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HENRY T. CLARKE,
Former Chairman State Railway Commission.

KAISER OFFERS TO CO-OPERATE IN NEW ORDER

Emperor William Issues Decree Endorsing Acts of Reichstag and Government Changes.

By Associated Press.
Amsterdam, Nov. 3.—On the occasion of the constitutional amendment coming into force, says an official telegram from Berlin, Emperor William addressed to Prince Maximilian of Baden, the German imperial chancellor, a decree endorsing the decisions of the Reichstag and avowing his firm determination to co-operate in their full development. The emperor's decree reads:

"Ous grand ducal highness: "I return herewith for immediate publication the bill to amend the imperial constitution and the law of March 17, 1879, relative to the representation of the imperial chancellor, which has been laid before me for signature.

"On the occasion of this step, which is so momentous for the future history of the German people, I have a desire to give expression to my feelings. Prepared for by a series of government acts a new order comes into force which transfers the fundamental rights of the kaiser's person to the people.

"Thus comes to a close a period, which will stand in honor before the eyes of future generations. Despite all struggles between invested authority and aspiring forces, it has rendered possible to our people that tremendous development which imperiously revealed itself in the wonderful achievements of this war.

New Era Dawns.

"In the terrible storms of the four years of war, however, old forms have been broken up, not to leave their ruins behind but to make a place for a new vital form.

"After the achievements of these times the German people can claim that no right which may guarantee a free and happy future shall be withheld from them.

"The proposals of the allied governments which are now adopted and extended owe their origin to this conviction. I, however, with my exalted allies, endorse these decisions of parliament in firm determination, so far as I am concerned, to co-operate in their full development, convinced that I am thereby promoting the weal of the German people.

"The kaiser's office is one of service to the people. May then the new order release all the good powers which our people need in order to support the trials which are hanging over the empire and with

a firm step win a bright future from the gloom of the present.
Berlin, October 28, 1918.
(Signed) "WILHELM, I. R. (Countersigned) "MAX, Prince of Baden."

Storm Rages Around Emperor.

Paris, Nov. 3.—"There can be no doubt," says the Temps, "that a great struggle is going on around the German emperor's person between the influences which caused the war and wish to maintain the old regime and the partisans of a new regime, more or less democratic, and of a peace for the purpose of repairing Germany's strength.

"By returning to general headquarters Emperor William seemed to show clearly that his supreme desire was not to abdicate. So the emperor's rescript promises co-operation not his resignation. But parliamentary exigencies press upon him, even amidst his staff which exhort him not to yield. Submission is not sufficient, he is summoned with more or less deference to resign."

Influenza Numbers Two

More at Blair as Victims

Blair, Neb., Nov. 3.—(Special Telegram.)—Stanley H. Pierce, 31 years old, died this morning from pneumonia, following an attack of influenza. He was the only son of Mr. and Mrs. E. C. Pierce of this city. His father came to Blair in 1869 and established a furniture and undertaking business, in which Stanley has been associated for several years. He leaves, of his immediate family, his wife and two young sons, his father and mother, and four sisters, Mrs. Will Wilkinson, Mrs. Clyde Allen and Mrs. Fred Abbott, this city, and Mrs. W. S. Rothery, Omaha.

Mrs. Clarence Simpson, 26 years old, died this afternoon at the home farm near DeSoto, of influenza, after only a short illness. She was the oldest daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Herman Shields, Omaha, who, for many years, were residents of Blair. She is survived by her husband, a 5-year-old daughter, one sister, Mildred, and the parents. Funeral services will be held from the home of F. S. Simpson, Blair, at 3 o'clock Tuesday afternoon.

Hun Bombs Wipe Out Friends' Ambulance Unit Behind Lines

Correspondence Associated Press.
Havre, Nov. 3.—The headquarters of the Friends' Ambulance unit, an organization of 350 workers from all sections of America sent to the western front by the American Society of Friends, has been almost completely wiped out by bombs from German airplanes.

Two of the staff were killed and four injured. The others were safe. The story of the disaster is told in a report of Major John Van Schaick, Deputy Commissioner of Belgium of the American Red Cross, of which the Friends' Ambulance is a unit, who says:

"A worker whom we placed with the unit was sleeping in the room with one of those who was killed. He was not injured. He described his experience as follows:

"I was awake when the bomb fell. I don't remember much noise, only the motion. The whole room seemed to lurch back toward where the bomb fell, and then went down. We fell fast and seemed to be falling through all eternity. My life was saved by my bed shooting across the room. The cupola of the adjoining building fell where my bed stood.

"The adjutant of the unit was buried under the debris for three hours. A large oak chest held a beam off his neck. They had to tunnel through the debris to get him out. He was conscious part of the time, and directed the rescuers in their work. He was bruised but not seriously hurt."

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Only Rich Can Afford to Eat in Stockholm Cafes

Stockholm.—Restaurant prices have reached such proportions that only very wealthy people can afford to eat in the restaurants of the better class, and even in second and third-class places it is difficult to eat properly at a price within the reach of the person of modest means. The authorities have begun an investigation and may regulate them.

General Baltin Goes to War Front in Aeroplane

Amsterdam.—To conduct Austrian army operations in Albania, Gen. von Pilzner Baltin, in command there, went to the front recently by airplane. The distance flown was about 500 miles.

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