

Selling Causes Bourne's Downfall

SELLING DEFEATS BOURNE IN STATE-WIDE PRIMARY BY OVERWHELMING MARGIN

Pierce Defeated for Senator on Democratic Ticket After Brilliant Race—Roosevelt Carries the State at Large

LAFFERTY DEFEATS GANTENBEIN IN MULTNOMAH

RACE THROUGHOUT THE STATE AT LARGE IS CLOSE EXCEPT FOR REPUBLICAN SENATORIAL NOMINATION— RETURNS SLOW IN PORTLAND SECTION—OUTCOME WELL DEFINED.

Portland, Ore., April 20.—Roosevelt apparently carried the state by about 6,000, with second place doubtful early. La Follette leads in Multnomah county early today, and Roosevelt is running the strongest in the upstate section.

Lafferty is leading Gantenbein for congressional nomination in this district. Bourne apparently has lost by from 7,000 to 10,000 in the race with Ben Selling. Sinnott seems to be winner in the second district race with W. R. Ellis for congressman.

Wilson appears a victor over Clark in the race for the democratic presidential nomination. He polled more votes in Multnomah county than Harmon and Clark combined. Outside of Multnomah Clark ran strong.

Portland, Ore., April 20.—Roosevelt appears to have carried the state by 6,000 or 6,000. The vote in Multnomah county incomplete is La Follette 6,302 Roosevelt 5,536, Taft 3,638. Roosevelt leading in the outside districts from which no definite figures are yet revealed.

Selling has apparently defeated Bourne but now by so large a plurality as was at first thought. Bourne as Multnomah county 7,319 to Selling's 6,119, but Selling was stronger outside of Portland. The Bourne men assert that when the returns are in from the "back country" counties he will have a slight plurality. Wilson appears to be winner of the democratic presidential nomination by a vote of 510 to 282 in Multnomah county. Harmon is a poor third. Lafferty appears to have won for congress in this district. The vote for Lafferty is 5,272, Gantenbein, 4,363. N. J. Sinnott appears to have won the congressional republican nomination over Ellis.

ROOSEVELT CARRIES NEBRASKA

Sweeps the State Over La Follette and Taft by Big Votes.

Lincoln, Neb., April 20.—Sufficient votes in the primaries were counted at noon to make it sure that Roosevelt had carried every district in the state. La Follette is running ahead of Taft, but Roosevelt polled more votes than both the others.

Clark, democrat, carried the state by more than 6,000. Wilson and Harmon are far behind. Adherents of Roosevelt claim he polled 20,000 more than Taft. The length of the ballots makes the counting slow.

La Follette in the Game.

San Francisco, April 20.—La Follette arrived here today from Oregon, accompanied by Walter Houser, La Follette said "I cannot discuss the results in Oregon and Nebraska until the full returns are in. I will say, however, that the results of those states, whatever they may be, will not affect my plans for the coming campaign in California. The fight will continue, win or lose, to the end."

New Land for Home Seekers

Powell, Wyo., April 20.—A new land of promise for the land-hungry and home-seekers is to be opened Monday, when the government will offer to settlers the lands embraced in the fourth unit of the Shoshone irrigation project, lying to the north and west of this town. The farms are mostly eighty acres each and contain some of the finest land on the Shoshone project, which eventually will reclaim 50,000 acres east of the Yellowstone National Park in northern Wyoming.

Three years ago this spring the first unit of the Shoshone irrigation project, consisting of 15,000 acres, was opened. This was followed at intervals of a year by the opening of the second and third units. Settlers have poured into the valley from all sections of the country. About five hundred families are now established on the first three units and have built roads, schools and churches. The project has railroad facilities, rural delivery, telephones, and there are thriving towns at short intervals. The towns of Gard and Ralston have grown rapidly and Cody is assuming metropolitan airs. Three years ago the government established the town of Powell in the center of the irrigable area. The town is the headquarters of the United States Reclamation Service on the Shoshone project and, though only three years old, it boasts of good schools, good churches, hotels and more.

200 WOMEN SLAIN.

London, April 20.—It is reported that Chinese troops using Maxim guns, slew 200 women and children in quelling an uprising in Lhasa, Tibet.

Carries Distinguished Passengers.

Paris, April 20.—The steamship La France, recently completed at St. Nazaire for the French Transatlantic line, sailed from Havre today, on her maiden voyage to New York. She carries a large passenger list that includes many persons of distinction. Among those on board are the members of the French mission, headed by M. Hanotaux, which is conveying to America the bronze bust of "La France" by Auguste Rodin, for presentation to the United States. The bust is to be placed at the base of the monument to be dedicated next June to Samuel de Champlain, the French navigator and explorer.

Robert Bacon, the retiring United States ambassador to France, and Mrs. Bacon are sailing on the new steamship, also Arthur Bailly-Blanchard, hitherto first secretary at the United States embassy here, who has been transferred to Tokio. Other passengers on La France include an important French delegation to the Red Cross convention to be held in Washington next month.

Georgetown "U" to Celebrate.

Washington, D. C., April 20.—During the coming week Georgetown University is to hold a celebration that promises to assume even larger proportions than the great centennial celebration that was held there some years ago. The leading feature of the celebration will be the unveiling of a statue of Archbishop Carroll, the founder of the university. The event will be attended by hundreds of alumni and other friends of the institution, including many distinguished prelates, priests and laymen of the Roman Catholic church.



JONATHAN BOURNE, JR.

Political czar of Oregon whose political downfall was sounded yesterday in Oregon when he was defeated by a wide margin for re-nomination to the office of United States senator, while other political issues occupied close attention no feature of the primaries carried more wide-spread importance or prestige making action than the overthrow of Bourne.

CONGRESSIONAL VOTE IS SLOW IN COMPILATION BUT SHOWS SINNOTT AND ELLIS AHEAD

Indication in La Grande this afternoon are that N. J. Sinnott of The Dalles has pulled the plum in the republican congressional race. Interior counties have yet to be heard from but it is not likely that present standings will be materially changed although it is anticipated that belated returns will eventually pull Cochran into third place over Rusk under him and Roosevelt last. The race has been close and in view of the delayed returns interest has been whetted all through the day. Sinnott is conceded by Portland statisticians to have won easily, they giving Ellis second place which is carried out by returns received in La Grande. It is impossible to get returns on this race from Gilliam, Crook, Grant, Morrow, Malheur, Klamath, Sherman, Wheeler or Harney that are extensive or authentic.

How the Counties Went.

In Baker county Cochran polled 123 out of 23 precincts in 38; Ellis drew 233, Roosevelt 23, Rusk 314, Sinnott 172. In Union 20 precincts out of 22 Cochran 445, Ellis 257, Roosevelt 44, Rusk 353, Sinnott 231. In Umatilla in 31 out of 44 precincts the vote stood at noon: Cochran 216, Ellis 629, Roosevelt 161, Rusk 319, Sinnott 129. In Wallowa county 10 precincts out of 23, including the larger towns: Cochran 153, Ellis 132, Roosevelt 10, Rusk 191, Sinnott 58.

How Wallowa County Went.

Enterprise, April 20.—(Special).—Out of the precincts in Wallowa county 10 have been used in compiling the following figures, and the outlying precincts unheard from will not materially change the standing. Only a few votes are involved in each. This is how Wallowa county went:

La Follette 116, Roosevelt 293, Taft 152, Bourne 103, Lowell 131, Morton 34, Selling 252, Fields 227, Olcott 249, Cotell 84, Edwards 48, Lea 53, Mickle 232, Atchison 285, Schulerman 67, Stayton 83.

Kiddle ran far ahead of Flagg in this county and some estimates give Hodgkin a 3 to 1 lead over Oliver for joint senator. Rummels conceded his defeat early this morning and Daniel Boyd is not optimistic over his prospects.

In Crook county Sinnott is estimated to have a slight lead over Ellis; in Morrow Ellis has a shade the best of it in early returns over Sinnott, his nearest competitor. In Klamath all are running neck and neck with returns coming in slowly. In Lake, Ellis and Sinnott are in the lead. Hood River incomplete gives: Cochran 20, Ellis 110; Roosevelt 130, Rusk 20, Sinnott 2 to 1 ahead. In Harney the story lies between Ellis and Sinnott with Sinnott in the lead by a small margin.

In Vale, and a few outlying precincts, Cochran stands 83, Ellis 59, Roosevelt 10, Rusk 22 and Sinnott 10. All things considered the task of picking second and third place is a difficult one and the last returns must come in before there can be any authentic estimates on this. Appended is a list of figure which, with the exception of Malheur and one or two other counties, is based on actual figures obtained by the Observer at 2 o'clock this afternoon and in the mail: are indicative of the way the candidates will stand at the official count: Sinnott 2,018; Ellis 1,535; Rusk 1,179; Cochran 1,065; Roosevelt 578.

LATE PIERCE RETURNS.

Portland, Ore., April 20.—Portland results at 2 o'clock outside of Multnomah county showed Lane 1,574; Pierce 1,501; Coshaw 1, 105. One hundred and thirty-four precincts of 197 in Multnomah show Lane 1,787; Pierce 401, Coshaw 166.

To Dedicate New Campanile

Venice, April 20.—For the first time in a decade the ears of the Venetians will be gladdened during the coming week by the sound of the famous bells of the Campanile of St. Mark's. Ever since the old Campanile fell in ruins in 1902 the work of rebuilding has been carried on. Today the beautiful tower stands just as before. Every feature has been faithfully reproduced from the wonderful bronze statues to the famous chimies, for the sound of which Pope Pius X. has often expressed a yearning since he quit Venice for the Vatican. The formal dedication of the new Campanile is set for next Thursday. The municipality has issued an invitation to Italy and the world to attend the ceremonies, which will be conducted on an elaborate scale.

Temporarily Insane, Suicide.

Venice, Cal., April 20.—Driven temporarily insane by brooding over the Titanic disaster, Mrs. M. U. Stebler, aged 55, a wealthy widow from St. Louis, leaped into the ocean here today drowning herself.

COMPLETE VOTE SHOWS RESULTS

TWO SMALL PRECINCTS TO BE HEARD FROM UNOFFICIALLY

MANY CLOSE RACES SPARKLE THROUGHOUT THE CONTEST

Votes From 20 Out of 22 Precincts Give Union County Candidates Their Standing—Balance Cannot Change Standing if Unofficial Returns as Compiled by the Observer are Correct.

Union county yesterday cast a light vote that sparked with close races—never, perhaps, has there been so many closely-fought contests for so many offices. It was not until noon today that the race between Snook and Proctor was decided an dit is just possible that there might be errors in the unofficial returns compiled by the Observer—four hours by the way, in advance of any other newspaper in Eastern Oregon—to change one or two minor offices. Deeming the returns now in hand as correct, it is impossible to change any of the candidates' standing. Of the 22 precincts in the county all but Antelope and Starkey are included in this basis. Antelope has 29 republicans and 23 democrats, and Starkey 11 republicans and three democrats; thus it will be seen from the accompanying table that there is no possible chance to change the outcome which is as follows up to date:

For President.

Republican:	
La Follette	318
Roosevelt	640
Taft	356
Democrat:	
Clark	348
Harmon	29
Wilson	353

For United States Senate.

Republican:	
Bourne	324
Lowell	264
Martin	71
Selling	582
Democrat:	
Coshaw	115
Lane	126
Miller	11
Pierce	533

For United States Representative.

Republican:	
Cochran	445
Ellis	257
Roosevelt	44
Rusk	353
Sinnott	231
Democrat:	
Covey	101
Graham	408

For Joint State Representative.

Republican:	
McDonald	732
Rummels	273

No Democratic Candidates.

For State Representative.

Forrestrom	683
Lambert	575

No Democratic Candidates.

For Secretary of State.

Republican:	
Fields	611
Olcott	586

No Democratic Candidates.

For State Senator.

Republican:	
Flagg	445
Kiddle	777

Democrat:

Hodgin	410
Oliver	299

For Sheriff.

Republican:	
Hug	669
Walden	591

Democrat:

Childers	356
Gaskill	332

For Recorder.

Republican:	
Proctor	662
Snook	691

County Commissioner.

Republican:	
Hutchinson, Union.	

No Democratic Candidates.

County Clerk.

Ed Wright, La Grande.	
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No Democratic Candidates.

County Treasurer.

Republican:	
John Frawley.	

No Democratic Candidates.

County Assessor.

Republican:	
U. G. Couch, Island City.	

Democrat:

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ISMAY HELD BY GOVERNMENT

NOT ALLOWED TO SAIL FOR EUROPE AS HIS SCHEME WAS

OTHER OFFICERS OF TITANIC UNDER ARREST

Stories About Action of the Crews Just Before the Titanic Went Down Are Coming Out—The Investigation Into the Wreck Is to Be Thorough and Complete in Every Respect, It Is Said.

New York, April 20.—Senator Smith of Michigan, chairman of the senatorial investigating committee which is probing into the Titanic disaster, curtly refused the request of J. Bruce Ismay to sail this afternoon for England.

To may sure that Ismay will not leave the country Senator Smith had him served with another subpoena. Subpoenas were also served on 22 members of the Titanic crew including four officers. They must remain in the United States until the probe is completed. Other members will be permitted to leave this afternoon.

That he had definite information Ismay had intended sailing for Europe the day after the Carpathia docked, was admitted here by Senator Smith. "We had information," said Smith, "that the White Star line planned to rush Ismay and the surviving members of the Titanic crew out of the country. This was effectually blocked by subpoenaing those who were wanted."

It was learned today that the engineers in the engineer's room of the Titanic, after doing all that was possible for them to do to save the ship, knelt down and prayed as they died. Above them on the deck the men chatted and smoked as they awaited their own deaths.

The White Star line is securing life boats which the Carpathia brought here. A photographer who attempted to take pictures of them, alleges, he was fired on by a watchman. The committee investigated the delay in getting news of the disaster ashore and the false reports alleged to have been issued by the officials of the White Star line.

Says He Sent Messages.

Thomas Cottam, wireless operator on the Carpathia said: "I sent several messages to the steamer Baltic, but kept no record of them, as I was too busy sending. Monday I sent all the details of the wreck to the Baltic, which was the whole story. The Baltic was coming toward the wreck at the time the messages were sent."

Cottam, wireless operator of the Carpathia, said the first message from the Titanic was "Come at once. It's Q. D." The last Titanic message received was "Come as quickly as possible. She is taking water. It's up to the boilers." He never heard from the Titanic after that.

To Regulate Trans-Atlantic Traffic.

Washington, April 20.—For the regulation of trans-Atlantic liners to prevent a repetition of the Titanic disaster is aimed at in a resolution introduced today by Senator Martin of New Jersey. The senate foreign committee reported favorably on the measure. The resolution provides that the president shall negotiate with the other maritime powers for an agreement regulating sea lanes to be used by the big liners and also the establishment of a uniform system for use aboard vessels and a systematic plan for inspection.

D. M. Clark.

County Coroner

Republican:	
C. T. Bacon, La Grande.	

No Democratic Candidates.

For School Superintendent.

Democrat:	
E. E. Bragg.	

No Republican candidates.

Little effort has been made to track of the vote in Union County far as the presidential electors and convention delegates are concerned, though it is conceded that Daniel Boyd was elected.

Union county gave Fields a big vote and Robert Eakin, a favored son, ran like wild fire, notwithstanding that he had no opposition for supreme judge. **Flagg Is Defeated.**

Ed. E. Kiddle, Island City, won over Flagg by a neat majority, winning a

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