

OREGON IS FOR TAFT BY 25,000

State Is Swept by Republican Ticket From One End to Other.

MULTNOMAH WELL IN LINE

Vote for Taft Will Exceed All Expectations—Two to One for Taft in Clatsop, Morrow and Many Other Counties.

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Both precincts in Medford polled a heavy vote, a total of 1947 being cast. In South Medford there were 497 votes cast and complete returns show 256 for Taft.

HOOD RIVER COUNTY VOTE

Complete Returns Give Taft Plurality of 408.

HOOD RIVER, Or., Nov. 3.—(Special.)—Complete returns from Hood River county give Taft 408, Bryan 126, Debs 36, Chaffin 10, and 11 votes for other candidates.

Will Win Umatilla by 850.

PENDELTON, Or., Nov. 3.—(Special.)—In Umatilla county complete returns from 18 precincts give Taft 1506, Bryan 628, Debs 120, Chaffin 10, and 11 votes for other candidates.

Carries Josephine by 300.

GRANT'S PASS, Or., Nov. 3.—(Special.)—Josephine county has gone Republican for Taft by 300. These returns are based upon ten of the largest voting precincts. Six precincts are to be heard from, but they will not change the results, and it is quite likely the lead for Taft will reach 300.

Carries Crook by 800.

PRINEVILLE, Or., Nov. 3.—(Special.)—All signs point to Taft having carried Crook county by a plurality of more than 800. Returns from 18 precincts out of 39 give him a lead of 850, and further returns will increase Taft's plurality proportionally.

Douglas Gives 500 Plurality.

ROSEBURG, Or., Nov. 3.—(Special.)—Complete returns from 17 out of 21 precincts give Taft 1248, Bryan 717, Debs 140, Chaffin 10, and 11 votes for other candidates.

Straw Vote in Penitentiary.

SALEM, Or., Nov. 3.—(Special.)—A straw vote among the convicts at the state prison this evening gave Bryan 188, Taft 85, Debs 39, Chaffin 11, and 11 votes for other candidates.

Clackamas by 700.

OREGON CITY, Or., Nov. 3.—(Special.)—Complete unofficial returns from 21 out of 28 precincts in Clackamas county give Taft 1761, Bryan 1257, Debs 140, Chaffin 10, and 11 votes for other candidates.

Linn County by 250.

ALBANY, Or., Nov. 3.—(Special.)—Complete returns from 24 out of 31 precincts in Linn county give Taft 1777, Bryan 1506, Chaffin 121, Debs 250, and 11 votes for other candidates.

Will Have 600 in Coos.

MARSHFIELD, Or., Nov. 3.—(Special.)—Ten precincts in Coos county give Taft 602, Bryan 35, Debs 37, Taft's plurality in Coos county will be over 600, as indicated by returns at 11 P. M.

Columbia for Taft 700.

ST. HELENS, Or., Nov. 3.—(Special.)—Taft will carry Columbia county by 700. His plurality in the four precincts is 700. His plurality in the county will be 700.

Carries Benton by 450.

CORVALLIS, Or., Nov. 3.—(Special.)—Benton county probably will give Taft 450. Three precincts in Corvallis gave Taft 470, Bryan 260, seven precincts in the county gave Taft 350 plurality. A heavy vote was polled.

Carries Grant by 350.

CANYON CITY, Or., Nov. 3.—(Special.)—This precinct shows impartial returns. Taft 63, Bryan 35, Chaffin 1, Debs 3, Hugen 2. Taft's estimated plurality in Grant county is 350.

Gilliam for Taft 350.

CONDON, Or., Nov. 3.—(Special.)—Complete returns from four precincts out of 11 in Gilliam county give Taft 279, Bryan 127, Debs 15, Chaffin 5. Taft's estimated plurality in county 350.

Morrow Two to One for Taft.

HEPPNER, Or., Nov. 3.—(Special.)—Complete reports from half of the precincts in Morrow county give Taft a majority of over 2 to 1. Indications are the vote will go the same over the entire county. Taft carried the town of Heppner 3 to 1.

Carries Union by 250.

LA GRANDE, Or., Nov. 3.—(Special.)—Twenty complete and one incomplete of 23 precincts in Union county give Taft 984, Bryan 799. Estimates now are that Taft has carried Union county by 250. The city of La Grande gave Taft a plurality of 160.

Washington County by 1200.

HILLSBORO, Or., Nov. 3.—(Special.)—Hillsboro's two precincts complete give Taft 842, Bryan 155, Chaffin 17, Debs 16, Hugen 1. Taft's estimated plurality in Washington county 1200. Light vote may reduce this.

Gets Polk by 370.

DALLAS, Or., Nov. 3.—(Special.)—Returns practically complete from 16 precincts give Taft a lead of 342 votes over Bryan. With three precincts to hear

from, the probable result will be 370 plurality for Taft.

Returns From Cottage Grove.

COTTAGE GROVE, Or., Nov. 3.—(Special.)—Election returns for Cottage Grove are as follows: West Cottage Grove, Taft 152; Bryan 83; Debs 25; Chaffin 4. East Cottage Grove, Taft 268; Bryan 154; Debs 20; Chaffin 10.

Drain for Taft, 4 to 1.

DRAIN, Or., Nov. 3.—(Special.)—Complete returns from Drain give Taft 181, Bryan 43, Chaffin 5, Debs 26, Hugen 1. From Scottsburg, Taft 175, Bryan 5, From Elkton, Taft 57, Bryan 27.

Baker Goes for Taft.

BAKER CITY, Or., Nov. 3.—(Special.)—Returns from 30 precincts in Baker county give Taft 1406, Bryan 1295, Baker county in 1904 gave Roosevelt 1996, Parker 940.

Carries Tillamook by 400.

TILLAMOOK, Or., Nov. 3.—(Special.)—Thirteen precincts in Tillamook county give Taft 572, Bryan 332. Taft will carry the county by about 400.

Taft Carries Glendale.

GLENDALE (Douglas County), Or., Nov. 3.—(Special.)—Complete returns in Glendale precinct give Taft 111, Bryan 56, Debs 24, Chaffin 1, Hugen 1.

Vote at Echo.

ECHO, Or., Nov. 3.—(Special.)—Total vote cast, 402. Taft 266, Bryan 136, Pro. 8, Soc. 24, Ind. 1.

Leads in Jackson County.

JACKSONVILLE, Or., Nov. 3.—(Special.)—Seven precincts complete in Jackson county give Taft 622, Bryan 561.

Results in Sheridan.

SHERIDAN, Or., Nov. 3.—(Special.)—Sheridan precinct gave Taft 124, Bryan 65, Chaffin 5, Debs 1.

Stanford Absorbs Cooper.

STANFORD UNIVERSITY, Cal., Nov. 3.—Cooper Medical College, established in San Francisco many years ago and an institution which has furnished California with many physicians, is now a part of Stanford University. The consolidation, which was undertaken by the trustees last semester, has been accomplished, according to an announcement made by the university authorities yesterday. Many physicians on the college staff now become professors of the university and the registration is increased by about 600 undergraduates.

To Bridge Gulf Chasm.

VALLEJO, Cal., Nov. 3.—During the visit of a delegation from the San Francisco Chamber of Commerce yesterday announcement was made of a revival of the project to bridge Carquinez Strait from South Vallejo to Vallejo Junction. The business men of this city are advocating a suspension bridge from bluff to bluff, so high as not to offer any obstacle to navigation. It would be erected by the state, according to their plans, and be leased to railway companies.

Night Riders in Arkansas.

LITTLE ROCK, Ark., Nov. 3.—Twenty-six men in Craighead county are under arrest for night riding and have been held for the grand jury under bonds of \$500.

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DEMOCRATS TAKE LOSS CHEERFULLY

Speculate on Bryan's Chances Next Election if He Should Run.

GROWN USED TO DEFEAT

Sentiment at Democratic Headquarters Indicates Hang-Together Spirit, Even in Downfall of Their Ticket.

"The spirit of the Democrat is truly remarkable. He quibbles not at defeat, he rejoices in extremity, he listens without anger to the taunting sounds, he—"

But the sound of the voice died suddenly when State Chairman Alex Sweek, State Secretary John B. Ryan and County Chairman George E. Thomas, of the Democratic committee; W. N. Gatens, secretary to Governor Chamberlain; E. S. J. McAllister and State Senator Milton A. Milton, of Linn county, turned their eyes suddenly in the direction whence it had proceeded. The six bedrock Democrats were in process of being interviewed as to the result of the election when the vocal noise disturbed their mental mechanism. Chairman Sweek turned his smilingly interrogative eyes on the five others.

"Not me," said Miller. "Not me," said the others, with the exception of McAllister. "I'll say," said McAllister, "that the face of the Democrat is truly remarkable. It shows no signs of distress. I'm not responsible for the rest."

Stick Together in Defeat.

Chairman Sweek's said expression said "We'll let it go at that," but vocally he said, "the spirit here. In defeat, we have the old guard here," and he looked around upon 100 or more bedrock Democrats who knew for a certainty of the overwhelming defeat of Bryan, and yet stayed in the headquarters and waited for returns and a chance to cheer even a slight victory in an isolated locality.

We stand, said Chairman Sweek,

after a survey of his audience, "for the same principle that we have stood for since the first nomination of Bryan, 12 years ago. Four years hence the public will recognize that principle. Bryan was certainly right on the main issue of the campaign. He is a great leader and he is not downed and never will be downed except by death. The election of Taft is certainly a great defeat for organized labor."

Bryan's Chance Next Time.

"If Johnson were our candidate this year the Democrats would have the next President of the United States," said Harry Wolf, the veteran Democratic warhorse, who just stepped into the room. "When I came back from the East I said that. Not a manufacturer there was for Bryan. Bryan had had two trials and the people were tired of him."

Bryan made a gallant fight,"

said Senator Miller. "He fell for a principle we all stand for. I don't know who the devil our next candidate will be."

"Bryan sure, if Bryan is alive,"

interrupted H. D. Wagon. "It is true that Bryan was slaughtered this time, but I believe in a slaughter every time for a principle."

"Slaughter is nothing unusual for us,"

said Miller. "The Oregonian once said that if the Democrats were beat they could say that they had been beat before. No disgrace in that, is there? We'll make another fight, and if we lose again our spirit remains."

"For Bryan again!"

inquired Robert

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Catlin. "He has had three trials, and I believe he should give place to some other candidate—Johnson or Chanler, if either be elected Governor of his state."

"I'll keep my opinion to myself for a day or two," said Secretary Ryan. "You shouldn't interject the irrepressible Henry Gray. The Democrats are carrying Wheeling, W. Va., and because Elkline is permitting his daughter to marry a foreign prince. Don't repeat the story, I've copyrighted it. If we can contrive to get a couple hundred more millionaires Republicans to marry their daughters to foreign princes, we might carry the county in 1912."

"Hurray!" was the greeting of Al Tozier, Democrat since he attained his majority (how many years ago. "Apple crop fine up in Hood River," inquired Gatens, with an expression that he intended as a comforting preliminary to the serious conversation that would follow.

"Down to market your crop, Ah I presume," naively inquired Chairman Sweek. "No, hang it! I came down to vote, and also to see how a house could fall on me."

Waiting for Returns.

"Well, Al, have you been there before?" inquired J. H. Fletcher, former Lieutenant-Governor of South Dakota and now a capitalist of St. John.

"Well, then," said Fletcher. "You can hear the news like a noble Roman. But," gravely, "more than a house fell upon you this time."

"I presumed so from the sound of the Republican bugles. But did the nine, ten and 15-story buildings shake?"

"No," said Fletcher. "Good night, then! I'm back to the apple fields for the next four years."

"Stay awhile longer," advised Harry Grafton, one of the warriors of the party. "We're getting good news from both Johnson and Chanler."

Mr. Tozier took a seat and entered into a discussion of city and county politics. "His slides are nothing to see you boys around," he said. "There were just about as many around to say 'howdy' to me when I lost out in my race for City Auditor in 1904. Democrats always stick together until the candle burns out."

Accustomed to Losing.

"We are certainly cheerful losers," remarked Grafton. "We've got accustomed to it," said Municipal Judge Van Zante. "Cheerfulness becomes a part of our nature."

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No MORE DOUBTFUL STATES

Hitchcock Says Result Shows His Estimate Was Too Low.

NEW YORK, Nov. 3.—At 10:30 o'clock Chairman Frank Hitchcock of the Republican National Committee met the newspaper reporters in his office at National headquarters and made the following statement:

"The returns speak for themselves. There seems to be no longer any doubtful states. The electoral vote will show that my estimate was correct. It looks now, I think, as if I must have underestimated

it. The returns have exceeded my expectations.

"The plurality in Indiana will be less than I expected. That in Illinois is far more than anticipated. And so it goes. Where one state has not quite come up to the figures I had expected, some other state has gone far beyond. The latest returns from Maryland indicate that we have carried that state by about 8000 to 10,000 and that is more than I believed it would give."

"I predicted early in the evening that Mr. Hughes would be elected. To Governor Hughes we owe much. As a campaigner he has helped wonderfully in the National contest. All of us here at headquarters were greatly interested in the fight. He has earned his victory and we are glad for him and grateful to him for the help he has given us."

When Mr. Hitchcock was asked to what he attributed the victory of the National ticket he replied:

"The people have explained that. It is not for me to say anything more except to thank the people. "I do not think any formal statement from me, further than what I have said to you, is necessary. I wish you all good night."

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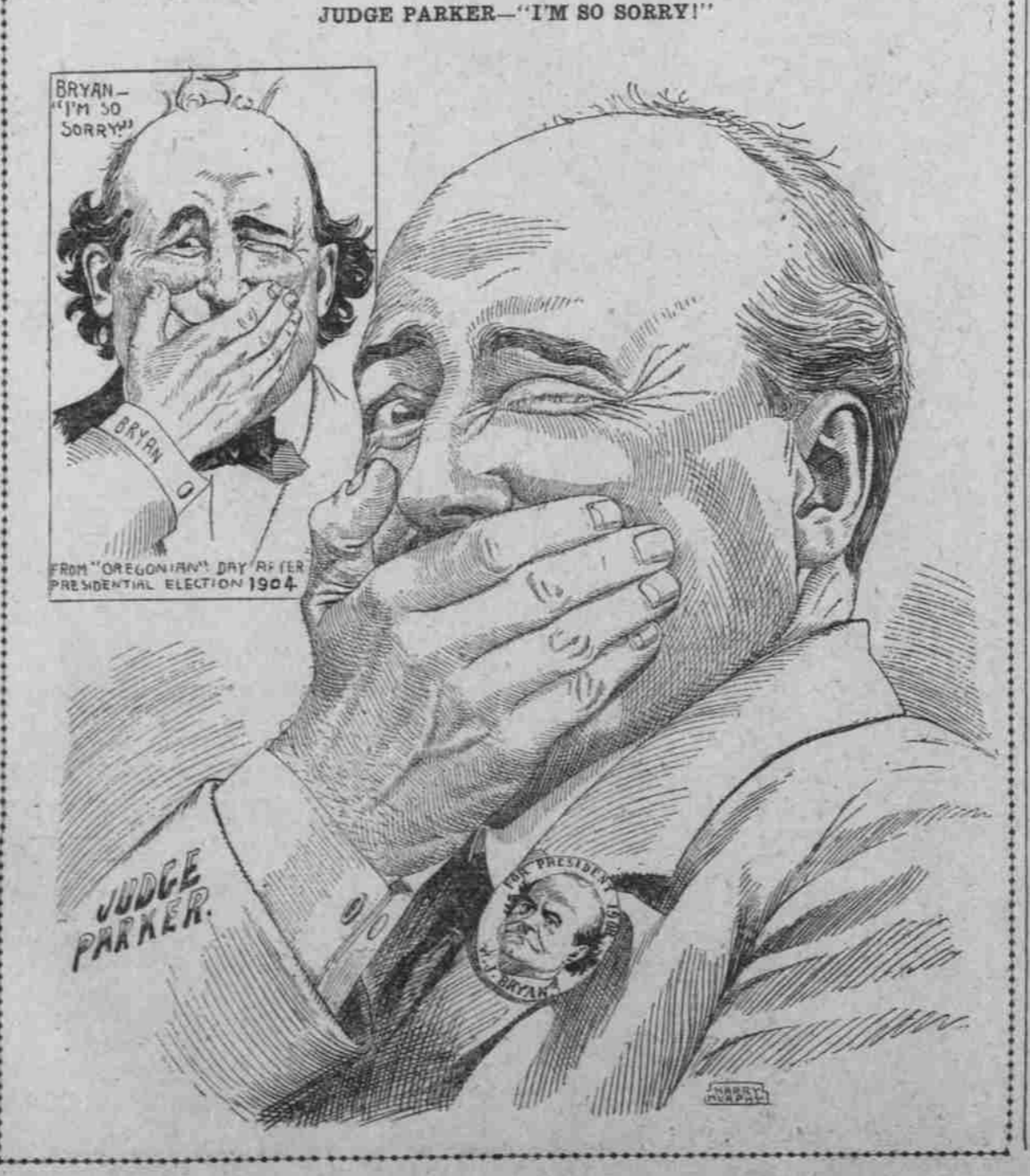
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