

DECISION FAVORS WILSON ELECTORS

Effect Will Be to Cast Out at Least One Precinct Favorable to T. R.

WRIT OF MANDATE ISSUED

Necessity for Entire Recount of 727 Precincts in Los Angeles County Calls for Work by Night and Day.

LOS ANGELES, Nov. 21.—The District Court of Appeals handed down a decision in the election controversy late today which Democratic leaders declare will place California in the Wilson column.

The decision was against the method of the board of supervisors in canvassing the returns of Los Angeles County. The court held that the tallies should be counted and not the certification. At least one precinct, that of Pasadena No. 4, will be virtually thrown out by the decision, with a loss of 103 plurality for all Roosevelt electors except Wallace.

Peremptory Writ Issued.
A peremptory writ of mandate was ordered issued directing the board of supervisors to canvass the election returns in accordance with the conclusions set forth in the opinion. The opinion sustained the Democrats in all except one point involved. It was an important point, however, inasmuch as a decision in favor of the Democratic contention would have assured the election of the entire 13 Wilson electors in the state. This involved the returns of 727 precincts which the Democrats petitioned to be rejected entirely because the sealed envelopes had been opened so that corrections in the certification could be made by election boards.

Thousand Votes Saved to Colonel.
The court held that the breaking of the sealed envelopes prior to the time for opening them in public was contrary to law, "but did not constitute such an irregularity as to require that the returns be entirely rejected." In these precincts Roosevelt had a plurality of more than 1000.

All the contentions raised by the Democrats relative to the method of the canvassing the returns were upheld by the court. From the beginning of the canvass the Democratic committee men present insisted that tally lists be counted rather than the certification totals but the supervisors took the latter figures in preference.

Complete Recount Necessary.
The decision caused consternation among Roosevelt Progressive leaders and the members of the canvassing board, because of the time remaining for the final certification and forwarding of the returns to the Secretary of State, failure to do which by next Monday would render the vote of the banner Roosevelt county being lost with its approximately 20,000 plurality for the Progressive Presidential candidate.

Owing to the method adopted by the supervisors, a complete recount of the 727 precincts in the county is necessary and the work of canvassing the returns in the manner stipulated by the court will necessitate night and day work continuously until the last moment for dispatching the certified returns to the Secretary of State.

AUTO RACES WITH DEATH
Medical Aid Rushed to Isolated and Stricken Forest Ranger.

PRAIRIE CITY, Or., Nov. 21.—(Special.)—A telephone message received here yesterday from Yan, in the north-east part of Harney county, announced the sudden and serious illness of Guy N. Hubbard, of the United States Forestry Service, who, with his wife and three little children, is located in the mountains south of Bear Creek Valley. Medical assistance was rushed to the home of the stricken family by automobile from this place.

Mr. Hubbard's mother and a number of relatives are residents of Prairie City. He has been in the Government service for a number of years.

TRAVELERS IN QUARANTINE
Passenger on Santa Fe Train Found to Have Smallpox.

DENVER, Col., Nov. 21.—Eight passengers and a Pullman porter will be compelled to remain under observation for two weeks in the sleeper at Castle Rock, Colo., as a result of the discovery of a case of smallpox by the conductor of the Santa Fe passenger train No. 5, due in Denver today from Chicago.

R. C. Jones, the patient, boarded the sleeper at La Junta, Colo. State Board of Health officials ordered the Pullman Service, who, with his wife and three children, is located in the mountains south of Bear Creek Valley. Medical assistance was rushed to the home of the stricken family by automobile from this place.

CARNEGIE ASKED FOR CASH
San Francisco to Hasten Work on \$750,000 Library Gift.

SAN FRANCISCO, Nov. 21.—Complying with a city charter provision, Eustace Cullinan, member of the board of library trustees, of San Francisco has written a letter to Andrew Carnegie requesting the remittance of \$50,000 as the first installment of the gift of \$750,000 for a library building offered by the steel man and accepted by the voters at the last election. It is the intention of the officials to begin the erection of the building without delay.

ROYALIST LEADER EXILED
Portuguese Court-Martial Offers Alternative of Imprisonment.

LISBON, Portugal, Nov. 21.—The court-martial at Chaves today condemned Henrique de Palma Concelos, the leader of the recent Royalist movement, to six years imprisonment, to be followed by an exile of 10 years from Portugal. As an alternative, Concelos may choose a 20-year exile Count De Pennalla, another alleged conspirator was acquitted.

THIRD CHILD-WIFE FREED
Three Generations Testify to Divorce Man Who Weds Children.

ALBANY, Or., Nov. 21.—(Special.)—Three generations testified today in a divorce suit in which the plaintiff was

RULING THREATENS CANAL WITH DELAY

Commerce Commission Modifies Previous Order Defining Coast Traffic.

SHIPBUILDERS ARE GLAD

Government Thrown Into Commotion, and Officials Declare Effect Will Be to Defer Opening Full Year.

M'ALLISTER PUT IN JAIL

PORTLAND LAWYER ARRESTED ON TRAIN GOING SOUTH.

Man Wanted in Vice Investigation Protests That He Is Innocent and Begs for Release in Vain.

GRACE FLEET ENLARGED

FOUR SHIPS TO PLY BETWEEN COASTS, VIA CANAL.

Announcement Made That Santa Cecilia Will Be Added to Vessels Under Construction.

WALLOWA MINISTER QUILTS

Rev. B. F. Meredith, of Enterprise, May Do Evangelical Work.

CAR SERVICE IS DESIRED

Extension of Rose City Park Line Projected by Residents.

BURNED BODY IS FOUND

FARMER ADMITS QUARREL AND IS HELD FOR MURDER.

SISTER FOILS KIDNAPERS

GIRL THROWS HERSELF IN FRONT OF AUTOMOBILE.

Delay When Driver Stops Machine Gives Police Chance to Capture Child's Abductors.

BEAUTY WEDS SERVANT

DIVORCEE ELOPES, THINKING BRIDEGROOM IS RICH.

Member of Chicago's Fashionable Set Finds Husband Is Chauffeur of Man She Thought He Was.

2,000 ACRES IN PROJECT

IRRIGATION PROJECT TO BE STARTED SOON.

Hernault Office of Reclamation Service Gets Order by Wire to Prepare for Work.

HERMISTON, Or., Nov. 21.—(Special.)—

The local office of the Reclamation Service has received telegraphic instructions to be in readiness for the construction of what is known as the fifth unit of the Umatilla project. Work by letter to commence this work are expected any day. The fifth unit comprises about 1100 acres along the extreme north side of the project and

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WASHINGTON, Nov. 21.—With a delay of perhaps a year in the completion of the Panama Canal in prospect, unless foreign vessels are allowed to continue carrying material and supplies to the Canal Zone, the Interstate Commerce Commission decided today to modify its recent administrative ruling "that shipments destined from points in the United States to Porto Rico, the Canal Zone or the Philippine islands are coastwise shipments."

Order Virtually Withdrawn.
The precise terms of the modified order are not yet available, but they will amount practically to a withdrawal of the order. The original ruling of the commission was recognized instantly of vital importance to vessel owners throughout the world. Under the statutes of this country coastwise shipping may be carried only in American vessels. The commerce between the United States and the Canal Zone, Porto Rico and the Philippines now is carried largely by vessels flying foreign flags.

Canal Commission in Commotion.
By the terms of the Commission's ruling shipments to the territories named can be carried only in American ships. The ruling was hailed joyously by American shipbuilders, one of whom informed the Commission today that it would mean the doubling of the capacity of his shipyard. The Government itself, however, and particularly the Isthmian Canal Commission, was thrown into a commotion by the ruling. The matter was sent immediately to the Commission with the statement that the ruling, if it should stand, would be a heavy blow to the construction of the Panama Canal, delaying its completion probably a year.

The local office also has received authorization to call for bids for removing rock obstructions in another drainage canal which already is completed except for this piece of rock work. This cannot be undertaken for at least a month yet on account of the water being too high. The Reclamation Service has, during the past month and a half, had large crews cleaning out and repairing the large distributing canals. This work is about finished now and the new work will provide places for practically every man on the project who is looking for work. It is the announced policy to give every home man work before employing outsiders. The October payroll of the local office was \$12,000.

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ENTERPRISE, Or., Nov. 21.—(Special.)—Rev. B. F. Meredith, probably the most prominent minister in Wallowa County, has asked to be released from his charge as pastor of the Methodist Church at Enterprise. He preached his farewell to his congregation last Sunday.

Mr. Meredith recently entered on his third year as pastor of the local church, his resignation having been made known to the congregation. He will leave the charge for personal reasons. He has been a member of the Idaho conference for seven years and in that time has preached in nearly every Methodist church in Eastern Oregon and Southern Idaho. For two years he has been secretary of the conference, and in future plans are not announced, although he expects to rest a short time and then may do evangelistic work in Union County.

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The East Seventy-second Street Improvement Club is making a special effort to complete the amount required to get an extension of the Rose City Park carline from Sandy boulevard and East thirty-seventh street on Halsey street and the Barr road to East Eighty-second street. About \$15,000 has been subscribed, and a committee of eight from the club is working every day visiting property owners. A. R. Mattoon is chairman of the committee engaged in raising the money.

Mr. Mattoon says that the work is slow, but that property owners are subscribing as they are seen. He says that it will be necessary to make up the amount soon, as Halsey street is to be paved next year from East Thirty-seventh to East Fifty-second street, the carline being laid before the track is put down, it will delay the carline.

At the start the committee estimated that it will cost property owners \$20 a lot for land abutting on Halsey street and the Barr road, with a proportionate assessment on lots further removed. Mr. Mattoon estimates that the line will double the value of all property of the district.

Echo Mill Runs to Capacity.
ECHO, Or., Nov. 21.—(Special.)—To turn out a large consignment of flour which is soon to be exported to China, the Echo Flour Mills are running day and night. The daily output is 150 barrels.

Searchers today followed buggy tracks from a lot on Prince's farm to a clump of woods, where, under a pile of brush, they found a newly made grave, in which Bentley's body had been buried.

Both legs had been chopped off just below the hips. Every particle of clothing had been burned off and portions of the body were charred and blasted. The nose was broken and there was a deep wound over the right eye.

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It is possible that the Brownell holdings of nearly 900 acres also will be included, bringing the total up to nearly 2000 acres. The cost of the work is estimated at \$30,000.

Bids will be opened in this city Saturday for the construction of a drainage ditch between trees and four miles long, which, it is estimated, will cost approximately \$10,000.

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REBELS USE BOMBS

Palomas, Mexican Port of Entry, Is Captured.

CONFLICT IS HAND-TO-HAND

One Hundred Federal Defenders of Town Taken Prisoners by 300 Insurrectos Who Now Surround City of Juarez.

EL PASO, Tex., Nov. 21.—One hundred federal troops defending the Mexican port of Palomas on the New Mexico border made a determined fight against some 300 rebels and surrendered only after two distinct engagements, the last of which was fought from house to house.

By employing dynamite bombs, the rebels entered the town early in the day and a cessation of firing led to the belief on the American side that the port had fallen. But this afternoon it was learned that the rebels still held their position and were being urged to continue by their commander, Colonel Francisco Corrala, who, though wounded in the leg, remained on the firing line.

Brisk firing continued two more hours, until the government troops were threatened again by hand grenades and compelled to surrender. Aside from one federal captain, who early in the day fled to the American side, all the government troops were taken prisoners with their rifles, supplies and ammunition.

Major McDonald, of the Thirteenth United States Cavalry, sent word that both rebel and federal wounded would be cared for on the American side, but so far none has taken advantage of the offer. Reports give the federal loss as seven killed and ten wounded, while the rebels lost 14 killed and wounded.

Rebel success in Palomas creates a peculiar condition. With the revolutionary forces under General Inez Salazar opposite Columbus, only 73 miles to the east, federals under General Tracy Aubert still retain Juarez opposite El Paso.

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Arrive Albany.....	9:40 A. M.	11:10 A. M.	2:00 P. M.
Northbound—	Local	Local	
Leave Albany.....	5:00 P. M.	8:00 P. M.	11:59 P. M.
Arrive Portland.....	8:05 P. M.	11:00 P. M.	5:45 A. M.

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