

300,154 MAY VOTE ELECTION TODAY

Secretary of State Shows Republicans Outnumber Democrats, Two to One.

ALL TOTALS NOT OFFICIAL

Four Counties Checked Closely and Estimates Believed Correct.

Registration Double That of 1912 Before Women Voted.

SALEM, Or., Nov. 2.—(Special.)—With official figures from all but four counties and unofficial reports from those believed to be about correct, Secretary of State Olcott announced tonight that the registration for tomorrow's election was 300,154.

Of this number 170,972 are registered as Republicans, 17,836 as Democrats, 18,278 as Prohibitionists, 9,027 as Socialists, 7,585 as Progressives, and 18,456 are designated as miscellaneous. Registration is almost double that of 1912, when the women were not franchised, which was 159,888. The Republicans outnumber Democrats two to one. The unofficial figures are from Curry, Douglas, Malheur and Multnomah counties. Mr. Olcott reckoned the registrations of these counties by counting the names sent in by the County Clerks for use in mailing pamphlets and adding the results to the registrations before the May primary. He thinks the figures are about correct. For the primary election 228,601 electors qualified by registering, and since then the totals largely have been added to in all counties. The registration by counties is as follows:

Table with columns: County, Total, Rep., Dem., Proh., Soc., Prog., Misc. Lists counties like Baker, Benton, Clatsop, Columbia, Crook, Curry, Douglas, Gilliam, Grant, Harney, Hood River, Josephine, Klamath, Lake, Lane, Lincoln, Malheur, Marion, Morrow, Multnomah, Polk, Sherman, Tillamook, Umatilla, Union, Wallowa, Wasco, Washington, Wheeler, Yamhill, and Totals.

50 to go back to their respective countries. In no case will women and children be detained if they desire to leave. The detention of those between the ages of 15 and 50 years is due to the fact that both Germany and Great Britain desire to keep all enemy subjects who could possibly bear arms from joining their colors.

In the same connection the State Department was advised today from Petrograd that Russia had expelled all German and Austrian subjects giving them two weeks within which to leave the country.

KING'S ARMY 300,000

British on Firing Line Soon to Number Half Million.

PARIS, Oct. 20.—(Correspondence of the Associated Press.)—No fewer than 300,000 British soldiers are under the orders of Field Marshal Sir John French on the firing lines. Added to these there are many auxiliary troops on duty in the transport and supply bases. This army acts as a complete unit in conjunction with the French under command of General Joffre.

By December 1, when it is expected large bodies of British territorial, and volunteer, and foreign service, will have been trained sufficiently to take the field, it is estimated that the force at Sir John French's disposal will have reached 500,000 men.

These will include the British and native troops from India and the garrison at Malta and Gibraltar. By that time also, many of the Australian, Canadian and New Zealand detachments will have joined the forces on the Continent.

The bulk of Lord Kitchener's new army of 1,000,000 men, now coming into the field, will not according to an expert military view, be ready for service in the field until next Spring.

GOVERNOR'S PRISON POLICY EXPENSIVE

Campaign Statements Are Refuted by Reports of Superintendent Lawson.

MANY BREAK PAROLES

Prison Spends \$147,000 in Spite of Maintenance of Crews at Work on Roads by Counties. Figures Found Faulty.

SALEM, Or., Nov. 1.—(Special.)—Statements made by Governor West during the present campaign that the Oregon State Penitentiary during his administration has become self-supporting or nearly so are refuted by figures in the biennial report of B. K. Lawson, superintendent of the institution, filed Saturday with the State Board of Control. Not only do they

disprove the contention of the Governor, but they show that the maintenance cost has increased greatly since he has had virtual supervision of the institution.

Colonel Lawson is a personal friend of the executive, and has been given important assignments during his leadership of the Copperfield raid, by Mr. West. His report naturally is as favorable to the executive and himself as it was possible to make it.

Cost Same as of Old. The appropriation (\$147,000) received from the last Legislature has been enough to meet all expenses, even despite the high cost of everything. I find upon comparison with the last six years covering the last three biennial periods that practically the same amount of money has been used for maintenance. One hundred and thirty-three thousand dollars was appropriated for 1909-10 and there was a deficiency of \$16,000, making for the period \$147,000. For 1911-12, \$142,000 was appropriated. The amount appropriated for the period just coming to a close was \$147,000, which will carry us through without some unforeseen emergency arising.

In 1909-10 the earnings of the institution, which amounted to \$27,000, were taken into the general fund, while now the earnings are used for betterments at the prison. According to the bill, as published in the session last year, the deficiency of \$16,000, was \$137,000, instead of \$147,000, as given in the report.

Figures Much Reduced. Deducing the \$27,000 turned into the general fund by the prison and the \$10,000, the maintenance cost of the institution was \$110,000, instead of \$147,000. It is true that improvements have been made at the institution from the earnings, but comparisons of expenditures of former biennial periods with that of the present administration has been about \$60,000.

Many Break Paroles. The report of F. H. Snodgrass, parole officer, for the biennial period which was included in the report of Colonel Lawson, shows that the Governor's liberal policy in freeing convicts has been far from a brilliant success. Since October 1, 1912, the report says that 231 persons have been paroled and that 79 of them violated their paroles. Of these 47 were returned to the prison, and the whereabouts of the others—with the exception of a few, who are prisoners—are unknown to the Oregon authorities. Mr. Snodgrass has visited 256 paroled men and 116 have called at the penitentiary. His report gives the number on parole since October 1 this year as 296. Mr. Snodgrass says: "While the percentage of violations here is greater than some other states the reason, I think, is because the men are not properly looked after when on parole owing to the fact that there are no funds to do it with. The only chance I have had to visit parole men is when I am returning violators. We have a number of men in Portland, Spokane and Seattle, and when I get a chance I pay them a visit. This not only encourages them, but lets them know that we have an interest in their welfare."

AMERICA ASKED TO SUBMIT

British Would Have Cargoes Brought to Their Ports for Examination.

WASHINGTON, Nov. 2.—Great Britain has proposed that American ships bound for Northern Europe ports touch at some convenient Scotch port and submit to some examination of the cargo by British authorities, receiving in return certificates which will relieve them of annoyance of search by British and French cruisers during the remainder of their voyage.

FLOOD AFFECTS MILLIONS

Haul River District in China Is Under Spreading Water.

WASHINGTON, Nov. 2.—Official dispatches received from the American Legation at Peking today reported that the flood in the Haul River district in China was spreading and that a million people were affected by it. No retards were given.

A Few Words in the Interest of Truth

Referring to various statements appearing in the press recently, the Royal Baking Powder Company states:

That it has no interest whatever in the controversy over the use of Albumen (sometimes called white of egg) in baking powder, and has not had any part in the actions before officials that have taken place in the various states;

That it believes Albumen to be entirely unnecessary and used only for deceitful purposes;

That if Albumen was a proper ingredient of baking powder, or performed any legitimate function, it would have adopted it many years ago, as its cost is infinitesimal;

That it has no interest, direct or indirect, in any Alum Baking Powder, the owners of which are reported to be opposed to the use of Albumen, nor in any baking powders in which Albumen is used; that the only baking powders in which it has any interest in the United States are its own well known brands, "Royal," "Dr. Price's" and "Cleveland's," all made of Cream of Tartar.

The Company believes that the question whether Albumen is a proper ingredient for baking powder is insignificant compared with the vastly more important question as to Alum, the use of which in baking powder has been so generally condemned. It is a noteworthy fact that all the baking powders containing Albumen are made of Alum.

ROYAL BAKING POWDER CO. New York

LIBEL IS CHARGED

Milton Markewitz Indicted on Serious Accusation.

ATTACK MADE ON COFFEY

Publication of Circular Scoring County Clerk for Award of Ballot Printing Contract Said to Have Sinister Motive.

Milton Markewitz, president of the printing firm of Bushong & Co., was indicted for criminal libel in a special report by the Multnomah County grand jury yesterday. Arrested on a bench warrant, he was brought before Judge McGinn, released on his own recognizance and directed to furnish bail amounting to \$1000 tomorrow morning.

The indictment resulted from the publication of a circular and its recent distribution in which County Clerk Coffey was roundly scored for his award of the contract for printing ballots for today's election to the firm of Glass & Fruhmann. Mr. Markewitz's name was signed to a long letter contained in the circular in which sinister motives were assigned because the contract was given to a printing company other than Bushong & Co.

The indictment charges that on October 26 Mr. Markewitz did print and disseminate a circular containing charges that contained false statements and charges reflecting upon the character and integrity of John E. Coffey.

WOMEN SUFFER FROM WAR

Thousands of women of Europe are left destitute, unprotected and in misery.

The hearts of the women of America go out to their sisters in Europe who are left in misery and want. American women often suffer from depression, nervousness, and other ailments due to the war.

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JONES IS HELD WINNER

25,900 PLURALITY FOR SENATOR IN KING COUNTY SEEN.

Chairman of Republican Committee Also Says Representative Humphrey Will Win by 9000 or More.

SEATTLE, Wash., Nov. 2.—(Special.)—W. M. Whitney, chairman of the Republican county committee, today predicted that Senator Jones would carry King County by not less than 15,900 votes and that Representative Humphrey would win in the First District, which is comprised of the City of Seattle and Kitsap County, by not less than 9000.

He also predicted that the pluralities for county offices would range from 6000 to 12,000. "There has never been a campaign in which contending party leaders did not put forth claims of party success which were wholly irreconcilable, and which, of course, were mostly shattered by the actual results at the polls," said Mr. Whitney, "but there never has been a time when the leaders opposed to the Republican party have put forth such wild and baseless claims as in the present campaign. For example, the Democratic managers say that their candidate for Congress in this district will have a plurality of 3000, while the Progressive managers claim King County for their Senatorial candidate by 10,000."

In 1912 King County gave the highest Roosevelt vote, 25,387 votes. In the recent primaries Ole Hanson, in a bitter four-cornered Progressive contest, mustered only 5071 first choice votes, and the total of Progressive first choice votes for Senator was only 6453. Two years ago King County gave the highest Wilson election 20,088 votes. In the recent primaries W. W. Black led the four other Democratic candidates, receiving 2368 first choice votes, and the total of Democratic first choice votes for Senator was only 6453.

In 1912 King County gave the highest Taft vote, 15,579 votes. In the recent primaries King County cast 19,922 Republican votes, and Senator Jones, with no contest to enliven his campaign and bring out his full support, received 12,166 votes.

JOHNSON TO BEGIN TOUR

Representative to Visit Reservations and Washington Counties.

HOQUIAM, Wash., Nov. 2.—(Special.)—Representative Albert Johnson leaves for Tacoma Wednesday to meet the two Indian Commissioners who are to visit the various Indian Reservations in Southwestern Washington. After going over the reservations with the two Commissioners, Mr. Johnson will visit Gig Harbor and make an official study of the land holding problem there.

He may go into the Big Bottom country, Lewis County, and then take a week's rest in Wahkiakum County. He will leave for Seattle on December 1 for the third session of this Congress. Neither Mr. Johnson nor any members of the Congressional delegation has a vote, all having had no opportunity to register.

BRITAIN GIVES UP ALIENS

Exchange of Subjects With Germany Is Finally Arranged.

WASHINGTON, Nov. 2.—Germany and Great Britain have reached an understanding through the medium of the American Government whereby each will permit all enemy's citizens except those between the ages of 15 and

CHAFFEE BODY GOES TODAY

Late Lieutenant-General to Be Buried in Arlington Cemetery.

LOS ANGELES, Nov. 2.—The body of Lieutenant-General Adna R. Chaffee, who died at his home here yesterday, after an illness of two weeks, will start on the funeral journey to Washington, D. C., tomorrow. The burial in Arlington Cemetery probably will take place Saturday.

A military guard of honor, consisting of four companies of the Seventh Infantry, National Guard of California, will escort the body from the home to the train. The Loyal Legion also will act as escort.

Christian Science services will be said at the home preceding the departure. In the funeral party to Washington will be Mrs. Chaffee, her brother, Captain Chaffee, Mrs. J. C. Howard, a daughter, and Lieutenant Howard.

NEW MEAT RULE IN EFFECT

Federal Guard Against Use of Diseased Cattle Is Strengthened.

WASHINGTON, Nov. 2.—New Federal meat inspection regulations for better conservation of the public health went into effect today. The guard against

ELECTION RETURNS WILL BE FLASHED TONIGHT

Commenting at 8 o'clock tonight on the returns from the election in Oregon and other states will be flashed by The Oregonian on a screen on the building at the northeast corner of Sixth and Alder streets. At the beginning the returns will be based on the Associated Press reports of the Eastern election, as soon as The Oregonian election department can gather information on the Oregon election it will be flashed in as much detail as possible. The polls in Oregon do not close until 8 o'clock.

Sixty motorcycles will visit the polling places in Multnomah County at frequent intervals and telephones in the count on the principal issues on the ballot. By this system the election department will keep in touch with the voters as it progresses. Outside Multnomah County the returns will be gathered by a large corps of special correspondents.

the use of diseased cattle have been strengthened all along the line and certain meat heretofore wasted may be sold when labeled "Second-class sterilized meat," as is done in some European countries.

New regulations governing imported meats will become effective January 1.

Cotton Restricted in Egypt

LONDON, Nov. 2.—A decree has been issued prohibiting the cultivation of cotton in the upper Egyptian basins in 1915, according to Reuter's Cairo correspondent.

CHICAGO, Nov. 2.—(Special.)—H. A. Sargent, of Portland, is at the Congress. Mr. and Mrs. F. E. Brown and Louis F. Brayton, of Portland, are at the Great Northern.

GERMAN DESERTERS TAKEN

American Marines Remove Sailors From Pacific Mail Liner.

SAN FRANCISCO, Nov. 2.—(United States.)—Four deserters from the German gunboat Geier, now undergoing repairs at Honolulu, were taken in charge. They were taken aboard the United

W. W. M'CREIDIE PAYS FINE

Appeal of Decision for Speeding at Vancouver Is Withdrawn.

VANCOUVER, Wash., Nov. 2.—(Special.)—Rather than have the case he had appealed from the Police Court tried in the Superior Court, W. W. McCreddie, baseball magnate of Portland and ex-Congressman from this district, paid the fine of \$1 and costs of about \$8 and had the appeal withdrawn.

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ORDER EARLY Ask Your Grocer

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CENTRALIA POSTAL SAVINGS GROW

CENTRALIA, Wash., Nov. 2.—(Special.)—According to a statement issued by Postmaster John Benedict, Jr., today, the postal savings deposits in the Centralia postoffice have increased 200 per cent since the European war broke

Look Into the Manner in Which the Spring Valley Wine Co. Conducts Its Business

Note the cleanliness of the store, the size of the business and the arrangements that have been made to fill every need.

Think of the money invested in this legitimate business, and the large number of customers in Portland and throughout Oregon that are served.

Then Ask Yourself if This Business Ought to Be Confiscated

Our store is a credit to the City of Portland. Our stock of goods is the best obtainable. Everything that we sell is PURE

Our customers and their friends, knowing this, will

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