

## DEMOCRATS HOPE TO CARRY INDIANA

### Republicans Claim State by 65,000 Majority.

## MANY FACTORS CONSIDERED

### Other Midwest States North of Ohio River for Harding.

## UNION LABOR OUT FOR COX

### Mark Sullivan Reviews at Some Length Situation in Hoosier State as He Views It.

BY MARK SULLIVAN.  
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INDIANAPOLIS, Ind., Oct. 25.—(Special.)—Of the five states in this middle western country lying between the Mississippi and the Appalachians and north of the Ohio, Indiana is the one that Cox has the best chance of carrying. His next best chance is in Ohio. In one of the states, Michigan, he has absolutely no chance whatever and in Illinois, in spite of the factionalism within the republican ranks, Cox has no chance. Also in Wisconsin, although the factionalism there is even worse than in Illinois, with the regular republicans trying to defeat the party nominee for governor, and the LaFollette republicans trying to defeat the party nominee for senator, Harding will win.

## INDIANA SITUATION REVIEWED

It is in Indiana that Cox has his best chance. The republicans now and for the past three weeks have been claiming the state by about 65,000 for Harding, with the republican senatorial candidate, Watson, 15,000 or 20,000 less. I think these figures represent really sound investigation and a reasonably conservative estimate of view on the part of the republicans. But 65,000 is not an insuperable handicap for a state as large as Indiana, and there are many factors that work in favor of the democrat.

## MAN HELD DEAD IS ALIVE

### Fond Du Lac Resident Missing Eight Years Returns.

FOND DU LAC, Wis., Oct. 25.—John Guell, declared dead, his estate probated, walked in on his friends today after an absence of eight years. Guell's mind for the eight years was in a state of good health. A blow upon his skull caused a silver of bone to pierce his brain 20 years ago and this is believed to have caused amnesia.

## WEDDING TWISTS KINSHIP

### Mother and Daughter Are Made Sisters-in-Law by Marriage.

SPACOUVER, Wash., Oct. 25.—(Special.)—Mother and daughter became sisters-in-law as well when Clifford M. Tice, 26, today married Miss Myrtle E. Pickens, 16. Both were from Sandy.

## TWO RANCHERS DROWNED

### Aaron and John Payne Spilled From Boat While Fishing.

GOLD HILL, Or., Oct. 25.—(Special.)—Aaron Payne, 48, and his nephew, John Payne, 18, Sams valley ranchers employed with the apple picking crew on the Morrill orchards on Rogue river three miles above Goldhill, were drowned when their boat overturned last night while they were fishing.

## MORMON PUBLISHER DIES

### Utah Pioneer and Former Manager of Newspaper Called by Death.

SALT LAKE CITY, Utah, Oct. 25.—Horace E. Whitney, 62, pioneer Utah newspaper publisher and business man, died here today.

## ALL INTERNATIONAL RACE BALLOONS LAND

### "BELGICA" DROPS IN LAKE CHAMPLAIN; PILOTS SAFE.

### Army No. 1 Is Last Bag to Be Heard From, Settling Near Charlotte, Mich., Sunday.

BIRMINGHAM, Ala., Oct. 25.—All of the seven balloons entered in the Gordon Bennett international trophy race tonight were reported to have landed.

Army No. 1, from which no communication had been received since it started the flight, landed a few miles south of Charlotte, Mich., at 11:45 Sunday night, according to Lieutenant Richard Thompson, who reached Chicago tonight. He estimated that it had traveled 632 miles.

The army balloon descended, Lieutenant Thompson said, because they discovered when passing out of a storm that they were traveling back toward it. The storm was the third which they had encountered.

Late today it was learned that the Belgian entry "Belgica" had landed in Lake Champlain, near Burlington, Vt., but both pilots reached safety.

The "Audien," the first Italian entry in the international race, piloted by Major Vallee, descended this afternoon at Homer, N. Y.

Ralph Upson, pilot of the Goodyear II, which landed at 5 P. M. at Amherstburg, Ottawa, across the river from Detroit, in a telegram to the Aero club at New York, said he was forced down by a heavy snow storm encountered at 29,000 feet.

The balloon Kansas City, piloted by Captain H. E. Honeywell, a participant in the international flight, landed today on Tongue mountain, near Lake George, New York.

## CIVIL WAR HEROINE DEAD

### Klamath Falls Widow Saved Union Flag at Harper's Ferry.

KLAMATH FALLS, Or., Oct. 25.—(Special.)—Kathryn E. Spencer, a widow, 82 years old, heroine of the civil war, died here Sunday. When Confederate troops took Harper's Ferry, in 1862, the decedent, then Mrs. Jackson Moore, a Union courier, wrapped the American flag about her body beneath her clothes and carried it through the enemy lines to safety. She also bore military dispatches to the federal commander.

Her first husband was killed before the war ended and she was married to Calvin Spencer, his comrade in the struggle.

Following the death of Spencer Mrs. Spencer came here three years ago to make her home with her daughter, Mrs. Anna Moore, the only near relative surviving here.

## ARTICLE X TRIFLE, SAYS LEAGUE HEAD

### President of Council Says Section Is Not Vital.

### ELIMINATION IS FAVORED

### Discussion in America Not Understood in Europe.

### POSITION IS MADE PLAIN

### Effect on Election Questioned; Print Interview, Frenchman Replies to Question.

BRUSSELS, Oct. 25.—(By the Associated Press.)—Leon Bourgeois, president of the council of the league of nations, gave his views to American newspaper correspondents last night on article 10 of the covenant of the league of nations. Today the following authorized statement regarding the interview was issued through M. Comert, the principal press official of the league of nations, in my opinion, will assure what you and others so long and urgently have been striving for.

"M. Bourgeois, to the American correspondents, last night said he had been astonished to see the political discussion in America centered around article 10 of the covenant.

"Article 10 is not in fact anything more than the moral foundation of the covenant. All that is efficacious in the covenant is set forth in other articles indicating penalties and sanctions.

"M. Bourgeois, in the course of his statement to the correspondents, said that article 10 could be eliminated without in any way modifying the effectiveness of the league and declared that it was not considered so important by Europeans as by Americans.

"Effect on U. S. Questioned.  
At the close of the interview and after M. Bourgeois had withdrawn the question was raised among the American correspondents as to the effect of his utterance on the presidential election in the United States. It was thereupon agreed to withhold the statement until M. Bourgeois could review it in this light and give his authority for its publication.

M. Comert informed the correspondents this morning that he had explained to M. Bourgeois the importance of the remarks and requested M. Bourgeois to say whether he intended them to be published in the United States.

Print It, Says President.  
M. Bourgeois replied. M. Comert said, that he understood the importance of the remarks.

## OUTLOOK NEVER WAS BETTER, SAYS BORAH

### WEST COMING INTO ITS OWN, SENATOR DECLARES.

### Republican Victory Held to Mean Arid Land Development and Protection of Industries.

THE OREGONIAN NEWS BUREAU, Washington, Oct. 25.—Arid land development as well as legislation to protect the farm and market industries of the west will be assured by the election of Harding and Coolidge, is the message carried in a letter written today by Senator Borah of Idaho to Major Fred R. Reed of Pocatello.

Referring to the present government policy toward farm markets and the livestock industry, Senator Borah says both "now are being murdered." With the election of Harding he says "the west will come into its own," and he expresses the hope that "our majorities throughout the west will place us in harmony with what seems the finest outlook the west has ever had for genuine growth and prosperity."

The letter in full follows: "I am glad to be able to write you again in regard to matters which we have had up and in which you are so deeply interested. I am perfectly confident now that you need have no fear as to the programme for the development of the west in the event of the election of Harding and Coolidge. I have such assurance that I feel exceedingly happy over the outlook.

"Harding, in my opinion, is thoroughly determined to give us not only a genuine programme of development for our arid lands, but such legislation as will protect our farm markets and livestock industry, both of which you know are now being murdered. In my opinion the west will come into its own and a real and satisfactory plan commensurate with its influence will be a distinct part of the administration programme. The whole thing has been gone over, and the success of the republican ticket, in my opinion, will assure what you and others so long and urgently have been striving for.

"I hope our majorities throughout the west will place us in harmony with what seems to me the finest outlook the west has ever had for genuine growth and prosperity. I have not felt so assured and so happy over the outlook since I have been in the public service."

## ARMENIANS ASK MARINES

### Soldiers of Sea Wanted to Keep Batum Railroad Open.

WASHINGTON, Oct. 25.—Secretary Daniels has been asked by the Armenian-American society to send warships to the Black sea to land marines at Batum to keep open the railroad line from that port to Erivan. Mr. Daniels promised to take the matter up with Secretary Colby.

A resolution requesting the president to send marines to Batum was adopted by the senate last May 13. It was offered by Senator Harding on behalf of the foreign relations committee. Since that time a number of destroyers have been ordered to the Black sea, but none of them carried marines.

## BOOTLEGGERS BATTLE TRAINMEN FOR CARS

### ARMED GUARDS RUSHED TO IDAHO TOWN ON BORDER.

### Whisky Runners Threaten to Shoot Way into United States From Canada.

SPOKANE, Wash., Oct. 25.—Armed guards were being rushed to Eastport, Idaho, on the international boundary, tonight to protect the cars of the Spokane International railway from "bootleggers." It was announced by railroad officials here tonight.

Reports to W. E. Stauffer, chief special agent of the company, were that trainmen were being intimidated and attacked by "bootleggers."

These men, reports said, were importing large quantities of liquor and have declared they would "shoot their way through" if refused access to freight trains. Several trainmen actually had been attacked by armed men, Stauffer said. Ninety cars are lying at Eastport causing congestion and cannot be moved until inspected, which is being prevented by the whisky runners, the special agent stated.

"The bootleggers take the hinges off the doors on merchandise cars and put liquor into the cars on the Canadian side," Stauffer said.

## BELGIAN CABINET TO QUIT

### Resignation to Be Wirelessly to King, Returning From Brazil.

BRUSSELS, Oct. 25.—The council of ministers met today under the presidency of Premier De la Croix, who drafted the text of the cabinet's resignation.

It will be transmitted by wireless to King Albert, who is in mid-ocean on the way home from Brazil.

The retirement of Premier De la Croix was understood to be due to Swiss dispatches of October 17, in which he was reported to be intending to take advantage of the situation created by his son's grave illness, by returning to Greece to claim the throne.

## CHANNEL CONTRACT LET

### Dredging to San Diego Naval Base Estimated at \$750,000.

WASHINGTON, Oct. 25.—A contract for dredging the channel to the proposed naval base at San Diego, Cal., has been awarded to the Standard Dredging company of New York. It was said tonight by Admiral C. W. Parks, chief of yards and docks.

Bids were based on unit charges for material excavated, but estimates are that the completed job will cost approximately \$750,000.

## PONZI IS HELD BANKRUPT

### Court Accepts Report of Referee in Boston Plunger's Case.

BOSTON, Oct. 25.—Charles Ponzi formally was adjudged a bankrupt by the federal district court today. The court accepted the report of the referee in bankruptcy who conducted an inquiry into several phases of the get-rich-quick scheme by which Ponzi obtained millions from investors.

## KING'S CAREER IS ENDED BY MONKEY

### Alexander of Greece Succumbs to Wounds.

### MONARCH BITTEN OCTOBER 3

### Wound Becomes Infected; Operations Fruitless.

## YOUNG RULER POPULAR

### Friction Developing on Accession. Following Father's Abdication, Later is Largely Allayed.

ATHENS, Oct. 25.—(By The Associated Press.)—King Alexander of Greece died at 5:20 P. M. today. His death was due to wounds received when a pet monkey attacked him early in October, the king being badly mutilated as a result.

Throughout last night, the heart action grew weaker, his general debility became more pronounced and pulmonary symptoms were intense. Breathing at times was most difficult and alarming, and at noon today it was announced that the king's condition was hopeless.

The death of King Alexander gives rise to the question of succession to the Greek throne. Former King Constantine was reported, according to Swiss dispatches of October 17, as intending to take advantage of the situation created by his son's grave illness, by returning to Greece to claim the throne.

Brother May Succeed.  
About the same time a regency was suggested and Constantine gave his opinion of this as follows: "Sufficient unto the day is the evil thereof. I will not think of a regency yet. My plans are those of my people."

Premier Venizelos Sunday expressed himself as confident that King Constantine's third son, would not be prevented from taking the throne by his father.

Both Prince Arthur of Connaught and Prince Charles of Belgium have been mentioned as possible candidates. It is probable that the old chamber will be reconvened owing to the king's death to consider what steps are to be taken before the new chamber meets.

Alexander succeeded to the throne of Greece in June, 1917, when his father, King Constantine, abdicated in response to the demand of France, Great Britain and Russia, the three powers which guaranteed the Greek constitutional liberties of the Greek people. Alexander was the second son of Constantine and at the time of his accession was not quite 24 years old. His elder brother, Crown Prince George, was considered ineligible for the throne because of alleged pro-German sympathies.

King Constantine Pro-Ally.  
In any event, King Constantine nominated Alexander to succeed him. The fall of Constantine had been brought about through the agency of the French senator, M. Jonart, who went to Athens in 1915, as a representative of the three great powers on the ground that this step would establish unity of feeling among the Greeks and greater security for the empire.

Constantine left Athens and took up his residence in Switzerland. Alexander took the oath of office at Athens in August, 1917, and promised to carry out the policy of his father. This was said to have shocked the entente powers. It was soon reported that he was at odds with Premier Venizelos and had refused to abandon his idea of continuing his father's programme. Some doubts were raised as to the advisability of permitting him to assume the throne unless he discontinued what was characterized as an obstructive policy.

Marriage Is Protested.  
Reports of lack of harmony between Alexander and Venizelos were circulated in the spring of 1920, but the premier disposed of these in a statement in which he paid tribute to the king's patriotism. One respect in which the king and his premier were said to have been at odds was over the king's morganatic marriage to Mlle. Manos, daughter of a former aide-de-camp to his father, which is said to have taken place in November, 1919. No record of the marriage was obtainable owing to the fact that it was not recorded with the metropolitan of Athens, the supreme ecclesiastical authority of Greece.

The young king and his morganatic wife were childhood friends and sweethearts. Alexander asserted that he had a right to marry whom ever he pleased and took his bride to the palace in Athens. This aroused a storm of discussion, which so displeased his wife that in the early part of 1920 she went with her mother and sister to live in Paris. Alexander

## RICHARD LONG QUILTS COX TO BACK HARDING

### DEMOCRATIC EX-NOMINEE IN MASSACHUSETTS SWITCHES.

### Ex-Opponent of Coolidge for Governor Declares Regime Is Demoralizing Bourbons.

WASHINGTON, Oct. 25.—Richard H. Long, democratic candidate for governor of Massachusetts last year against Governor Coolidge, today announced that he would support Senator Harding for president.

"I think the present administration is demoralizing the democratic party," said Mr. Long. "I think the democratic party would be better off under Harding than under Cox."

CHICAGO, Ill., Oct. 25.—Harding headquarters made public tonight a statement by Judge John G. Garman of Wilkesbarre, Pa., ex-chairman of the democratic central committee of Pennsylvania, pledging support of the republican national ticket and declaring that the "pirates now controlling the good ship democracy should be thrown overboard."

"I favor Harding for president," said the statement, "first, because I am a democrat.

"His platform and other addresses show that he is supporting the constitution and is safer than one who openly commends efforts to subvert that grand old document."

## VETERAN THESPIANS MEET

### Two Players in Theater Where Lincoln Was Killed Living.

CHICAGO, Oct. 25.—The two surviving members of the "Our American Cousin" company, which was playing at the night John William Booth assassinated Abraham Lincoln, met here today when they attended a special matinee of John Drinkwater's play "Abraham Lincoln."

Mr. and Mrs. Kathryn Evans, an inmate of the Episcopal Old People's Home here, and the other, W. J. Ferguson, is still on the stage, appearing at a local theater.

## PERSHING TO TAKE REST

### General to Recuperate 2 Months Owing to Ill Health.

SEA CLIFF, N. Y., Oct. 25.—General John J. Pershing will arrive this week to spend the next two months in a cottage at Roslyn, according to Mrs. John Deamarest, owners of the cottage.

It was said the general's health was not good and that he desired a rest before making a trip to South America.

## FIVE ROBBERS LOOT BANK

### First Aid Given Cashier's Wife When She Fainted.

TOLEDO, O., Oct. 25.—Five men early today forced the cashier of the bank at Alvorado, O., in Williams county, to get out of bed, unlock the safe and turn over to them \$3500 in cash and \$500 in bonds.

They gave first aid to his wife, who fainted when they forced entrance to the cashier's home.

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## CANDIDATES ARGUE CAMPAIGN ISSUES

### Woman's Research Club Has Lively Session.

## NO-POLITICS ORDER BROKEN

### Chamberlain, McArthur and Dr. Lovejoy Speak.

## STANFIELD CHOICE URGED

### Montaville Flowers Declares Election of Republican to Washington Is Vital.

Despite a suggestion of the chairman that no politics be brought into the meeting, a lively political session was held yesterday at the Portland Women's Research club luncheon at the Benson hotel, in which Senator Chamberlain, Montaville Flowers, representing Robert N. Stanfield; Mayor Baker, Representative C. N. McArthur and Dr. Esther Pohl Lovejoy were the principal speakers. Three hundred women were present at the luncheon.

"That I am a democrat goes without saying," declared Senator Chamberlain. "Anyone who votes for me knows that he is voting for a democrat."

He made this statement after Mr. Flowers had stated that "Mr. Stanfield is the republican nominee, made the standard-bearer of republican principles by the machinery of your state, set up for the purpose of selecting candidates."

Stanfield Election Urged.  
"Republicans in Oregon and their republican principles can not be represented by Washington by the senator unless that senator be Robert N. Stanfield," he said.

"I think I am in a position to know what the people of Oregon want as well as Mr. Flowers," stated Senator Chamberlain. "I have represented the people of this state for several years, and I have yet to hear any one in Oregon say that I have misrepresented him."

"I stand for a league of nations," he continued.

"Why didn't you vote for it, then?" queried Mrs. Alexander Thompson from the audience. "I voted for it with the league of nations. I voted for it with the Lodge reservations and I would take the same course again."

Harding's Position Held Same.  
"I am in favor of a league in order to stop the wars of the future," he said. "Mr. Harding, a very distinguished man, took the same position and did not on the league."

"Do you mean to say, Mr. Chamberlain," asked Mr. Flowers, "that Harding voted for it as it came over and voted for it with the Hitchcock reservations?"

"No, I mean he voted for it with the Lodge reservations," answered Mr. Chamberlain. "That is very different," said Mr. Flowers.

Mr. Flowers was asked just before the luncheon, to attend and represent Mr. Stanfield, who is in eastern Oregon. The chairman asked Mr. Flowers to speak first, but not to make a political speech. Mr. Flowers asked the people of Chamberlain speak first and set the pace.

Request is Not Granted.  
The chairman did not grant his request and Mr. Flowers then asked what his subject should be. Mrs. Tipton suggested "Woman in Politics."

Mr. Flowers spoke for a few minutes upon the meaning of representative government. "Two motives actuate all persons," he said. "One is great principle; the other is self-interest. Action upon self-interest creates great parties and develops great men. Action upon self-interest leads to personal legislation, class legislation and to men who seek office for personal benefit."

Protective Tariff Discussed.  
He discussed the republican principle of "a tariff for the protection of American producers so as to maintain the American standard of living," and the democratic principle of "a tariff for revenue only, which is in the democratic platform and has been since 1860."

"The republican party stands for peace and disarmament and an association of nations to bring them about. The democratic party stands for the peace of nations which is an armed alliance to defend territories with dead-end boundaries by force of arms."

M menace of Radicalism Cited.  
McArthur spoke of the menace of radicalism in this country today, declaring that it is a very real menace. He referred to the danger which the I. W. W., the "reds" and other radicals are creating in trying to overthrow the government.

He called attention to the fact that a meeting of 500 radicals was held in Portland recently, emphasizing the fact that Portland is not free from the menace.

Dr. Lovejoy stated that the political salvation of the world would come through the fact that women are now enfranchised. She stated that the good for prohibition and the Volstead act.

"Little children pay the price of our sins," she said.

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