

REPUBLICAN STANDARD BEARERS ELECTED PRESIDENT AND VICE-PRESIDENT OF THE UNITED STATES.

## HARDING ELECTED NEXT PRESIDENT

### Republicans Sure of 275 Electoral Votes

## WHITE ADMITS DEFEAT

### Cox Forces Also Concede Loss of Congress, Though Returns Are Meager.

## BITTER-ENDERS ARE WINNERS

### Senators Moses and Bran- degee Among Those Who Seem to Be Elected.

NEW YORK, Nov. 2.—Early this morning, with actual returns far from complete, Harding was certain of 275 votes in the electoral college from the following states:

Connecticut, Delaware, Idaho, Illinois, Iowa, Kansas, Maine, Massachusetts, Michigan, Nebraska, New Hampshire, New Jersey, New York, Ohio, Oregon, Pennsylvania, Rhode Island, Vermont, Washington, Wisconsin and Wyoming.

The states from which returns were too meager to justify actually placing them in either the Harding or Cox column were Arizona 3, California 13, Colorado 6, Indiana 15, Kentucky 13, Maryland 8, Minnesota 12, Missouri 18, Montana 4, Nevada 3, New Mexico 2, North Dakota 5, South Dakota 5, Utah 4, and West Virginia 8; total 120.

**Cox States Are Listed.**  
The states which were certain for Cox at that hour were: Alabama, Arkansas, Florida, Georgia, Louisiana, Mississippi, North Carolina, Oklahoma, South Carolina, Tennessee, Texas and Virginia. Total of 136 votes in the electoral college.

At 3 A. M. the vote for president in New York state with 1914 out of 7208 districts missing, was: Cox 797,363, Harding 1,647,711, a plurality of 940,548 for Harding.

That Tennessee was carried by Harding was indicated by unofficial returns compiled early today by the Knoxville Journal and Tribune from 65 of the 95 counties in Tennessee, giving Harding a plurality of 18,422 over Cox.

**Republicans Sweep Illinois.**  
Reports from Illinois were that the republicans had a three-to-one lead over the metropolitan contest in Chicago, where a clean victory was scored for all offices, to the rural regions, giving Senator Harding a lead so large that if the ratio kept up for unreported precincts district fight, Representative Small was elected governor by a large margin over ex-Senator Lewis. William B. McKinley was elected United States senator to succeed Lawrence Y. Sherman.

Although Minnesota reported that Harding apparently had carried that state by a decisive majority, the republican state ticket, especially for governor and one or two other offices, was running a close race with candidates endorsed by the Non-partisan league. Returns from 40 Minnesota counties showed Harding maintaining nearly a three-to-one lead over Cox. For governor, State Auditor Preus, republican, had a slight lead over Henrik Shipstead, the independent candidate endorsed by the Non-partisan league. In the seventh Minnesota district fight, Representative Volstead had a slight lead over Rev. O. J. Kvaie, independent.

**Republicans Gain Louisiana.**  
Louisiana reports were that republican gains were the heaviest recorded in any of the contests since civil war days. Complete returns from 32 precincts out of 187 in New Orleans gave Cox 18,592, Harding 9847. Incomplete returns from 12 parishes outside of New Orleans gave Harding 1784, Cox 1802.

Just before 9 o'clock last night the New York World, which supported Cox, flashed its signal lights to announce the election of Harding.

**Landslide Is Indicated.**  
In New York and New England, as in Ohio and Indiana, the Harding majorities being reported indicated a landslide in the east.

Millions of Americans, many of them women exercising their franchise for the first time, cast their ballots for national and state tickets and in the "so-called referendum" in the league of nations issue.

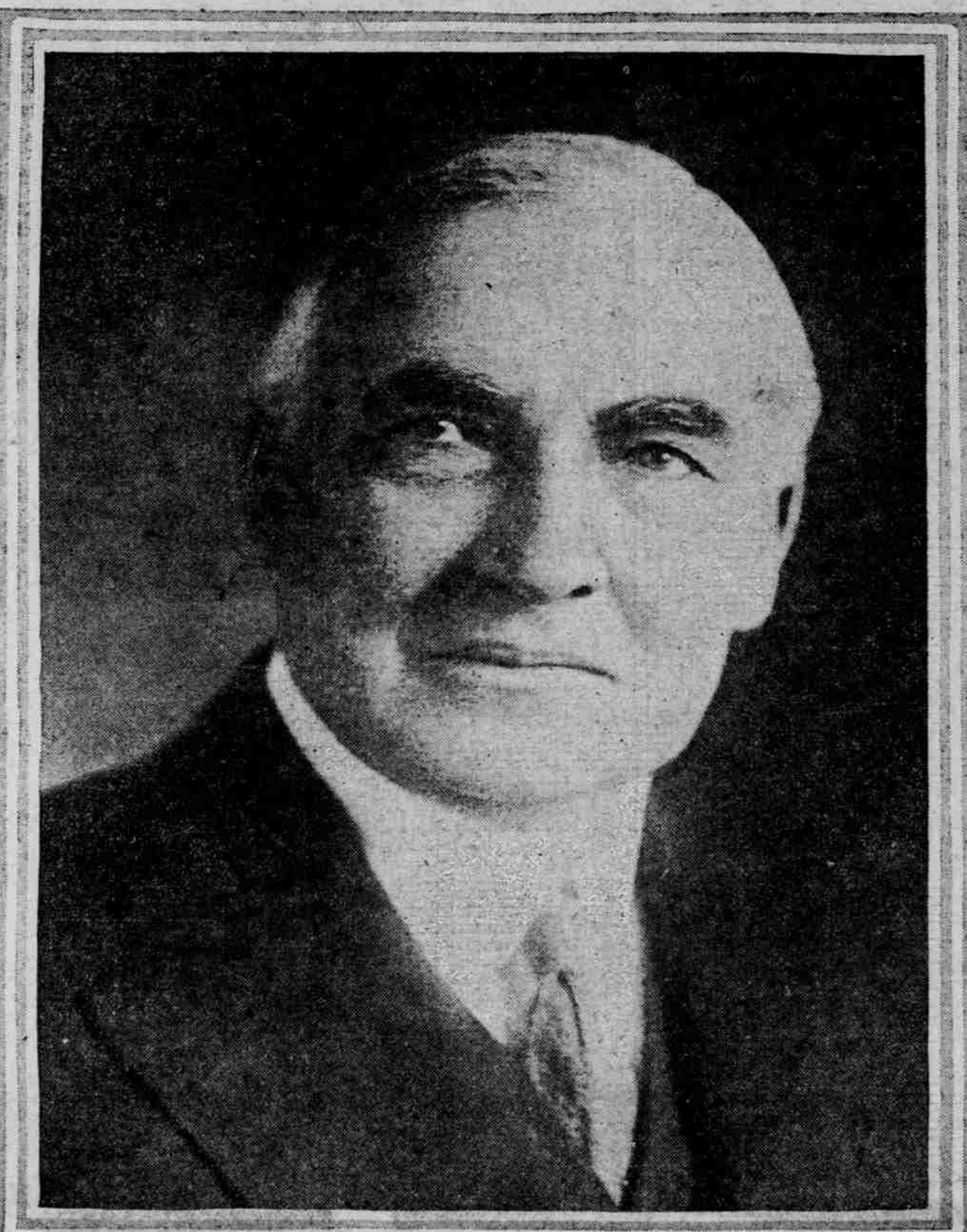
All reports showed it was the usual quiet election day with a variety of weather.

Long ballots, a greatly increased number of voters and different closing for the polls in various states presaged slow returns.

**Kansas Reports First.**  
Kansas, with the double-board system, by which ballots are counted as cast, came in with the first fairly comprehensive returns which showed Harding and the republican ticket leading there.

In some communities in the east all the registered voters had cast their ballots before noon and the polls closed, having nothing to do.

When darkness fell over the east, (Continued on Page 8, Column 1.)



SENATOR WARREN G. HARDING OF OHIO.



GOVERNOR CALVIN COOLIDGE OF MASSACHUSETTS.

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## 1489 BAKER'S LEAD FROM 227 PRECINCTS

### GORDON IS SECOND WITH 890 FOR FIRST CHOICE.

Mann With 3042 and Barbur With  
2797 Ahead of Perkins 1320,  
Ziegler 490.

Latest returns give a majority of 555 votes for the three-mill measure and show apparent defeat of the zoning measure with a negative vote of 282 votes. The vote on the three-mill measure is 1527 in favor with 1154 against and 1275 votes registered in favor of the zoning measure and 1430 votes recorded against its ratification.

Mayor Baker has been re-elected on first-choice votes, judging from the incomplete returns of 327 precincts out of a total of 579 precincts in the city of Portland. His lead over all other opponents on first choice is 612 votes.

City Commissioners Mann and Barbur have also been re-elected, with the former leading the ticket by more than 1400 votes. Based on the early returns Dr. T. L. Perkins has been decisively defeated, as has been J. B. Ziegler, who apparently has been lost in the shuffle.

Mayor Baker's election on first choice votes sets a precedent on preference voting, for never in the history of this plan of voting has an official been elected on the first choice. Although it was not expected that Mayor Baker would gain a large number of second and third choice votes, because of the bid made by his opponents, the return shows that he has been given a large number of both second and third choice votes, although naturally his opponents have a higher number of such votes.

In counting all votes in the majority contest, Mayor Baker has a lead of 1439 of all first choice votes over Herbert Gordon, his closest opponent. Mr. Gordon, who holds second place, is 1570 votes behind Mayor Baker on first choice votes, on the incomplete returns of the 327 precincts, although he is leading over Dan Kellaher with but 119 votes of all choice. Norman Richards is clearly out of the running, judging by the trend of the incomplete returns.

In the race for commissionership neither Dr. T. L. Perkins or J. B. Ziegler has the slightest chance for election, judging by the returns received from all parts of the city thus far.

The three-mill tax has been successful, according to the indications, although the vote on this measure is close. The incomplete returns from the 227 precincts give the measure a majority of 573, with a ratio, which, if carried out, will bring success to the measure.

The vote on the zoning measure is exceedingly close, the incomplete returns being against the measure by a scant 152 votes.

Advocates of the port consolidation (Continued on Page 6, Column 1.)

## BULLETINS GIVE LATEST TELEGRAPHIC ELECTION RETURNS

**Arizona.**  
PHOENIX, Ariz., Nov. 2.—Forty-six out of 474 Arizona precincts tabulated up to 12:30 o'clock this morning give Harding 1423, Cox 1321.  
For senator—Smith (dem.), 1199, Ralph Cameron (rep.) 1433. For governor—Simms (dem.), 1205, Campbell (rep.), 1540.

**Alabama.**  
BIRMINGHAM, Ala., Nov. 2.—Eighteen election districts out of 1304 in Alabama give Cox 3773, Harding 329, Debs 110.

**Arkansas.**  
LITTLE ROCK, Ark., Nov. 2.—Up to 8:45 P. M. only three precincts out of 1750 in Arkansas had reported. They gave Cox 371, Harding 67.

**California.**  
SAN FRANCISCO, Nov. 2.—Incomplete returns from 162 scattered precincts in San Francisco give:  
For president—Harding 1893, Cox 677.  
For United States senator—Phelan (dem.) 732, Shortridge (rep.) 778. Incomplete returns from two precincts in San Diego county give for Cox 89, Harding 184.

Five incomplete San Joaquin valley scattered precincts give: For president—Harding 111, Cox 68.  
For United States senator—Phelan (dem.) 63, Shortridge (rep.) 82.  
At 7:30 o'clock the registrar of voters reported the first return from Los Angeles city. An incomplete count in precinct 205 gave: For president—Harding (rep.) 89, Cox (dem.) 28.

The registrar of voters announced at 7:50 that 109 incomplete precincts gave: For president—Harding (rep.) 13,097, Cox (dem.) 394.  
Returns from 375 precincts out of 6154 in California give:  
For president—Cox 33,194, Harding 105,572.  
For United States senator, 401 precincts—Phelan 950, Shortridge 16,335.

**Colorado.**  
DENVER, Colo., Nov. 2.—Eighteen precincts out of 1483 in Colorado give: Harding 2332, Cox 1059.  
Thirty-two precincts out of 1483 in Colorado give: Cox 1694, Harding 3711.

**Connecticut.**  
NEW HAVEN, Conn., Nov. 2.—Harding carried this city by about 19,000. Twenty-four of 25 wards gave him 23,334, Cox 12,697. In 1916 Wilson carried this city by 1044.  
City of Hartford, tenth ward gives: Harding 3264, Cox 1338.  
Fourteen out of 15 wards in Bridgeport give: Harding 18,425, Cox 9950.  
For senator: Brandege (rep.) 15,538, Loneragan (dem.) 10,594.  
For governor: Lake 18,496, Tyler 8807. (No party.)

Bridgeport, complete, give Harding a plurality of 10,378. Harding 21,465, Cox 11,087.  
In 1916, Hughes' plurality was 1194.  
For United States senator—Brandege 19,334, Loneragan 12,915.

Hartford returns, complete, give:

For president—Harding 21,257, Cox 14,285.  
Waterbury, complete: For president—Harding 11,160, Cox 30,100.  
Eleven towns out of 168 in Connecticut gave Harding 25,301, Cox 9873. These towns in 1916 gave Wilson 3872, Hughes 11,312.  
For United States senator—Brandege (rep.) 24,403, Loneragan (dem.) 13,122.  
Thirty towns out of 168 in Connecticut gave Harding 84,917, Cox 54,026.  
For United States senator—Brandege (rep.) 87,917, Loneragan (dem.) 59,415.  
For governor—Lake (rep.), 97,594, Tyler (dem.), 54,329.  
Forty towns out of 168 in Connecticut give: Harding 104,554, Cox 59,081.  
United States senator—Brandege (rep.) 87,519, Loneragan (dem.) 64,661.

**Delaware.**  
WILMINGTON, Del., Nov. 2.—The republicans apparently will carry the national and state tickets in Delaware by pluralities ranging from 3000 to 5000. Returns from 65 of the 201 districts in the state give Harding 12,543, Cox 8033.  
For governor—Denny (rep.) 12,632, Lynch (dem.) 8910.

**Georgia.**  
ATLANTA, Ga., Nov. 2.—Practically complete returns from two out of the 155 counties in the state give: Cox 2350, Harding 709, Debs 159.

**Idaho.**  
BOISE, Idaho, Nov. 2.—Returns from 82 precincts out of 825 in Idaho give: President—Cox 4482, Harding, 9566. Senator—Gooding (rep.) 8164, Nugent (dem.) 5907. Governor—Davis (rep.) 8249, Walters (dem.) 3789.

**Illinois.**  
CHICAGO, Nov. 2.—Thirteen precincts out of 5730 in Illinois, including nine in Cook county, (Chicago) gave Harding 2677, Cox 1114.  
Eight Chicago precincts for governor: Lewis (dem.) 1193, Small (rep.) 1288.  
Seven precincts in Chicago gave: Cox 612, Harding 1705.  
First precincts reporting on United States senator gave McKinley (rep.) 234, Waller (dem.) 144.  
Returns from 502 precincts gave: For United States senator—165 precincts give Erast (rep.) 20,521, Beckham (dem.) 25,021.  
Returns from 529 precincts out of 3230 in Kentucky give—Harding 70, 374, Cox 11,556.

**Indiana.**  
INDIANAPOLIS, Ind., Nov. 2.—Ten precincts in Marion county (city of Indianapolis) out of 3384 in Indiana give: Harding 2674, Cox 3243.  
Fifty-four precincts out of 3384 in Indiana gave for president: Harding 23,183, Cox 16,164.  
For senator—Watson (rep.) 19,569, Taggart (dem.) 14,588.  
Returns from 157 election precincts out of 3384 in Indiana for president give: Harding 110,591, Cox 79,708.  
Returns from 278 precincts for United States senator give: Watson (rep.) 94,296, Taggart (dem.) 74,343.  
Returns from 275 precincts for governor give: McRay (rep.) 97,988, McCulloch (dem.) 72,953.

**Iowa.**  
DES MOINES, Ia., Nov. 2.—Sixty-four precincts out of 2260 in Iowa give for governor: Kendall 12,608, Herring 7946.  
Ten precincts out of 140 precincts out of 2360 in Iowa give for president: Harding 33,087, Cox 12,175.  
Eighty precincts out of 2360 in Iowa give for United States senator: Cummins 13,487, Porter 8550.

**Kansas.**  
KANSAS CITY, Mo., Nov. 2.—Three precincts complete out of 2526 in Kansas for president give—Harding 496, Cox 126.  
For United States senator—Curtis 146, Hodges 61.  
For governor—Allen (rep.) 330, Davis (dem.) 120.  
Returns from 502 precincts gave: For president—Harding 1997, Cox 828.  
For senator—Curtis (rep.) 1104, Hodges (dem.) 526.  
For governor—Allen (rep.) 1631, Davis 942.

**Kentucky.**  
LOUISVILLE, Ky., Nov. 2.—Returns from 191 districts out of 3208 for president give—Harding 22,820, Cox 80,382.  
For United States senator—165 precincts give Erast (rep.) 20,521, Beckham (dem.) 25,021.  
Returns from 529 precincts out of 3230 in Kentucky give—Harding 70, 374, Cox 11,556.

**Louisiana.**  
NEW ORLEANS, Nov. 2.—Returns from 24 precincts in New Orleans out of 187 give Cox 4566, Harding 2047.

**Maine.**  
PORTLAND, Me., Nov. 2.—Harding swept the state of Maine by the un-

## HARDING IS SWEEPING MULTNOMAH COUNTY

### CHAMBERLAIN AND STANFIELD RUNNING NECK AND NECK.

Returns Indicate McArthur Has  
Won Over Dr. Lovjoy; Baker  
Is Re-elected.

Latest incomplete count in Multnomah county stands as follows:  
Harding 3335,  
Cox 1983,  
Chamberlain 2578,  
Stanfield 2651,  
Lovjoy 2309,  
McArthur 2810.

Roosevelt Bird Refuge, Yes 1880, No 1799.  
Part Consolidation, Yes 1851, No 1572.  
Early indications point to Harding sweeping Multnomah county by a tremendous majority.

The senatorial contest in Multnomah county is in doubt. In many precincts Chamberlain and Stanfield are running neck and neck, while in other precincts the democratic nominee and the republican candidate have a slight lead.

It is apparent that McArthur has won over his democratic opponent, Lovjoy, although there are precincts in which Dr. Lovjoy is leading.

In Multnomah county Stanfield has gained a slight lead. The vote for Hayes, who is an independent candidate running on the Versailles treaty, has a vote scarcely larger than the socialist candidate. Democratic expected Chamberlain to carry the county by a lead sufficient to overcome the lead of Stanfield in the out-state counties, but out of 237 precincts, out of 413, Stanfield has a lead over his democratic opponent of 26 votes. At this ratio, Stanfield is apparently the victor in Multnomah and the lead in this county is simply added to the advantage he is holding in the other counties.

In 237 incomplete precincts, McArthur is leading Lovjoy by 486, which indicates his success at the polls.

Chamberlain is running ahead of his ticket and is rolling up a larger vote than Governor Cox, democratic nominee for president. Harding is also leading his ticket and is far ahead of McArthur and Stanfield. The indications are that McArthur will have a larger vote in Multnomah than Stanfield, the republican candidate for United States senator. The early returns are decided "spotted" and Chamberlain is carrying precincts, which Harding is carrying and there is a fluctuation of precincts carried by McArthur and Lovjoy.

The first complete precinct on senator was No. 2163, Multnomah street and East Twenty-first street. This gave Chamberlain 96 and Stanfield 86.

The following table shows the returns from 135 precincts out of (Continued on Page 8, Column 1.)

## HARDING EASILY SWEEPS STATE

### Stanfield Seems to Be Victorious Also.

## 3 CONGRESS SEATS WON

### Republican Is Maintaining Consistent Lead in Sen- ate Early Returns.

## MULTNOMAH RACE IS CLOSE

### Chamberlain Is Putting Up Nip and Tuck Contest Within County.

Warren G. Harding, republican candidate for president, swept the state of Oregon by a great majority, and at 1 A. M. it was indicated, although not positively, that he carried with him into office Robert N. Stanfield, candidate for United States senator. It was definitely assured that all three republican representatives in congress had been re-elected and that the entire state republican ticket had carried overwhelmingly.

The lead of Harding over Cox was in the ratio of nearly two to one. Reports from 21 counties, outside of Multnomah county, while incomplete, were uniformly favorable by large pluralities for the head of the republican ticket.

**Stanfield Lead Maintained.**  
If the proportion is maintained in the final count, Harding will come up to Multnomah county with a majority over Cox of more than 60,000 and Stanfield will receive, outside of Multnomah county, a majority over George E. Chamberlain of approximately 12,000. So far as the election of Stanfield was concerned the returns from 21 counties, outside of Multnomah county, were in his favor for him a consistent lead. The total number of votes counted, however, was not large, and no prediction could be made positively that he was elected.

Indications strongly favored his success. That was all that could be said.

**7739 Votes Counted.**  
In 26 counties outside of Multnomah county a total of 7739 votes had been counted and reported to the Oregonian at 1 A. M. on United States senator. In these figures Stanfield had a majority of 873, the figures constituting about one twenty-fifth of the estimated vote cast in all up-state counties.

On the face of incomplete returns, Stanfield had carried Benton, Clatsop, Adams, Clatsop, Columbia, Deschutes, Douglas, Grant, Josephine, Klamath, Lake, Lane, Lincoln, Linn, Malheur, Marion, Morrow, Tillamook, Umatilla, Wasco and Washington. Chamberlain had carried Crook, Harney, Jefferson, Union. In addition Hood River county was in doubt with only one vote difference between the two candidates.

**Up-State Count May Decide.**  
In view of the fact that Chamberlain and Stanfield were running nip and tuck in Multnomah county, it (Continued on Page 6, Column 1.)

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