RACE FOR GOVERNOR IN NEBRASKA CLOSE

Republican Primary Contest Nip and Tuck.

MAIL VOTES TO DECIDE

Only 150 Ballots Separate Two Candidates for Office in Latest Returns.

OMAHA, Neb., July 20.—(By the Associated Press.)—Political observers watching progress of the vote in Tuesday's primary in the race for the republican gubernatorial nomination between Adam McMullen of Beatrice and Charles H. Randall of Randolph tonight expressed opinion there was no doubt it will take the official vote with mail votes permitted under the absent voters' law to decide the outcome, so narrow was the margin separating the contestants.

These political students estimated the mailed votes would total 1000, which they thought would be sufficient to swing victory to one or the other, as with 1857 of the state's 1913 precincts reported the differference between their vote was less than 150, the total being McMullen 47,492 and Randall 47,374.

Throughout the day as belated returns were reported to the Associated Press, the two candidates exchanged first and second place almost with every new report, at one time only one vote separating their totals, making it one of the most hotly contested political fights in Nebraska history.

W. J. Bryan's Brother Wins.

Charles W. Bryan of Lincoln, brother of William J. Bryan, won the democratic gubernatorial nomination after a race with Dan B. Butler of Omaha, whose lead on the face of early returns was wiped out as rural sections reported.

R. B. Howell, republican national committeeman, progressive republican, was strengthening the plurality by which he won the republican United States senatorial nomination from Representative Albert W. Jefferis, regarded as a conservative republican. Jefferis ran 13,000 behind Howell in 1740 precincts, and was only 600 votes ahead of Clarence A. Davis, attorney-general, also a progressive republican, with C. H. Gustafson, head of the United States Grain Growers, Inc., trailing 7000 votes behind Davis.

Senator Hitchcock Renominated.

Senator Gilbert M. Hitchcock was renominated as democratic candidate for United States senator by a three-to-one vote over his nearest competitor. With 233 precincts missing, Senator Hitchcock had 46,735 votes, J. O. Shroyer of Humboldt 15,488 and Anthony T. Manahan of Omaha 9492.

Arthur G. Ray of York, who participated in the progressive party movement with Roosevelt in 1912, apparently was nominated as candidate of the newly formed progressive party for United States senator over A. H. Bigelow of Omaha.

OLD GUARD IS DEFEATED

Samuel Gompers Says Nebraska Election Is Slap at Harding.

WASHINGTON, July 20.—(By the Associated Press.)—Defeat in the Nebraska primaries of Representative Jefferis by R. B. Howell in the contest for the republican senatorial nomination, was declared by Samuel Gompers, president of the American Federation of Labor, in a formal statement today to have been a defeat for "the old guard."

"Political opinion is being registered against the kind of governmental policy now being manifested in the coal and railroad strikes," said Mr. Gompers. "This opinion is expressing itself as rapidly as opportunity offers. The old guard, as it is called, has just been beaten in Nebraska.

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