

JOHNSON AS SEER SEES HUGHES WIN

Washington Representative Is
Confident of Republican
Nominee's Victory.

325 VOTES ARE CLAIMED

Taking Each State, Hoquiam ex-Edi-
tor Shows Situation and Dem-
onstrates How Outlook Is
in Favor of ex-Justice.

VANCOUVER, Wash., Sept. 2.—(Special.)—Albert Johnson, Representative from this district, who was here this week renewing acquaintances, has had considerable success in political prophecy in the past, and this year he has analyzed the situation by scientific means. He has gone over the entire situation and has prepared the following data regarding the coming presidential election.

While it is rather early to make political predictions as to the probable result of the great political campaign about to be staged, while one man's guess is as good as another's, and while one might be accused of predicting what will or will not happen in a campaign where one candidate has been officially notified of the nomination and the other candidates do not yet know officially of the result of the state convention, I submit the following figures to be filed away and compared with the actual returns when counted in November, and see how good or how poor a seer I am:

Hughes Victory Predicted.
In the first place, I predict that the Republican ticket will have between 300 and 325 votes, and as it takes but 206 to elect, that Mr. Hughes will be the next President of the United States.

The following table is submitted to show the states that are reasonably certain to cast their vote for Hughes and Fairbanks:

California	11
Dakota	5
Connecticut	3
Idaho	2
Iowa	4
Kansas	3
Maine	2
Massachusetts	3
Michigan	3
Minnesota	3
Montana	2
New Jersey	4
New Hampshire	2
New York	4
Ohio	6
Rhode Island	1
South Dakota	3
Texas	4
Vermont	2
Virginia	3
Washington	2
West Virginia	2
Wisconsin	4
Wyoming	2

Delaware—This little state generally turns up on the right side of the ledger, and without pretending to know anything about conditions in the state, I have added its vote to the reasonably safe column.

Statistics Are Leading.
I believe in the following states the Republicans have an even chance of winning: Arizona, Colorado, Florida, Georgia, Maryland, Missouri, Nebraska, New Mexico, Oklahoma, Oregon, Pennsylvania, Wisconsin, Wyoming.

EUGENE PAIR CELEBRATE GOLDEN WEDDING ANNIVERSARY.



MR. AND MRS. MARSHALL S. B. HAYCOCK.
EUGENE, Or., Sept. 2.—(Special.)—Fifty years of wedded life and 20 years' continuous residence in Oregon is the record of Marshall S. B. Haycock and his wife, Ester, who celebrated their golden wedding anniversary in Eugene Monday at the home of their daughter, Mrs. Pearl Williams.

Mr. Haycock was born in Canada. He served four years in the Union army as a member of the Fifth Iowa and later with Hancock's veterans in the army of the Potomac. Among the 90 guests at the celebration of the wedding anniversary were the members of J. W. Geary post, Grand Army of the Republic, and the Ladies of the G. A. R.

HOOD TO ASK NO FUNDS

FEDERAL AID WILL BE WANTED NEXT SEASON, HOWEVER.
Meeting Is Called for Tuesday to Outline Road Improvements That Seem to Be Most Urgent.

HOOD RIVER, Or., Sept. 2.—(Special.)—It is not likely that Hood River county will be in position to apply for a plan for road improvements that seem to be most urgent.

CHRISTIAN UNION ELECTS

Yakima Temperance Women Also Indorse Candidates.
GRANDVIEW, Wash., Sept. 2.—(Special.)—At the closing session of the Christian Union officers for the coming year were elected, as follows: Miss Edith Whiting, Grand View, president; Mrs. Carrie Irish, North Yakima, vice-president; Miss Beatrice Strong, North Yakima, corresponding secretary; Mrs. Mary Yeager, North Yakima, recording secretary; Mrs. Grace McCague, Sunny Side, treasurer. Fourteen departmental superintendents were also elected. A ticket of county officials to vote for was recommended in the convention. Messrs. Sutton and Lister were indorsed for Governor.

FAIR REGARDED SUCCESS

Southwest Washington Management Pleased With Results.
CHEHALIS, Wash., Sept. 2.—(Special.)—Today marked the closing of the Southwest Washington Fair. The management is pleased with its results, especially in the display of the resources of Lewis County and this section of the state.

JOY AND SORROW MINGLE

Lawyer Bridegroom Stops Nuptials to Get Another's Divorce.
SEATTLE, Wash., Sept. 2.—(Special.)—Romance and divorce mingled during the afternoon in the courtroom of Judge Boyd Tallman when, during a wait in preparation for the marriage of M. M. Richard, an attorney, and Miss Sophie Marx, the bridegroom asked that court reconvene so he could obtain the court's signature to the divorce action of Westerner against Westerner.

POLK COMMITTEE READY

REPUBLICAN CAMPAIGN IS TO OPEN IN NEAR FUTURE.
Party Leaders Are to Give Much of Their Time to Actual Work of Women's Auxiliary Will Help.

DALLAS, Or., Sept. 2.—(Special.)—The Republican county central committee of Polk County has been completely organized, and active campaigning will begin this month. The members of the executive committee are: D. M. Hampton, of Monmouth; C. L. Bratcher, of Perrydale; D. E. Fletcher, of Independence; J. J. Thurston, of Suver; and C. A. Parks, of Brusa College. L. V. Macken, of Monmouth, was chosen as secretary.

CANDIDATES AT CENTRALIA

Representative Johnson and State Senator Sutton Pay Visit.
CENTRALIA, Wash., Sept. 2.—(Special.)—Senator Sutton, Republican candidate for Governor, was here today meeting Centralia business men. He was accompanied by his brother, B. L. Sutton, of Seattle; E. P. Lund, of Aberdeen; and E. P. Fuzell, of Spokane. Representative Johnson accompanied the party from Aberdeen.

HERMISTON SCHOOLS TO OPEN

HERMISTON, Or., Sept. 2.—(Special.)—Hermiston schools will open September 6 with H. M. Gunn as principal and nine teachers. The attendance this year is estimated will reach 250. The two other schools on the Umatilla project, Columbia and Minnehaha, will also open with an attendance of about 50 and 25 respectively.

SEVEN-POINT BUCK BAGGED.

HERMISTON, Or., Sept. 2.—(Special.)—R. C. Challis and George Ransner returned from the mountains 40 miles south of here this morning, bringing with them a fine seven-point buck. The deer tipped the scales at 360 pounds, and was a fat, fine specimen of the forest. Other hunters are returning with the limits of grouse and report the mountains well supplied with game.

POLK COUNTY REPUBLICAN CAMPAIGN DIRECTORS.



Walter L. Toole, Jr., J. C. Talbot, L. V. Macken, State Committeemen, Chairman, Secretary.

VOGELER BOY III IS COAST SPEED KING

Portland Boat Walks Away
From Others in Fast Race
at Astoria Regatta.

CRUISERS COMPETE AGAIN

Wanderlust Rapidly Overcomes Handicap When Half Way Around
Three-Mile Course and Wins Easily on Home Stretch.

ASTORIA, Or., Sept. 2.—(Special.)—The speedboat Vogler Boy III, of Portland, is the champion of the Pacific Coast for the year 1916. That was decided today when she won the second heat in the free-for-all race, thus placing 20 points to her credit. In fact, barring a mishap, the Vogler Boy III had the championship clinched from the start, as her only antagonist is not in the same class and had so much trouble with her engines that her competition counted for little.

The Vogler Boy III is a 26-foot craft, equipped with an eight-cylinder engine that develops more than 250 horsepower, and is said to have made 54 miles an hour. Some believe she is the most speedy craft on the Coast, especially for short distances, and can beat the Oregon Kid's time.

Wanderlust Wins Cruiser Race.

The Wanderlust had a handicap of nine minutes and nine seconds against her, but she gradually reduced the lead and took the van when a little more than half around the course, winning easily. The Elsinore was second and the Service third.

The second heat of the free-for-all speedboat race for the championship was the next event of the morning's programme. The only entries were the Vogler Boy III and the Vogler Boy II. The latter developed engine trouble and was late in getting away, so the race was simply a procession, the Vogler Boy III winning without an effort.

The third and most interesting race of the morning was between five-horsepower Columbia River fishboats twice around the course, or six miles. There were nine entries and all got away in a bunch.

The winners were Joe Tarabuchia, Steve Alsos, Alex Peterson and Roland Charlie.

San Juan Battle Reproduced.

The water sports staged in front of the grandstand were an entertaining feature, particularly the swimming and diving and surf-board riding by the women from the Multnomah Athletic Club of Portland and Coeur d'Alene. The principal evening event was the reproduction of the battle of San Juan Hill, staged by regular troops from Fort Stevens and members of the Spanish War veterans. The reproduction was most realistic, 8000 shots were fired and 130 bombs were discharged by the attacking and defending troops, in addition to the first display, which was especially beautiful.

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MR. JOHNSON GIVES BRIDE
Representative to Participate in Real Wedding at Fair.

ABERDEEN, Wash., Sept. 2.—(Special.)—Representative Albert Johnson will figure prominently in the public wedding to be performed at the Grays Harbor County Fair Sunday, September 10, adding eclat to the affair by giving the bride away. Mr. Johnson will make the trip from Tacoma Sunday morning especially for that purpose.

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FATE'S TOY FOUND DEAD
H. A. Rice, Once Prominent in Portland, Dies Before Taking Job.

ABERDEEN, Wash., Sept. 2.—(Special.)—H. A. Rice, aged 70, at one time

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