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## INTEREST IN NEW YORK AND CALIFORNIA

### Results for Governor in Those States Will, It Is Predicted, Be Very Close in Today's Elections.

Interest in today's elections center a in New York, where a desperate fight has been made for the governorship. Both republicans and democrats claim certain victory, but the indications seem to favor the success of Ogdell, republican. The republicans claim his elects nby 37,000, while the democratic claims range from 5000 to 35,000. That the contest will be very close is certain.

It is predicted that Addicks will be defeated in Delaware, where the democrats claim a majority over both republican factions. Whether or not this claim is sound, Addicks's defeat is assured.

On the coast interest centers in the California struggle. The successful candidate for governor will doubtless have a slender majority. The democrats believe they have a good chance in four of the nine congressional districts, and an absolute victory in two. In California, as in New York, the democrats are concentrating their efforts on the gubernatorial candidate.

## BOTH CHAIRMEN ARE CONFIDENT

Partisans Look for Election of Favorites for Governor of New York State.

### ODDS IN FAVOR OF ODELL

Little Likelihood of any Radical Congressional Change—Outlook in Other Eastern States.

NEW YORK, Nov. 3.—Frank Campbell, chairman of the democratic state committee, declares Coler for governor is sure of election by at least 5000. Colonel George Dunn, chairman of the republican state committee on the other hand, sticks fast to his estimate of 37,500 plurality for Odell.

John I. Carlisle, chairman of the democratic executive committee, said that, while he did not look for a democratic landslide, he was satisfied Coler would have a plurality of 30,000. Despite the enormous divergence of elements, there is at the last moment practically no change in the betting, the odds remaining at 3 to 1 on Odell. The leaders of both parties agree there is little likelihood of any radical change in the complexion of the congressional delegation of New York county.

### GAS ADDICKS BEATEN

DOVER, Nov. 3.—Estimates indicate that J. Edward Addicks will be unable to control the next legislature. The democrats claim a majority over both the republican factions.

### IN MARYLAND

BALTIMORE, Nov. 3.—The safest forecast seems to be the election to congress of four republicans and two democrats.

### IN MASSACHUSETTS

BOSTON, Nov. 3.—The republicans assert 12 of their congressional candidates will win. The democrats claim six out of 14.

### IN WEST VIRGINIA

WHEELING, Nov. 3.—The democrats claim the election of McGraw in Second congressional district and say the First is in doubt.

### QUAY SEEMS CONFIDENT

Says Pennsylvania Will Defeat Patterson By Over 160,000.

PHILADELPHIA, Nov. 3.—Senator Quay claims a plurality in the state for Pennypacker, republican, of 163,435. The senator claims the republicans will have a two-thirds majority in both branches of the legislature.

Democratic Chairman Creasey said that Pattison, democratic, for governor, would have 40,000 plurality and that the next legislature would be anti-Pennrose for the United States senate.

### BOTH CLAIM ILLINOIS

CHICAGO, Nov. 3.—The republicans claim they will have 19 out of the 25 congressmen and elect a United States senator to succeed Mason. The democrats claim they will have more than a majority on joint ballot.

### BUDD APPOINTED ON COMMITTEE

WASHINGTON, Nov. 3.—Chairman J. K. Jones, of the democratic national

committee has appointed James H. Budd, ex-governor of California, a member of the national committee, vice Trapey resigned.

### TOO DELICATE FARE.

Clerk Kills His Wife Because He Must Eat Bananas.

NEW YORK, Nov. 2.—Abraham Scher a cloak salesman, shot and fatally wounded the woman who was married to him on October 3. The shooting occurred in an East Side tenement. Scher declares that the wife refused to cook his meals and that he had eaten nothing but bananas during the day.

Becoming enraged from hunger, he told the police, he procured a revolver and seeking his wife in the flat occupied by friends in another building, he fired four shots at her, all of which took effect.

### BIG OREGON MINING DEAL

Three Million Dollar Company to Operate in Grant County.

PORTLAND, Nov. 3.—W. E. Hurd of this city, principal owner in the Pacific Orphan Boy and Golden Gate group of mines in Grant county, who went east to organize a company to operate all these mines under one management returned Saturday having successfully interested capital and organized the United States Exploration company, with a capital stock of \$3,000,000.

### WAIVED EXAMINATION

Carmen of Pittsfield Disaster Released on Bail.

PITTSFIELD, Mass., Nov. 3.—Eugene T. Madden and Jas. T. Keller, motorman and conductor of the car which collided with President Roosevelt's carriage, waived examination today on the charge of manslaughter. They were released on bail.

### VENGEANCE WAS SWIFT

Mob Riddled With Bullets Friend Who Killed Two Women.

SALEM, Ala., Nov. 3.—Sam Harris, a negro, this morning attacked Mrs. George Meadows and daughter with an ax, crushing Mrs. Meadows's skull and fracturing that of her daughter. Harris was taken by a mob and his body riddled with bullets.

### MIRACULOUS ESCAPE

Collapse of Bridge Precipitates Men and Boys 40 Feet.

PORTLAND, Nov. 3.—At a collapse of the Second street bridge today three men, two boys and a team of horses were precipitated 40 feet into the Maquam gulch. David Brenner, a boy, was seriously hurt. The others received only bruises.

### DYING FROM MEASLES

Thousands of Indians Along Arctic Coast are Perishing.

SAN FRANCISCO, Nov. 3.—Thousands of natives in Herschel island and along the Arctic coast are dying from measles.

The news was brought by the whaling steamer Jeanette.

### PRESIDENT AT HOME

OYSTER BAY, N. Y., Nov. 3.—President Roosevelt reached Oyster Bay this evening to cast his vote tomorrow.

### MYSTERIOUS DISEASE.

Dying Man in Bellevue Hospital Turning Black.

NEW YORK, Nov. 3.—Patrick McGrath, an employe of the sewer department, is believed to be dying at Bellevue hospital from a mysterious disease the cause of which leading physicians have been unable to de-

termine. McGrath is turning black. Cases of a similar nature have been frequent in medical history but the victim's color generally turned very slowly. McGrath's case is entirely new. He was taken to the hospital on Thursday. The discoloration began soon after in his lower extremities and already has risen to his abdomen. The doctors thus far have been unable to afford him any relief. He has grown steadily weaker.

### "LOCOMOTIVE" SMITH DEBARRED

Former Coach of Eugene Has Been Declared Professional.

PORTLAND, Nov. 3.—Word reached here that "Locomotive" Smith, former coach for the University of Oregon football team has been declared a professional in California and debarred from playing on the University of California varsity eleven.

### WILL NOT EFFECT COFFEE

NEW YORK, Nov. 1.—Local coffee importers express the belief that the recent volcanic outbreak in Guatemala which wrought havoc on the coffee plantations will have little effect on the general markets. Last year the yield was 600,000 bags, but in view of the fact that the visible supply of coffee is about 12,000,000 bags, the loss of even the whole production would not be considered serious.

### MORGAN AND ENGLISH COAL.

NEW YORK, Nov. 3.—A report that J. P. Morgan is about to buy up a share in the Staffordshire coal fields, according to the London correspondent of the Tribune, created lively interest in that district. The greatest reticence is observed, but it is stated that a meeting of local coal miners will be held on Wednesday to consider the matter.

### TWENTY MILES—FIVE CENTS.

CHICAGO, Nov. 3.—Beginning today transfers will be granted on all the lines of the Chicago Union Traction Company.

### RACES AT WHEATLEY HILLS.

NEW YORK, Nov. 3.—At Wheatley Hills, the country seat of William C. Whitney, the thirtieth annual field trials of the National League club of America will begin tomorrow. Entries have been received from all patrons of the eastern states and as far south as Virginia. Five classes will be tried. Probably the most interesting event will be the open pack stakes in which the national challenge cup is the prize.

### ITALIANS ASPHYXIATED

Prepared to Leave for Italy Then Blew Out the Gas.

NEW YORK, Nov. 3.—After years of hard work and saving, Antonio Gasbriote and Jusopp J. Luigo of Newburg, N. Y., decided to return to their homes in Italy. Between them they have \$700 and on this they expected to live comfortably the remainder of their lives.

They came to this city and engaged a room in an Italian lodging house. They retired and apparently blew out the gas. Both were dead when other lodgers broke in the door.

### YOUTHS TURN DESPERADOES.

Ten Year Old Boy Fired Upon By Two Young Scamps.

NEW YORK, Nov. 3.—If a true story has been told by Eugene Steagmann, 10 years old, who is in the Kings County hospital in Brooklyn, in a serious condition, he was the victim of a hold-up in true frontier style, in a clump of woods near his home.

Young Steagmann is the son of a wealthy electrical manufacturer. He was gathering mineral specimens in the woods at the rear of his home, according to his story, when he was seized by two boys carrying small rifles. Pointing their guns at him Steagmann says, the boys threatened to "blow his head off if he did not leave the neighborhood."

Before he could utter a word or get out of the way, there were two reports. A bullet whizzed by Steagmann's cheek and a second bullet lodged in his left shoulder. The boy fell to the ground with a groan and the two boys responsible for the injury fled. Steagmann was found by a passer-by and carried home, where it was found a bullet had penetrated his left lung and that he was in a serious condition. The police were notified and arrested the two boys who declare they were shooting at a target.

## THE SITUATION IN WASHINGTON

Republicans Believe Their Majority Will Reach 20,000 if Vote is Heavy.

### DEMOCRATIC CLAIMS MILD

Republicans Will Control Both Houses of Legislature—Democrats Seem Sanguine of Carrying Montana.

SEATTLE, Nov. 3.—Party managers announce estimates of the result of the election as follows:

Ellis Morrison, chairman of the republican state central committee, says: "If there is as large a vote as two years ago the republican ticket will carry the state by 20,000. The republicans will control both houses of the legislature and elect a republican to the senate."

Charles G. Helfner of the democratic state central committee says: "The Democratic ticket will carry the state by from 1500 to 4000. The legislature will be democratic on joint ballot. This result will be due to the republican voters who desire to rebuke the leaders of the different factions within their own ranks."

### BOTH SIDES CLAIM MONTANA.

Republicans Confident of Landing Justice and Congressman.

HELENA, Nov. 3.—William Lindsay, chairman of the republican state committee, said this evening that he was confident of the election of Holway for associate judge and believed Dixon, republican, would be elected to congress.

H. J. Toomey, chairman of the democratic state committee, said Evans, Democrat, for congress, would be elected by 5000 plurality, and Leslie, for associate justice, by 1500. As to the legislature, Toomey said there was no question that the democrats would have a majority on joint ballot.

### CHURCH QUESTION IN UTAH

SALT LAKE, Nov. 3.—On account of the entrance of the church question into politics this year, party lines will have been so disintegrated that many surprises are looked for. The chief interest centers in the contest for control of the legislature, which will elect a successor to Senator Rawlins.

### IN CALIFORNIA

SAN FRANCISCO, Nov. 3.—It is generally predicted that the republican state ticket, with the exception of governor, will be elected by a large majority. The race for governor will be close, owing to the factional differences.

### IN IDAHO

BOISE, Nov. 3.—There is no change in the situation, both sides claiming both state and legislative tickets. Betting has been very active today.

Chairman Gooding of the republican state committee placed \$1000 and other republicans were equally ready with money.

### CLOSE IN NEVADA

RENO, Nov. 3.—The fight promises to be exceedingly close, with the exception of Farrington, republican candidate for congress. His election is generally conceded.

### CITIZENS CARRY BAKER

BAKER CITY, Nov. 3.—The municipal election for mayor and four members of the city council resulted in the election of all the citizens ticket candidates with the exception of one councilman.

### IN COLORADO

DENVER, Nov. 3.—Party managers predict a heavy vote. Both democratic and republican chairmen claim the victory.

### DYNAMITE CAP EXPLODES

Horribly Mutilates Two Men, One Fatally.

BAKER CITY, Ore., Nov. 3.—A message from Prairie City says Robert Comer died this morning from injuries caused by the explosion of a dynamite cap Sunday. Comer was showing a box of caps to Albin Reese when they exploded. Comer's hands were blown off and his eyes blown out. Reese lost one hand and was severely burned.

### HERMANN AND PUBLIC LANDS

Recommends Special Agents to Prevent Practice of Fraud.

WASHINGTON, Nov. 3.—The annual report of Binger Hermann, the commissioner-general of the land office shows that the public land disposed of by the government during the year aggregated 19,489,535 acres, an increase of 3,925,739 acres over the previous year.

Commissioner Herman recommends a large appropriation to provide for increased number of special agents to prevent timber depredations and to protect the public lands from unlawful entry.

### LABOR PROBLEM IN AFRICA

Chamberlain Will Devise Way to Reorganize Supply of Miners.

NEW YORK, Nov. 3.—One of the many difficult problems awaiting Colonial Secretary Chamberlain's solution during his visit to South Africa is the question of labor for the mines, says a Tribune dispatch from London. In the old days all the mining laborers were Kafirs, but owing to the war, this field of employment became disorganized. Most of the Kafirs who were driven from their work have not returned, and it is generally admitted that the supply of labor at present is insufficient to an alarming extent.

The British government has always charged itself with the protection of the native races in South Africa and disastrous consequences might ensue if unfair pressure were put upon the Kafirs to induce them to return to the Rand. The National Review contains an article advocating the proposal that native labor in the mines be largely supplemented by the employment of white men, but this scheme is objected to on the ground that it would mean an enormous addition to the cost of production.

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