

# BOSSSES LOSE CALIFORNIA AT POLLS

### People Vote 4 to 1 for Direct Primary Amendment to Constitution of the State—Party Convention System Thing of Past.

California has joined Oregon, Washington, and other states that have adopted the direct primary, and the vote cast last Tuesday in that state in favor of the new system is so emphatic that it cannot be wondered that even a boss-ridden legislature was compelled to heed the demand that a direct primary amendment be submitted to a vote of the people.

In San Francisco a majority of nine to one was piled up in favor of the amendment, and across the bay in Oakland, Alameda and Berkeley the verdict was almost as strong. In Los Angeles, the silk stocking city of the coast, the vote in favor of the direct primary was two and one half to one.

Under the new law California will in future make all nominations by direct vote, and party conventions will be virtually abolished, except for the control of party affairs and adoption of platforms. The total vote of the state is not yet available, but complete

returns from the six counties casting the largest vote indicated that the primary amendment carried about four to one in the state as a whole. The vote in the six largest counties was as follows:

	For	Against
San Francisco	32,720	3,649
Los Angeles	27,803	11,457
Alameda (Oakland)	15,332	2,341
Santa Clara (San Jose)	4,314	1,025
Sacramento	3,170	1,629
Fresno	2,809	1,009
Total	88,157	21,199

## LEROY LEGGITT FACES CHARGE OF BIGAMY

(United Press Leased Wire.)  
San Francisco, Nov. 8.—Leroy Leggitt, known also as Leroy Stewart, a prosperous real estate operator in this city, is facing a charge of bigamy sworn out against him by Mrs. Martha Stewart, who says she found mistakes addressed, "My dear husband," in her husband's coat, and that these prompted an investigation that led her to believe her husband guilty of bigamy. Mrs. Stewart, or Leggitt, says that further searching among her husband's papers disclosed a marriage certificate issued in Boone county, Iowa, in 1896. An Oakland woman was named as the other contracting party. This marriage has never been dissolved, Mrs. Stewart says. Leggitt was arrested late Saturday night and the complaint was sworn to this morning. Mrs. Stewart has placed the certificates of both of her husband's marriages in the hands of the police.

## King Edward's Birthday

London, Nov. 8.—King Edward's 67th birthday was observed today with the firing of military salutes, the ringing of bells and the flying of flags throughout the United Kingdom and other parts of the British empire. In the telegrams of congratulation received at Sandringham during the day all the crowned heads of Europe, President Roosevelt, and the numerous ambassadors of Great Britain to foreign powers were represented. The king is reported to be in excellent health.

Toronto, Ont., Nov. 8.—A general holiday was kept throughout Canada today in celebration of the king's birthday and in observance of Thanksgiving day. The customary royal salutes of 21 guns were fired at all military and naval stations from Halifax to Victoria.

# AFFINITIES KILL TWO HUSBANDS

### And Stand a Chance to Get Off on Self-Defense Pleas.

(United Press Leased Wire.)  
East St. Louis, Ill., Nov. 8.—Two widows whose husbands were killed during quarrels over alleged "affinities," are confined in the same cell here, while in the same prison in another cell are two men who did the killing. Friday night Charles George shot and killed William Calhoun and Sunday morning John Bell was slain by Rainey Johnson. In each case the husband objected to attentions shown his wife by the alleged affinity.

Both husbands were shot through the heart, dying instantly, and in each case the husband made an attack which established a self-defense plea, that will probably clear the sisters.

## Building Permits

R. E. Tucker, builder same, erect two-story frame dwelling, East Ninth street between Beacon and Franklin, \$2,000; J. T. Ennis, builder same, erect one-story frame dwelling, East Nineteenth street between Going and Prescott, \$2,000; Herb Kubik, builder same, erect one and a half story frame dwelling, East Seventh street between Dekum and Bryant, \$1,200; H. W. Smith, builder same, erect one and a half story frame dwelling, Farragut street between Burrage and Delaware, \$500; May Evans, builder H. L. Camp & Co., erect two-story frame dwelling, Multnomah street between East Twentieth and East Twenty-first, \$4,000; Mr. Patterson, builder, H. L. Camp & Co., erect one-story frame dwelling, Alameda street between Fifteenth and Sixty-first, \$1,000; John Q. Young, builder H. L. Camp & Co., erect one-story frame dwelling, East Twenty-third street between Knott and Brazeo, \$2,000.



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## PASTORAL PLAY AT BUNGALOW

About 1,500 of us forgot for three hours last night the shackles of metropolitanism; forgot our yesterdays, our today and tomorrow, with their loads of sordid cares and worries. For we were transported leagues and leagues

away from the narrow confines of the city to the vast open of the cornfield and the meadow. It was "Sky Farm" at the Bungalow. Who can say, after witnessing a play of this type, that the drama has not an uplifting influence on our lives? If there are those who can live in the fresh, homely atmosphere of "Sky Farm" for three hours and not carry away a higher, a more ennobled feeling of life, they deserve our pity. They are beyond redemption.

There are some plays in which a common-feeling seems to unify audience and actor. The play at the Bungalow is one of these. You do not sit a detached personality, watching the portrayal of characters. You lose the identity of auditor. You become a participant in the scenes that are being enacted before your eyes—your heart-

throbbing in sympathy with the heroine, and beating in angry protest against the villain. And, then, there is the scent of the new-mown hay; the panorama of waving fields of grain; the wildwoods and the leaves.

The Baker Stock company is an excellent lot of players. We have witnessed them in a number of productions requiring character delineation of a wide range. They have never appeared to better advantage than last night. It seemed as if each had been dove-tailed into his or her role. From William Gleason, who handled Benjamin Brees—a hide-bound, ear-like character—with masterful touch, to Miss Hazel Jewel, who we knew at Cordelia Brown—a simple village lass—the work of each was almost perfect.

It is in the very first of Act 1 that

you are carried away to the countryside. The village choir does it—aided and abetted by an organ. Figuratively, you are wafted on the wings of melody to Cedarcrest, Mass., from which you drift by happy degrees to the barn dance of "Neighbor Nixon," on Christmas eve—Act 5.

It is the story of a village parson's daughter, who is secretly married to the rich man's son. The rich man has ambitions for a wealthy match for his son. How Marigold Towers (Lizetta Jewel) and Warren Brees (John Thorne) eventually conquer the hard-headed old father is the basis of the play.

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