

RE-ELECTION PINCHED BY BEAR STATE

California Gives President Wilson Sufficient Votes to Return Him to White House for Another Term; Lead Is Maintained.

CHIEF OF NATION IS GIVEN BIG OVATION Successful Candidate and Mrs. Wilson Make Trip on Board Presidential Yacht Mayflower Up the Hudson River.

Rhinecliff, N. Y., Nov. 10.—(U. P.)—President Wilson was greeted as "the next president" when he came ashore from the yacht Mayflower today, en route to Williamsstown, Mass. A big crowd greeted the president and Mrs. Wilson and cheered both. The president was looking fine and wore a happy smile as he responded to the greeting. He had been kept informed of California's vote count by wireless during the night. The Mayflower made the journey up the Hudson by easy stages and arrived here early in the morning. The president and Mrs. Wilson came ashore shortly before 10 o'clock and immediately boarded a special train for Williamsstown, Mass.

Hughes and Willcox Make No Concession

New York, Nov. 10.—(U. P.)—Charles Hughes took Interet returns today with complete outward calmness, despite the terrific strain since Tuesday. He slept late. At 9:30 he had not ordered breakfast sent to his private dining room at the Hotel Astor. When he appeared he was smiling and exchanged pleasantries in his old way with personal and political friends, who called. Early this forenoon Hughes had sent no message of congratulation to President Wilson. This was taken in some quarters as indicating that he and Chairman Willcox, with one or two others, may delay their usual exchange until the official count is complete in all close states. Willcox and Hughes have not yet conceded defeat.

Liquor Traffic to Face Government

Seattle, Wash., Nov. 10.—(P. N. S.)—Determined to bring to a sudden halt the alleged illicit liquor traffic between Vancouver, B. C., and Seattle, Wash., the state today declared to many thousands of dollars a week, by the most drastic action possible, the federal government hereafter will charge persons caught in this trade with violation of the smuggling laws, punishable by a fine of \$5000 or imprisonment in the penitentiary for two years, or both.

Hiram Johnson for President Proposed

San Francisco, Nov. 10.—(U. P.)—A boom for Hiram Johnson for the Republican nomination for president in 1920 was started this afternoon by the San Francisco Bulletin as the result of the returns showing Johnson's overwhelming victory for the United States senate.

Germany's Killed in War, 1,000,000 Men

London, Nov. 10.—(U. P.)—Germany's count of her dead for the war numbers nearly a million men, according to the official casualty list received here today.

BULLETINS

Austrian Drive Progresses. Berlin, Nov. 10.—(U. P.)—(Via Sayville)—Austro-German forces, battling with the Roumanians in the Transylvanian Alps and in the wooded Carpathians, made further important progress in their efforts toward an invasion en masse of northwestern Roumania. The war office announced this afternoon the recapture of almost all of the ground lost to the Roumanians on November 4 in the Cagarevie mountains and new progress in the Frelad sector. One hundred and eighty prisoners were captured on both sides of the Alt river, the statement said.

Germany for Peace League. Washington, Nov. 10.—(U. P.)—German Chancellor von Bethmann-Hollweg's declaration for the principle of a league to enforce peace was a direct answer to the American league's request to the German government for an expression of opinion, it was learned today.

Drifting Barges Sought. Galveston, Texas, Nov. 10.—(U. P.)—The United States coast guard cutter Comanche left here this afternoon to search for two barges which broke adrift from the tug Buchanan in the gulf during a stiff wind last night. Ten men are believed to be on the barges. The tow left Galveston for San Pedro Wednesday.

Vote Fraud Evidence Sought. Indianapolis, Ind., Nov. 10.—(U. P.)—Sixteen Democratic attorneys were dispatched post haste through the state today to gather affidavits of all alleged vote frauds. Bernard Koerbel, Democratic state chairman, declared: "We may show the Republicans what a contest means."

Attempt on Bridehead Falls. Bucharest, Nov. 10.—(U. P.)—An enemy monitor and small advance guard which attempted to approach the Ramadan bridehead were obliged to retire by our artillery, the war office announced today.

Michigan Dry Majority Big. Detroit, Mich., Nov. 10.—(U. P.)—With returns practically complete, indications were today that Michigan's dry majority will fall slightly under 70,000. Home rule apparently was beaten by between 90,000 and 100,000 votes.

Highway Bonds Get Big Vote. Los Angeles, Nov. 10.—(P. N. S.)—The total city and county vote on the state highway bonds, announced late today, gives a majority of 85,865 for the bonds. The vote stood 125,823 to 39,758.

To Relax Censorship. Vienna, Nov. 10.—(U. P.)—It is officially announced that Premier Von Koerber will shortly relax the Austro-Hungarian censorship of the press.

MINNESOTA OUTCOME MAY HINGE ON VOTES OF CIVILIAN SOLDIERS

Democrats Claim Lead Will Be So Low Men of Border Will Control.

St. Paul, Minn., Nov. 10.—(U. P.)—With 32 precincts missing the Hughes lead is down to 487 in Minnesota.

St. Paul, Minn., Nov. 10.—(U. P.)—Secretary of State Julius Schmahel received word today that the Minnesota election returns would arrive in St. Paul from Llano Grande, Texas, with the votes of the guardsmen at 9:45 tomorrow morning. According to Schmahel the count of the vote will begin at once and the result should be known shortly after noon. It is believed this count will definitely settle the result in the state.

Ten of the 20 missing precincts from Koochiehling county, on the Canadian border, gave Wilson 1018 and Hughes 447, reducing the Hughes lead to 719, with 69 precincts missing. Democrats claim the soldier vote will go to Wilson two to one and will enable him to carry the state.

Hughes Lead But 107 Votes. Concord, N. H., Nov. 10.—(U. P.)—Official returns from New Hampshire at 2 o'clock this afternoon with eight towns missing give: Hughes 42,723, Wilson 42,516.

The latest figures show Hughes leading by 107 votes but the Democrats claim a change in the result. New Dover, ward 2, will give the Democrats the plurality.

The clerks of both districts have filed affidavits to the effect that no Democratic votes were received by them in these wards.

New Mexico Practically Sure. Santa Fe, N. M., Nov. 10.—(P. N. S.)—President Wilson carried New Mexico, unless the 58 precincts to be heard from vote almost solidly for Hughes.

Wilson had a lead of 1410 at 8 a. m., and the Democratic lead, expected this plurality to be cut down slightly in the final returns, they were confident the missing 99 precincts can make no material change in the result. The figures on 539 precincts out of 628 were: Wilson 32,406, Hughes, 30,995.

Hughes Leads in West Virginia. Wheeling, W. Va., Nov. 10.—(U. P.)—With 131 precincts of 1713 missing, Hughes was leading Wilson by 3149. The count was Hughes 133,280; Wilson 130,131.

Cornwall, Democrat, for governor, is again leading Robinson, Republican, by 1358 votes with 135 precincts missing. Southern and western counties have sprung many surprises.

CALIFORNIA IN WILSON COLUMN BY 4144 MARGIN

Few Precincts Remain to Be Counted and It is Conceded That Count Will Not Change General Result.

HUGHES SUPPORTERS HAVE BUT LITTLE HOPE

Federal Officials Take Charge of Ballot Boxes in Alameda County.

San Francisco, Nov. 10.—(U. P.)—Returns from 5847 out of 5866 precincts gave Wilson 465,516 and Hughes 461,262. Lead for Wilson 4254.

San Francisco, Nov. 10.—(U. P.)—Complete returns from 5848 out of 5866 precincts in California at 1:20 today gave Wilson 465,325 and Hughes 461,181, a lead for Wilson of 4144.

The reduction in the total vote for Wilson was caused by a correction made by County Clerk Kay of Humboldt county, which showed Wilson had previously been erroneously credited with 1000 votes. In sending returns to the United Press from 74 precincts, Kay gave these figures: Hughes 5670, Wilson 5014. He declared this morning that Wilson's total should have been 4614. Two additional precincts in Humboldt county brought Wilson's total to 4049 and Hughes' to 5732. An additional precinct from San Bernardino county gave Wilson 415 and Hughes 132. This leaves only 20 precincts in California to be heard from. The revision of the Humboldt county vote will not change the general result in California.

In an extra edition this morning the San Francisco Chronicle, one of the staunchest Hughes supporters in the west, where he is a Democrat, was won by a plurality of about 3000 and declared the president had been re-elected. The Los Angeles papers made similar concessions. Greater Rowell, Republican state chairman, however, was not willing early today to concede the state to the president without qualification. He admitted that California has apparently gone Democratic on the face of almost complete re-

LONDON IS ANXIOUSLY AWAITING RESULT OF TUESDAY'S ELECTION

Changeable Reports Leave Doubt and Final Official Returns Are Desired.

By Ed. L. Keen. London, Nov. 10.—(U. P.)—London is in doubt. London is still withholding judgment on who won the American presidential election and is waiting anxiously for final official returns.

London thought it knew Wednesday morning that Reuter's flashed unqualifiedly that Hughes had been elected. But today Reuter's flashed unqualifiedly that Wilson had been re-elected. So the Evening News, to be perfectly fair, reproduced both Hughes' flashes, under the head: "Reuter says both elected."

The Exchange Telegraph, getting United Press reports, did not announce the election of Hughes. Hughes had been elected was turned loose editorially. Wilson drew a few hot presidential shots. One was "spineless idealist." Now that things are doubtful editorial opinion is suspended. No crowd has flocked around the bulletin boards since Tuesday.

Before the election all English newspapers and certain western states were interested to an almost unbearable degree, but held aloof. There seemed to be a gentlemen's agreement not to take sides even in the domestic affairs of the United States. "It isn't our affair. We have troubles enough of our own without mixing with America's problems," seemed expressive of the public state of mind.

Rolling Mill May Be Established Here

The Northwest Steel company may establish a rolling mill in connection with its shipbuilding plant in South Portland.

L. H. S.-C. U. Without Score in First Half

In this afternoon's game on Multnomah High School's field and Columbia university played without scoring in the first half.

THE PRESIDENT



AMIDON IS JAILED IN AN OLD ACTION FOR CONTEMPT OF COURT

He Spent Two Hours in Jail and Then Paid His Fine, Which Was \$25.

E. L. Amidon was committed to the county jail at noon today on a charge of contempt of court. He spent two hours in jail and then paid his fine.

On May 15 last Amidon was fined \$25 by Circuit Judge Gatens for contempt of court. The contempt consisted of an assault made by Amidon upon R. P. Hutton during the trial of the latter on a charge of slander preferred by Congressman McArthur. The case grew out of the primary election, when it was alleged by Amidon that Hutton had defamed the character of Amidon's wife by accusing her of the theft of some papers, and while court was in session he struck Hutton.

The fine has never been paid. Amidon claiming that it was not a question of money but of principle.

Today a bench warrant was issued for him and other details will be turned on to him.

Wilson Celebration Will Be Patriotic

Woodrow Wilson's reelection as president of the United States is to be ratified in Portland Saturday night. A celebration with parade, red fire, speaking and other details will be arranged by a committee, headed by Dr. C. J. Smith, G. Y. Harry and G. F. Alexander.

Snub Cost Election of Hughes 'Hog-Tied' West a Boomerang California Wiped Out Insult

By F. W. Kellogg. Publisher of the San Francisco Call. San Francisco, Nov. 10.—(P. N. S.)—Why did California go for Wilson? Why did Utah go Democratic for the first time in years? Why is it that in the east, where Wilson expected his strength, he showed weakness, and in the west, where he feared defeat, he won a victory?

There are those here in California today who think they can give the answer to those questions, and give them in good plain English. These people say that California was alienated from the Republican party when the Republican state central committee of California ignored Johnson and Rowell and spent their time—not in cordially welcoming the Progressive-Republicans

BALANCE OF POWER IN HOUSE RESTS WITH FIVE INDEPENDENTS MAY WHEAT REACHES RECORD OF \$2.00 1-8 IN MINNEAPOLIS MART

Republicans Have Lead of Two Over Democrats; Lack Two of Majority.

Washington, Nov. 10.—(WASHINGTON BUREAU OF THE JOURNAL.)—Official count in a dozen congressional districts will be required to decide the control of the lower house. Districts in North Carolina, Louisiana, Pennsylvania and certain western states will turn on a handful of votes. Ballots of soldiers on the border not yet counted will in some cases decide. Previous not partisan. All citizens are invited to take part, regardless of party affiliations or preferences.

The route of the parade, its participants in part and other details will be announced as soon as possible.

CALIFORNIA REMAINS 'WET' ACCORDING TO PRESENT INDICATION

'Drys' Charge Ballot Box Stuffing; Prepare to Demand Federal Investigation

San Francisco, Nov. 10.—(U. P.)—California will apparently remain wet. Majorities against the prohibition measure indicated in today's tabulations show that, with the exception of some southern California sections, where the vote was largely "dry," prohibition was generally a losing measure. Absolute prohibition is running behind approximately 110,000 and partial prohibition approximately 40,000 in figures announced today.

The prohibitionists declare their defeat is due to illegalities and they are preparing to make this the basis for a demand for a federal investigation. They reiterate their charges of ballot box stuffing, and are showing photographs of a tally sheet from a San Francisco precinct showing 180 as the total vote cast, and the vote 186 to 87 against prohibition.

Registrar Zemansky, whose attention has been called to the charges, today declared both the "wets" and the "drys" made charges of irregularities, and that his investigations found them all groundless. San Francisco went wet by from 75,000 to 85,000.

"Dries" Claim Partial Victory. San Francisco, Nov. 10.—(P. N. S.)—Partial prohibition has carried in California, according to announcement from "dry" headquarters here today.

Franklin Hitchborn, campaign manager for the dries, declared that private reports from reliable sources indicate adoption of amendment No. 2 by a majority of about 8000 votes despite published statements this morning giving a majority of 40,000 against the amendment. Hitchborn asserted that reports on the vote in Los Angeles and the San Joaquin valley absolutely upset the wets' claim and that the amendment has carried by a comfortable margin.

THIS STATE IS PROBABLY 'STONE DRY'

Complete Returns From 17 Counties and Incomplete Returns From Rest Leave but 123 of Multnomah's Majority.

ACT IN EFFECT SOON AS GOVERNOR PROCLAIMS

Users of Liquid Refreshments Have About Three Weeks Left to Replenish Cellar-ettes, According to Latest Decision.

HOW THE VOTE STANDS. The vote on the prohibition amendment, by counties, so far as now reported, with the complete report marked by a star is as follows:

Table with 2 columns: Counties, For, Against. Lists counties like Baker, Benton, Clackamas, Clatsop, Columbia, Coos, Crook, Curry, Douglas, Gilliam, Grant, Harney, Hood River, Jackson, Jefferson, Joseph, Klamath, Lane, Lincoln, Linn, Marion, Morrow, Multnomah, Polk, Tillamook, Umatilla, Union, Wallowa, Wasco, Washington, Yamhill with vote counts.

According to returns from 16 counties complete, together with incomplete returns from the remainder, Oregon is only 123 votes from being a bone dry state. The late figures on (Concluded on Page Five, Column Four)

SIXTEEN COUNTIES OF OREGON STATE GIVE HUGHES A PLURALITY

With Remaining Incomplete Returns They Give Loser 7259 Votes Over Wilson.

The complete count from 16 counties of the state, together with incomplete returns from the remainder, give Hughes a plurality of 7259 votes over Wilson in Oregon. The total vote so far computed is: Hughes 421,291, and Wilson 414,032.

The vote ran very close in some of the counties which are normally strong Republican counties. Josephine, for instance, giving Hughes a plurality of only 7 votes.

Multnomah county gave Hughes his biggest lead, with a plurality of 5672 votes. The total vote in Multnomah county, complete, is: Hughes 41,411 and Wilson 35,739.

Table: Presidential Vote in Oregon, by Counties, showing votes for Hughes and Wilson.

GRANT Canyon City, Or., Nov. 10.—Eighteen precincts out of 23 give Hughes 871, Wilson 1045. Thirteen precincts out of 22 give full rental tax 259 yes, 684 no; Pendleton normal 871 yes, 658 no; Sunday closing 629 yes, 627 no; brewers' amendment 303 yes, 1042 no; prohibition 653 yes, 605 no. W. W. Howell is elected sheriff over J. W. Ambrose, Republican, by 280. Phil Ashford, Republican, leads (Concluded on Page Fourteen, Column Three)