

ELECTION IS TRIUMPH OF G.O.P. ISSUES

President-elect Harding Is Pleased With Verdict of People in Electing Republican Congress

OFFICE FLOODED WITH CONGRATULATIONS

Timber for Cabinet Selections Is Speculated in by Leaders

MARION, Ohio, Nov. 3.—Warren G. Harding spent his first day as president-elect resting from the tension of election night and reviewing late returns with particular attention to the make-up of the 57th congress.

Gain in Congress Watched.

He expressed keen pleasure as the growing figures confirmed a Republican gain in both senate and house, for he had told his friends that his greatest apprehension over the outcome had not been a fear of defeat for himself

so much as a realization that as chief executive his hands might be tied by lack of a working majority in the legislative branches.

His interest throughout the last weeks of the campaign turned specifically to the senatorial situation and it was known in the inside circles of the party that it was to aid Republican senatorial candidates more than for any other cause that he left his front porch and made a swing around the circle of states where the present narrow senate majority was receiving its heaviest attacks.

Triumph One of Issues.

As for his own fortunes, he said today that he never had been in doubt for a moment from the time of his nomination. He did voice surprise at the tremendous majorities piled up for him, however, declaring the result had over-reached his fondest hopes.

Mr. Harding was not inclined to regard the triumph as a personal one. As he told many of his audiences during the campaign his feelings was that the decision would be made on issues rather than candidates and the league of nations and the record of Wilson administration at home were the determining factors.

An avalanche of congratulatory messages was received by President-elect and Mrs. Harding today, many prominent Democrats being numbered among those who sent their good wishes. Governor Cox sent a brief telegram accepting the result, and the senator in a still briefer message, thanked him. When Mr. Harding looked in at his office at the end of the afternoon no word had yet been received from President Wilson.

Gossip Over Cabinet.

Now that the political complexion of the next administration is

known definitely, gossip about cabinet selections is reviving and enough names to fill a dozen cabinets are being mentioned in current rumors as likely timber for the official circle of President Harding. Both Mr. Harding and his close advisers have indicated, however, that all of these forecasts are purely speculative and that the question of choosing a cabinet is one yet to be taken up.

In this under-current of speculation which apparently is without sanction of authority, the names heard often as cabinet officials include those of Elihu Root, Philander C. Knox, Henry Cabot Lodge, Charles E. Hughes, Herbert Hoover, Maj. Gen. Leonard Wood, Governor Frank O. Lowden, former Senator John W. Weeks, Harry M. Daugherty and many others.

Federal Offices to be Filled.

Besides cabinet officials, Mr. Harding will have an army of other federal appointees to select—a fact which was brought to his realization with new force today as the petitions of office seekers began to pile in his office in full swing. His friends declare it is partially to avoid such annoyances during a period of rest that he will leave Saturday for his month's trip to Point Isabel, Tex., and the Panama canal zone.

Whether the president-elect and his party will sail for the canal zone from New Orleans or some other port is a question yet to be determined, a previous plan to go by way of the Louisiana city having been reconsidered because of the time required by that routing. It is possible that one of the regular passenger steamers running south through the gulf will be diverted to permit him to board it along the Texas coast.

Secret Service Detail Arrives.

Mr. Harding paraded formally with his privileges as a private citizen today with arrival of the advance guard of the secret service detail that will go with him everywhere until the end of his presidency. Joseph Murphy, assistant chief of the service, and formerly in charge of the White House detail, came here to make the detailed arrangements and spent the day in consultation with James Sloan, another former White House chief, who left the service last June to accept a private post as Mr. Harding's personal bodyguard during the campaign.

In the exchange of telegrams today between Senator Harding and Governor Cox, no words were wasted on either side in reference to the fighting lines or the issues of the campaign.

Candidates Exchange Wires.

In the spirit of America, telegraphed the governor, "I accept the decision of the majority, tender as the defeated candidate my congratulations and pledge as a citizen my support to the executive authority in whatever emergency might arise."

To which Senator Harding replied: "As the successful candidate, I thank you for your message of congratulation and pledge of support."

From former President William H. Taft came this telegram: "I congratulate you and the nation and the world on your triumph and election by an unprecedented majority. I felicitate you and the country also on your having a good working majority of Republicans in each house of congress.

"The dignity, courtesy, sense of responsibility and self-restraint with which you have carried yourself in the campaign under the greatest provocation to a different course must, in retrospect, afford great satisfaction to yourself as they do to your supporters.

Hughes Sends Congratulations.

Charles Evans Hughes, Republican nominee in 1916, telegraphed as follows: "My heartiest congratulations on your splendid victory."

Governor Coolidge, vice president-elect, joined Mrs. Coolidge in a message to the senator and his wife.

"Accept our congratulations on our efficient leadership and glorious victory," it said. "The result passes every expectation. We are sure that you will more than fulfill the confidence the American people have placed in you."

Among the prominent Democrats who sent congratulatory messages were Thomas Taggart of Indiana, former national chairman, and Bernard M. Baruch of New York, and numerous Democratic members of the senate.

Moffitt is Thankful to Electors of Salem

A statement expressing his gratitude to the people of Salem whose votes elected him to the position of chief of police were issued yesterday by Verden M. Moffitt. Mr. Moffitt assumes office early in January. He said: "With the most profound sincerity, I wish to thank the voters of the city of Salem who rallied so nobly to my support in this, the general election, and in the primary election in May, which has resulted in my election to the office of chief of police of the city. While I was confident sufficient support would be accorded me at the polls to conclude my election, I am overwhelmed with delight at the good will and friendliness of the citizens who supported me, as was evidenced by the large number of votes cast in my behalf.

In gratitude to the people of Salem, and in whole-hearted obedience to my pledge made prior to election, I am pleased to assure you that my service as chief of police shall be one based on a conscientious and courteous and diligent enforcement of the law."

"We are but children of a larger growth. We used to be amused blowing bubbles made of soapy water in a pan and a lot of us are still blowing them—but of another texture.

ROTH COMPANY BUYS CORNER

Important Deal Negotiated With View to Big Commercial Development

The Statesman has been saying that a Republican victory at the polls would mean an immediate revival of business.

That millions of people who had been planning and waiting for the result would proceed unafraid; that there would be a new feeling of security; a new thrill and urge along the line of the enterprising hosts of this great land, filled with the spirit of endeavor and action and high purpose.

With the inclination to do things, and to dare things, too, with half a chance for security and fair play and an even break.

Well, here is the first record for Salem—on the first day: The Roth Grocery company yesterday bought from Walter Morley the southeast corner of Court and Front streets—8 1/2 by 165 feet, containing four dwellings and the building that houses the Salem Fence works of R. B. Fleming.

They paid something around \$20,000, and they made a splendid buy, at anything near that figure—the less they paid the better the bargain they got.

The railroad switch is already there.

Some day, when they get good and ready, they will put up a wholesale grocery building there—and it will likely be a good one.

Mills & Copley and Mr. Socolofsky, real estate men, were concerned in the deal.

Theo. Roth is the manager of the Gile Mercantile company, wholesale grocers. He is one of the chief stockholders of the Roth Grocery company, and that company's holding company for real estate is the Roth company. The title of the property bought passes to the latter company.

Buildings on Bloom Farm Are Destroyed by Fire

SILVERTON, Or., Nov. 2.—Fire caused by a defective flue completely destroyed the house and barn of W. Bloom at about 6:30 Sunday morning. The buildings which burned to the ground were a total loss. Most of the household furniture was saved, as was all of the live stock, but grain, hay and other things stored in the barn were burned. The Bloom

Chinese Object to Loans of America

Protest Against Loans to China at Present is Voiced in Behalf of the Chinese in the United States by the Chinese National Welfare Society Here

SAN FRANCISCO, Nov. 1.—Protest against loans to China at present is voiced in behalf of the Chinese in the United States by the Chinese National Welfare society here by Joseph Shiang-Min Lee, executive secretary of the organization, Dr. Paul S. Reinsch, former American minister to China is an advisor of the association which has branches throughout the United States in practically all Chinese communities.

The protest follows in part: "Whereas the interna political situation of the republic of China is in disorder due to the lack of a central government capable of commanding the confidence and support of the people; and

"Whereas loans made to any of the governments now existing in China have been used in the past for military purposes, which benefit neither the people nor the country, now—therefore be it

"Resolved, that we, the Chinese people of America, hereby place ourselves on record that it is our sense of duty of the gravest importance to our country and to the world at large to discourage any foreign loans, private or official, made to any government in China, provincial or national."

Refusal of any loan at present will aid in bringing about a settlement of China's internal strife, according to officials of the Chinese National Welfare society of America.

Socialists Become Active in Japan

TOKIO, Nov. 1.—Since the war the socialists in this country have begun to show remarkable activity.

As a welcome to six new members the Socialists League held a public meeting in Yokohama and the speakers lectured on various social problems. As called at the time the police arrested the leaders, Sakae Ougi, one of the socialist leaders, was so violent that the police authorities ordered the dissolution of the meeting—but the members replied with the song of revolution. The police thereupon took the leaders into custody.

According to the Nichi Nichi, the socialists who have enrolled their names in the proposed Japanese socialist confederation number as many as 500 including scholars, painters, authors and even hospital nurses and military officers.

EIGHT KILLED IN NEGRO RIOT

Two Whites Are Shot to Death in Election Fight Five Negroes Burned

ORLANDO, Fla., Nov. 2.—The casualty list at Ocoee, 12 miles from here, where two whites were shot to death and one negro lynched yesterday in an election riot and several other negroes perished when buildings in which they sought shelter were burned, had not reached here tonight. Armed whites were reported patrolling the region and closing in on negroes who fled to the woods.

More than 20 buildings in the negro settlement were burned. Reports from Ocoee tonight said that explosions of considerable amounts of ammunition occurred as the flames swept the buildings and that numerous firearms were found in the ruins. Some reports said five negroes died in the flames. One negro woman was among these, it was said.

The battle was precipitated by the attempt of Julian Perry, a negro, to vote after he had been refused the privilege by election judges on the ground that he had not paid his poll tax. He returned later armed with a shotgun but it was taken away from him and he was driven away.

After dark last night, according to reports, Perry again approached the polls accompanied by a number of other negroes. The white citizens at once formed a posse and dispersed the negroes, who fled to the negro settlement. The posse followed and witness said the negroes opened fire from the buildings. A member of the posse was wounded but reinforcements arrived.

The attackers centered on Perry's house intent on his arrest. Two of the whites, Leo Borgard and Elmer McDaniel, both former soldiers, were killed in the back yard of the house. A negro woman said seven or eight armed negroes were in the Perry house which ultimately was set on fire to dislodge them, the flames spreading to other buildings.

Perry himself apparently was captured and later taken by a mob and lynched. It was said he was

taken from an automobile in which he was being carried to the jail after having been treated at a hospital.

Possibly the apex of sarcasm was reached the other day when Jones took his car to a repair shop and asked the man what was

the best thing to do with it. The repair man looked the car over in silence for several minutes, after which he grasped the horn and tooted it. "You've a good horn there," he remarked quietly. "Suppose you jack it up and run a new car under it?"—London Opinion.

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Hope Muslin, per yard.....	15c
Unbleached Muslin, 36 inches, per yard.....	15c
Very Best Grade Muslin, per yard.....	23c
Apron Gingham, per yard.....	18c
Standard Calicoes, per yard.....	9c
44 inch Part Wool Plaid Skirtings, values \$1.35.....	79c
44 inch Navy Blue, all wool, storm serge, extra quality \$1.19	
36 inch Satin Messaline.....	\$1.59
A-1 Quality Chiffon.....	\$1.59
36 inch Colored Taffeta Chiffon.....	\$1.50

Our Manager, Mr. B. E. Sisson, attended "Buyers' Week" in San Francisco, three weeks ago. While there he met many representatives of Eastern Factories and came in contact with every large jobber in San Francisco. They all had merchandise which they were willing to sell "at a price" for "spot cash." Mr. Sisson had the cash—he bought, and we have just received the purchases, in time to include in this Big Remnant Day Event. We mention a few items that will give you an idea of the Big Savings for you.

Coatings, Suitings Broadcloth

54 inches wide, all wool fabrics.....	HALF PRICE
40 inch Georgette Crepes, per yard.....	\$1.49
44 inch Cihffon Cloth, assorted colors, per yard.....	89c
500 yards Outing Flannels.....	23c
Dress Gingham.....	27c
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Here's the line up of sizes:
3 suits 5 years 1 suit 11 years
4 suits 6 years 2 suits 12 years
2 suits 7 years 3 suits 13 years
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1 suits 10 years 9 suits 15 years
8 suits 17 years

Children's Underwear
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19c
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CREPE DE CHINE and GEORGETTE WAISTS.....\$3.98
Pink Brocaded Corsets, a Sport Corset of quality in material and finish and built scientifically correct.....\$2.48
Ladies' Outing Flannel Gowns, white and colors.....\$1.89

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