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Daily and Sunday 5343  
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SALEM, OREGON, WEDNESDAY MORNING, NOVEMBER 8, 1922

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# W. M. PIERCE IS ELECTED

## CIESY IS MAYOR

### MARION GOES FOR DEMOCRAT BY BIG COUNT

Pierce Has Lead of About 2000 Over Olcott in Local Returns With Consistent Vote Everywhere.

### SCHOOL BILL BEHIND IN THIS DISTRICT

Hoff, Churchill and Campbell Easily Run Away from Opponents

Complete returns received from 48 precincts and incomplete returns received from five precincts, indicate that Walter M. Pierce, Democratic candidate for governor, has carried Marion county in yesterday's election by a majority of not less than 2000 votes over Ben W. Olcott, Republican incumbent.

Mr. Pierce polled a consistent vote throughout the entire county, with the exception of the Mt. Angel, Sublimity and St. Paul precincts. These precincts went to Governor Olcott by almost a unanimous vote. Governor Olcott also carried two Salem precincts, but the majorities were small and failed to dent the Pierce margin.

The compulsory school bill, around which was waged the most bitter fight in the campaign, apparently has been defeated in Marion county by a slight majority. Latest available figures tabulated early this morning showed that 2335 voters had cast their ballots in favor of this measure, while the opposition had assembled 2311 votes. In case the missing precincts return majorities against this bill consistent with the results at hand, the measure probably will lose by 500 votes.

Hoff Has Big Lead  
O. P. Hoff, Republican, for state treasurer, has carried Marion county by an overwhelming majority over his Democratic opponent. Mr. Hoff's vote, based on incomplete returns, was 5652, as against 3995 for Mr. Touvelle, J. A. Churchill, Republican, was leading S. S. George, his independent opponent, for state superintendent of schools by a majority of 5036 votes. When the complete returns are received it is likely that Mr. Churchill's lead will be increased to approximately 6,500 votes.

Gram Far Ahead  
C. H. Gram, Republican, probably will defeat his Democratic opponent in Marion county by

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### THE WEATHER

OREGON:—Wednesday rain; moderate to fresh southwesterly winds.

LOCAL WEATHER  
(Tuesday)  
Maximum temperature, 55.  
Minimum temperature, 42.  
River, 1 foot below normal level. Stationary.  
Rainfall, .04 inch.  
Atmosphere, partly cloudy.  
Wind, west.

### BIRTCHEW WINNER BY BIG MAJORITY; POULSEN ELECTED

Incomplete returns, at 2 o'clock this morning, give the following general results for Salem; with about 500 votes yet to come in:  
Giesy, mayor, wins over Vandevort, 2682 to 2096.  
Poulson, for recorder, has 2402 to Frazier's 2098.  
Birtchett, for chief of police has 3153 to Motfitt's 1697.  
The measure for the apportionment of the chief of police by the mayor has 2136 for to 2086 against. It has the precarious majority of 50. It requires only a bare majority.  
The fire apparatus measure for \$13,500 bonds for fire equipment, is safe, with 2932 for and only 1288 against. It requires a two-thirds majority.  
Almost every precinct in the city gave a decided majority for Pierce for governor.

### HAWLEY TALKS ON NATIONAL ISSUES

### Industrialism and Trade Discussed at Chamber of Commerce Luncheon

"I met a man over in Marshall field who said, 'Now I don't like this man Bump they're running for congress—I shan't vote for him at all. There are too many of that kind already, back in Washington.'"

That was the first part of congressman W. C. Hawley's address at the Chamber of Commerce luncheon Monday noon. The rest of the time he spoke on more serious things than Andy Gump, on the government going into industrialism and trade, and into business in the ship subsidy bill.

"I do not believe in imperialism," he said. "The people should have a large part of the powers of government. The state government is easily controlled. The National government at Washington is too far away for control. The general government, therefore, should have only the larger problems, affecting the people as a nation."

Elaborating this problem, the speaker told of the Ford proposal to lease the Muscle Shoals power in the Tennessee river, the government finishing the enormous expense of building, and guaranteeing the Ford company 8 per cent on its nitrate manufactures. He held that this was a kind of personal monopoly, taking the taxes of the whole people to build up a private business that would come into direct competition with many of them, and giving the one contractor a great advantage, that the people needed to consider carefully.

"Once you enter into such a program, who shall say how far it is to go? If the government furnishes capital and plant for one, why not for another, or for all? We get back into the Socialistic state along this road. We need to know what's ahead of us on this dangerous road."

Mr. Hawley spoke at some length on the ship subsidy bill, explaining first some of the difficulties in getting the \$4,500,000.00 worth of federal ships off the government's hands. Most of the ships were built suitable only for war use. A Coos Bay lumber shipper, Mr. Owen, who went back to look over the shipping board vessels in a six months' search found only two that could be adapted at all to his use, and even these cost half as much to change as the ships cost in the first place.

The matter of untaxed federal and state securities was brought up, the speaker saying that there is close to \$25,000,000,000 of

### POPULATION OF KOREA IS OVER 17 MILLIONS

SEOUL, Korea, Oct. 11.—The population of Korea at the end of August was 17,452,618, including 367,618 Japanese and 25,952 foreigners, including Chinese. The figures, when compared with 1915, represent an increase of 804,789 or by 750,179 Koreans, 46,618 Japanese and 7,630 foreigners. Classified according to occupation, agriculture leads among the Koreans, while among Japanese and foreigners, commerce heads the list.

### E. T. Pierce Elected Aumsville Mayor Again

In the city elections at Aumsville yesterday E. T. Pierce was elected mayor to succeed himself. He had no opposition.

### Taximeters in Mexico Are Cutting Down Fares

MEXICO CITY, Nov. 1.—The rainbow is well represented in the veritable flood of taxicabs that has descended on the capital during the past few weeks.

Displacing the small cars which hitherto have been the only means of motor transportation, one may now ride in a taxi of almost any hue—yellow, blue, white, brown, green and variegated. The original colored taxicabs were operated by organized companies, but their competition became too great and several chauffeurs met it by painting their cars. The new taxicabs have fare meters, something new in Mexico, and the result has been a general decrease in cab fares.

PARLIAMENT POSTPONED  
LONDON, Nov. 7.—The opening of parliament has been postponed from November 20 to November 23. The king will take part in the customary state ceremony.

### DILL IN LEAD FOR SENATOR IN WASHINGTON

Former Congressman Takes Slight Margin Over Miles Poindexter on Basis of Latest Returns.

### GOVERNOR MILLER OF NEW YORK IS BEATEN

Many Changes Indicated by Returns from States East and South

SEATTLE, Nov. 7.—Former Congressman C. C. Dill, Democrat, running for the United States senate in opposition to Miles Poindexter, Republican incumbent, took the lead on the basis of returns from 513 precincts out of a total of 8446 in the state when returns were tabulated at midnight tonight. The vote at that time stood:

Poindexter 30,186, Dill 30,394. The five Republican members of congress were maintaining comfortable leads in their contests for re-election when scattering returns from each of the five districts in the state were tabulated at 11:15 p. m.

In the first district, Representative John F. Miller, with 109 precincts out of 339 in the district reported, had a total of 9,601 votes, as compared with 3,866 for Edgar C. Snyder, his Democratic opponent. Fred N. Nelson, Farmer-Labor, had 2,359.

NEW YORK, Nov. 7.—The vote for governor with 599 districts out of 7,301 in the state missing at one o'clock was: Smith, Democrat, 1,316,235; Miller, Republican, 922,944. The vote for senator with 1921 districts missing was: Copeland, Democrat, 924,463; Calder, Republican, 742,163.

COLUMBUS, O., Nov. 7.—Carmel A. Thompson, Republican candidate for governor was leading A. V. Donahey, Democrat, by nearly 3,000 votes on returns from 195 of the state's 8117 precincts early tonight, including 120 precincts from Cleveland, Thompson's home. Senator Allee Pomerene, Democrat, led Congressman Simon D. Fess, Republican, in the senatorial race by approximately 400 against the wine and beer amendment.

BOSTON, Nov. 7.—Returns from one fifth of the states outside of Boston show Cox, Republican, far governor, running considerably ahead of Lodge, Republican, for senator and Fitzgerald, Democrat for governor running slightly behind Gaston, Democrat, for senator. The vote of 239 election precincts outside of Boston for governor: Cox, (R) 56,652; Fitzgerald, (D) 25,257; for senator: Gaston (D) 26,881; Lodge (R) 49,229.

CHICAGO, Nov. 7.—The first five down state precincts reporting on congressman at large gave Mrs. Winifred Mason Huck, Republican, 450, and Allen D. Albert, Democrat, 181 in the contest to fill the unexpired term of

### OPEN FORUM OF CLUB IS ON TONIGHT

General Program Touching All Community Interests Billed for Session

The regular monthly meeting of the Chamber of Commerce, is to be held at the club auditorium tonight. It is everybody's night so far as a program goes. There isn't a single thing definitely on the program in advance. It is open for the presentation of everything that interests anybody in or around Salem.

A full attendance is desired, with everybody bringing all the good things he can possibly collect, and inviting all his friends to come and help him present the causes or hear him achieve an oratorical victory over his knees and his voice.

### SIEGE STATE IS AUTHORIZED

Allied Commission in Constantinople Is Given Complete Jurisdiction

CONSTANTINOPLE, Nov. 7.—(By The Associated Press)—The allied commission in Constantinople has been given full authority to declare a state of siege or take any other measures to preserve order.

This was the response of the allied governments to the cabled requests of the high commission for permission to take complete action. It is said the allied authorities here will deal with any attempts at disturbance or infringement of the Mudjania convention in a drastic manner.

British, French and Italians as one in their determination to check the powerful movement which the Kemalists have set in motion. The British have at no time since the intentions of the Turkish Nationalists were made evident relaxed to the least degree their vigilance and now French warships are about to proceed here or are on their way to strengthen the allied authority.

### Pressmen Refuse to Put Out Extras in New York

NEW YORK, Nov. 7.—With interest in the election greater than it has been for years, New York tonight had no extra editions of evening newspapers after seven o'clock as the result of an agreement entered into by newspaper publishers when notified that pressmen of the New York World had elected not to work after that hour.

### Greek Prisoners Burned By Turks at Caesarea

PARIS, Nov. 7.—A message from the Greek consul general at Beirut, according to the Greek legation here, says that the Turks have burned Greek prisoners in the concentration camp at Caesarea, and massacred the Christian inhabitants of that city. Eight Greek officers, the consul general adds, were shot by order of Kemal Pasha on the charge of breaking the rules for prisoners.

CRUISER SAILS  
L'ORIENT, France, Nov. 7.—The French Cruiser Waldeck-Rousseau sailed today under orders to join the fleet at Constantinople. She will replace the cruiser Edgar Quinet.

## DEMOCRATIC CANDIDATE MARGIN FOR GOVERNOR RUNS TO 20,000 ACCORDING TO LATE ESTIMATE

### BOOZE TRAFFIC TO BE MODIFIED

Western Australia to Act in Response to Recent Investigation

SYDNEY, N. S. W., Oct. 13.—Liquor traffic modifications, in the shape of an amended license bill, may be introduced in western Australia as the result of a commission's inquiry into the question.

The proposal provides for a poll of assembly electors for a "yes" or "no" vote on prohibition every five years. No license shall be carried if there be a 60 per cent majority, provided that 30 per cent of the electors of the state vote for the proposal. A licensing court of three members will be appointed with jurisdiction throughout the state to reduce licenses on the lines of the Victorian act, the compensation to be provided by a two per cent levy on the purchase price of liquor sold by licensed houses.

The sale of liquors to persons under 21 years of age would be prohibited and the sale to bona fide travelers would be abolished by the measure. Lodgers and bar employees must be registered and trading hours would be limited to between 9 a. m. and 7 p. m., except in the gold fields, where the bars might remain open until 11 p. m. Railway car and restaurant licenses would be abolished, except those conferred under the railway act and these would be subject to the licensing court. Beer shall not exceed 9 per cent alcoholic content and stout would be limited to 12 per cent alcohol. Any whiskey that is sold must have been in wood for at least three years.

### Social Work is Discussed By Catholic Church Women

WASHINGTON, Nov. 7.—Catholic women from all parts of the United States will attend the second annual convention here of the National Council of Catholic Women, from November 21 to 25, to discuss social work in which Catholic women are engaged. The program includes discussion of plans for organizations in the various sections of the country.

Among the subjects to be presented are: Girl welfare, housing conditions for girls and women in industrial cities, woman in industry, travelers' aid, and immigration and international relations. During the convention the delegates will visit the National Catholic service school, conducted by the council, which offers courses in social work. The object of the school is to train Catholic women for leadership in their communities and also to prepare trained social workers.

### Many Indictments to Be Dropped in Herring Case

CHICAGO, Nov. 7.—Attorney General Brundage announced this morning that "a large number of the indictments will be dropped" when the trial of those charged with having participated in the Herring, Ill., mine riots last June opens tomorrow at Marion.

### Compulsory Public School Bill Apparently Wins Exposition Tax May Win—Other Measures Beaten—Campbell Easily Elected Public Service Commissioner Churchill Has Huge Lead—Watkins Has Lead.

PORTLAND, Nov. 7.—Walter L. Pierce of LaGrande, state senator and Democratic nominee for governor had such a lead over Governor Ben W. Olcott on returns tabulated tonight that Republican leaders here conceded his election. Returns from 770 precincts with but three remote counties represented tabulated at 1 a. m. gave Pierce 58,865; Olcott 46,869. Of these figures Multnomah county contributed from 267 precincts 16,625 for Pierce and 14,083 for Olcott.

Latest returns on the compulsory school bill which figured in the campaign as an issue of equal interest with the gubernatorial fight were 719 precincts yes 40,275; no 34,687. Figures on state officers compiled at 1 p. m. were: State treasury 474 precincts Hoff 39,929; Touvelle 16,808. Superintendent of public instruction 473 precincts, Churchill 40,558; George 20,543. Labor commissioner, 458 precincts Gram 38,980; Hansen 14,029.

Public service commissioner 500 precincts, Campbell 34,537; Erickson 12,274; Kerrigan 11,091. The vote on the tax for the financing the proposed 1925 exposition at Portland was 646 precincts: yes 25,199; no 25,987. On the income tax measure 392 precincts gave yes 8773; no 17,294. On the single tax the vote was 418 precincts, yes 7,946; no, 21,445.

In the second congressional district, Representative N. J. Sinnott, Republican, had a substantial lead over his Democratic opponent, James Harvey Graham. From 222 precincts the figures were: Graham 5377; Sinnott 8064.

PORTLAND, Or., Nov. 7.—Walter L. Toozie, Jr., Republican state chairman, at midnight conceded the election of Pierce, Democrat, for governor by an estimated plurality of 20,000 to 25,000.

PORTLAND, Or., Nov. 7.—The Oregonian (Republican) at 11 p. m. conceded the election of Pierce, Democrat for governor over Olcott, Republican, by an estimated majority of twenty thousand.

PORTLAND, Nov. 7.—Partial returns from 265 precincts out of 426 in the third congressional district of Oregon, Multnomah county give for representative in congress: Mc-14,204; Watkins 14,362.

PORTLAND, Or., Nov. 7.—For governor, 770 precincts: Olcott 46,869; Pierce 58,865. Treasurer 474 precincts: Hoff 39,929; Touvelle 16,808. For public instruction, 473 precincts Churchill 40,558; George 20,543.

For labor commissioner, 458 precincts: Gram 38,980; Hansen 14,129. For public service commissioner, 500 precincts: Campbell 34,537; Erickson 12,274; Kerrigan 11,091.

PORTLAND, Ore., Nov. 7.—Incomplete returns from the state give: Single tax 418 precincts yes 7946; no 21,445. Exposition tax, 646 precincts, yes 25,199; no 25,987. Income tax, 392 precincts, yes 8773; no 17,294. Compulsory education, 719 precincts, yes 40,275; no 34,687.

PORTLAND, Ore., Nov. 7.—Returns from 13 precincts of Polk county give: For governor: Olcott 474; Pierce 986. For state treasurer: Hoff 863; Touvelle 515. For public instruction: Churchill 929; Hansen 265. For labor commissioner: Gram 929; Hansen 265. For public service commissioner: Campbell 757; Erickson 231; Kerrigan 167. Single tax: yes 124; no 924. Exposition tax: yes 384; no 774. Income tax: yes 363; no 695. Compulsory education: yes 642; no 617.

### Reports of Findings Are Presented to Government

BERLIN, Nov. 7.—(By The Associated Press)—Four of the experts who are officially conducting an investigation of economic conditions in Germany, John Maynard Keynes, Robert H. Brand, Professor Gustav Cassel and Professor Jeremiah Banks have presented a report of their findings to the German government.

The other two experts, Dr. Vissering and Leopold Dubols, will submit a provision report tomorrow. KANSAS CITY, Mo., Nov. 7.—Tom Lawler, Democratic ward politician arrested late this morning on a charge of conspiracy to violate the federal election laws, was released on \$5,000 bond when arraigned late today before a United States commissioner. His preliminary hearing was set for Friday.