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## GIANTS LOSE SIXTH GAME; EVEN SERIES

"Bucky" Harris, Washington Manager, Brings in Winning Run By Driving Single Into Right Field

## SENATORS WINNERS BY ONLY ONE POINT

President Coolidge Witnesses Game and Sees His Team Win 2-1

WASHINGTON, Oct. 9.—(By the AP.)—Launching a spectacular comeback just when their hopes seemed to be at their lowest ebb, Washington's battling Senators captured the sixth game of the 1924 world series today from the New York Giants 2 to 1 and forced baseball's championship struggle to the limit for the third time in the history and the first time since 1912.

President Coolidge, establishing himself as a dyed-in-the-wool fan by watching his second game of the series, joined in the tumult of enthusiasm the crowd of 35,000 that saw "Bucky" Harris, the slim, dark-haired young manager of the Senators come through with a pinch hit that clinched one of the most thrilling triumphs of the series.

Harris, with two out, and the count two strikes and three balls, slashed a single to right in the fifth inning that scored Peckinpaugh and McNeely with the Senators' only runs and broke up a sensational southpaw battle between Art Nehf, Giant ace, who had won the first game, and "Old Tom" Zachary who came through with his second triumph of the series.

It was a costly victory for the Senators, however, for in a dramatic ninth inning when the Giants threatened to rally, two stars of the Washington infield were injured in the same play and Roger Peckinpaugh again was lost to the team and will not be able

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## LA FOLLETTE HEARING ASKED

Republican Campaign Manager Demands Charges Be Made Good

WASHINGTON, Oct. 9.—An immediate meeting of the senate campaign contributions committee to hear Senator La Follette, independent presidential candidate, on his charge of a republican "slush fund" was demanded today by James M. Good, former representative from Iowa, and pro-convention western campaign manager for President Coolidge.

Mr. Good made such a declaration today at the White House after a brief conference with President Coolidge in which he discussed political conditions in the west.

While several visitors were received today by the president, he did not discuss at any length the political situation, nor has he made any comment on the statement of Senator La Follette. It was reported to the president early this week that the party campaign fund was running low.

Declaring there was never a campaign carried on more economically than the one of the republican party this year, Mr. Good insisted that Senator Borah, chairman of the committee, "should call Senator La Follette before the contribution committee."

"The committee," he continued, "should find out what Senator La Follette knows and inform the country of his findings."

## WASHINGTON UNIVERSITY HAS BUDGET

Student Body Expects to Spend Almost Two Hundred Thousand Dollars

SEATTLE, Oct. 9.—The largest budget in the history of the student body of the University of Washington, calling for an expenditure of \$182,355 on student activities during the coming year, has been prepared by Darwin Meisner, graduate manager, for approval by the board of control.

In 1920 the budget was \$87,457. The largest single item in the budget this year was football, with estimated receipts of \$94,280.

## Negro Bootlegger's Wife Drives Too Fast

PORTLAND, Oct. 9.—Four persons were injured, one seriously when an automobile driven at a terrific speed by Mrs. John Lowe, wife of a negro, who has been repeatedly convicted of bootlegging, wrecked a light touring car here today. Mrs. Lowe was arrested on a charge of reckless driving.

## ZR3 LEAVES TOMORROW

Start Would Have Been Made Today But for Crew's Superstitions

FREIDRICHSHAFEN, Germany, Oct. 9.—(By the Associated Press) —Saturday morning is the time set for the departure of the dirigible ZR-3 for Lakehurst, N. J., provided the Atlantic weather clears sufficiently so that no storms will be encountered in the early stages of the flight. This announcement was made today by Dr. Hugo Eckener, director of the Zeppelin company, which constructed the dirigible for the United States navy.

Reports today indicated disturbances in mid-Atlantic, and Dr. Eckener explained it was more on this account that he had decided not to start tomorrow than because the day will be Friday. A Friday start did not exactly suit the wishes of the superstitious crew, most of whom were formerly attached to the navy and who in war times never thought of making a raid on that day of the week.

## Zanni Heads North on Trip Around the World

KAGOSHIMA, Japan, Oct. 10.—(By The Associated Press.)—Major Pedro Zanni and his mechanic, Argentine aviators flying around the world, took the air here at 7:25 a. m., today and headed northward for Kushimoto, en route to the Tokio air base at Kasumigaura.

## WEATHER UNCHANGED

WASHINGTON, Oct. 9.—Fair and cooler was the forecast of the weather bureau tonight for Washington and the world series tomorrow with indications that the weather would be almost identical with that of today.

## RUSSIAN POET DIES

MOSCOW, Oct. 9.—(By the A. P.)—Valery Brusoff, Russia's greatest poet in the last decade, died today of pneumonia. Only yesterday, on his 50th birthday, the government granted him a pension and dwelling quarters for life.

## Batteries Are Unknown Quantity in Last Clash of the World's Series

WASHINGTON, Oct. 9.—(By the Associated Press.)—The deciding game of the world series tomorrow will be fought with uncertain quantities on the pitching mound. Manager Harris has announced that he will gamble with Ogden, a young right hander obtained in mid-season from the Athletics. McGraw stated that he would probably use Virgil Barnes, who was knocked out of the box Tuesday.

Ogden, good when he is "right," is a speed ball pitcher. If the Giants eat his fast ones as they did those of Johnson and Marberry, Harris will switch to McGraw, whose slow southpaw shoots baffled McGraw's team for more than seven innings on Tuesday. "Firpo" Marberry, the cham-

## MACDONALD RUSHES TO ELECTIONS

Utmost Possible Speed Is Attempted in Taking Party Issues to the English Public Voters

## WAVE OF POPULARITY REASON FOR TACTICS

Belief Held That Labor Party Is Rapidly Growing in Public Favor

LONDON, Oct. 9.—(By the AP.)—Events following upon the government's defeat last night moved today with unusual expedition. The prime minister early today obtained royal consent to the dissolution of parliament which was prorogued with the usual formalities tonight and immediately dissolved by the king's proclamation, the privy council for these formalities meeting at the unusual hour of 7 o'clock in the evening.

The king, as always, omitted no courtesy in meeting the labor premier's wishes despite the fact that the unaccustomed haste to get through the formalities provided for by the constitution is somewhat of a novelty.

Premier MacDonald had two reasons for advancing the date of the elections as much as possible—first, a desire to avoid inconvenience to the business community and public interests generally, and second, the necessity of holding the general elections on some date which would not conflict with the English municipal elections, scheduled for November 1.

Labor Party Popular  
Mr. MacDonald and his parties conceive themselves as on a wave of popularity and therefore considered it advisable to hasten the elections to the utmost. To achieve this end they even sacrificed the pet laborite idea of holding the elections on Saturday when the workers have more leisure to record their votes.

The date has been fixed for Wednesday, Oct. 29, and this choice was only possible through the house of lords adopting the Irish bill unamended. Lord Carson, in the upper house today, proposed an amendment requiring that the bill become operative only when ratified by the Ulster parliament, but he consented to withdraw the amendment on the representation that it would delay the bill and cause a conflict with the house of commons.

Fears Conflict  
Lord Salisbury in the course of the debate frankly confessed that such a conflict between the lords and commons would prove a very bad election cry. So far as the elections are concerned, therefore, Ireland is out of the picture. There is, in fact, no great question to place before the electors. If all the parties admit that the Campbell case is no question for an appeal to the country, the conservatives and liberals will thrust forward with the question of a guaranteed loan to Russia. This however is not the sort of an issue to excite the electorate greatly.

Ramsay MacDonald and his party are convinced that the real motive of the conservatives and liberal parties in forcing the elections was growing jealousy of the success of the labor administration, especially in foreign affairs.

## Argentine Flier Arrives At Kushimoto in Japan

KUSHIMOTO, Japan, Oct. 10.—(By the Associated Press.)—Major Pedro Zanni, the Argentine round the world flier, arrived here at 11:33 this morning from Kagoshima, which port he left at 7:25 a. m. Zanni plans to proceed to Kasumigaura this afternoon after refueling.

## EPINARD PREPARED FOR RACING EVENT

LATONIA, Ky., Oct. 9.—Epinard, French champion thoroughbred runner up in the first and second divisions of the international special race, was given his final preparation for the final of these events this afternoon.

## CHINESE MEN CHANGE THEIR ALLEGIANCE

Central Government Forces Depleted By Soldiers Who Join Manchurians

SHANGHAI, Oct. 10.—(By The Associated Press.)—Reports that a portion of the Chihli (central government) army had deserted and gone over to the army of Chang Tso-lin of Manchuria after the Manchurian army captured Shanghai were received here today.

Dispatches also confirmed previous reports that Shanghai was actually in possession of General Chang's men. The Central government men, it was stated, were retreating to Chinwangtao, on the coast of Popal.

Possibility that Tuan Ch'i-Jui, former Anfu leader, may offer to mediate between the warring factions was rumored in dispatches from Tientsin, where Tuan has been living in retirement for the past two years.

## DENIAL MADE BY WHEELER

Finks Alleged Affidavit Is Branded as Preposterous By Progressive

SACRAMENTO, Cal., Oct. 9.—Senator Wheeler of Montana, now independent vice presidential candidate, but also "prosecutor" of the senate Daugherty investigating committee, was informed tonight that A. L. Fink of Buffalo had issued an affidavit charging him with offering inducements to get testimony in that affair, particularly from Miss Roxie Stinson. He promptly issued a denial.

"Fink's story is so preposterous on the face of it that it needs no reply," Senator Wheeler said. "Of course, it is absolutely false. It is chiefly important in showing the length to which Harry Daugherty and the republican cohorts are willing to go and feel they must go with their endeavor to re-elect Calvin Coolidge.

"Just as one sample of its idocy I was investigating Daugherty and assailing the republican administration. How would it be possible for me, as a democrat, to get anyone appointed to office. Particularly, how in the world could I get Harry Daugherty himself to recommend anyone for the federal judgeship, when he was the attorney general under fire.

"Fink's affidavit says I was promising stock market profits to Miss Stinson. I know so little about the stock market that there never has been a day of my life when I could have given anybody an iota of worthwhile information.

"The fact was we knew at the time the investigation was proceeding that Fink was an agent of the people we were investigating and we wouldn't let him stay in our committee hearing room."

## SHENANDOAH IS ACROSS TEXAS

Commander of Naval Airship Expects to Reach Tucson This Morning

ABOARD USS SHENANDOAH, VIA RADIO TO EL PASO, TEXAS, Oct. 9.—Heading into the setting sun, dropping behind a crimson horizon, 50 miles away, the Shenandoah finished her last 100 miles of travel across the plains of Texas tonight.

The Pecos river was crossed at 7:50 central time; the long steady climb over the Rocky mountains started. This is expected to be the most severe test of the nine thousand mile cruise.

With the speed which the ship is making tonight as it approached El Paso and the Mexican border, Tucson, Ariz., will be reached around dawn tomorrow and San Diego, the destination for the second leg of the flight, will be reached considerably before sundown tomorrow afternoon.

## WHEELER AND HIS METHODS ARE ASSAILED

Daniel F. Steck, of Iowa, Reads Alleged Affidavit During Campaign Speech at Burlington

## FINDS NEW VERSION OF ROXIE STINSON STORY

Bribery By Third Party Candidate Is Claimed in Statement Made

BURLINGTON, Iowa, Oct. 9.—(By the Associated Press.)—An alleged affidavit by A. L. Fink of Buffalo, N. Y., describing Fink's version of how Senator Burton K. Wheeler induced Roxie Stinson to testify against former Attorney General Harry M. Daugherty, was read tonight by Daniel F. Steck, democratic candidate for United States senator from Iowa, in a campaign speech. Mr. Steck charged that his republican opponent, Senator Smith W. Brookhart, assisted in obtaining Fink's services to induce Miss Stinson to testify.

Steck said she has started petitions to Attorney General Stone requesting an investigation of the Daugherty investigation committee.

The affidavit said that Fink, in return for assistance in the senate investigation, was promised the office of internal revenue collector in Buffalo and that his attorney, Henry Stern of Buffalo, was promised a federal judgeship in New York. The affidavit said these promises were made by Senator Wheeler. It asserted that Wheeler promised Miss Stinson an opportunity for personal gain on the New York stock market if she would testify.

Reading the affidavit Steck quoted Fink as saying he went to Cleveland on February 18 last on business. From newspapers he learned that Roxie Stinson, a friend of 12 years ago, had fallen heir to a considerable amount of money. In need of additional funds for his business he requested Miss Stinson to meet him. They went to a hotel to discuss his affairs, but Miss Stinson interrupted, the affidavit said, with the statement:

"I have a far bigger deal on right now and you ought to come in on it."

Steck read from the affidavit, "and she told me that she was being defrauded out of her just portion of Jesse Smith's estate by Harry M. Daugherty because he refused to recognize her or allow Smith to have her in Washington all the time they were in office and that she was prepared, if necessary, to invent stories that

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## STUDENT COUNCIL OFFICES FILLED AT HIGH SCHOOL

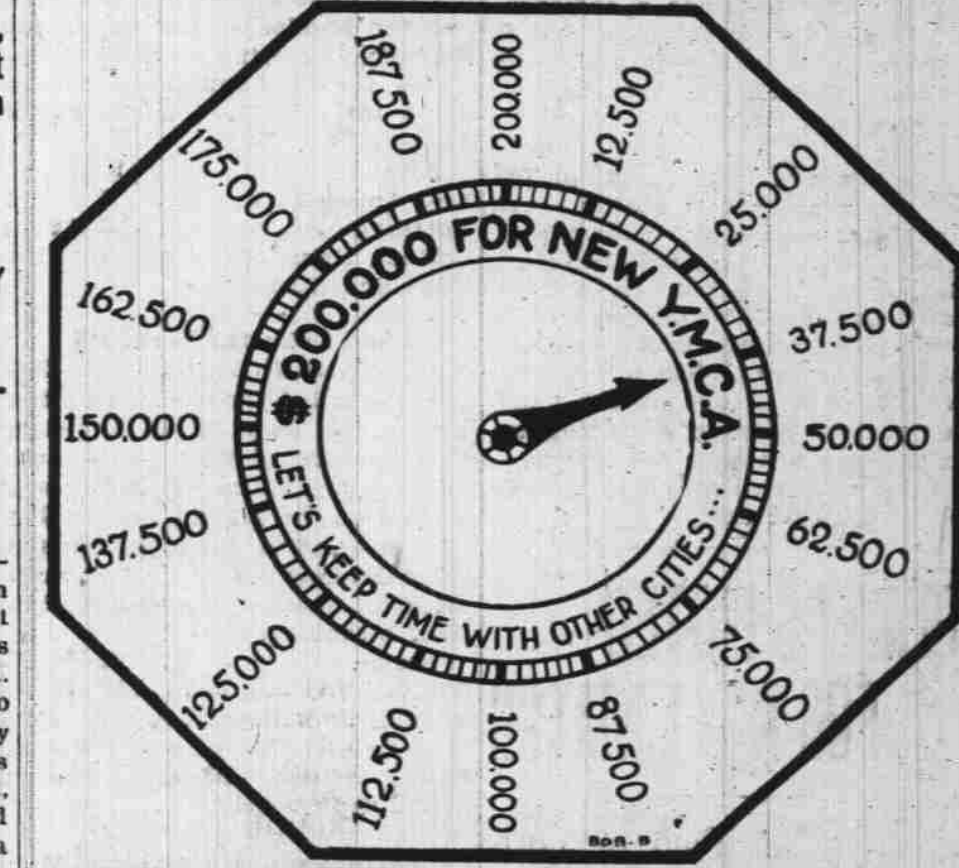
An election to fill the offices of the student council has been held by the Salem high school. Four members represent the senior and junior classes respectively while the sophomores have three on the council. Dennis Heenan was named athletic manager to take the place of Louis Girod, who resigned.

Those elected to places on the council were as follows: Seniors: Vernon Perry, Edgar Tibbitts, Thomas Allen and Clarke Jackson. Juniors: Homer Richards, John Evans, Gerald Mero and John Drager. Sophomores: Howard Kurtz, Edward Fischer and Dwight Adams.

## HUGE FIRE IN TEXAS

CONROE, Texas, Oct. 9.—Damage estimated by company officials at \$500,000 was inflicted by a fire which broke out in a drying kiln at the plant of the Delta Land & Timber company here today.

## SUBSCRIPTIONS TO SALEM'S NEW YMCA BUILDING TOUCH MARK OF \$37,500 YESTERDAY



## DEFENSE PRESENTS EXPERT TESTIMONY

Illustration Made How Cronkhitte Might Have Caused His Own Death

TACOMA, Wash., Oct. 9.—James W. Osborne, special prosecutor for the government, was called to the witness stand in the federal court this afternoon as a witness for the defense in the trial of Roland R. Pothier, former sergeant bugler of the 21st Engineers, for the alleged murder of Major Alexander P. Cronkhitte on October 25, 1918, at Camp Lewis.

Osborne was called by Maurice A. Langhorne, chief counsel for the defense, and was questioned in regard to any pictures of the dead man he had in his possession showing him in an unnatural position. The defense sought such photographs to illustrate its claim that Cronkhitte was unusually flexible and could put his body in positions impossible to the average man.

Osborne testified that he had only one picture other than the reproductions of Cabinet pictures in his possession. That one was in the "Howitzer," the West Point annual and at the request of the defense was turned over to Langhorne.

The star witness for the defense today was Lieutenant Eugene B. Caffey, of the Canal Zone, who illustrated with a revolver similar to that carried by Major Cronkhitte, exactly how a man could shoot himself in the alleged manner Major Cronkhitte was killed and inflict a wound similar to that from which the major died. This exhibition was a refutation of testimony given by Dr. Otto H. Schultz and Captain William A. Jones of New York City for the government. These men both drawing high pay as expert witnesses declared that the only manner in which the major could have inflicted such a wound upon himself was by reversing the revolver in his hand and pulling the trigger with his thumb.

## WHEELER GIVES TWO ADDRESSES

Attacks on Republicans Continued at Stockton and Sacramento

SACRAMENTO, Cal., Oct. 9.—By traveling 100 miles over motor roads today, Senator Wheeler, independent vice presidential candidate, got in two full length addresses today before California audiences.

The first was at Stockton, at noon, and the second in Sacramento, at night. In both he stressed his charge of corruption in republican conduct of national affairs and repeated his account of bank transactions in Massachusetts state funds when President Coolidge was governor.

"Always the defense of republican politicians to the charges we have brought against them is silence," he declared in summing up his night speech. "When Daugherty was assailed, he gave no answer. When General Dawes' bank operations in Chicago were exposed, he was silent. Now that deal with the Commonwealth bank affair in Boston has been opened up, President Coolidge is silent."

"Isn't it about time that some republicans should demand an explanation from the strong, silent man in the White House, or his resignation from the ticket," Senator Brookhart in Iowa has demanded the removal of General Dawes from his candidacy by the republican national committee."

## COOLIDGE LEADS IN P-I BALLOT

Salem and Other Oregon Cities Give Lead to Republican Candidate

A clearly defined lead over both Davis and La Follette was accorded President Coolidge last night by the Seattle Post-Intelligencer straw vote taken in southern Oregon cities by its representative, John M. Stodard, who secured the last Salem votes last night.

A total of 2960 votes was cast in the ballot boxes placed in Portland, Salem, Albany, Corvallis, Eugene and Roseburg and the president's following numbered 1184 with Senator La Follette and Davis closely bunched in second place with but a very slight edge for the Wisconsin senator in the rural communities and railroad centers.

The Coolidge lead was particularly marked here where a total of 173 votes was cast in his favor with but 107 recorded for Davis and 71 for La Follette. Only in Eugene and Roseburg did La Follette surpass Davis in popularity. In Eugene La Follette secured 89 votes while his democratic opponent polled but six and Coolidge secured 47. In Roseburg a poll of veterans showed Coolidge leading with 108 votes and La Follette second with 67 and Davis a poor third with 24. The official poll in each city was as follows:

City	Coolidge	Davis	La Follette
Portland	37	29	16
Salem	173	107	71
Albany	693	688	659
Corvallis	111	24	13
Eugene	47	6	32

With 128 men out on the canvass, and seeing 164 prospects, the total subscriptions announced at Thursday's dinner were \$15,190, or a little less than \$100 per call. Some of these hosts were not in, however, so the average subscription was better than that.

Figured on this basis, and assuming that these were average prospects out of the entire list to be visited, the Y campaign should be a wonderful success. More than 3,000 prospects have been listed and the Y campaign books mailed to them. If they should hold up to this average, they alone would produce almost \$900,000.

Besides these, there are the "big" that up to the present time are well ahead of the many "littles." At the Thursday luncheon, Chairman Livesley announced the Salem Pulp & Paper company's gift of \$5,000, and a like sum from E. A. Collins, of Portland, the benefactor of Willamette university and a director of the paper company. These, with the initial offering of T. A. Livesley, brings the announced total up to \$37,500.

About 150 workers sat down to the dinner Thursday. It was a business meeting, with only two little songs to set them off. The women had provided a bountiful meal, and there wasn't enough left to feed a tramp—for the workers had worked up colossal appetites.

After dinner, the big clock at State and Liberty was set to show the subscription figures. This will be set each day, shortly after 1 o'clock, as soon as the totals can be counted.

In checking over the lists, tentative figures were set opposite each prospect's name, for an approximate goal that he might reach. Some of the canvassers reported their prospects doubling the estimate, and doing it with a smile. Some others were not so flattering; men who could help royally have failed miserably, as if it were nothing to them that the whole enterprise should fail. But in general, it is the joyouslest big campaign ever undertaken in Salem, with more optimistic workers and an easier, gladder response from the men whom they visit.

At the Thursday noon dinner, Lester Adams, state secretary for Washington, spoke briefly. He and Director Albert Booth, in charge of the Salem campaign, are to go to Aberdeen in November, to ask for \$250,000 for a big Y there. Aberdeen has never had a YMAA but now wants to invest. Mr. Adams said that the Aberdeen are looking to Salem, the outstanding city of the northwest, to do a similar work of this year, as a model for their own campaign, hoping that it will be so big and fine that they themselves can shine in the same glory of a winning crusade.

Portland has three of its paid YMCA workers here this week, including Tom Gawley, swimming instructor, who has taught more than 1000 Salem boys and girls to swim during the "swimming week" campaigns for the past three years. Secretary Kells of Salem helped in the Portland campaign recently and they are sending three good men for "interest" on the investment. Harry Stone, general secretary for Portland, would have come in person, but was called east.

Division "A," led by George Arbutick, led yesterday's list with subscriptions aggregating \$5,255. Division "M," led by T. M. Hicks, was second with \$4,440. Joseph Albert of the Hicks division reported the largest of all individual squads, with \$1250. John Farrar of the Arbutick bunch was second with \$1220.

It was announced that all subscribers to the building fund, which also includes the maintenance fund for the coming year, is to have a full membership for so long a time as the association remains in the old building. That will necessarily be a good part of the coming year. After that, a drive will be made for memberships, to start in the new quarters. There are a lot of double chins and heavy feet among the present Y canvassers that would be lightened and gladdened by a good gym course and a weekly swim in the new Y that is to be. The Y argument is partly for boys only, but a boy can be 100 years old and enjoy and profit by its multitudinous ministrations, and the Boardman is fairly shouting to get some of these good

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