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## GOVERNOR STIRS CALIFORNIA LEADERS

Hiram W. Johnson Blames Crocker Faction for Election Results.

San Francisco, Cal., Nov. 11.—California's political pot seethed and boiled tonight following the redhot statement issued by Governor Hiram Johnson this afternoon in which he excoriated his enemies and blamed the defeat of Charles Evans Hughes to National Committeeman William H. Crocker, former State Republican Chairman Francis V. Keesling and General Harrison Gray Otis of Los Angeles.

So aroused was political California that it forgot even to watch the progress of the unofficial count of presidential ballots, believing the 11 precincts still uncounted could not affect President Wilson's plurality. United Press tabulations tonight of 5855 precincts out of 5866 in the state gave Wilson 165,486 and Hughes 462,233, a plurality of 3613 for the president.

Governor Johnson's fiery statement was issued in reply to an editorial in General Otis' Los Angeles Times blaming "the treachery of the Johnson machine" for Hughes' defeat. Johnson, who has just emerged from the campaign sweepingly triumphant in his candidacy for the United States senate, asserted that General Otis, himself, Crocker, Keesling and their associates "have the proud distinction of having made a president of the United States and Woodrow Wilson owes to them a debt that he can never repay."

He asserted that these men, when Hughes visited California, not only issued a public ultimatum that Mr. Hughes would "have nothing to do with Progressives in California," but created a reactionary atmosphere about the candidate. He added: "It was the achievement, the progress, the accomplishment, the political liberty of California that these petty politicians ignored and affronted."

William H. Crocker refused

tonight to reply to the governor's attack.

Democratic leaders were jubilant over the Republican and Progressive recriminations. They celebrated President Wilson's election here tonight at a banquet presided over by Representative William H. Kent.

The lid was removed entirely. Dudley Field Malone, Democratic collector of the Port of New York, declared in a speech here that as a result of the "victory for the west" in Tuesday's election a new alignment of parties will come. Both Republican and Democratic parties will go, he declared, and in their stead conservative and liberal parties will be born.

## SUES FOR DAMAGES

Ed Sampson Asks For \$2,410 For Damages Sustained in Automobile Accident.

As an aftermath of an accident which occurred on the Main street in Falls City on June 2d last, in which A. Sampson, road supervisor and prominent resident of that city, was run over by an automobile and seriously injured, a suit for damages was filed in the circuit court in this county Tuesday, in which Mr. Sampson seeks to recover \$2,410 from Charles Hartung, a clothing merchant of Falls City.

Sampson, who is represented by Attorney W. C. Winslow, of Salem, alleges in his complaint that the automobile which run him down was driven by one Emerson Wonderly, an alleged inexperienced driver, who was acting as agent and chauffeur of Hartung, and that Hartung was also an occupant of the machine. The complaint alleges that the car was driven at an excessive rate of speed and was not under proper control contrary to the ordinances of the city of Falls City.

Sampson claims \$2,000 as punitive damages and special damages as follows: \$20 for suit of clothes destroyed; \$125 for medical attention; other expenses, \$20; loss of four months time at \$60 per month, \$240.—Itemizer.

## WAR WITH MEXICO SCENTED BY BORAH

HINT GIVEN AFTER CONFERENCE AT WAR DEPARTMENT.

Belief Grows in Washington That Action Is Probable. Now That Re-election Is Won.

Washington, Nov. 14.—Senator Borah, after a conference with officials of the War Department, expressed the belief that National Guardsmen now on the Mexican border will be kept there for the remainder of the Winter and possibly longer, and he added it is his opinion that before they get home they will likely see something more than mere border patrol duty.

Senator Borah called at the Department to file requests from mothers of members of the First Idaho National Guard that their sons be returned to their homes as speedily as possible. He could get no assurance whatever, but rather gained the impression indicated.

Senator Borah's inference is in accord with a belief growing in Washington that the Administration having "kept us out of war" long enough to win a re-election, is now preparing to make an active move against Mexico, and his belief also bears out reports, suppressed by the War Department, that the Mexican situation is daily growing worse instead of better.

If Senator Borah's inference is correct, not only will the Idaho regiment spend the Winter on the border in Mexico, but Battery A and Troop A, of the Oregon National Guard, will be in for a prolonged stay on or south of the border.

If trouble should develop, those National Guard regiments which have been returned to their homes and mustered out undoubtedly will be called back into service.

Perk up and stay perked. We'll have another presidential election in four years.

The woman who really knows how to manage her husband seldom tells others how she does it.

## RECALL TALK SUBSIDES

POLK COUNTY PLANS UPSET BY COMBINATION OF CIRCUMSTANCES.

One New Commissioner Elected and Resignation of Judge Teal Is Probable, Due to Ill Health.

Dallas, Or., Nov. 14.—For some reason, not made public, the backbone of the proposed recall of the County Court has been broken. For a time about all that one could hear over the county was discussion of the recall movement. It had received a great deal of encouragement among the farmers. However, in the towns little enthusiasm could be created, and it is believed that this fact is responsible for apparent indications that there will be no recall election.

Commissioner George A. Wells retires in January, to be succeeded by Moses Manston, of Dallas, newly elected Republican Commissioner. The terms of Commissioner Beckett and County Judge Teal do not expire until 1918. Judge Teal has been in poor health for several months, and has not been able to attend court in Dallas for some time. It is reported upon reliable authority that his physical condition will not permit him to attend to the affairs of his office much longer without placing his life in jeopardy. It is freely predicted that Judge Teal will resign about the first of the year.

In case of his resignation there will be a lively scramble for the appointment.

Anticipating Judge Teal's resignation, already several prominent Polk County citizens are avowed candidates for the position.

## Lincoln Voter Unchanged

Albany Man Republican Since Buchanan's Administration

Albany, Ore., Nov. 14.—When D. L. E. Tracy, of this city, voted for Huges Nov. 7, it gave him a record of voting for every Republican candidate for President since Lincoln. His first vote, however, was not cast for a Republican.

"I cast my first vote for Buchanan," said Dr. Tracy. But the

## There Seems No End to Advances

We strongly advise you to get your winter needs early. There appears no chance of decline for an indefinite period and strong probability of further advances.

Flour is now high, but we consistently believe will rule much higher before a month. Our price now for hard wheat grades:

Snow White	-	-	\$2.30
Olympic	-	-	2.40
White Mountain	-	-	2.40

## SELIG'S, Cash Price Store, "Meeting and Beating Competition".

## Always The Best

Our store is now re-arranged and we are prepared to serve you with the best in our line.

### GROCERIES

We now have a nice fresh stock of staple groceries that we invite you to call and examine.

### SHOES AND LOGGERS' SUPPLIES

Shoes for everyone, and especially for the man who needs something to stand hard usage.

Falls City Logging & Lumber Co.

### MEN'S SHOES

LATEST STYLES, \$4.00 TO \$5.00  
 WORK SHOES, \$3.50 TO \$4.00  
 LOGGING SHOES, THE BEST GRADES  
 LOWEST PRICES FOR CASH AT

### THE SHOE STORE

MRS. E. FORSHEY FALLS CITY, OREGON.

Events of his Administration convinced me I was wrong, and I voted for Abraham Lincoln in the next Presidential election.

The Lord loves a cheerful giver and we love a cheerful payer. How's your subscription?

Woman may be the weaker sex, but she can make a fool of the strongest man by the wink of an eye.

The world owes every man a competence, but some are too darned lazy to collect their bills.

# REVIVAL

TO CONTINUE---NOV. 18th TO 26th

SERVICES EACH EVENING 7:30

## Methodist Episcopal Church

EVERYBODY URGED TO COME

"GET RIGHT WITH GOD"

ISAIAH 55; 6-7.