

CHAS. E. TOWNSEND LEADS; LODGE WINS

Senator Townsend Had Been
Forced to Defend Self on
'Newberryism' Charges

PRIMARIES IN 8 STATES

Poindexter Far Ahead of His
Rivals in Washington

THOMAS McLEOD IS SAFE

William E. Sweet, Denver Business Leader, is Leading in the Democratic Race for Nomination for Governor of Colorado

(By the Associated Press)

CHICAGO, Sept. 12. — Both Charles E. Townsend, United States senator from Michigan, and Cabot Lodge, of Massachusetts, were maintaining leads over their nearest opponents for the Republican senatorial nominations in their respective states.

Townsend, a Democrat, who has been forced to defend himself against charges of supporting Senator Newberry during a hot campaign, was maintaining an increasing substantial lead over his nearest opponent, Herbert F. Baker, a Democrat.

In Massachusetts, Senator Lodge was maintaining nearly a 3 to 1 lead over Joseph Walker who has made an active campaign against the Republican incumbent. Senator Lodge, on the other hand, has made few speeches and had taken little part in the campaign.

Among the other seven states where primaries were held, Rogers, of California, was leading Governor-elect William D. Howard, of Oregon, over Lieutenant Governor Abram W. Foote in Vermont for the Republican nomination for governor on the face of returns.

McLeod appeared to have defeated Cole L. Bease for the nomination as governor in the run-off primary statelets from a previous Democratic administration.

In Arizona, early returns gave George W. P. Hunt a slight lead over Charles B. Ward for the Democratic nomination in the gubernatorial election. Ward opposed the Democratic senatorial nomination.

SEATTLE, Sept. 12.—With 531 votes ahead, and gaining steadily, Senator-elect, George B. Axtell, had apparently won the Republican senatorial nomination according to totals compiled in tonight. Ponderhead had 21,537 votes against 45,483 for his nearest opponent, George B. Lamping. Axtell, as shown by 570 precincts out of 2448 in the state. Other candidates received 1,000 votes each. Austin E. Griffiths, of Seattle, 5773; Mrs. Frances C. Axtell, Bellingham, 4671; George H. Stebbins, of Seattle, 1075, and Theodor E. Peterson, 1075.

Likewise the three congressional incumbents were leading in the race for nomination as representatives. The remaining 10 representatives John W. Summers, of the fourth district, and Stanley Webster, of the fifth district, were unopposed. The hottest fight to date was in the sixth district, which includes Seattle and Kitsap county, where Representative John F. Miller, joint author of the Jones-Miller anti-narcotic law, was led by 1,000 votes by Representative George B. Axtell. One hundred and eight

1721 and Tindall 2551. H. A. Moore, of Seattle, had 698; Adm. Kongreasmann, J. E. Brown, 857, and Thomas J. Nelson, 857. In the second district, Representative Lindley H. Hingley 1478; N. E. Craig, of Everett, 337, and Charles A. Turner, Everett, 292, the total of 14 precincts showed.

Eighteen precincts in the third district. Representative Al Johnson 605 and O. M. Nelson, Montesano, 133.

SENATOR LODGE IS VICTOR

Is Renominated by Republicans in Big Majority Over Walker

BOSTON, Sept. 12.—Senator Hot Lodge was renominated by Republicans today by a major vote over Joseph Walker which

404 of Boston. Returns for
outside precincts representing
cities and towns gave Lodge 57,
and Walker 17,447. In 130 Bos-
ton precincts Lodge had 15,795
and Walker 5559.

Governor Channing H. Cox
easily renominated over J. West
Allen, the present attorney gen-
eral. Cox had 15,800 votes outside
Boston gave Cox 58,287 and Al-
len 18,731 while the same 130 Bos-
ton precincts gave Cox 14,289 and
Allen 5849.

John F. Fitzgerald, former
mayor of Boston was running
ahead of the three other can-
didates for the Democratic nomi-
nation for governor.

John F. Tierney, who was
moved a few months ago from
office of district attorney of
folk county, was leading six
points for the Democratic nom-
ination. He had 15,000 votes
from 130 Boston precincts.

For the Democratic nomina-
tion for senator, 100 Boston pre-
cincts gave Gaston 9043, Whipple 7559

(By the Associated Press)
DETROIT, Sept. 13.—Gov. Alex J. Groesbeck was far in lead at 2 o'clock this morning in the race for the Republican gubernatorial nomination. Returns from 1206 of the 2855 precincts in state gave him 82,789 votes against

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