

CONTRACTS LET FOR SEWERS AND SIDEWALKS

Contracts for the construction of the sewers through blocks 13, 14, 15 and 16, of H. B. Miller & Co.'s addition to the city were awarded by the council last night, the contract for the work on the first two blocks going to Varner & Steel at \$393.60, and on 15 and 16 to Shaska & Wolke at \$295. The sewers are each 736 feet long, and are to be constructed of six-inch cement tile. The bids were optional as to the character of the tile laid, and a vote of the council showed that Caldwell, Daniels, Herzinger, Phillips and Wolfersberger favored the cement, which is manufactured here, while Clark and Everett voted for the vitrified product. Previous to the taking of the ballot Herman Westerbeide addressed the council, advocating the use of the cement tile.

G. E. Swayse was also a bidder for the laying of the sewer, his bid for blocks 13 and 14 being \$633, and for 15 and 16, \$538.50.

For the construction of the cement walk around the new city hall Albert Anderson & Co. bid \$239, and Schell & Schell made a figure of \$248. The former was accepted.

Will Construct Storehouse.

The building committee was instructed to get figures on the construction of a building for the housing of the city machinery, the building to either be of brick or iron, and constructed on the lot to the west of the hall. It was thought that a building 25x90 would be required to hold all the machinery and tools, as well as the fuel supply.

Condemn for Wider Street.

Condemnation proceedings were authorized to widen Kesterson street, which is the eastern continuation of Evelyn avenue. The property owners on the north side of the street had already given 30 feet, and to widen the street to 50 feet 20 feet on the south side will be condemned.

Instructions were also given for the condemnation of the old Salvation Army hall, the structure being considered unsafe for the holding of meetings, and a menace to the city property which it adjoins.

Move Fowls Out of Business District.

The request of W. F. Goodman for permission to roof over some temporary structures to the rear of his place of business was denied, the committee reporting that he wished to enclose some chicken houses, and that the keeping of fowls within the business district was a nuisance. The council supported the report of the committee, and the marshal will order the removal of the poultry.

The building committee reported that electric fixtures for the city hall had been ordered of the Moon Electric Co., and shades for the windows from the Moore Furniture Co.

An ordinance making a refund of \$400 to the property owners along the alley in block 22 was passed. The cost of the improvement had been this amount less than the estimate and the assessment.

WILSON SWEEPS NATION

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449; Hodge, 1,293. On the other hand Hodge has apparently carried Stoughton, Knap and Thurston counties. The lead gained in the country may make him a contender with Lister for first place.

CHICAGO, Nov. 6.—The estimated plurality of E. F. Dunn, democratic candidate for governor, is from 85,000 to 29,000.

Returns from 1,814 precincts show that his plurality is greater than was calculated last night. The figures are:

Dunn, 429,872; Funk, progressive, 319,688; Densen, Rep., 299,992.

Judge Dunn carried the entire state and Cook county democratic ticket to victory and while the legislative results are still in doubt, it is not believed that either the democrats or republicans have a majority and that the progressives hold the balance of power in the election of senators. Dunn polled over 56,000 votes in Chicago, where Roosevelt's plurality was 26,477.

ILLINOIS CONGRESSMEN.

CHICAGO, Nov. 7.—Progressives elected three congressmen in Illinois—Thompson in the Tenth district; Hinnebaugh in the Twelfth, and Edwards in the Thirteenth. They also caused the defeat of Cannon, McKinley, Rosenburg and Foss, all standpat republican wheelhorses. Twenty Illinois congressmen are democrats and four republican.

Josephine Elects Republicans for County Offices

Practically complete returns from Josephine county show that the entire republican county ticket has been elected by pluralities running into the hundreds.

The legislative district is also republican, and elects Dr. J. C. Smith senator over Attorney Hough, his nearest competitor, by about three hundred votes. E. E. Blanchard defeats Dr. Bywater for the house of representatives by from 60 to 75.

For prosecuting attorney Hanna carried the county, his total with all precincts in except two small ones, being 838, while Kelly is credited with 587. Kelly carried Jackson county with a majority of 1,323, so that he will win the district with a lead of more than a thousand.

E. J. Lind made a wonderful run for commissioner, and polled two votes for one for any other candidate for the office.

The city of Grants Pass cast a heavy vote, and the boards were counting till late Wednesday. The local option proposition was the important issue here, and all gave a majority in favor of the sale of liquor except the 1st, which gave a balance of 27 in favor of the dry. The totals were 423 for local option and 519 against, a majority of 87 against. Under this vote the 1st ward will remain dry, but all the others can license the sale of liquor.

Judge Holman was re-elected Justice of the peace, and John Handie constable.

The totals in the county with all precincts included except Dinick and Althouse, are as follows:

For President—

- Taft & Sherman 269. Wilson and Marshall 635. Chaffin and Watkins 22. Debs and Seidel 350. Roosevelt and Johnson 715.

For Congress—

- J. W. Campbell, Prog., 275. W. C. Hawley, Rep., 707. W. S. Richards, Soc., 273. R. G. Smith, Dem., 587. O. A. Stillman, Pro., 56.

For U. S. Senator—

- Jonathan Bourne, Jr., 618. A. E. Clark, Prog., 181. Hurry Lane, Dem., 465. B. Leo Paset, Prohl., 22. B. F. Ramp, Soc., 396. Ben Selling, Rep., 383.

For Prosecuting Attorney—

- H. K. Hanna, Rep., 838. E. E. Kelly, Dem., 587. J. A. Lansary, Prohl., 255.

For State Senator—

- A. C. Hugh, Ind-Prog., 606. C. W. Hinton, Soc., 466. Dr. J. C. Smith, Rep., 886.

For Representative—

- E. E. Blanchard, Rep., 656. Ed. Bywater, Ind-Prog., 599. W. H. Flanagan, Dem., 325. W. M. Richards, Soc., 323.

For Sheriff—

- W. M. Cheshire, Dem., 402. H. P. Redlyn, Soc., 609. Will C. Smith, Rep., 1028.

For County Clerk—

- Eugene Coburn, Rep., 568. W. H. Parillo, Dem., 522. John Summers, Soc., 602.

For County Treasurer—

- R. S. Morgan, Soc., 436. W. B. Nipper, Ind., 229. Clay Perkins, Dem., 527. J. E. Peterson, Rep., 773.

For County Assessor—

- W. H. Fatta, Ind., 379. W. A. Gernold, Soc., 422. Moses Pollock, Rep., 1323.

For County Surveyor—

- Fred Mensch, Rep., 1212. W. B. Whitpole, Soc., 696.

For County Commissioner—

- A. J. Fulk, Dem., 384. W. D. Kehler, Soc., 395. E. J. Lind, Rep., 811. H. S. Woodcock, Ind., 331.

For Supt. of Schools—

- Lincoln Savage, Rep., 1484.

For Coroner—

- J. P. Truax, Rep., 1254. E. Tutill, Soc., 529.

PORTLAND, Nov. 7.—Dr. Harry Lane, of Portland, a democrat, will probably be Oregon's next United States senator. Nearly half the vote of the state is in and the totals give Lane a plurality of 999 votes over Selling, and seem to assure his election. Bourne is 2,728 votes behind Lane and no longer figures in the contest.

In Bourne's stronghold, Multnomah county, Lane defeated him by a plurality of 355 votes. Outside of Multnomah Lane has a slight lead over Selling, but it is doubtful if this will be maintained. From nearly 20

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Your Last Chance

outside counties at noon the vote stood: Lane 17,595; Selling, 16,498; Bourne 13,857. Clark, progressive, has a total vote of 5,320 up to the present hour.

Single Tax Lost. The single tax measure proposed for Multnomah county has lost by probably 8,000 or more, while the state-wide measure will go down to defeat by a vote of from two to one to three to one.

Lafferty Re-Elected. A. W. Lafferty was re-elected to congress from the Third district.

Ben Olcott, for secretary of state, is making a runaway race of it.

Women's suffrage has carried by such a good lead in Multnomah county that its success seems assured.

No Lieutenant Governor. The measures which have met certain defeat are single tax, a measure which was intended to prevent boycotting and picketing, state printers' bill, creation of Cascade county, bill for the creation of the office of lieutenant governor, university library and a bill to repeal capital punishment.

Roosevelt and Taft Close. Approximately 78,000 of the state's 135,000 votes have been accounted for and the vote stands:

- Wilson, 21,239; Roosevelt, 24,116; Taft, 22,711.

This gives Wilson a lead of 7073 with 57,000 votes in the state still to be heard from.

PORTLAND, Nov. 8.—With complete returns from 24 counties from all over the state, Dr. Harry Lane leads Selling by 751 votes. Lane has an increasing lead in Multnomah county, but Selling takes first place in the state.

With partial returns from every county but one, and fairly complete returns from most of the counties, Lane has 27,082; Selling 24,329; Bourne 14,456 and Clark 19,312.

PORTLAND, Nov. 8.—Unofficial returns covering four-fifths of the state electorate indicate that Woodrow Wilson has carried Oregon for president by about 10,000 plurality over Theodore Roosevelt, and 17,000 over President Taft. The same figures indicate the election of Harry Lane, Dem., to the senate, by a plurality of possibly less than a thousand over Ben Selling, republican.

Lane leads Senator Bourne in the present count by approximately 12,000. It may be safely stated that Bourne is beaten in the state by a total of 15,000.

Oregon has adopted women's suffrage, a state-wide public utilities act, laws permitting the working of convicts on public roads and other enterprises and forbidding their employment by private firms, an effective railroad rate bill, an act exempting household effects from taxation, and an amendment restoring to the legislature the right to enact certain vital tax legislation, of which right it was recently deprived. The incomplete count shows that women's suffrage will carry by a margin of

3,000 votes. The vote on this particular measure is the most representative to date, the returns from only five small counties being missing.

Multnomah county held back on suffrage with a scant margin in its favor while the rest of the state gives it a substantial backing.

The eight-hour day law on public works and the amendment permitting the classification of property for purposes of taxation appear to have carried. This last amendment is the only tax scheme out of a mass of tax propositions presented that stood the fire of the heavy balloting and came out to the forefront.

Single tax in Multnomah county, and practically all of the features of the state-wide tax schemes were accorded an enormous negative vote, and no estimate given now can adequately predict how badly these measures were beaten.

The U'Ren amendment for abolishing the state senate appeared weak from the start, and the anti-capital punishment measure loses out generally by a vote of two to one.

W. C. Hawley, Rep., is re-elected to congress in the First congressional district by a plurality of more than 10,000. A. W. Lafferty, republican progressive, has a lead of 5,000 in the Third district, while Sinnott, republican, has a commanding lead in the second.

ILLINOIS.

CHICAGO, Nov. 7.—Practically complete returns today show the democrats are but twelve votes short of controlling the state legislature and the republicans 20 votes short. As the progressives elected 28 members, they will hold the balance of power in the legislature which will elect two senators.

KANSAS.

TOPEKA, Kas., Nov. 7.—Latest available returns today indicate that Wilson's plurality in Kansas will be about 10,000.

The democrats claim the state by 15,000. Governor Steiwer concedes his defeat for the senate by Thompson, democrat. The state ticket is still in doubt.

NEBRASKA.

LINCOLN, Neb., Nov. 7.—Fifty-nine of the 91 counties in Nebraska indicate that Wilson's plurality will reach 35,000. Moorehead, dem., has been elected governor by 11,900. The republican-progressive state ticket was otherwise successful. Norris' plurality for United States senator is 9,600.

WISCONSIN.

MILWAUKEE, Nov. 7.—With 19 counties yet to be heard from Governor M-Governor's plurality for re-election is 2,500. The missing counties, the democrats claim, will increase Wilson's plurality.

OHIO.

COLUMBUS, O., Nov. 7.—Late returns from all sections of the state today, while still incomplete, indicate that Wilson's plurality will reach 135,000, while President Taft's

state ticket is elected by pluralities ranging from 4,000 to 6,000.

INDIANA.

INDIANAPOLIS, Nov. 7.—Complete returns received today from 87 of the 92 counties in Indiana give Wilson 249,448; Roosevelt 139,836 and Taft 127,782. The plurality of Ralston, democrat, for governor over Beveridge, progressive, is 191,405.

POPULAR VOTE FOR PRESIDENT.

NEW YORK, Nov. 8.—The latest official, unofficial and estimated returns from all the states of the union shows the popular vote resulting by the three leading candidates as follows: Wilson, 6,398,597; Roosevelt, 4,307,205; Taft, 3,359,346.

a report to the council covering the proposition.

The water right which the Layton estate offers the city consists of the entire flow of the east fork of Williams creek, with a water shed on the north slope of Grayback mountain. Those who are advocating this new proposition maintain that it is the best and the only available source of supply of pure mountain water for the city of Grants Pass, and ask that proper investigation and report be made. They claim that no expensive reservoir site or dam would be needed, and that a pipe line would conduct the water from its source to the consumer in this city.

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