

GOV'T OPERATION OUT OF POLITICS

Party Leaders Convinced by
Results of National Can-
vass of Editors.

VINDICATES FORMER POLL.

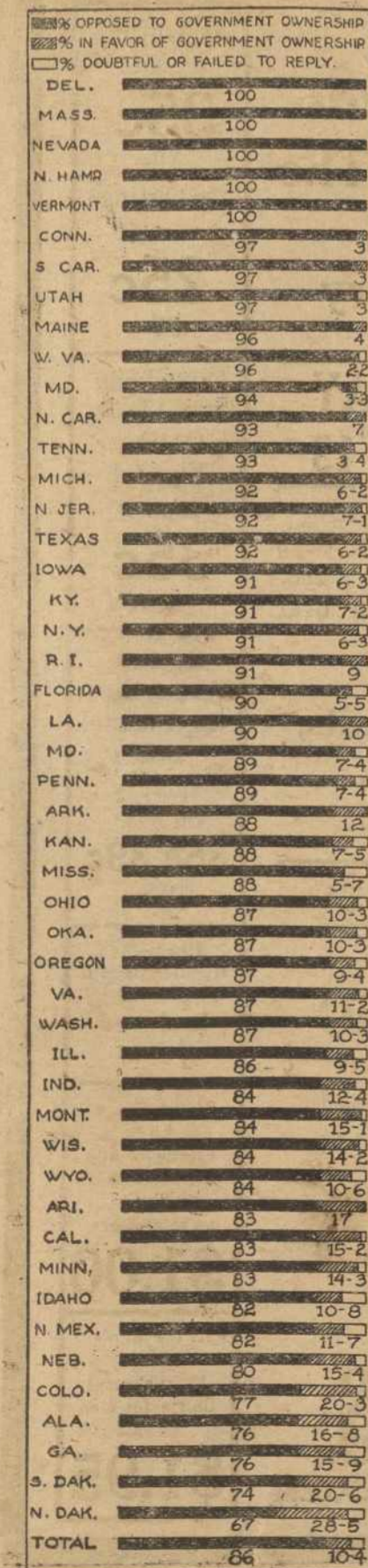
Overwhelming Veto Like That of Year
Before From Both Sides of
Political Fence.

Washington—Inner circles of both political parties here are greatly interested in the results of a national poll on the question of government operation among over 5,000 newspaper editors throughout the country. With 88 per cent of these editors, regardless of political faith, giving it as their impartial opinion that the public is more than ever opposed to the government going into business in competition with its citizens, observers here see little chance that either political party will find it a profitable campaign issue.

In the opinion of party leaders this sort of a canvass among newspaper editors is the best possible index of public opinion. They recall a similar questionnaire sent out a year ago in connection with the proposition that the government take over the railroads permanently. Replies at that time from approximately the same number of editors showed 83 per cent against the principle of government operation. They recall also that within ten days from publication of the result of the former questionnaire the sentiment for return of the railroads to their owners had definitely crystallized.

Comparison of present results in detail with those of a year ago convinces the political student not only that these editors have been accurate in their judgment, but that party considerations played no part in forming it. From Democratic and supposedly radical Texas, for example, the present questionnaire brought replies from editors of 244 papers, only three of which are Republican. Yet the percentage against government operation was 92, which is exactly the same as that given by 200 editors from Republican Michigan, among whom were representatives of only three Democratic papers. Other states that pair percentages significantly are Massachusetts and Nevada, with 100; Connecticut and South Carolina, with 97; Maine and West Virginia, with 96; Kentucky and New York, with 91; Missouri and Pennsylvania, with 89; Ohio and Oklahoma with 87.

The result of the present poll as to government operation in each state are graphically shown by the following chart:



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This test of direct comparison was made by Anna Case, world-famous soprano, before 2500 people, at Carnegie Hall, New York City, on March 10, 1920. See the three diagram sketches below:

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SOME FACTS ABOUT THE PHILIPPINES

The University of Santo Tomas is 25 years older than Harvard.

The Filipino people number 10,350,640, of which 9,495,272 are Christians and only 9 per cent non-Christians.

They have been Christians for 300 years and have a culture and refinement that will compare very favorably with that of other nations.

There are only 3,684 Japanese in the

Philippines. There are about 100,000 Japanese in California alone, or 15 times as many as in the entire Philippine archipelago.

English is taught exclusively in the Philippine public schools. Two million natives now speak English fluently, and there are 700,000 English speaking children in the public schools. It is destined to be the national language.

Seventy per cent of the inhabitants of the Philippines over ten years of age, according to a census just completed, are literate. This is a higher percentage of literacy than that of any South American country, higher than that of Spain and higher than that of any of the new republics of Europe whose independence is being guaranteed by the Allies.

The Filipino people are unanimous

in their desire for independence. Whenever they are called upon to deposit their ballots they have always ratified this aspiration. At every session before adjournment their representatives in the Legislature reiterate their faith in the principles of liberty and the independence of the Filipino people.

The Filipinos declare they have no grudge or grievance against the American people. Their appeal is accompanied by a message of friendship and gratitude for all that America has done for them. They point out that Uncle Sam gave independence to Cuba, and they hope that they, too, will receive that boon without which, they declare, no civilized and patriotic people can enjoy the maximum of happiness and self-respect.

A special delegation of Filipinos, of

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Phonographs, Columbias and Stravivaras, at the Aurora Drug Store at big reductions.

Mrs. Frank L. Miller has written friends here from New York City, where she has been visiting a niece. Mrs. Miller may be home shortly.

Come see Fannie Ward in Common Clay. Also Harold Lloyd Comedies at Band Hall, Friday night, November 12.

Mrs. R. J. Hendricks, Mr. and Mrs. John Giesy, Carl Becke, and other relatives and friends came down from Salem Saturday evening to celebrate the birthday of Mrs. Chas. Beck and Mrs. George Kraus at the Becke home.

Stradivara and Columbia phonographs at greatly reduced prices at the Aurora Drug Store.

U. S. Armstrong sold his hops recently to A. J. Ray & Son at better than 40 cents.

Mr. and Mrs. E. R. Raye were here last week to visit Mrs. Raye's sister Mrs. Zeno Schwab. Mr. and Mrs. Raye were recently married and will make their home in Salem.

George McFarland, manager of the Fargo Orchards Company's farm, was here on business Tuesday. The company has completed harvesting its apple crop and is now offering it for sale.

Frank Gloss has bought the stumpage on a large part of the A. H. Giesy place north of Aurora, and will begin in a few days to convert the timber into fuel.