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MINORITY VOTE WINS IN FRISCO

**City Administration Given
Decisive Defeat After
Heavy Balloting**

SAN FRANCISCO, Nov. 3.—By a big majority voters of San Francisco Tuesday turned against the city's administration and put the "minority" faction of the municipal government into power.

Not only were the "majority" members of the board of supervisors who were seeking re-election defeated, but returns from 534 of the 819 precincts of the city and county indicated that City Attorney George Lull had been defeated by John J. O'Toole; that Phil C. Katz had beaten W. J. Hynes for public administrator and John H. Thibler would finish ahead of John E. McDougal for city and county treasurer.

Edmond Godchaux, incumbent, recorder, appears to have held his office despite the strong opposition of George W. Watson.

The first nine high candidates for supervisors in these returns were James B. McSheehy, leader of the minority; assemblyman Walter J. Schmidt, Cornelius J. Denny, Charles J. Powers, Frank R. Havener, Milo F. Kent, Milton Marks, William P. Stanton and Charles F. Todd.

Late Tuesday night Mayor James Rolph, Jr., who had supported the "majority" faction during the campaign issued a statement in which he conceded defeat for his forces.

FARMERS PLEDGE SUPPORT TO DREW

**Carleton Also Backed During
Meeting of Mt. Laki
Water Users**

Rallying to the needs of the Klamath Irrigation district, two-score farmer water users, representative of various projects, gathered last night at Mt. Laki and pledged their support for Candidates C. E. Carleton and Charles Drew.

As a means of awakening voters to the facts and issues of the campaign against the expenditures and practices of the present district board of directors in Office Club, was organized with Hans Nylander as chairman and Steve Stuckel, secretary.

Facts presented from the records showing that the present administration had already spent, during the last nine months, more than \$3,000 over the budget provisions for the entire year, served to arouse the water users to the need of a prompt change.

Resolutions were unanimously adopted as follows:
"We, the undersigned members and voters of Klamath Irrigation district, highly deprecate the wasteful extravagance of the present board of directors of Klamath Irrigation district.

With a desire to correct this condition and to elect directors who will economically and consistently serve the members as a whole, we call on all members to carefully and conscientiously consider facts, and only facts, as a factor in electing a new board of directors.

Believing the election of Chas. N. Drew and G. H. Carleton to be to the best interest of the members of the district, we pledge them our support.

Poison Campaign on Bre'r Rabbit Is Due

Lepus cuniculus, the long eared hobo of the fields, otherwise known as the d-n rabbit, had better watch out down Langell valley way.

Plans were perfected here yesterday for a rabbit poisoning campaign in that district beginning November 20, by M. R. Gabrielson, leader of rodent control of the biological survey. Gabrielson met with M. T. Prince of the Langell Valley Community club, a resident of Lorella, and O. S. Campbell, also of Lorella, to make arrangements.

The Langell farmers are to pay for the strychnine used as poison, and are also to furnish the rye heads. The poisoning method has been invoked there after rabbit drives have been tried and found unsuccessful.

Bre'r Rabbit, down Langell way, beware.

3 DEAD, 2 HURT DURING ELECTION FIGHTS IN SOUTH

**Seventy-Five Shots
Fired in Fight**

FREE FOR ALL BATTLE

**Gun Duel Flares Up During
Argument Over Political
Differences**

CINCINNATI, Nov. 3.—Three men are dead and two wounded seriously as a result of election arguments at Harlan and Fleming, Ky. It was reported here late Tuesday.

William Gilbert and a man named Maples, were shot to death at High Split, near Harlan, Ky. Telephonic messages said they fought a pistol duel after arguing about elections.

Fleming, Ky., turned back to the dark and bloody ground atmosphere late Tuesday when several men clashed in a bullet melee. Seventy-five shots were fired.

From the village street battlefield George Bates, 22, was lifted, dead. His brother, Lloyd, 28, was found dying of wounds in the abdomen and Green Hall had been shot through the head.

Differences flared among political factions and led to a free for all shooting. Hall had been summoned by Deputy William Combs to quell the disturbance.

Three men were arrested and charged with participating in the fray.

Kentucky furnished another lurid chapter in a dramatic shooting on the Marlan-Letcher county line today when a boy was killed by a man who was hunting the youth's brother. The dead man is Bob Davidson. Police have been seeking his brother, Joe, charged with killing James Clew. Poor Fork police chief, last July. When Bob met Cole and learned Cole was after Joe, Bob shot. In the duel he was killed. Joe is still at large.

Grand Jury Report Interests Gossips

Corridor gossip about the county courthouse has it that the present Klamath county grand jury, now in session, may have an interesting report to make when, finally, it concludes its deliberations. The dopesters are lothe to predict just what the jurors will do.

The grand jury comprises the following: E. M. Hammond, foreman; Merle S. Kilgore, clerk; F. H. McCormack, H. S. Wakefield, M. F. Orr, E. L. Hopkins and Walter Donart.

OWENS STARTS TERM.

T. M. Owens will leave Klamath Falls tomorrow. He will be accompanied by Jim Hilton, deputy sheriff. He will be headed for the state penitentiary to which he was sentenced to an 18-months' term by Circuit Judge A. L. Leavitt.

Owens recently was found guilty of a statutory offense against a 17-year-old girl.

JUSTICE CRIES "NO"—SCIENCE CRIES "YES" ON QUESTION OF VOLUNTARY TAKING OF LIFE

LITTLETON, Colo., Nov. 3.—(United News)—Is the taking of human life justified under any circumstance?

"No!" thunders justice.

"Yes!" science cries out.

These two great forces will meet on a common battle ground in a small court room here Wednesday when Dr. Harold E. Blazer, 61, a stooped tired little country doctor, goes on trial for the murder of his invalid daughter.

Having lost his life's savings in a business adventure, Dr. Blazer administered poison last February to his 32 year old daughter who since birth had never walked or talked and had to be fed pre-masticated food.

On seeing his child in the convulsions of death, the country phys-

KLAMATH HOME IS DESTROYED

**Fire In Air Tight Stove
Held Cause, Owner Suf-
fers In Fighting Flames**

H. C. Harmon suffered minor burns and his newly constructed home was a total loss in a fire which yesterday afternoon caused damages approximating \$650.

An air-tight stove was being burned in the kitchen and a defective chimney was said to have been the direct cause of the blaze which completely destroyed the home.

In an effort to fight the blaze Harmon suffered a badly burned arm and other minor burns. The home was located in Dixon addition, immediately outside the city limits.

Harmon was working on the building at the time of the fire.

GAIN OF 68 PER CENT IS RECORD OF GOLDEN RULE

**Efficiency of Advertising Held
Responsible for Com-
pany Success**

Pointing out that the business of the local Golden Rule store showed an increase of 68% last month over October of last year, E. W. Vannice, manager, has demonstrated his belief in the efficacy of advertising in The Klamath Daily News by increasing his display advertising by 100 per cent.

The Golden Rule store, located at 539 Main street, advertises exclusively in The News.

"And we have been more than satisfied with the results we have obtained," Mr. Vannice said yesterday. "Proof that we are reaching virtually all of our potential customers is seen in our rapidly increasing business."

For 15 years the Golden Rule store has been an institution in Klamath Falls, and for 15 years Mr. Vannice has seen it grow until it is now one of the most flourishing businesses in the vicinity.

It was only comparatively recently that Mr. Vannice, after he had considered the problem for some time, determined to advertise only in The News.

"Really, I arrived at my conclusion without much difficulty," he said yesterday. "It is my belief that I am reaching most of the persons in Klamath Falls, as well as those in the country tributary, with my displays in the morning newspaper."

It is not necessary for an advertising man to spend many minutes with Mr. Vannice. He believes in advertising, believes it to be a necessity, and holds that no store can afford to withhold from its prospective patrons knowledge relative to values which it may have to offer.

Formerly Mr. Vannice, acting for the local Golden Rule store, had contracted with The News for 4000 inches of space. Recently, after deliberating, he decided to increase this by 100 per cent, and, subsequently, he signed a contract for 8000 inches to be used in The News exclusively.

"What is the secret of the success of the Golden Rule stores?" Mr. Vannice repeated in response (Continued On Page Two)

COL. MITCHELL TO FEEL LAW'S HAND DECLARES REPORT

**Chastisement Held
As Certainty**

TREASON BLOCKS CASE

**'Criminal' and 'Disloyalty'
Chief Issues Defense Is
Unable to Sustain**

WASHINGTON, Nov. 3.—Col. William Mitchell, eventually, is going to be chastised for his widespread denunciations of the manner in which the war and navy departments have handled the nation's aviation.

This became almost a certainty, Tuesday, when the highest ranking military court assembled held that Mitchell's prosecutors did not have to prove that the airman-critic in his scathing arraignments, intended to create disorder and lessen discipline in the military branches of the government.

The ruling regarded conclusively as proof that Mitchell's guilt has been established in the eyes of the court martial, was the climax of a day of alternate loss and gain for the accused flier. It effectually quashed the attempt of Mitchell's counsel to have him acquitted on any grounds attacking the prosecution's case and leaves for the judgment of the court only such defense as Mitchell can set up through scores of witnesses who will be called to parade before the court martial in seemingly unending numbers.

Whatever gain accrued to Mitchell during the day, came when the prosecution and the court jointly, agreed that no barriers shall be set up against defense efforts to place all phases of the air controversy before the court and granted Mitchell the right to call any or all of the 74 witnesses he has asked.

The defense, however, is going to meet a stone wall of opposition if its attempts, through these witnesses, to prove its charges that the administration of the country's air service is "criminal, if not treasonable." Hint of this was given by Col. J. I. McMullen, assistant trial judge advocate. He declared, however, that the prosecution intends to be "liberal."

The court, in order to give Mitchell's counsel ample time and opportunity to examine and facilitate either the appearance or the deposition (Continued On Page Two)

STREET SIGNS TO BE PLACED SOON

Plans for immediate placing of street sign posts and steel signs in the business district will be outlined during a meeting of the committee representing the chamber of commerce having that work in charge, today. Members of the committee will meet with Postmaster McCall and Fire Chief Ambrose. It was considered advice of these two officials would be the most practical, obtainable in the city on such matters. Call for the meeting was sponsored by the board of directors of the chamber of commerce during the regular noon meeting yesterday.

Other matters to come before the board meeting were: Discussion and study of city manager form of government.

The civic welfare committee asked that a date be set aside for a forum luncheon meeting on this subject.

Community chest work was also taken up and plans referred to the committee having that work in charge. C. H. Barnstable, of the Kiwanis club, suggested that the movement be put on foot at once.

Miss Lydia Fricks, of the county health unit, reported that money of that organization had been spent for clothing, stockings, underwear for children. A meeting was suggested by President Collier for today at 1:30 o'clock to relief work, at which Miss Fricks and Mr. Barnstable will be asked to attend.

DRAFT WORK ON TAX BILL BEGUN

**Brewers Protest Against
New Andrews Proposed
Levy on Beer Manufacture**

WASHINGTON, Nov. 3.—(United News)—The house ways and means committee closed its 15 days of hearings on the new \$300,000,000 tax reduction bill Tuesday afternoon to convene Wednesday in executive session for actual drafting work in preparation for reporting a complete measure to the house by December 7.

The session was featured by protests against the proposed Andrews beer tax by brewers representatives' study of administrative changes to tighten tax collections and a plea from a theatrical brokerage firm for alleviation of the present tax.

W. S. Nance, of Chicago, protested that the government was "soaking the public" in collection of duplicate taxes on theatre tickets sold through brokerage agencies. He contended that the government collected 100 per cent taxes in some instances.

WALKER ELECTED MAYOR OF N. Y.

**Tamany Candidate Wins Over
Waterman By Majority
Of 135,691**

NEW YORK, Nov. 3.—(United News)—State Senator James J. Walker, Tammany democratic candidate, has been elected mayor of New York by an overwhelming majority over Frank D. Waterman, the republican candidate.

Returns Tuesday night from 1,190 of 3,073 election districts distributed throughout Greater New York gave Walker 288,619 votes and Waterman, 152,919. Walker's majority in the 1,190 districts amounted to 135,691 votes, almost a 2 to 1 lead.

Waterman polled relatively his greatest vote in Richmond, according to the returns from 50 of that borough's 94 election districts which gave Walker 11,418 and Waterman 6,965.

In 350 out of 1,011 Manhattan election districts, Walker polled 58,478 and Waterman 54,142; in 600 out of 1,049 Brooklyn districts Walker polled 140,550; Waterman, 75,655. In 80 out of 425 Queens districts Walker, 20,250; Waterman, 8,325.

In the Bronx, 100 out of 499 districts gave Walker, 26,774 votes and Waterman, 8,701.

REPUBLICAN WINS

FORT WAYNE, Ind., Nov. 3.—Mayor William Hosey, democratic incumbent, seems to have been defeated. Returns at 9 o'clock indicated William Geaka, republican, has been elected.

MERY LEADING

TOLEDO, Ohio, Nov. 3.—Early returns Tuesday night indicated the election of Fred Mery, republican candidate for mayor, by an overwhelming majority. A. C. Jones, republican independent candidate is (Continued On Page Two)

NICE QUIET ELECTION; BUT NOT IN KLAMATH

The Langell Valley Irrigation district is holding an election next Tuesday. J. W. Turner is running without opposition, so it is reported, as candidate for district director. Langell valley is an enterprising community, and is particularly envied by the rest of Klamath's irrigation districts for its ability to conduct a nice quiet election.

LOREMAN SPEAKER AT WEEKLY FORUM

J. E. Loreman, consulting geologist and engineer, will discuss the "Oil Situation as Found in Klamath County." Mr. Loreman has had many years' experience in this line of work and will make a very interesting talk.

An instrumental trio composed of three popular local people, as follows will render several selections:

Miss Augusta Parker Piano
Mr. Wayne Akers Violin
Rev. A. L. Rice Flute

EXTRAVAGANCE IN BRADBURY REIGN MORE THAN TWICE NYLANDER'S TERM

**Personal Funds Are
5 Times Greater**

FIGURES COMPILED

**Many Items Not Sponsored
By Past Administrations
Noted By Examiners**

EXPENSIVE TRIPS USELESS

**Jacobs Expends \$600 for
Work That Drew Managed
To Do for Mere \$100**

Wasteful extravagance of Klamath Irrigation district funds by the R. E. Bradbury regime as shown by the records, is set forth by the campaign committee working on behalf of candidates G. H. Carleton and Charles Drew, as the latest charge for which the administration will be held to answer at the polls next Tuesday.

Personal drafts on the funds for travel and other expenses by Bradbury, president, and J. L. Jacob, director, are shown to have jumped five times. Other expenditures soared in proportion.

The comparative figures are taken from a nine-month period, February to October, inclusive, for the years 1924 and 1925. They show: (Exclusive of fixed charges.)

Total disbursements by:	
Hans Nylander Board	
for '24	\$ 5,184.42
R. E. Bradbury Board	
for '25	11,602.21
Total paid directors, in- cluding president):	
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'24	355.80
Bradbury Board for	
'25	1,752.13
Total Paid presidents:	
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'24	100.95
Bradbury Board for	
'25	975.13
Total paid directors, (in- cluding president)	

The full list of expenditures from the irrigation funds disclose many items which do not meet the approval of those interested, and many of which are being closely scrutinized by the farmer-water users out of whose pockets this money comes. For instance, Director Jacobs, a candidate for reelection as a Bradbury supporter, alone drew out of the funds for travel, expense and per diem allowances, the sum of \$597.45. The allowances for the entire Nylander board of directors, including the president, was only \$355.80 for the comparative period.

While Jacobs was drawing \$597.45, Charles Drew, another incumbent who is seeking re-election, served the district with an expense allowance of only \$110.25 for the nine months.

The Carleton-Drew supporters realize that Bradbury and Jacobs made several expensive trips on (Continued On Page Two)

There's A Reason For The 68% Plus Increase

In the volume of business at Golden Rule stores in Klamath county, for October, 1925, over October of 1924.

Golden Rule Value, Style-at-a-price with quality apparent, Golden Rule Service and unequalled stocks—all make the reason.

GOLDEN RULE CORPORATION

Center of Shopping District