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HIRAM JOHNSON INSURGENT NOMINATED IN CALIFORNIA

LEADS WITH 70,000 VOTES CURRY NEXT WITH 43,000 BELL NAMED BY DEMOCRATS

Rock-Ribbed Standpatters and Organization Men in Republican Ranks Must Either Vote for Man Pledged to Turn Down Their Pet Theories, or Vote for a Democrat—And Either is a Bitter Dose—Three Insurgents Nominated for Congress.

[UNITED PRESS LEASED WIRE.] San Francisco, Aug. 17.—Hiram Johnson, progressive Republican, Lincoln-Roosevelt leader and avowed insurgent, set the semaphore signals that sent the so-called "railroad machine" into the ditch in yesterday's primary. Today's added returns show that Johnson and his insurgent colleagues have swept practically everything before them in the first direct primary in California. It is estimated that Johnson received 70,000 votes throughout the state, to Charles F. Curry's 43,000. Alden Anderson, open champion of the "machine," polled something like 25,000 votes. The weak showing of the Southern Pacific candidate was one of the surprises of the voting. The landslide of Johnson votes is believed to have demoralized "the organization." The machine men were confident that Anderson would carry every city and would receive the support of machine factions throughout the state. The size of Johnson's vote surprised them. The organization's forces in reality were divided by the presence of Curry in the field, according to the leaders. Curry as secretary of state always was a machine man, and although running on his own initiative, he polled a higher vote than Anderson, who bore the standard of the Espee. The voters, freed from restraint of slated conventions, repudiated the system under which California has previously existed and derricked the machine to the scrap heap politically. Johnson presented a solid front, and even the candidacy of Philip A. Stanton, though designed, as some believe, to split the vote in Southern California, was of little account in the totals. Stanton's vote could have gone to either Curry or Anderson without affecting Johnson's triumph. The other gubernatorial candidate, Nathaniel Ellery, did not figure. The clearing away of the smoke of

battle discloses Johnson opposed by Theodore A. Bell, who was nominated without opposition yesterday by the Democrats. The rock ribbed standpatters and organization men in the Republican ranks now face the necessity of voting in November for a Republican pledged to reverse conditions attributed to the machine. Should they bolt Johnson and the insurgent Republican ticket, they must go to Bell, who is almost as avowedly opposed to the so-called railroad domination of the state politics as is Johnson.

California probably will return three Republican insurgents to Congress and possibly one insurgent Democrat. William Kent, insurgent Republican, is given a close victory over Duncan McKinley, stand-patter, in the second congressional district. E. A. Hayes, insurgent, is re-nominated over his "regular" opponent, Mayor Davison of San Jose, and Stephens, insurgent, won over McLachlan, stand-patter incumbent, at Los Angeles.

In San Francisco Julius Kahn, incumbent stand-patter, was re-nominated without opposition. At the same time the Democrats nominated Walter MacArthur, an insurgent, who will oppose Kahn in November with fair prospects of defeating Kahn in a district entirely in San Francisco.

The advisory vote for United States Senator shows that A. G. Spalding is leading John D. Works, insurgent, while Works has a slight shade over Edwin A. Meserve, regular.

The returns are not yet complete. The race was so close that it is not likely that the result will be definitely known until the last vote is counted.

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Jurors in Lorimer Case "Seen". Chicago, Aug. 17.—The sixth venire of 100 men each, summoned in the case of Lee O'Neil Brown, indicted for bribery in connection with the election of William Lorimer to the United States senate, reported to Judge Kersten today and over half of the venire declared that they had been approached directly or indirectly. Six said they had been approached by men who tried to influence them directly in favor of Browne, and the other venire men said that strangers had asked their families for their views on the case. Judge Kersten is demanding an investigation and a scandal is promised. State's Attorney Wayman will present the matter to the next grand jury with instructions to probe the affair to the bottom.

SHERIFF IS SHOT DOWN BY THUGS

Chitwood Brothers for Whom Warrants Were Out, Pretended to Surrender, But Armed and Attack the Sheriff.

A SPECTACULAR BATTLE

Start Shooting on Crowded Street—Sheriff's Brother, Who Was Riding by Wagon Containing Prisoners, Has Horse Shot Under Him and is Shot After Falling—Sheriff is Also Shot But Fires Killing One Bandit—One Escapes.

Hot Springs, Ark., Aug. 17.—In a fight with three horse thieves at noon today in the yard of the city jail, Sheriff Haught was wounded in the abdomen, but before losing consciousness the sheriff killed one of his assailants.

A posse in an automobile is pursuing the other bandits. Sheriff Houpt was fatally wounded and his brother Sid seriously shot in the battle with the two thugs. The man killed by the sheriff has been identified as George Chitwood. One of the other gunwielders, a brother of the dead bandit, is at large.

The Chitwood brothers have been sought by the officers for some time. This morning, without warning, they entered the office of Sheriff Houpt, both heavily armed, and surrendered to the posse.

Houpt called a conveyance and putting his two prisoners into it started to drive them to the jail building. Suddenly George Chitwood pulled a revolver from under the seat of the wagon, where it had evidently been concealed by a confederate, and opened fire on the sheriff. Although at such close range, his first shot went wild. He and his brother leaped from the vehicle into the crowded street.

Still shooting at Houpt, the bandits dodged through the scurrying crowd, pursued by the sheriff and his brother Sid, who was riding a horse through the street.

The bullets from the revolver of one of the fleeing men struck Sid Houpt's horse, felling the animal and tossing the pursuer into the air. As he struck the pavement George Chitwood paused a moment in his flight and fired point blank at the prostrate man. The bullet took effect and the

GOVERNOR SAYS STATES SHOULD CONTROL THEIR OWN RESOURCES

SHOULD HAVE SAME CHANCE THE EASTERN STATES HAD FOR SELF DEVELOPMENT

"We of the Northwest Cannot Cut a Tree to Build a House, Use a Pound of Coal Dig an Ounce of Ore, or Use the Streams for Power, That Are Now Going to Waste, Without Consent of Federal Authorities."

STOWAWAYS CAUGHT ON STEAMER KUMERIC

[UNITED PRESS LEASED WIRE.] Portland, Ore., Aug. 17.—Running like rats toward a man hole in the forward part of the British steamer Kumeric, 26 Chinese stowaways were caught by Federal immigration inspectors today, shortly after the ship had come to anchor in the stream. This brings the total of 53 stowaways captured on the ship since she left China.

While there is no direct evidence that there has been an understanding existing between certain members of the crew and the stowaways, Inspector Harbour said he would hold an investigation. "I don't like the looks of things," said Harbour, speaking in this connection.

WEYERHAUSERS SO RICH THEY CAN'T PAY TAXES

Hoquiam, Wash., Aug. 17.—A request of the Weyerhaeuser Timber Company for a reduction of \$195,000 on timberlands in certain townships of Chehalis county, is on file with the county board of equalization today. The Weyerhaeusers claim that the timber is in the worm belt and is fast decaying. The rolls show an increase of from 35 to 300 percent over 1909 on the timber which the company declares is excessive. County Assessor Carter declares the valuations fair.

INDIANAPOLIS 233,650, ALBANY, N. Y., 100,253

[UNITED PRESS LEASED WIRE.] Boise, Idaho, Aug. 17.—Governor Brady, of Idaho, expects to leave tonight for Salt Lake city where he will attend the conservation conference of western governors Thursday. Later he intends to go to St. Paul to attend the national conservation congress. Senator Borah, the governor said, likewise will represent the state of Idaho at the St. Paul meeting.

That the Salt Lake conference of governors foreshadows a clash among conservation experts of the Northwest and the East is plain. Like Governor Norris and Hays of Washington, anti-Pinchot men, Brady is strongly opposed to additional forest reserves. He alleges that the reserves as administered at present retard the development of the Western states.

Speaking in connection with the stand he expects to take at the Salt Lake meeting, the governor said: "The policy of conservation is important to every citizen of the United States, but it is absolutely vital to every resident of the Northwestern states. We are fighting for the right to develop a new country without an extra fighting handicap being placed upon us. We are struggling for the right to develop our new states under approximately as fair a chance as the older states of the East have had.

"We are in favor of the policy of conserving the natural resources, there is no difference of opinion on that. But we think that the methods of administering the policy of conservation should be changed so

that the development and progress of the states should not be held back.

"The federal government has taken away our natural resources and we cannot develop them for the use and progress of this state as the older states have done with their resources. A few years ago the federal government took possession of 30,000,000 acres of forest lands valued at \$200,000,000. Last year, it took our coal lands, grazing lands and phosphate beds, and within the last month it has taken every remaining water power site in the state.

"We cannot cut a tree to build a house, use a pound of coal to make a fire, dig an ounce of mineral from the earth, or turn a single water wheel for electrical current to light our homes without humbly beseeching the federal government for the right to use the state's own resources.

"We want the right to administer our own natural resources for the benefit of our own people and our own commonwealth as other states have done."

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GILLETT SUPPORTS JOHNSON

SAYS HE PREFERRED STANTON, "THE MAN WHO WAS PRAISED BY ROOSEVELT" BUT WILL WORK FOR NOMINEE.

San Francisco, Aug. 17.—Hiram W. Johnson, Republican gubernatorial nominee, today received the following telegram from Governor Gillett:

"Congratulations you upon your great victory. Am ready to campaign the state for you and help make your election sure."

The following was received from Philip A. Stanton:

"My congratulations upon your victory. I assure you of my fealty to your candidacy."

Edwin A. Meserve wired: "Please accept my sincere and hearty congratulations. I had hoped my fellow townsman and neighbor, Philip A. Stanton, might realize his ambition, but the members of our party have deemed otherwise and I bow to that decree. I am now for you as the choice of the party, with all I can do to make your victory in November as tremendous and emphatic as that of yesterday."

THE JOURNAL IS JUSTLY PROUD.

The Journal feels that it has a right to be proud of the fact that Salem is now in a fair way to own its own water plant and to have pure water. Several years ago the Journal took up this question of its own initiation and has advocated it consistently and persistently ever since, and it feels that the awakening of public interest in the matter is largely due to its efforts in this direction. The Journal was also first to advocate street paving. This, like the water proposition, was slow to materialize, but now with our main streets modern, up-to-date, beautiful, and the residence districts clamoring for hard surfaced streets, those who were most strenuous in their opposition, are now enthusiastic. The Journal predicts that similar results will follow the city's ownership of its water system and that in a year or two, even its most urgent opponents will concede that it was a wise step.

Bishop's Ready Tailored Clothes

Save Your Coupons

On every cash purchase we are giving out coupons for the full amount of the sale, which (coupons) will be accepted as payment on merchandise at the rate of 20 per cent of their face value.

This Sums up a Neat Saving of 20% Throughout the Entire Store

We will give out Coupons until September 10, 1910, at which time all of our Fall Suits and Furnishings will be on display. By saving up your coupons you will be able to make a substantial payment on your Fall Suit by that time.

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The Chicago Store

Is the Busiest Store in Salem

We are certainly doing the business in our advance fall styles in Ladies' Coats, Suits, Millinery, Dress Goods and Silks. You won't be disappointed. Come and see the bargains we are giving



Salem's leading Cloak and Suit Store is now ready to offer you bargains in new Fall styles in

Ladies' Coats, Suits and Millinery

We have now on display the grandest stock of new Fall styles in Ladies' swell up-to-date suits, coats and millinery that was ever shown in Salem. We are giving wonderful low prices to induce you to make your selection and get the best and newest styles before the Fall rush starts. We can now give you more time and have you thoroughly satisfied.

New Suits now \$8.90, \$10.90 and \$12.50 Worth double

Salem's Leading Store

Is now offering wonderful bargains for our

August Clean-up Sale

- Ladies' \$2.50 Sweaters now \$1.45
- Children's \$1 Sweaters, now .45c
- Standard Lawns, Calicoes, and Fancy Dimities, now, yd., 5c
- 50c Dress Goods, now, yd., 29c
- 75c Dress Goods, now, yd., 35c
- \$1.00 New Scotch Tweed Dress Goods, the very latest rough wool materials, now, yd., 65c
- Ladies' 50c Union Suits, now, 25c
- Ladies' 18c Jersey Ribbed Vests, 10c
- Ladies' 45c Silk Finished Fine Gauze Hosiery, pair, 25c
- Ladies' Fast Black Fine Seamless Hose, pair, 10c

Great Bargains in

Men's Goods

- Men's \$1.25 Sweaters, now 65c
- Men's \$1.00 Outing Flannel Night Gowns, now only 65c
- 45c Heavy Leather Gloves, now 25c
- 45c and 50c Summer Underwear, now 25c
- Men's 25c Heavy Working Shirts, now 45c

We carry a complete stock of hop pickers supplies

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In Salem and at the lowest prices. We believe in quick sales and little profits go the volume of business. \$2.50 Fine Lingerie Waists, now 98c \$5.00 Taffeta and Messaline Silk Waists, all colors, now \$2.75