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**WOODROW ROOSEVELT**

California Republicans Give Him 60,000 Plurality.

**LIGHT VOTE IS SURPRISING**

Clark Leads Wilson by Probably 20,000.

**COLONEL GETS EVERY COUNTY**

Resentment Among Mare Island Employees Is Said to Have Hurt Taft in Vallejo.

SAN FRANCISCO, May 15.--Returns today from yesterday's state presidential preference primary are useful only to determine the exact pluralities rolled up by Theodore Roosevelt and Champ Clark over their respective opponents for the republican and democratic presidential nominations. Roosevelt's plurality is estimated at between 60,000 and 65,000 over Taft and La Follette; Champ Clark leads Woodrow Wilson by probably 20,000.

Throughout the state the vote was comparatively light. This is regarded as surprising in view of the strenuous campaign waged for the republican preference, and the keen interest that everywhere was manifest by the crowds drawn by campaign orators.

**Colonel Gets Every County.**

Roosevelt probably carried every county. Even San Francisco, where a determined effort was made by the Taft managers to make a good showing for their candidate, favored the colonel by a plurality of 3,437. Roosevelt carried Los Angeles by more than 2 to 1.

The square near the railway station in San Diego, which returned him his only plurality in any division of the state, the industrial centers of the north and the troubles there are said to have made sentiment for him in that section, the theory being that the citizens resented the investigation ordered by Gov. Johnson, a Roosevelt supporter.

**Clark's Victory Sweeping.**

Champ Clark's victory over Woodrow Wilson was sufficiently sweeping to justify the pre-election claims of his campaign managers. He also probably carried every county, and when the count is complete it is expected that he will lead Wilson by nearly 3 to 1. No other democratic candidate, and the contest between Clark and Wilson was tame beside the campaigns waged by the republicans.

**Resentment of Navy Yard Men.**

A feature of the election was the vote of Vallejo. For the first time in the history of general elections there government employees at the Mare Island navy yard were not given time off to vote, and it is declared that resentment resulting from the government order to that effect influenced the result. The republican vote was 572; La Follette, 400; Taft, 207.

**Dixon Comments on the Result.**

Commenting on the California republican primaries yesterday, Senator Dixon, campaign manager for Col. Roosevelt, said today: "The great Roosevelt demonstration in California puts beyond controversy the question of his nomination at Chicago. Certainly, in the face of the California returns, no republican should doubt the power of the voters of the nation and no question can longer remain as to the man the republican party will nominate at Chicago. Roosevelt's victory in November, California gives added proof that wherever the republican voters have an opportunity in a legal primary to express their preference they have repudiated Taft and declared overwhelmingly in favor of Roosevelt's nomination. It is to date, nine republican states through presidential preference primary laws have recorded their deliberate judgment as to who should be the candidate."

**CULLINANE PAYS PENALTY.**

Term at Occoquan and \$250 Fine for Handbook Making.

James Cullinane, who pleaded guilty last week in the Police Court to handbook making, today was sentenced to thirty days in Occoquan and to pay a fine of \$250. In default of the fine he will have to spend ninety additional days at the workhouse.

Sentence was imposed by Judge Mullooney. Testimony was given by physicians as to Cullinane's physical condition. As he had never been charged with a similar offense, Judge Mullooney took into consideration the report of the physicians, and therefore did not impose the full penalty, as was done by Judge Pugh in the case of Ezra Collins.

The case of Joseph Walker, who is charged with seven counts of handbook making, is to be tried by a jury May 24 before Judge Mullooney.

**WILL WRITTEN ON PARCHMENT**

Unusual Instrument of Duane C. Turner Filed for Probate.

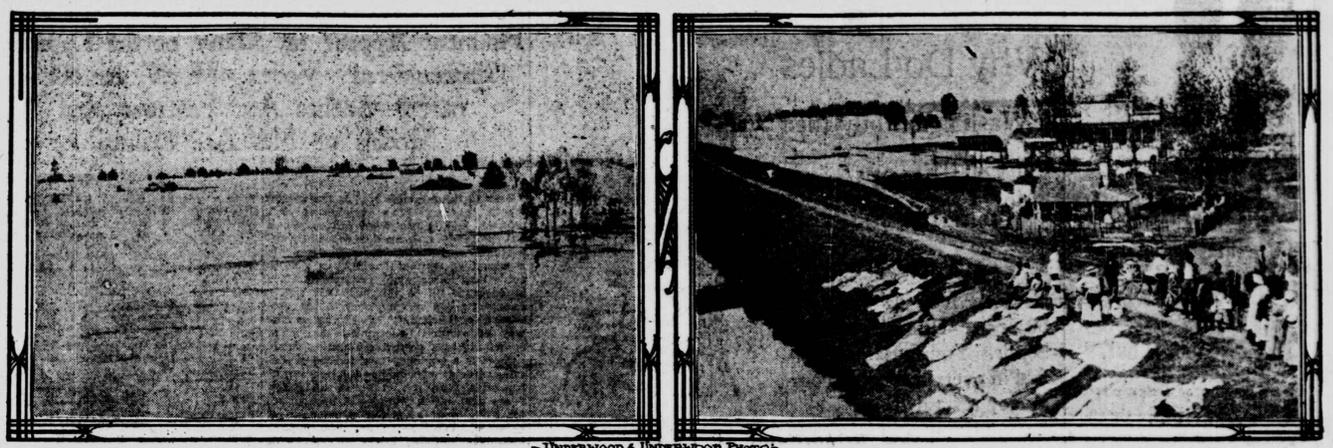
The unusual spectacle in this day of a will and codicil written on genuine parchment or sheepskin was presented today when the will and codicil of Duane C. Turner was offered for probate. The document is written on one side of a sheet fifteen inches wide and twenty-one inches long. The will occupies fifteen lines of manuscript, widely spaced, and about half that space is taken up by the codicil. Three witnesses attested the will and three others signed the codicil.

The will was executed September 1, 1886, and directs that the entire estate of the testator be given to his wife, Abbie J. Turner. She also is named as executrix.

By the codicil, bearing no date, Mr. Turner provided that his nephew, Ura Turner of Beaver City, Neb., have his gold watch and chain and Knight Templar charm. Another nephew, Byron Turner, is left a gold-headed cane and to James Turner, a nephew, are given a Bible and all the Masonic books of the deceased. Joseph W. Turner of Beaver City, Neb., is named as executor of this codicil without bonds.

Love and poetry and pellucids form the theme of the next Torchy story. See "Torchy Catches a Signal" in our next Sunday Magazine.

**IN THE MISSISSIPPI FLOOD DISTRICT.**



IN THE INUNDATED SECTION NEAR NEW ORLEANS, ROOFS OF BUILDINGS AND TREE-TOPS ARE THE ONLY THINGS VISIBLE ABOVE WATER. REFUGEES CAMPING ON THE LEVEE IN ONE OF THE TOWNS NEAR NEW ORLEANS, THEY WERE FORCED FROM THEIR HOMES BY THE RUSH OF THE BACK WATERS, AND ARE WAITING FOR TUGS TO TAKE THEM TO SAFETY.

**BOTH CANDIDATES BEGIN WORK EARLY**

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saying in his speech at Bellevue that he was content with the verdict of the people, but that if the people were for him he would not submit to being cheated out of that support.

The square near the railway station in Sandusky was filled with a crowd of several thousand persons when Col. Roosevelt arrived. Several hundred veterans from the state home for old soldiers were present, and Col. Roosevelt spoke to them of the principles of Lincoln and their application to present conditions.

**MAY NOT BE INSTRUCTED**

South Carolina Democratic Delegates May Go Free to Baltimore.

COLUMBIA, S. C., May 15.--Democrats of South Carolina were scheduled to meet at noon today to elect delegates to the national convention at Baltimore, to decide whether they shall be instructed and, if so, for whom. An uninstructed delegation was not considered improbable.

Five county caucuses have instructed their representatives at the state convention for Gov. Woodrow Wilson, six endorsed him, but sent uninstructed delegates and the thirty-one other counties filed no action on the presidential preference.

**BERGER LEADS OPPOSITION**

Objection to Indorsing the Industrial Unit at Indianapolis.

INDIANAPOLIS, Ind., May 15.--"Opposition" delegates to the socialist national convention, led by Representative Victor Berger of Wisconsin, were prepared today to oppose an effort, when the committee on constitution reported, to commit the party to an indorsement of the "industrial unit" form of labor organization.

This action is sought by the Industrial Workers of the World, headed by William D. Haywood, and delegates in sympathy with the "direct action" campaign of the Industrial Workers declared they would demand socialist indorsement of "immediate revolution for possession of the means of production" either upon the report of the constitution committee, expected today, or upon the reports of the platform and resolutions committees, which are to be submitted before the nomination of candidates for President and Vice President Friday afternoon.

**DEMONSTRATION MADE OF REAL LIFE "TRILBY"**

Fanciful Tale of Transformation Fully Justified, in Opinion of Medical Scientists.

PHILADELPHIA, May 15.--Medical scientists in session here at the convention of the American Laryngological Society heard a most wonderful demonstration which fully justified Du Maurier's fanciful tale of the transformation of "Trilby's" unmusical voice into that of an accomplished singer.

The psychical illustration was given by Dr. Frank E. Miller of New York, who reported an interesting case in which the patient was a girl who had been in the habit of meeting singers in the physician's office, where she was employed, and had expressed a desire to go upon the operatic stage.

**Under Hypnotic Influence.**

Realizing that her voice was one of mediocrity, she asked to be hypnotized and allowed to sing to the accompaniment of the phonograph. Dr. Miller accordingly made the experiment, and the effect was true to the story of Du Maurier.

Voices of well known soprano and tenor singers were reproduced on the phonograph at yesterday's demonstration, and to each the young girl sang with perfect ease. While in the hypnotic state she was taken about the spacious amphitheater of the College of Physicians and Surgeons and introduced to the assembled physicians and scientists who were in attendance.

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**HOPED SHE MIGHT DIE, WIFE SAYS OF HUSBAND**

Mrs. Hames, American Girl Who Wedded Englishman, Seeks Divorce.

PITTSBURGH, Pa., May 15.--A decree of divorce is recommended by Attorney Roy Rose, master, in favor of Emille Capel Hames of this city, who married Cecil Henry Hames of Banbury, Oxfordshire, England.

The couple met at Pinehurst, N. C., in February, 1907, and were married in June of that year. They made their home in England. Mrs. Hames charged that her husband was considerate until he found that her people would not settle an allowance upon him. When she informed him that her parents would give her \$3,000 a year if his people would do the same for him, Mrs. Hames alleges that Hames charged her with marrying him under false pretenses.

**FIRST TO REACH CHICAGO.**

Arrival of Republican Delegates From Hawaii in Convention City.

CHICAGO, May 15.--The first delegates to the republican national convention to have arrived here are H. L. Holman of Kohala, Hawaii, national committeeman, and Col. Samuel Parker of Honolulu.

They are taking no chances on not having most of the comforts of home while in the United States. In their forty-two pieces of baggage they carry numerous household utensils, and will establish headquarters here and visit Washington and other cities.

**UTAH DELEGATES TO BE FREE.**

Will Not Be Instructed, Although Taft Forces Control.

SALT LAKE CITY, Utah, May 15.--Although the Taft forces are in control of the republican state convention at Provo today by 3 to 1, it is said that Utah's eight delegates to the national convention will go uninstructed.

Taft leaders, however, were emphatic in their statement that none but Taft men would be named on the delegation.

**ROOSEVELT MEN BOLT**

Ignore Olive Branch From Taft Forces in Washington State Convention.

ABERDEEN, Wash., May 15.--Delegates to the republican state convention here today had divided into two conventions before sun-up. The Roosevelt adherents, ignoring what they chose to consider an olive branch extended by the Taft forces last night in the seating of Roosevelt delegates from Pierce county over a Taft delegation, announced that the Pierce county men would not enter the theater picked by the committee on arrangements. Inasmuch as the convention call specified Aberdeen as the place of meeting, but did not name any particular spot, the Roosevelt men asserted that the theater picked by the committee on arrangements could not be injured by holding the convention in another hall, which is what they decided to do.

**NURSES ARE GRADUATED.**

Three Men in Providence Hospital Class Getting Diplomas.

The roof garden of Providence Hospital was the scene yesterday afternoon of graduation exercises for the class of nurses, consisting of eight young women and three men, who have won diplomas by a course of study and training in that institution.

**PARK SWAN DISAPPEARS.**

Believed to Be Somewhere Along River Below City.

One of the big white swans that have for several years added attractiveness to Rock Creek Park is now supposed to be somewhere in the river stretches between Washington and Alexandria, and the police of both cities are making every effort to locate the bird.

It is believed the swan went down Rock creek during the high water resulting from the recent heavy rains. It can easily be distinguished from the wild swans that occasionally appear in the Potomac, as the wild swans have black beaks, while the beak of the missing bird is yellow.

Hunters, fishermen and persons living along the river are requested by the police to report if the swan is seen, and the request is also made that hunters who may see a swan refrain from shooting until they see certain the bird is a wild one and not the swan that has wandered away from Rock Creek Park.

**WIVES OF CONGRESSMEN DELAY SUFFRAGE CLUB**

Another Meeting to Be Called to Perfect an Organization.

Lack of a quorum of wives of congressmen was the formal objection interposed to the formation of a congressional suffrage club, proposed at a meeting of the congressional committee of the National Women's Suffrage Association yesterday afternoon. Another meeting will be called for the purpose, to attend which invitations will be extended to those of the entire congressional set.

Mrs. Henry George, Jr., made the motion for the organization of the club. Mrs. Claude U. Stone of Illinois, seconded it. Mrs. William Patterson Borland of Missouri raised the point of order.

Mrs. Borland urged that the method of organization, assuming the designation of "congressional" without previous opportunity being afforded to all who are eligible to consider the proposition, was undemocratic.

Mrs. Borland also raised her voice against overorganization, indicating the existence of the Congressional Club as meeting the club needs of women of the congressional set. She also was not in favor of the introduction of politics into organizations of congressional women.

**HOW FATHER JOHN'S MEDICINE GIVES FLESH AND NEW STRENGTH**

Those who are weak and run down should begin at this time of the year to make every effort to regain flesh and strength. Physicians prescribe as the best tonic and body builder, Father John's Medicine, because it is composed of pure and wholesome nourishing food elements, which strengthen and build up the body. It is free from dangerous drugs or stimulants. Get a bottle today. It will make you strong.

**Nevada Democrats for Clark.**

RENO, Nev., May 15.--Of the 196 delegates to the democratic state convention, returns today show 120 pledged for Clark, twenty-seven for Wilson and thirty not reported.

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