

This is the open season for Weib rabbits.

Garlic is suggested as a cure for tuberculosis. A strenuous cure, all right.

Radium is said to add fertility to the soil. But there are lots of cheaper fertilizers.

A hunter was killed in the Maine woods the other day. That ceased long ago to be heroic.

A Chicago woman advertises herself as a "hat doctor." Must give her patrons dope on the latest styles.

President Elliot of Harvard advises freshmen to marry early. They'll have to if they marry while they're freshmen.

A Fond du Lac judge holds that a woman may slap her mother-in-law. Sure she can, if she wants to run the chance.

A New York prisoner explained that he gets thirsty every time the moon changes, which is as good an excuse as most men give.

A noted German editor is coming over here to learn all about American newspapers. He'll have a long time to spend in studying.

Official returns show that 40,000 Coats have been shipped from London to New York. That Corot must have worked day and night.

An Englishman has developed a stinging honeybee that is a better worker than the bee that stings. Hurry with the kickless mule.

One may openly confess an unholo curiosity as to what the woman confidants of Philadelphia will say when the trolley slips off the wire.

A designer says that \$3.48 is enough for a dress for a young girl. It may be enough for the dress, but it wouldn't convince the wearer.

A Philadelphia woman has been declared insane because she "talks incessantly." But how does this distinguish her from the normal?

A Chicago waiter has been arrested charged with hanging about cemeteries and attempting to flirt with the women and girls. A grave offense.

A woman has sued her husband for divorce because he insisted on playing checkers all the time. Couldn't stand his checkered career, evidently.

"A spade is not an implement of wealth," remarks a Pennsylvania labor leader. Still, money, the root of evil, can only be obtained by digging.

A Washington cow ate a bunch of dynamite and then laid down and died. Had she survived her meal, she'd probably have given nitroglycerin.

Have you ever noticed how nice looking and intelligent the women are who have taken to wearing sensible heels on their shoes? Of course you have!

A Gothamite frightened his wife so badly with toy pistol that she beat him up and had him arrested. Perhaps she was afraid he didn't know it was loaded.

Medicine is now placed in candy for the benefit of the little ones. In days gone by the youngster had a choice of standing for his castor oil or a thrashing.

An English duke who is in his ninety-second year hurt himself lately by falling from his car. These sporty old boys are still giving the laugh to the Olesian theory.

After all, it would seem that those guns for the destruction of war aeroplanes are a waste of time. Just give the aviators enough space, and results will be accomplished.

The new type of baggage check omits, however, any means of telling the condition of the baggage when delivered. All the punches and holes are in that case in the trunk.

The air and the water continue to claim sacrifices and death walks abroad on the land. Clearly there is no place where a man can go and be safe, but the man with a clear conscience need not be troubled.

Paris has prohibited dancing in the streets and those who wish to engage in this merry pastime must retire to secluded places. Denying combatants a gallery is one of the most effective methods of breaking up the practice.

The inventor of circus lemonade died recently, showing that all men eventually get what is coming to them.

"Intensive housework" is a phrase recently uttered and brings up a picture of much toil on the hands and knees.

Wireless will next be used to regulate clocks on shipboard. When it has been successfully applied to the running of aeroplanes, it may do away with that inconvenient stopping of the motor.

A Brooklyn man has been sentenced to kiss his wife at least twice a day for seven years. In that time he may get the habit.

A man who watched the bears in the Bronx zoo suddenly lost his memory. Another thing the grisly bear is responsible for.

Luther Burbank announces that he will now make strawberries grow on raspberry bushes. It may be a cute little stunt, but why not let 'em grow on the old accustomed vine?

GOV. WILSON SWEEPS COUNTRY BY LANDSLIDE

The Democratic Candidate Carries 33 States

ROOSEVELT AHEAD OF TAFT

COLONEL CARRIES ILLINOIS, IOWA, KANSAS AND MICHIGAN—FOUR STATES FOR TAFT SO FAR—SEVEN STATES IN DOUBT.

St. Louis.—Woodrow Wilson was elected president of the United States Tuesday by a vote of landslide proportions. So pronounced was the Democratic victory that the result was evident early in the evening.

Returns indicate that Wilson is sure of 300 electoral votes (261 is a majority), and that later returns might swell this figure. Wilson took the lead in the returns from the start. Reports from Massachusetts as early as 6 o'clock indicated he would carry that rock-ribbed Republican state. New York returns followed closely on the heels of Massachusetts, showing a tremendous Democratic plurality.

Chairman McCombs of the Democratic national committee declared shortly after 9 o'clock that victory for Gov. Wilson was then assured. He said Wilson had carried Massachusetts, Maine, Connecticut, New York, Maryland, New Jersey and all of the Southern states.

McCombs had previously wired Wilson, telling him he had made a clean sweep and that there were only two states where the vote was close.

MCCOMBS WIRES WILSON. Chairman McCombs sent his message to Gov. Wilson over a direct wire to the governor's home in Princeton. "I told him," said Chairman McCombs, "you have carried New York by a tremendous plurality. You have also carried Massachusetts by 60,000 plurality. I have just received a message from National Committeeman Fred B. Lynch that you have carried Minnesota by 25,000. It is a clean sweep."

Chairman William Barnes, Jr., of the Republican state committee, shortly before 7 o'clock made the statement that Gov. Wilson will carry New York state by a plurality of between 100,000 and 150,000.

Senator Joseph M. Dixon, Progressive national chairman, said, after scanning the returns from New York, Massachusetts and several other eastern states: "We have to go to the west for the Roosevelt vote."

ALABAMA. Montgomery, Ala.—The Democrats made a clean sweep in Alabama, electing their entire state and congressional tickets. Wilson's plurality is estimated at from 40,000 to 50,000. House Leader Oscar Underwood was re-elected by an increased vote.

ARKANSAS. Little Rock, Ark.—Returns from the interior of the state indicate that an unusually large vote was polled and that Wilson's plurality will be in the neighborhood of 45,000 votes.

COLORADO. Denver, Colo.—Early returns seem to give Colorado's electoral vote to Wilson, but both the Taft and Roosevelt managers claim their candidate will win on the full vote. The Democratic state ticket is leading and the indications point to a solid Democratic congressional delegation.

CALIFORNIA. San Francisco, Cal.—With only a few precincts heard from both the Wilson and Roosevelt managers are claiming victory. The woman vote, which was expected to be heavy, and on which the Roosevelt leaders counted, was cut down by showers in the central and heavy rains in the northern part of the state.

ARIZONA. Phoenix, Ariz.—Democrats claim to have carried Arizona on the face of incomplete returns. Indications are that Roosevelt will run second and Taft third. The election of Representative Carl Hayden, Democrat, is conceded. No other officers were elected.

CONNECTICUT. Hartford, Conn.—Connecticut has gone for Wilson and Gov. Baldwin, the latter running ahead. Democratic Chairman Foster claims the state for Wilson by 7,500, and for Baldwin by 10,000. The Democrats gain the state senate and the indications are the Democrats and Progressives combined will total the Republican vote in the house. Democrats claim the election of three congressmen. The Roosevelt vote ran about one-half that of Taft. Late returns seemed likely that Wilson's plurality would reach 10,000 and Baldwin's 15,000. Both branches of the legislature will probably be Democratic.

DELAWARE. Wilmington, Del.—Indications are that Wilson has carried the state by a small plurality. Franklin Brockson, Democratic candidate for Congress, probably has been elected. Roosevelt and Taft are running close in the districts so far heard from. The legislature, which will elect a successor to Senator Richardson, will be close, with the chances favoring the Republicans.

MINNESOTA. St. Paul, Minn.—With five state tickets in the field and a lively presidential fight between Taft, Roosevelt and Wilson, the result of the election in Minnesota is in doubt. It appears that Adolf O. Eberhart will be elected governor, but he is being pushed by P. V. Collins (Prog.). The legislature will elect a senator to succeed Knute Nelson. Nelson has

MAINE. Portland, Me.—Wilson has carried Maine by an estimated plurality of between 10,000 and 15,000. Portland, the largest city, gave Wilson a plurality of 936 over Roosevelt.

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Election Reports at a Glance

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Electoral Vote For President

States	Taft	Wilson	Roosevelt	Doubtful
Alabama	12	10	0	0
Arizona	3	3	0	0
Arkansas	9	6	0	0
California	6	6	0	0
Colorado	6	6	0	0
Connecticut	7	7	0	0
Delaware	3	3	0	0
Florida	6	6	0	0
Georgia	14	14	0	0
Idaho	4	4	0	0
Illinois	29	29	0	0
Indiana	15	15	0	0
Iowa	15	15	0	0
Kansas	10	10	0	0
Kentucky	13	13	0	0
Louisiana	10	10	0	0
Maine	6	6	0	0
Maryland	8	8	0	0
Massachusetts	18	18	0	0
Michigan	15	15	0	0
Minnesota	12	12	0	0
Mississippi	10	10	0	0
Missouri	18	18	0	0
Montana	4	4	0	0
Nevada	8	8	0	0
New Hampshire	8	8	0	0
New Jersey	14	14	0	0
New Mexico	3	3	0	0
New York	45	45	0	0
North Carolina	12	12	0	0
North Dakota	5	5	0	0
Ohio	24	24	0	0
Oklahoma	10	10	0	0
Oregon	5	5	0	0
Pennsylvania	38	38	0	0
Rhode Island	5	5	0	0
South Carolina	9	9	0	0
South Dakota	5	5	0	0
Tennessee	12	12	0	0
Texas	20	20	0	0
Utah	4	4	0	0
Vermont	4	4	0	0
Virginia	12	12	0	0
Washington	7	7	0	0
West Virginia	8	8	0	0
Wisconsin	13	13	0	0
Wyoming	3	3	0	0
Total	15	374	67	75

been nominated by the Republicans. D. W. Taylor is his Democratic opponent.

MISSOURI. St. Louis.—Woodrow Wilson (Dem.) for president, and Elliott Major (Dem.) for governor have swept the state, and from incomplete returns the Democrats have elected the entire state ticket.

MONTANA. Helena, Mont.—Woodrow Wilson has carried Montana, upon the facts of incomplete returns, and the Democrats are claiming the state ticket. It is believed that the state legislature will be Democratic, thus defeating United States Senator Dixon, who is a candidate for re-election.

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New York.—Woodrow Wilson has carried the state of New York by a plurality closely approximating 150,000. William Sulzer (Dem.) for governor has carried the state by about 170,000.

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OREGON. Portland, Ore.—The race between Wilson, Taft and Roosevelt is close on the early returns, with the indications favoring Wilson. The fight for United States senator to succeed Jonathan Bourne is close, with Lane (Dem.) apparently in the lead. The Democratic state ticket probably has been elected.

PENNSYLVANIA. Philadelphia, Pa.—Wilson and Roosevelt are running neck and neck in Pennsylvania. Returns from 2,538 election districts out of 6,592 in Pennsylvania gave Taft 129,273, Wilson 152,430, Roosevelt 166,245.

RHODE ISLAND. Providence, R. I.—Early and incomplete returns indicate a Republican victory for the national and state tickets. There were three state tickets in the field and the Progressive cut into the normal Republican vote. The legislature, which it appears is controlled by the Republicans, will elect a United States senator to succeed Geo. P. Wetmore (Rep.).

SOUTH CAROLINA. Charleston, S. C.—South Carolina gave Wilson a big plurality and elected the complete Democratic state and congressional tickets. The Progressives made a good showing in this city. Wilson's plurality may reach 50,000. The legislature chosen is expected to return Benjamin R. Tillman to the United States senate.

SOUTH DAKOTA. Sioux Falls, S. D.—The indications are that the Republican state ticket has been elected by a fair majority. Roosevelt and Wilson are running a close race for the presidential electors, with the former slightly in the lead. Many La Follette men and most of the supporters of President Taft, who was denied the right to an electoral ticket, voted for Wilson. The indications are that Thomas Sterling (Rep.) will be the new senator from South Dakota.

TENNESSEE. Memphis, Tenn.—Wilson carries Tennessee by 20,000 plurality. Roosevelt is second. For governor, McMillin (Dem.) will have 5,000 plurality over Hooper (Rep.) and Poston (Prog.). Z. D. Massey (Bull Moose) is favored

UTAH. Salt Lake City, Utah.—Early returns indicate that the Republican national and state tickets will win, though the Democratic managers claim a portion of their state ticket may pull through and the Progressives are hopeful.

VERMONT. Montpelier, Vt.—The Republicans have carried Vermont, incomplete returns indicate.

VIRGINIA. Richmond, Va.—Incomplete returns indicate Wilson's majority over 35,000. The Roosevelt and Taft vote was about equally divided. Nine of the ten congressmen elected are Democrats.

WASHINGTON. Seattle, Wash.—Returns indicate that Roosevelt has carried Washington by a small plurality and that the Progressive state ticket has been elected. Hodge, the Progressive candidate for governor, is running behind his ticket and may be defeated by Lister, Democrat. The three Progressive candidates for congressmen-at-large probably are elected. Women voters turned the scales in favor of the Progressives.

WEST VIRGINIA. Wheeling, W. Va.—Republican leaders concede that Wilson has carried the state, but they claim the Republicans have elected Howard Sutherland congressman-at-large, Geo. A. Laughlin in the First District; A. B. Connelly, Second district; D. B. Davis, Third district; Hunter Moss, Fourth district, and James Hughes, present congressman from the Fifth district. The Democrats concede the election of Dr. Hatfield as governor over W. R. Thompson, Democratic candidate. The Socialists polled a large vote in the West Virginia coal fields. Liquor men admit the state has gone dry by a large majority.

WYOMING. Cheyenne, Wyo.—With only a small part of the state heard from, the Republicans claim a plurality for Taft and the election of Cyrus Beard for justice of the Supreme Court, the only state office to be filled. The legislature elected will choose a successor to Senator Francis E. Warren. The indications are that Senator Warren will succeed himself, although the Democrats and Progressives combined against him.

MASSACHUSETTS. Boston, Mass.—Massachusetts has gone for Wilson by probably 30,000. Gov. Foss (Dem.) is re-elected by an increased plurality. Republican leaders, however, are confident that every office except that of governor and lieutenant governor will be filled as usual by Republicans.

WISCONSIN. Milwaukee, Wis.—Wilson has swept Wisconsin by from 20,000 to 30,000 votes. Roosevelt is running behind President Taft except in Winnebago county, which the Progressive candidate carried by a small margin over Wilson.

The entire Socialist ticket in Milwaukee went down in defeat before the non-partisan coalition of Democrats and Republicans, with the possible exception of William C. Zebel, present, district attorney.

Home Happiness. Probably nineteen-twentieths of the happiness you will ever have, you will get at home. The independence that comes to a man when his work is over, and the feeling that he has run out of the storm into the quiet harbor of home, where he can rest in peace and with his family, is something real.

Good Thing to Remember. Five fingers of scorn do not equal one helping hand.

Victim of Snakes He Hunted. After destroying upwards of 2,900 vipers in the course of his career as a snake hunter, M. Henry Sausseron died recently, in Paris, from the bite of a snake. He was hunting snakes in the woods near Bonloire (Sarthe), when a viper bit him in the hand and arm, and he died in terrible agony twelve hours later.

For Love Is Blind. If Jack is in love, he is no judge of Jill's beauty.—Proverb.

Conjuror. "Now, sir, you admit that the card you have just taken out of the handkerchief is the queen of clubs, yet the card you chose and so securely tied there—namely, the ace of spades—I now produce from this hat." "Timid Volunteer—"So sorry—my mistake."—Punch.

A campaign year is a time of happiness for the man who likes to get at the extreme outer edge of the crowd and yell "Louder!"—Denver Republican.

"Shall I empty your wastebasket?" asked the janitor. "It is brimful of correspondence." "No," answered the man who is combining politics with high finance. "Just hold me my bonds and stock certificates and I'll stuff 'em in some pigeonhole so that you can lock the waste-basket in the safe."

Australia has established a training school for boys who wish to become expert farmers, but who lack the means to obtain proper instruction.