

DOPSTERS ARE UP IN THE AIR ON RECALL FIGHT

Find it Difficult to Guess Attitude of Many Voters in the Election

BETTING REPORTED LIGHT

Speaking Tours of I. V. A. and N. P. L. Call for Scores of Talks in Last Days

Political dopsters are up in the air on the recall election for Friday, October 28.

Men who travel in various parts of the state and politicians who have been out in the state declare that many voters are unusually close-mouthed about their intention on Friday.

Lack of red-fire enthusiasm makes it difficult to judge the temper of the people generally. It is generally expected by both Independents and Nonpartisans that the vote will be much lighter than in the last general election.

One View of It A traveling man, who covers all parts of the state, and who was in politics until he took his present job, and therefore viewed the situation from a more or less "professional" standpoint said last night that he had dropped into both I. V. A. and Nonpartisan meetings in several parts of the state and had been struck by the old absence of hatred.

He said that in most meetings he found the audience composed of about half Nonpartisans and half Independents. They listened intently, he said, and seemed to be studying the situation. They did not evidence much wild enthusiasm.

This man said that he believed there has been some fluctuation in the vote. He said the league has lost some strength in the country and had gained some strength in all the cities.

Rules of Election The polls will be open from 9 a. m., to 9 p. m., next Friday. The following rules of the election are promulgated by the attorney-general's office.

It is the duty of the voters to be present at the polls, to stay there until the ballots are counted and the vote certified and to see to it that an honest and fair election is had. They should immediately report violations of the law to the state's attorney of their county and request him to prosecute the offenders.

The attention of the county auditors and county commissioners and all election officers is called to the requirements of the statutes with reference to the providing of voting booths and railings so that each voter may, without interference, cast a ballot.

There must be no electioneering on election day. Campaign literature, cards, posters and marked sample ballots must not be distributed on election day nor be permitted to remain in the booths or in the polling places. Election officers must not attempt to influence any voter to vote otherwise than as he decides.

Any voter who declines to the judges of election that he cannot read or that by reason of blindness or other physical disability he is unable to mark his ballot and requests assistance in the marking of his ballot should receive the assistance of two of the election officers in the marking of such ballot. Such election officers must be from different political parties, and must give no information how the voter marked his ballot.

Election officers so assisting voters in making ballots are warned not to suggest to the voters how they should mark the ballots, but merely to see to it that the will of the voters is expressed in the marking of the ballots.

Voters are permitted to be present at the polls for the purpose of challenging any person whom they have reason to believe are not qualified voters.

Voters are further notified that under the law, it is the duty of the election officers to keep the doors of the polling places open not only during the time the polls are open for voting, namely: continuously from 9:00 a. m. to 9:00 p. m., but also during the time that the ballots are being counted. Ballots must be counted publicly in the presence of all persons desiring to be present during such counting. Voters are permitted to watch over the shoulder of the inspector or judge reading the ballot and read along with him to see that ballots are correctly read.

L. V. A. SPEAKERS GO INTO EASTERN PART

Independent speakers in the last week will cover the state pretty well, but apparently will spend more time in the western and central parts than in the eastern.

Governor Preuss, who was due to start in at LaMoure at 11:30 a. m., today, is due to pass through Bismarck Tuesday night to Beach, where he speaks Wednesday morning. He is to (Continued on Page 3)

FARMERS WILL BURN THEIR CORN

Omaha, Neb., Oct. 24.—Farmers of Stockton, Kansas, have organized with an agreement to burn corn this winter. Instead of coal on account of the difference in price between these commodities, says a special dispatch from Weymere, Nebraska.

SEVERAL CASES OF DIPHTHERIA ARE REPORTED

About Ten Cases Are Reported in the City, City Health Officer Says

There are several cases of diphtheria in the city, and although there is need for precaution there is no need for alarm, Dr. C. E. Stackhouse, city health officer, said today.

There have been about ten cases in the city in the last few weeks, with three deaths. As a precaution the order has been issued to all schools that any child that is out of school for a day cannot return until a doctor's certificate has been procured, and teachers have been instructed to watch for signs of illness among pupils and to take prompt action.

Sometime ago there was some diphtheria around Wilton, Dr. Stackhouse said. The disease is very contagious and he believes that some local child caught the disease from an out-of-town person. With the use of modern serums the disease is not dangerous if taken in time, he said. It is the first time in several years that there has been any amount of diphtheria here.

BOYS' WORK TO BE DISCUSSED TUESDAY NIGHT

J. J. MacLeod Calls Conference to be Held in the High School Building

Boys' work for the winter will be discussed Tuesday night at a meeting to be held in the high school building at 8 o'clock.

Plans for grouping all boys in the city into 10 years of age up will be discussed, so that every boy in the city will be included in some kind of activity during the year.

J. J. MacLeod, director of boys' work, who has called the conference has asked that each church send representatives to the conference, and the schools will be represented. Any citizen interested in boys' work is invited to be present.

BURLEIGH CO. BOY IS BURIED

Gust Hill, who Died in Jamestown Hospital, Paid Military Honors

A former Burleigh county boy, who was sent from this county to the state hospital for the insane at Jamestown, was buried in Jamestown Sunday with military honors. He was Gust Hill, committed from Burleigh county, April 5, 1919. He died August 24, 1919, and was buried in the Jamestown cemetery.

Hill had served at Fort Stevens, Oregon, being in the army about four months. When the bodies of two ex-service men arrived in Jamestown from France, American Legion boys removed the body of Hill from the hospital graveyard to the American Legion plot in Highland Home cemetery. Military honors were paid at the grave.

The bodies of Phillip Joos, formerly of Beulah, and John Bannister, former Jamestown boy, which were shipped from France were buried in Jamestown Sunday. The parents of Joos, who enlisted with Company F, First Regiment, in Mandan, now live in Jamestown. He was killed in action.

Between 75 and 80 Legionnaires were in uniform at the military funerals, which were attended by hundreds of people.

FORTY BUT UNASHAMED.

London, Oct. 24.—Unmarried men and women, who are not ashamed to admit they are 40 or over are organizing the "Frankly Forty Club" here. It is for those "who wish for the friendship of people their own age," says a charter member.

CHOOSE UNKNOWN SOLDIER TO BE BURIED IN U. S. CEMETERY

Chalon-sur-Marne, Oct. 24.—(By the Associated Press)—America's unknown soldier who will find an honored resting place in the national cemetery at Arlington, Va., was chosen here today. The ceremony of selecting the casket to be taken to America took place in a little improvised chapel in the city hall and in keeping with a request from the United States government was simple and brief.

TOWNLEY MUST SERVE 90 DAYS IN MINN. JAIL

United States Supreme Court Refuses to Grant Appeal From Minnesota Court

GILBERT ALSO IS DENIED

President of National Nonpartisan League and Organizer Convicted of Disloyalty

Washington, D. C., Oct. 24. (By the Associated Press).—The supreme court refused today to review the conviction under Minnesota laws of A. C. Townley, president of the National Nonpartisan league, and Joseph Gilbert, manager of the organization department.

The refusal of the court to consider the case was stated by Chief Justice Taft who gave no explanation.

It was one of numerous cases in which the court refused to permit an appeal. The indictment on which Townley and Gilbert were convicted charged that they opposed the military establishment, urged that the government be not assisted in carrying on the sale of Liberty Bonds, claiming the bonds were not safe investments because the U. S. would soon go bankrupt.

GILBERT NOW SERVING St. Paul, Oct. 24.—Arthur C. Townley, president of the Nonpartisan league, together with Joseph Gilbert, former state organizer of the league, must serve a sentence of 90 days in the Jackson county (Minnesota) jail as their last avenue of escape was closed by refusal of the federal supreme court to review the case.

Townley and Gilbert were convicted in July, 1919, of conspiracy to encourage disloyalty during the war in violation of state law. The charge against them was based on speeches they made in behalf of the Nonpartisan league in Jackson and other Minnesota counties. Their trial lasted three weeks.

NEW TRIAL DENIED

Motions for a new trial were denied in July, 1919, by District Judge E. C. Dean, who heard the case. The defendants then appealed to the supreme court, which denied their appeal and the case then was carried to the highest court in the land.

Gilbert, prior to his conviction in Jackson county, was found guilty by the Goodhue county (Minnesota) district court of violation of the state espionage act and after exhausting all avenues of appeal went to jail in Red Wing last February to serve sentence of one year.

Today's action by the federal court will be communicated by mail to the state supreme court which in turn will remand the case to the Jackson county district court where commitment papers will be served for Townley and Gilbert. This means it probably would be a week or ten days before the papers could be issued. Townley would start service at once under ordinary procedure while Gilbert would complete his Goodhue county jail sentence and then go to the Jackson jail.

KITCHEN STOPS IN BISMARCK

Candidate for Commissioner of Agriculture and Labor Here

Joseph A. Kitchen, independent candidate for commissioner of agriculture and labor, was in Bismarck today, after speaking in several towns southeast of here this past few days. He will go to Beach from here and return with Gov. Preuss, of Minnesota.

Mr. Kitchen did not care to be quoted on the campaign other than to say he was entirely satisfied. While here he made arrangements to accompany the Bismarck-Mandan special to the American Legion convention at Kansas City.

HIGH COURT TO HEAR RATE CASE

Washington, Oct. 24.—The supreme court today ordered the reargument of the Wisconsin rail rate case Dec. 5. This case involves the constitutionality of the transportation act of 1920.

Chief Justice Taft announced that the court would hear on January 3 argument in the case brought by the State of North Dakota also to test the constitutionality of the act.

WHAT YOU WILL CAST BALLOT ON, OCT. 28

No. 6 Bank of North Dakota Act Makes Governor, State Treasurer, Secretary of State a Board of Trustees to liquidate bank and settle affairs.

Provides Board of Trustees shall take full charge of bank upon proposed initiated law becoming effective which, if carried, would be 30 days after election. With funds provided by sale of bonds Board of Trustees shall pay all checks, drafts and certificates of deposit outstanding against Bank of North Dakota.

Net proceeds of liquidation shall be placed in state treasury. Shall file report with Governor semi-annually. Trustees shall receive no salary but may be paid from assets of bank their actual and necessary expenses.

Sergeant Edwin F. Younger, of Chicago, made the selection. The only words spoken at the ceremony were "General Debois, who said: "The French Army feels deeply honored to pay a simple and lasting tribute to this American unknown soldier." The casket was placed in the returned flag of the city hall and in an American flag, the only flowers on it being a small bouquet of white and pink roses.

GARRISON GOES TO EX-EMPEROR SEEKING THRONE

Reported That He is Proceeding Without Opposition Toward Budapest

ALLIES IN A WARNING

Czecho-Slovakia Also Lifts Up Its Voice Against Reoccupation by Monarch

ASSASSINATION REMOVED London, Oct. 24.—An unverified report that former Emperor Charles of Austria has been assassinated has been received by the exchange Telegram company.

Paris, Oct. 24.—(By Associated Press).—The troops of former Emperor Charles are closing in on Budapest without meeting much resistance from the forces opposed to his restoration to the Hungarian throne, according to information which reached the allied council of ambassadors here this afternoon.

GARRISON GOES OVER.

Vienna, Oct. 24.—(By the Associated Press).—It is reported in diplomatic quarters here that a portion of the Budapest garrison has declared for former Emperor Charles. Dispatches from the Hungarian capital yesterday indicated the garrison was loyal to the government headed by Admiral Horthy.

ULTIMATUM SENT.

London, Oct. 24.—An ultimatum has been sent to the Hungarian government by Czecho-Slovakia giving the former 48 hours to secure the removal of former Emperor Charles from that country, it is stated in a dispatch from Vienna to the Exchange Telegraph agency.

It is reported in Vienna that the British commissioner there has declared the entente will construe the continued presence of former Emperor Charles in Hungary as a casus belli, says an Exchange Telegraph dispatch from the Austrian capital today.

Budapest, Oct. 24. (By the Associated Press).—Hungarian forces fighting against the attempt of former emperor Charles to regain the throne have won pronounced successes against the Carlist forces, it was announced in reports to the government early today.

The reports stated that the town of Raab had been recaptured and that the Carlists were being attacked in the rear.

TALK INCOME TAX REDUCTION

Democrats Propose New Reduction for Small Taxpayers

Washington, Oct. 24.—The senate today voted to pass an amendment to the tax revision bill proposing to reduce the normal income tax to 2 per cent on the first \$5,000 and 6 per cent on the third \$5,000. Two Republicans voted with the solid Democratic membership in favor of the amendment. They were LaFollette and Johnson.

Washington, Oct. 24.—The senate today voted to reduce the amount of taxes to be paid after 1922 by individuals having net incomes ranging from \$5,000 to \$100,000 or more had before it the question of cutting down the taxes on those whose net incomes are \$5,000 or less.

A reduction of 50 per cent for this class of taxpayers is sponsored by Senator Gerry, Democrat, Rhode Island, with the approval and support of the other Democrats on the senate finance committee. The proposed cut would be in addition to the slight reduction which would result from the committee's recommendation that this class of taxpayers who are heads of families be granted an increased exemption of \$500.

PARROT KILLS SHEEP.

Christchurch, New Zealand, Oct. 24.—The government is offering \$125 for every beak of the kea, a carnivorous parrot which has been destroying sheep.

POSSIBLE HEAD OF DEMOCRATS



Robert W. Woolley may step back into public life as new Democratic national chairman. Here are the milestones in Woolley's career:

1871—Born in Kentucky. Educated in Kentucky State University and Fordham University.

1893—Reporter in Lexington. Later in Chicago and New York.

1907—Washington correspondent. Specializing in investigating.

1911—Named to head investigation of U. S. Steel Corporation authorized by Congress.

1912—Asked to write "Democratic Text Book." Made assistant chairman Democratic publicity bureau.

1913—Auditor in Interior Department.

1915—Director of Mint.

1917—Director of Liberty Loan public. Named Interstate Commerce Commissioner.

Woolley is the man favored by McAdams for president forces to succeed George White as committee chairman.

OFFICERS COME FOR PRISONER

Here to Take Welling Back to Iowa to Serve Time

Two Iowa officers arrived here to take Charles Welling from the state penitentiary to the prison at Ft. Madison, Ia., to complete serving a life sentence. Consent to his return awaited an answer by the attorney general.

Welling, known as Harry Smith in Iowa, escaped from the Iowa penitentiary last Christmas morning, escaping over the wall. He was serving a life sentence for the murder of the son of a sheriff at La Mars, Iowa, whom he killed when he escaped from the jail after being held with another for bank robbery.

The prisoner, according to Harry E. Lemke, and Oscar S. Neal, who came from Iowa to get him, is known as a "bad man" in Iowa. He was suspected of killing a man in Oklahoma before he entered the Iowa prison, they said. Having escaped from a jail, a prison and attempted to escape from the Minot jail several days ago, the officers planned to exercise caution in returning him.

Welling has thus far refused to implicate anyone with him in the Kemmer case.

After consent had been given by the district judge and state's attorney at Minot, the attorney general's office halted proceedings.

DULUTH TALKS PORT PROBLEM

Delegates From North Dakota Aid in Considering Question

Duluth, Oct. 24.—Initial steps toward rebuilding Duluth's port facilities in preparation for the culmination of the proposed deep water-way project was made here today with the opening of the port conference called by Mayor Sniely. Sessions will continue through Tuesday.

Seventy-five representatives of five state governments, the federal government, leading cities in the Northwest, civic and business organizations and educational institutions are here to discuss with Duluth the city's harbor problem.

Wisconsin, North and South Dakota delegates from Iowa, Minnesota, Wisconsin, North and South Dakota are here.

EGG HAS THREE YOLKS. Mersham, Eng., Oct. 24.—A hen is being displayed here as the champion egg producer of the neighborhood. One of its eggs, which was of normal size, had three yolks.

ROOSEVELT'S RECORD OF MEETING OF STOCKMEN GIVEN ASSOCIATION

New York, Oct. 24.—Documentary evidence of Col. Theodore Roosevelt's life as a ranchman in the Bad Lands has been received by the Roosevelt Memorial association. It is a 7-page manuscript in Roosevelt's own handwriting and contains the minutes of the first meeting of the Little Missouri Stockmen's association held in Medora, N. D., in 1884.

CLERKS, STATION EMPLOYEES VOTE AGAINST STRIKE; BROTHERHOODS PLACED IN MINORITY BY ACTION

Strike At A Glance

Following were Sunday's developments in the railroad strike situation.

San Antonio—Labor leaders claim strike of 600 trainmen on the International and Great Northern, which started Saturday, is "100 per cent effective," but road says passenger service is unimpaired and that resumption of freight service, halted Saturday, has been started. Unions announce no attempt will be made to interfere with attempts to resume full service.

Cleveland—Big Four Brotherhood chiefs say that if strike materializes, the blame for it should be placed on the United States Railroad Labor Board and on the railroads.

Chicago—Railroad heads say action of majority of the eleven "standard" unions in refusing to join a strike now has broken the backbone of the proposed walk-out.

U. S. District Attorney Clynne summoned to Washington, by Attorney General Daugherty, presumably to discuss the strike situation.

GASSURCHARGE HEARING WILL BE HELD HERE

Railroad Commission to Inquire Into Necessity of 25 Per Cent Advance

The question of whether or not the Bismarck Gas company should discontinue a 25 percent surcharge granted by the railroad commission will be the subject of a hearing to be held by the state board here on November 16, 1921. The railroad commission's order announcing the hearing follows:

Whereas the Board of Railroad Commissioners did on August 21, 1921 issue an order designating as Order Number 153 authorizing the Bismarck Gas Company to collect a surcharge of 25 percent over and above the established rates, to take care of increased prices on coal; and

Whereas subsequent orders have been issued continuing in effect until November 1, 1921 the surcharge of 25 percent; and

Whereas it appears to the Board of Railroad Commissioners that the price of coal has declined, and that an adjustment of rates should be made;

It is ordered that the Bismarck Gas Company show cause before this Commission at its conference rooms in Bismarck, N. Dak., on Wednesday, November 16, 1921 at 10 o'clock A. M., why an order should not be issued by this Commission discontinuing the surcharge of 25 percent."

FEAR BREAK IN ERIN - BRITISH PEACE MEETING

London, Oct. 24.—Grave anxiety over the possibility of negotiations between the British government and Sinn Fein Ireland continuing to a successful conclusion was felt here today. The conference of the British cabinet and representatives of the Dail Eireann was resumed but there was evident a feeling that the situation was such as to give ground for concern among those who are hopeful for an adjustment of the Irish controversy.

At Sinn Fein headquarters here the attitude of hopefulness which had prevailed gave way to pessimism the fear being expressed that insistence upon a declaration of allegiance to the King by Premier Lloyd George would result in breaking off the conference.

MAN, 76, HELD FOR VIOLATION OF AUTO LAWS

Abraham Kuntz, 76 years old, was fined \$5 and costs before Judge Casselman on a charge of reckless driving. He pleaded guilty, and also agreed to pay for damage to lights on a White Way post which were broken when he crashed into it.

Shoes are first mentioned in inscriptions 2000 years before Christ.

Nine of Sixteen Unions Now Have Voted Against Strike Scheduled for Oct. 30

LABOR BOARD GETS READY

Prepare For Conference on Wednesday With General Chairmen of Brotherhoods

HOPES TO AVERT STRIKE Chicago, Oct. 24.—The United States Labor Board announced today that it had reason to hope that the threatened railroad strike would be averted.

The board announced that the board warned the public to refrain from loose talk and provocative language about either side of the controversy.

Chicago, Oct. 24.—The threatened railroad strike, if it takes place as scheduled, will be limited to 475,000 train service employees, switchmen and telegraphers.

This became certain today when the signalmen followed the example of nine other "standard" unions and voted to remain at work. By their decision 1,525,000 railroad employees are on record against the strike. Apparently undisturbed by the decision of more than three-fourths of all the railroad men not to join them in the proposed strike, chiefs of the six unions who have announced their intention of quitting work today reiterated their stand that only a satisfactory settlement can avert a walk-out.

Chicago, Oct. 24.—(By the Associated Press)—Decision of the railroad clerks and station employees numerically one of the largest of the railwaymen's unions not to join the Big Five brotherhoods in the strike scheduled for October 30, placed the Brotherhoods today greatly in the minority in their announced determination to walk out, making 9 of the 16 standard unions opposed to the strike. The remaining ones—the signal men with a membership of 15,000—is expected to complete its strike vote this week.

The four brotherhood leaders now in Cleveland summoned T. C. Cashen, president of the switchmen, to join the conference in Cleveland today. Statements from W. S. Stone, head of the engineers, and W. G. Lee, head of the trainmen, indicated the Big Five had not changed strike plans.

Officials of the labor board today began preparations for the meeting here Wednesday of the 500 general chairmen of the Brotherhood and a similar number of railroad executives and a meeting of the association of the railway executives to discuss their attitude toward Wednesday's conference was called for tomorrow.

Officials of the International and Great Northern declared that passenger service was normal despite the strike of 600 trainmen Saturday and that freight service was gradually being extended.

BROTHERHOOD CHIEFS CONFER (Cleveland, Oct. 24.—(By the Associated Press)—Railroad brotherhood chiefs today were to continue their conference on the general strike situation and on plans for compliance with the citation of the United States Railroad Labor Board ordering them, their grand officers and general chairmen to appear before the board next Wednesday in Chicago.

Before the Chicago meeting they are expected to add to or elaborate their statements of yesterday in which they placed responsibility for the proposed strike on the labor board and the carriers.

Today's Weather

For twenty-four hours ending at noon Oct. 24: Temperature at 7 A. M. 59 Highest yesterday 58 Lowest yesterday 36 Lowest last night 34 Precipitation None High wind velocity 22-F

Weather Forecast. For Bismarck and vicinity: Partly cloudy and somewhat unsettled tonight and Tuesday; probably rain; not much change in temperature.

For North Dakota: Partly cloudy and somewhat unsettled tonight and Tuesday with probably rain in the west portion; not much change in temperature.

Weather Conditions. A low pressure trough extends from Alberta southward over the Rocky Mountains region, with low pressure centers over Alberta and Colorado. The pressure increases eastward to the lake region where a high pressure area is central. It has fallen over the southern plateau region and over the Pacific coast. The temperature remains moderate over the United States but is below freezing in western Canada. The eastward movement of the low pressure area will result in partly cloudy and somewhat unsettled weather in North Dakota tonight and Tuesday with probably rain in the west portion and not much change in temperature.

ORRIS W. ROBERTS, Meteorologist.

The Andes form the longest single mountain chain in the world.