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STATE VOTE IS CLOSE CUMMINS MAY YET WIN

Two-Thirds of Counties Give Allison Slight Lead For Senatorial Nomination--Judge Prouty Defeats Hull

CUMMINS COUNTIES YET TO REPORT

Believed That Allison's Apparent Lead Will Be Liberally Overcome When Complete Returns Are Received from Northwest Counties--Carroll, Standpatter, Is Nominated for Governor, and Clarke, Progressive, for Lieutenant Governor--Ketchum for Railway Commissioner and Riggs for Superintendent.

Special to Times-Republican. Des Moines, June 3.—There never was such chaos in election returns. Estimated majorities are constantly being changed and in most cases the Allison counties reduce their leads and the Cummins counties gain. At Cummins headquarters the statisticians have only 53 counties which they will accept as accurate and these show lead for Cummins without Polk. Telegrams are being sent out warning officials to guard their ballots as the result is so close as to require an official count and croaked work in only a few counties might determine the issue. Whoever wins will have barely 5,000 to spare in the whole state.

Special to Times-Republican. Des Moines, June 3.—While Allison for senator has an apparent lead in the face of the returns from two-thirds of the precincts of the state, Cummins friends are still quite confident that the complete vote of the state will give him the nomination by a small but safe majority. The counties yet to report are in strong progressive territory where a dozen of them might entirely overcome Allison's present majority of 2,000, which is all his friends now claim. The returns are coming in slowly this afternoon.

Special to Times-Republican. Des Moines, June 3.—A light vote in the northern part of the state where Cummins is expected to get his heaviest vote is cutting into Cummins' estimated majorities. Figures from twenty-four counties, all estimates but based on more or less complete reports, give Allison a lead, but the best Cummins counties are not included. These reports show Allison majorities as follows: Adair 300, Adams 300, Benton 400, Blackhawk 500, Cedar 600, Jasper 400, Jones 975, Keokuk 200, Linn 2,000, Madison 500, Montgomery 50, Scott 750, Union 200, Warren 400, Wayne 250. Most of these are reservation counties, and were conceded to Allison stronger even than the results, except that Blackhawk and Jasper were a surprise, and in Jones and Linn Allison's lead has gained over expectations.

Returns from the counties thus far reported indicate the following majorities: For Allison, Buchanan 250; Butler 400; Cass 200; Chickasaw 100; Clarke 400; Clinton 470; Delaware 600; Des Moines 250; Floyd 250; Guthrie 125; Harrison 550; Henry 500; Jackson 500; Jasper 500; Jefferson 500; Johnson 900; Muscatine 200; Page 300; Pottawattamie 650; Shelby 130; Taylor 800; Woodbury 500.

Cummins' majorities are: Calhoun 200, Carroll 350, Cerro Gordo 550, Clayton 150, Grundy 400, Lucas 300, Marshall 1,342, Polk 4,000; Ringgold 200, Tama 300. For Cummins, Boone 700; Buena Vista 450; Calhoun 200; Carroll 350; Cherokee 400; Clay 400; Dickinson 300; Fayette 450; Greene 150; Hamilton 900; Hancock 150; Hardin 845; Ida 150; Kosciusko 700; Lucas 300; Lyon 325; Sac 550; Story 750; Tama 200; Webster 200; Winnebago 775; Worth 700; O'Brien 350; Palo Alto 200; Pocahontas 575; Poweshiek 300. This does not include Dubuque or Polk the homes of Allison and Cummins which are about a standoff. Ringgold and Lucas in the reservation were not counted for Cummins, and the other pluralities are fully up to the estimates on which a victory of 25,000 has been predicted.

There is almost no information at hand as yet on governor and other offices except that in some scattered precincts Garst has run ahead of Cummins. In fifteen precincts in Polk county, however, Garst ran behind Cum-

mins majorities were less than expected by both factions. In the first ward, out of a total of 210 votes, 95 were for Cummins and 92 for Allison; in the Second the total vote was 175, with 85 for Cummins and 72 for Allison; in the Third 122 votes were cast, of which 51 were for Cummins and 42 for Allison; the Fourth ward polled 147 votes, giving Cummins 58 and Allison 72. Grinnell township polled but 66 votes, 36 being for Cummins and 30 for Allison. Chester township gave 35 for Cummins and 22 for Allison; Jackson (including Montezuma) 170 Cummins, and 104 Allison; Pleasant township, 46 majority for Cummins, but Malcom 4 majority for Allison; Bear Creek (including Brooklyn) 67 Cummins majority; Sugar Creek 4, and Deep River 63 Cummins majorities. The eleven precincts from which returns were obtainable last night, gave a Cummins majority of 268. The indications are that Cummins carries Poweshiek county by 300 to 240. In Grinnell city, Fourth ward the vote for governor was 60 for Carroll and 46 for Garst; for Sixth district, 57 for Kendall and 48 for Rominger. The democratic and prohibition showing in the city was surprising in its meagerness, being only about a half dozen in each case in any ward. It seemed almost as if this was considered by both these parties as a purely republican primary, instead of a state primary for all parties. The socialist vote was not in evidence.

Special to Times-Republican. Muscatine, June 3.—Muscatine county gives Allison 904, Cummins 676, a majority of 228. It gives Carroll 763, Garst 351 and Hamilton 174. The second district will go for Allison by 2,500.

Special to Times-Republican. Washington, June 3.—Official returns of Washington county give Allison a majority by 200 to 51. The standpat candidates for state offices have about the same majorities. Samuel McCleery, standpat defeats S. W. Neal for representative by only seventeen votes. George Eckerman, progressive, for governor leads by 500 to 450 and Cedar by 50 votes. Marshall county gave Good a surprisingly large vote, his majority in that county being at least 1,300. Grundy also supported Good by an unexpected vote, his majority in that county, with but one precinct missing, being 750.

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Special to Times-Republican. Jasper, June 3.—Allison carried Jasper county by 200 votes, according to returns from twenty-six of the thirty precincts. These precincts give Allison 1,289, Cummins 1,083, Carroll 1,055, Garst, 686; Murphy, 1,012; Clarke 890.

For representative W. R. Cooper, standpat, 500 to 600 majority. Rominger for congress will carry this, the Sixth district, by 2,000 to 2,500 over Kendall.

Special to Times-Republican. Burlington, June 3.—Allison carries the First district, at a conservative estimate, by 3,900 and Carroll by 5,000. This is about the majorities conceded prior to the election.

Special to Times-Republican. Johnson 800 Standpat. Iowa City, June 3.—Allison carries Johnson county by 800, the usual standpat majority.

Cummins Wins Clinton. Clinton, June 3.—Clinton county gives Allison 478 majority. This is one of the few counties in which Cummins shows loss. Clinton county gives Carroll 1,804 votes; Garst 802; Wilson 660; Carke 1,075; Murphy 400.

Reservation Counties. Council Bluffs, June 3.—The following Allison majorities are reported from western Iowa counties in yesterday's primary election: Adams, 1,000; Harrison, 927; Shelby, 205; Cass, 500; Taylor, 385; Adair, 300; Fremont, 700; Pottawattamie, 700; Audubon, 124. Returns from Calhoun county give Cummins a majority of 200.

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Light Vote in Hardin. Cummins Carries County, Garst Loss It-Pickett Gets Large Majority. Eldora, June 3.—Only two-thirds the normal vote of Hardin county was cast in yesterday's primary. Out of a total of 3,900 votes, only 2,200 were cast, thus reducing the majorities of the progressive candidates. Carroll, to the surprise of everyone, carried the county by a small majority, this being attributed to his active campaign in this vicinity and the splendid impression he made. The vote was as follows: Senator—Cummins, 1,596; Allison, 782. Congressman—Pickett, 1,207; Sweeney, 656. Representative—Welden, 1,029; Durbin, 904. Auditor—Vigers, 1,135; Meader, 960. Recorder—Kennedy, 1,019; Stout, 994. Candidates for other county offices had no opposition.

Less Than Expected. Cummins' Majorities Not Heavy in Grinnell and Vicinity. Grinnell, June 3.—Yesterday's primary brought some surprises to this vicinity. The vote was very light in both city and township, and the Cum-

GOOD SWEEPS FIFTH DISTRICT BY 1,700

Scores a Great Victory Over Trewin, Railroad Candidate For Congress

CARRIES FOUR BIG COUNTIES

Lacks Only Fifty Votes of Capturing Cedar, Home of Congressman Cousins, Who Supported Trewin - Gets Linn by Small Majority - Marshall's Big Boost.

Special to Times-Republican. Cedar Rapids, June 3.—The most sweeping victory in the state primary was the nomination of James V. Good for congressman in the Fifth district. Good has carried the district by over 1,700, and this majority may be increased by the complete returns. Good carried Linn, Marshall, Grundy and Tama counties by majorities surprising large except in Linn, where the opposing candidate resides and where Good's majority is conservatively estimated at 200. The lead here may exceed this, his friends claiming the county by from 300 to 500. Good came within fifty votes of carrying Cedar county, the home Congressman Cousins, who supported Trewin in the present contest.

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THE TOTAL VOTE INVOLVED. The Alignment of Counties in 1906 and Their Voting Strength. This being the first state-wide primary held in Iowa, there are no figures by which to base the factual strength in previous years. To show how the counties of the state lined up in the Cummins-Perkins contest in 1906, the vote of the delegates in the state convention is shown below, with the total vote of each county for Carroll for governor of that year, the normal republican vote cast in the general election of 1906.

Table with columns: County, Cummins, Perkins, Total. Lists counties like Adair, Adams, Allamakee, Ansonia, Audubon, Benton, Black Hawk, Boone, Bremer, Buchanan, Buena Vista, Butler, Calhoun, Carroll, Cass, Cedar, Cerro Gordo, Cherokee, Chickasaw, Clarke, Clay, Clayton, Clinton, Crawford, Dallas, Davis, Decatur, Delaware, Des Moines, Dickinson, Dubuque, Emmet, Fayette, Floyd, Franklin, Fremont, Greene, Grundy, Guthrie, Hamilton, Hancock, Hardin, Harrison, Henry, Howard, Humboldt, Ida, Iowa, Jackson, Jasper, Jefferson, Johnson, Jones, Keokuk, Kosciusko, Lee, Linn, Louisa, Lucas, Lyon, Madison, Mahaska, Marion, Marshall, Mills, Mitchell, Monona, Monroe, Montgomery.

SUCCESSOR TO LUNT

R. H. Chamberlain, Son-in-Law of Representative Heppburn, Appointed General Appraiser of Merchandise at New York - Was in Customs Service. Washington, June 3.—The president today appointed Roy H. Chamberlain, attorney at law for Iowa and Washington, as general appraiser of merchandise at New York.

Chamberlain is a son-in-law of Representative Heppburn of Iowa, and he succeeds Wilbur F. Lunt, deceased. The position pays \$7,500 a year, and is supposed to carry a life tenure. Chamberlain was in the customs service under General Bell, the new chief of staff of the army, and also held a government position in Honolulu.

AT DETROIT IN 1910. Columbus, O., June 3.—The convention of the Brotherhood of Locomotive Engineers today voted to meet in Detroit in 1910, also that the headquarters of the order shall remain at Cleveland.

Cannon Auto Trip Abandoned. Pittsburg, June 3.—The automobile tour of Speaker Cannon and party has been abandoned. Cannon and Congressman Landis will go west tonight. Senator Hemenway left here last night.

PRESIDENT HAS FELL; THROWN BY HORSE

While Riding Green Animal Roosevelt is Thrown Into Small Creek

UNINJURED AND RESUMES RIDE

Horse Reared and Fell Backward, and President's Agility Saved Him - Court Upholds President's Ruling on Whisky and Neutral Spirits—Reduced Postage With England.

Washington, June 3.—While horseback riding with Mrs. Roosevelt yesterday evening the president had an exceedingly narrow escape from serious accident. While ascending a bank near Rock Creek, the president's horse, which was a new one, suddenly reared on its hind legs, then went over backward into a creek. The president slipped from the saddle before the horse reached the water, and, save for a wetting, escaped uninjured. The horse was captured and the president remounted and rode about for some time before returning home. The fall from the horse's back to the stream was about ten feet.

A WHISKY DECISION. Roosevelt's and Bonaparte's View on Whisky and Neutral Spirits Upheld. Washington, June 3.—The question which has caused so much controversy between government officials and distillers, as to whether or not whisky and neutral spirits are like substances, has been judicially determined by the District of Columbia court of appeals, which holds that they are not like substances, thereby sustaining the view taken by President Roosevelt and Attorney General Bonaparte, when the matter was passed upon by them, after the distillers had appealed to them from the decision of the department of agriculture. It also decided that Bourbon whisky can only be made in the state of Kentucky, and must be made from mash, the chief ingredient of which is corn.

REACH POSTAGE AGREEMENT. Two Cents an Ounce Between United States, Great Britain and Ireland. Washington, June 3.—Postmaster General Meyer announced today that an agreement had been reached with the British government, providing for letter postage of two cents an ounce between the United States and Great Britain and Ireland, to become operative October 1, 1933. It stated further that the British postmaster general was making a like announcement to the house of commons today.

EMPLOYERS' LIABILITY WINS. Law Unconstitutional in States Stands in District of Columbia. Washington, June 3.—The employers' liability act of 1906, which the United States supreme court in January last held repugnant to the constitution of the United States and non-enforceable in the states was yesterday held constitutional as to the District of Columbia by the court of appeals. In an opinion by Chief Justice Shepard the court declares that as the legislative power of congress is plenary for the district its power extends to the regulation of all commerce which has its regular nature within its boundaries.

DELAWAR LEAGUE WORKING HARD TO HAVE DEMOCRAT NOMINATED. Wilmington, Del., June 3.—The George Gray league, of Delaware, is now mailing 50,000 Gray pamphlets, which will be sent into every state and territory in the country, containing an interesting account of the life of George Gray, with ardent appeals for his nomination as the democratic candidate for president.

NET GAIN FOR HEARST. Ballots Now Recounted in Sixty-four Boxes, in New York. New York, June 3.—With the recounting of ballots in sixty-four boxes in the McClintock-Hearst-Ivins majority election in 1905, completed this afternoon, Hearst's net gain was 119.

CANADIAN CAPITALIST DEAD. Sir Robert Gillespie Reid, of Montreal, Passes Away Today. Montreal, June 3.—Sir Rupert Gillespie Reid, railroad builder and capitalist, died today.

New Bishop Elected. Wilmington, Del., June 3.—Frederick J. Kinsman, professor of history in the general theological seminary, New York, today was elected bishop of the Protestant Episcopal diocese of Delaware, to succeed the late Bishop Leighton Coleman.

Warsaw, Ind., Bank Fails. Warsaw, Ind., June 3.—The state auditor this afternoon ordered the Kosciusko county Bank closed. Bad loans are the cause.

T.-R. BULLETIN.

NOTICEABLE NEWS OF TODAY

GUINNESS INQUIRY SUDDENLY HALTS

Officials Find They Have No Funds With Which to Prosecute Investigations

CAN'T USE APPROPRIATION

Arrangements Will Be Made to Enable Officials to Proceed Later—Appropriation Was Set Aside for Production of Mrs. Guinness Alive—General News.

LaPorte, Ind., June 3.—Investigation into the Guinness cases was suddenly stopped today, because of the decision by the county commissioners that they cannot use \$5,000 appropriated for their office by the county council for anything but the payment of a reward for the production of Mrs. Guinness alive. A conference of officials will be held tomorrow with the view of straightening out the money matters, so the investigation will not be stopped permanently.

LITTLE GIRL MIRACULOUSLY ESCAPES DEATH TRYING TO FOLLOW HER FATHER. Murphysboro, Ill., June 3.—Beulah, 3 year old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Bagley, residing sixteen miles east of this city, had a miraculous escape from death when an Illinois Central freight train of sixty cars passed over her and left her unconscious lying in the center of the track. The family lives near the track and the child attempted to follow her father to work, crossing the tracks. She fell under a train, but could regain her footing the train was upon her, the engine and sixty cars passing over her body. The unconscious child was picked up by the mother. She was suffering from an ugly gash in the back of her head and had many other bruises.

PLATT MUST PAY EXPENSES. Law Firm Expended \$2,471 for the Senator's Wife. New York, June 3.—Senator Thomas C. Platt will be compelled to pay to the law firm of Marsh, Winslow & Weaver, \$2,471, expenses which they paid for Mrs. Lillian Janevay Platt, the senator's wife, during the pendency of her suit for separation. This was the verdict of the jury in the supreme court today.

ANTI DREYFUS AGENCIES BUSY. Trying to Provoke an Anti-Zola Manifestation in Paris Tomorrow. Paris, June 3.—An anti-Dreyfus paper and reactionary agencies are plainly trying to provoke an anti-Zola manifestation tomorrow, when the remains of Emile Zola will be transferred to the Pantheon, French temple of fame. The ceremony of the transfer will be very elaborate and impressive.

SCORES COMMITTEE. Pittsburg Woman Creates Sensation in United Presbyterian General Assembly, Because Report Did Not Show Better Record in Behalf of Temperance. Pittsburg, June 3.—Indignant because she believed the committee on temperance of the general assembly of the United Presbyterian church was not giving proper attention to the subject of suppressing the ravages of the liquor traffic, Mrs. J. P. Cameron, of this city, caused a sensation at today's session. When told by the moderator that the report of the committee presented this morning, mentioned simply the amount of the appropriation which had been received, Mrs. Cameron rose in the audience, and declared: "If this is the case, as a member of the United Presbyterian church, I bow my head in shame."

TO MAKE RAIL TRAVEL SAFE. New Law Gives Commission Power to Test Appliances. Washington, June 3.—An important provision so far as the railroads and traveling public of the country are concerned was embodied in the sundry civil appropriation bill and has become law without attracting attention. By law the interstate commerce commission is now authorized to investigate, test and report on the use and need of any appliances or inventions intended to promote the safety of railway operation. Inventors of such appliances are required to furnish them in complete working order and the commission is empowered to employ persons familiar with the subject to conduct the experiments and investigations. It is thought by the framers of this law that it will vastly promote the introduction of safety devices upon railroads by encouraging the inventors.

BIG BOND ISSUE SOLD. Report Says Union Pacific Has Sold \$40,000,000 Worth to Issue. New York, June 3.—Announcement that the Union Pacific Railway Company has sold to a syndicate of American and European bankers, \$40,000,000 of the \$100,000,000 issue of first mortgage bonds authorized last month, is expected to be made at the meeting

INDIAN EDUCATOR DEAD.

Captain Standing Helped Found the Carlisle Indian School.

ADDITIONAL MARKETS

St. Louis Grain. St. Louis, June 3. Wheat—July, 87 1/2. Corn—July, 87 1/2. Oats—July, 45 1/2.

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Bank Teller Sues. New York, June 3.—Charles T. Blair, paying teller of the Forty-second street branch of the Corn Exchange bank, committed suicide today in the basement of the bank.

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