

## RAMSEY COUNTY REMAINED ANTI LEAGUE GROUND

### Langer Carried Nearly Every Precinct In Primaries

### BUTZ LED TICKET

### Race For County Jobs Causes Surprises To Some

The primary election June 30th brought no surprises in its results in Ramsey county so far as the state election was concerned. The county stood solid against the Nonpartisan league and labor ticket. Big majorities were returned for the anti-Townley forces in every instance throughout the ticket. Langer carried nearly every precinct in the county against Frazier in the governorship race. Langer's definite defeat could not be attributed to lack of support in this district. He drew an increased vote of nearly 300 ballots over the anti-

league majority against Frazier at the last state election.

Judge C. W. Butz, seeking nomination as district judge of the second judicial district, ran far ahead of the ticket with the exception of those candidates receiving women's votes, and excepting candidates running without opposition. Latest reports from all parts of the district indicate he ran second in the list of six nominees, Judge Burr leading, due to support of the farmer-labor vote.

Martin H. Olson polled 1831 votes for state representative, leading the field of five nominees. Mr. Olson is serving an unexpired term and indications point to his retaining his present strength at the November battle of ballots.

The race for county office nominations brought the surprises of the election. Inez Siegel received 279 votes for the nomination of county superintendent against John A. Haig, present incumbent, and will make the race at the fall election supported by the Nonpartisans.

A greater surprise was the showing of A. E. Toomey against E. W. Gilbertson for the nomination as coroner. Toomey polled 1,673 votes to Gilbertson's 951.

While the votes recorded in another column do not show it, the name of Glen R. Batten was written in to run for county auditor against J. H. Kramer. It is not generally believed he will make the race.

Romanus Downey easily led the four cornered race for register of deeds with Otto E. Hagen second. The league candidate, Joe White, was

third man with Ole Holbeck fourth. George Elmalle led J. W. Cavers, the latter of Churchs Ferry, by 185 votes in the race for the county treasurer nomination.

William H. Gardner made a good showing against Judge E. H. Griffin on the county judgeship ticket, indicating a stiff fight at the fall election.

J. A. Haig and Ralph McKeown had a race all their own for nomination as county surveyor with McKeown leading Hall 196 to 77.

## THE RAMSEY COUNTY VOTE

| United States Offices        |       |
|------------------------------|-------|
| For U. S. Senator—           |       |
| Frank White                  | 108   |
| A. J. Gronna                 | 1577  |
| E. F. Ladd                   | 966   |
| Congressman—                 |       |
| O. B. Burtness               | 1499  |
| John Baer                    | 1153  |
| State Offices                |       |
| Governor—                    |       |
| William Langer               | 1612  |
| Lynn J. Frazier              | 1073  |
| Lieut. Governor—             |       |
| Frank B. Streeter            | 1494  |
| Howard Wood                  | 1086  |
| Secretary of State—          |       |
| Thomas Hall                  | 1712  |
| J. J. Cahill                 | 918   |
| State Auditor—               |       |
| Carl R. Kositzky             | 1565  |
| D. C. Poindexter             | 1001  |
| State Treasurer—             |       |
| John Steen                   | 1643  |
| R. H. Walker                 | 956   |
| Attorney General—            |       |
| Richard F. Gallagher         | 1564  |
| William Lemke                | 1002  |
| Commissioner of Insurance—   |       |
| Henry T. Quance              | 1439  |
| S. A. Olsness                | 1042  |
| Commissioner of Agriculture— |       |
| Arthur White                 | 1430  |
| John N. Hagen                | 1117  |
| Commissioner of Railroads—   |       |
| C. M. McDonnell              | 958   |
| W. H. Stutsman               | 1513  |
| E. J. Krueger                | 1468  |
| Jack Williams                | 1482  |
| Chas. F. Dupius              | 777   |
| Frank Milhallan              | 866   |
| State Senator—               |       |
| J. E. Stevens                | 1285  |
| John R. Anderson             | 941   |
| Representatives—             |       |
| Martin Olson                 | 1091  |
| C. A. Sagen                  | 1499  |
| Adolph Mikkelsen             | 1561  |
| George Laird                 | 833   |
| G. W. McDonnell              | 788   |
| Judge of Supreme Court—      |       |
| A. M. Christianson           | 15399 |
| Seth W. Richardson           | 894   |
| District Judges—             |       |
| William J. Kneeshaw          | 1390  |
| A. G. Burr                   | 1481  |
| C. W. Butz                   | 1936  |
| H. C. DePuy                  | 629   |
| Silver Serungard             | 808   |
| Chas. A. Verret              | 576   |
| Supt. Public Instruction—    |       |
| Minnie J. Nielson            | 1862  |
| Ruth M. Johnson              | 1012  |
| County Offices               |       |
| Co. Supt. Schools—           |       |
| John A. Haig                 | 2094  |
| Inez Seigel                  | 279   |
| Sheriff—                     |       |
| Ed. Elliott                  | 2427  |
| County Auditor—              |       |
| Joseph A. Kramer             | 2348  |
| County Treasurer—            |       |
| J. W. Cavers                 | 1167  |
| George Elmalle               | 1352  |
| Clerk of Court—              |       |
| Herman Stenseth              | 2312  |
| Register of Deeds—           |       |
| Romanus Downey               | 889   |
| Otto E. Hagen                | 881   |
| Ole J. Holbeck               | 315   |
| Joe White                    | 502   |
| State's Attorney—            |       |
| Sivert W. Thompson           | 2066  |
| A. R. Smythe                 | 54    |
| County Judge—                |       |
| E. H. Griffin                | 1635  |
| William J. Gardner           | 941   |
| County Surveyor—             |       |
| J. A. Hall                   | 77    |
| Ralph McKeown                | 196   |
| Coroner—                     |       |
| A. E. Toomey                 | 1673  |
| E. W. Gilbertson             | 951   |
| Initiated Laws               |       |
| Anti-Red Flag Law—           |       |
| Yes                          | 1781  |
| No                           | 637   |
| State Sheriff—               |       |
| Yes                          | 840   |
| No                           | 1444  |
| Smelling Committee—          |       |
| Yes                          | 898   |
| No                           | 1455  |
| Absent Voters Amend.—        |       |
| Yes                          | 934   |
| No                           | 1452  |

## VERMONT MAY BE FINAL STATE TO RATIFY SUFFRAGE

Washington, July 7. — Governor Clement of Vermont, after a conference here with Senator Harding, the Republican presidential nominee, indicated that he would immediately call the Vermont legislature in special session to act on the federal suffrage amendment.

The Vermont governor, while not stating definitely his course in the suffrage matter, was quoted in a statement from Senator Harding's office as saying that he "frankly confessed there was a preponderance of Republican advice in favor of a special session being called to consider ratification."

Statements were issued by both Senator Harding and Governor Clement regarding the conference which took place at the former's home. There was no statement by either as to whether the governor came to Washington at the invitation of the Republican candidate or on his own volition.

Senator Harding said: "It gave me an opportunity to say to Governor Clement that I was deeply interested in the final disposition of the question of ratification and I told the governor frankly that if my advice were wanted, I would be glad to see Vermont Republicans close up the great franchise reform. The women throughout the nation are deeply interested in the national campaign and the ratification must be closed soon if they are universally to parti-

cipate in the federal election. I would be gratified, of course, to have Republican Vermont close the gap, but Governor Clement understands I was not trespassing on his authority in giving him such an opinion in the course of our conference."

Governor Clement in his statement said: "I have been calling on Senator Harding, and we discussed the state of the union agreeably, you can be sure, and we discussed suffrage ratification by Vermont. Our state Republican convention asked me to call the extra session. Chairman Hays has urged it on behalf of the national

committee. Naturally I wanted Senator Harding's views and he suggested an early call. My reluctance is due to feeling that Vermont prefers to change the fundamental laws very deliberately. We can only change our state legislation by one direct appeal to the people and the favorable action of two legislatures. We are reluctant, therefore, to ratify by a legislature which was elected at a time when suffrage was not an issue."

**TENNESSEE IN RACE.**  
Washington, July 7. — Governor Roberts of Tennessee, in a telegram, received last night by the National

Womans Party declared that he would call a special session of the legislature to meet Aug. 9 for the purpose of acting on the federal suffrage amendment. The governor's telegram was the first announcement from him of the date of the special session although it had been stated several days ago at Nashville that Aug. 9 had been decided upon.

**Wet Porphyry Pebbles.**  
At Nantasket Beach I cannot but approve the taste which clothed the emperors in purple, when I see the wet porphyry pebbles.—Emerson.

# LIGHTNING!

Struck the Barn on the Swenson Farm east of Southam Saturday. Gust Pershke, the tenant, had seven head of horses and other personal property destroyed.

Dan Regan also had two horses killed by lightning in the pasture last week.

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# BASE BALL AT Devils Lake

| Date     | Day       | Visitors     | Game At    | Time       |
|----------|-----------|--------------|------------|------------|
| July 8,  | Thursday  | Warwick      | Soo Park   | 6:30 P. M. |
| July 9,  | Friday    | Towner       | Soo Park   | 6:30 P. M. |
| July 10, | Saturday  | Towner       | Chautauqua | 4:30 P. M. |
| July 11, | Sunday    | New Rockford | Chautauqua | 4:30 P. M. |
| July 12, | Monday    | Valley City  | Soo Park   | 6:30 P. M. |
| July 13, | Tuesday   | Valley City  | Soo Park   | 6:30 P. M. |
| July 14, | Wednesday | Valley City  | Soo Park   | 6:30 P. M. |
| July 15, | Thursday  | Starkweather | Soo Park   | 6:30 P. M. |

NOTE—Some of the engagements may be changed to occur at City Park, (Chautauqua).

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## LIGHTNING DOES DAMAGE HERE

The Monteth West Side meat market on Minnewaukan avenue near Sixth street, suffered a considerable loss by fire Sunday—the only Fourth of July blaze reported and that not chargeable to mishandling of fire works. The loss was covered by insurance, according to A. Powell of the Powell Agency.

Other minor fire losses were reported in various sections of Ramsey county. Mr. Powell said, most of them the result of lightning.

The Nellie Swenson place, east of Southam, was in the lightning belt. Mr. Powell told the World, losing seven head of horses valued at an average of \$150 each. Some other personal property was also destroyed by accompanying fire.

Dan Regan of Webster, also had two horses killed by lightning during the past week.

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