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WALSH IN SURVEY OF CONDITIONS

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By GEORGE R. HOLMES  
WASHINGTON, Oct. 24.—The pendulum which two years ago swung the Republicans into power in all branches of the federal government is swinging back this year with such momentum that the Republicans will be lucky if they get past November 7 with a bare control of congress. It was asserted today by Senator Davis I. Walsh, Democrat of Massachusetts, returning from a rapid survey of political conditions west of the Alleghenies.

Senator Walsh, who as chairman of the Democratic senatorial committee, has had the direction of a good part of the opposition fight this fall, did not predict that the Democrats would regain control of congress. The Republican control of the senate that actual control cannot be taken away from them this year, and conservative Democratic spokesmen privately agree with them, but by common consent it is also agreed by some that Democratic gains are only two weeks away.

"Our gains will be general," said Senator Walsh, "but particularly will we gain in the west. Tariff, taxation and the general depression that has struck the great growing sections of the country under republican policy—all these factors combine to bring the west back into the Democratic fold."

Against the claims set up by Senator Walsh, the Republicans claimed today to be certain of capturing some senatorial seats in the west north of New Mexico, Arizona, New Mexico and Montana. Republican spokesmen asserted that the defeat of Senator Hitchcock of Nebraska, who led the League of Nations fight for Woodrow Wilson two years ago, is now assured. They also asserted their largely upon the entry into the campaign of Senator George W. Norris, Nebraska, with an endorsement of R. B. Howell, Hitchcock's Republican opponent.

Did You Hear That

PROBELL (Gary) plays Hammond high school here Saturday.

TONIGHT is the night of the big Kwanza party at the Masonic Temple.

SIGN of winter. Cousins Jewelry store on State street has the first "Do Your Christmas Shopping Early" advertisement.

HERE'S co-operation. The Presbyterian Men's Club rents the gym to the young men's class of the Methodist church one night a week.

APATHY in name but not in nature. Three brothers Apathy are studying English in the classes conducted for foreigners at Brooks House.

GEORGE LAVENT has closed the Hammond Beach Inn for the summer and autumn season and has started the winter season at the Point Cafe.

SOCIAL Note: The Idle Twelve Club met this afternoon at the home of Mrs. Hoozix, Bridge and the McNairy case were the features of the afternoon.

MGR. J. H. CLINE, of the Western Union, leaves tomorrow for Kalamazoo, Michigan, to attend a conference of Western Union officials and managers of importance.

RECENT government survey locates the manufacturing center of the United States eighty miles south and a hundred and fifty miles east of Hammond. Watch that center come west and north!

ONE of the sights of the town: Julius Tausig meekly taking an awful bawling out from a flivver owner because he backed his car against the flivver's fender. And Julius a constable too!

LEO KNOEZER, local Cadillac agent, has been informed by the statistical department of his company that 60 per cent of all high priced cars sold the past year in the United States were Cadillacs.

SISTER HEDWIGIS, of St. Margaret's hospital staff, wins first prize, \$10 gold, and certificate of commendation in house interior color decorative contest conducted by DeVoe Reynolds at E. C. Minas & Co.

REFEREE HARRY C. SHERIDAN was in Hammond yesterday and held first creditors meetings in six bankruptcy cases in the federal court. He also heard several contested cases from South Bend and Michigan City.

A. MURRAY TURNER is a member of the "unfriendly relations" committee of the Indiana Society banquet at the Drake Hotel, December 9th. Beaumont Parks, of Whiting, is a member of the invitation committee.

FIVE HURT IN AUTO WRECK

Belt Engine Smashes Into Auto Driven by Hammond Men.

Five Hammond men suffered severe injuries and witnessed their car demolished when an Indiana Harbor Belt switch engine crashed into their machine at the Michigan avenue crossing in Indiana Harbor late last night.

Driving east, Adam Orvanik, the owner of the machine, is said to have gained the center of the crossing when Indiana Harbor Belt switch engine No. 320 let of a string of cars from the south end of the yard that crashed broadside into the car, tossing the machine and occupants to the side of the tracks.

Those injured were: Adam Orvanik, of 562 Morton avenue, received lacerations about the head.

Joseph Lach of 541 Moss street, bruises about the head and believed to be suffering from internal injuries.

Stanley Klars of 517 Morton avenue, several slight bruises about the body.

Mike Tempalski, of 562 Morton avenue, teeth knocked out and face a mass of wounds.

Frank Fabik of Standard Steel Car Co., suffered minor bruises.

Police Officer Gergesha of the Indiana Harbor police station, reported the accident and assisted in taking the five injured men to the office of Dr. Turbow where their wounds were dressed.

Omen in the Day's News

(INTERNATIONAL NEWS SERVICE) LONDON, Oct. 24.—Ambassador Harvey says that the Bible does not admit that women have souls and that consequently they are not bound by the Ten Commandments.

HACKENSACK, N. J., Oct. 24.—Young woman stenographer heads jury in murder case in which a 19-year-old actress is one of the defendants.

PHILADELPHIA, Oct. 24.—Mrs. Catherine Rosler, on trial here charged with murdering her husband and his stenographer.

LOS ANGELES, Oct. 24.—Mrs. Clara Phillips, former chorus girl, on trial charged with beating girl to death with a hammer.

CLEVELAND, Oct. 24.—Mrs. Mabel Champion on trial charged with killing Thomas O'Connell in a restaurant.

NEW BRUNSWICK, N. J., Oct. 24.—New state prosecutor in investigation of murder of Rev. Dr. Edward Hall and Mrs. James Mills expected to order arrest of woman this week.

KANSAS CITY, Mo., Oct. 24.—Peggy Beal acquitted of the murder of her "perfect lover," F. Warren Anderson.

WOMEN TAKE LEAD IN CRUSADE

Cement Dust Nuisance in Twin Cities Stirs Up Liveliest Campaign

FIFTY women are in the field today taking subscriptions. More than a dozen civic and social organizations have volunteered assistance in this drive.

Ten thousand obligation blanks representing that many dollars are in the hands of workers.

Twenty thousand citizens of the Twin Cities are awaiting the outcome.

RESULTS ASTONISHING Results obtained during the morning's canvass of East Chicago is reported to be astonishing.

George H. Lewis, president of the Chamber of Commerce and chief mogul in the cement dust nuisance drive, seems optimistic as to the outcome of the campaign.

An extensive campaign of residents in the west end of the city will be made by the workers before leaving Indiana Harbor territory.

With measured pace and slow poise Mike Elych paced his beat for him, last night, the longest in the world.

H. K. QUINN OUT OF DANGER RENSSELAER, Ind., Oct. 24.—Mrs. Alex Quinn returned home Friday evening from Gary, where she was confined two weeks ago to the bedside of her son, H. A., who lay in a South Chicago hospital in a critical condition from being slashed with a razor in the hands of ruffians, near Robertdale.

Doc Gets Dun. After three years from the time he was discharged from the United States army as captain, Dr. F. L. Townsley received notice today that he owes the government \$10.02.

CARS COLLIDE Two box cars and a caboose were damaged by fire when trains on the E. J. & E. railroad and the I. H. R. collided in a rear end collision in the yards back of the Champion Auto Equipment Co., Gostlin and Sheffield avenues this afternoon.

SMALL WRECK ON GARY & SOUTHERN (SPECIAL TO THE TIMES) CROWN POINT, IND., Oct. 24.—The Gary & Southern Traction Co. were unable to operate their cars on Tuesday afternoon on account of the twelve o'clock car jumping the track at the Gary Country Club.

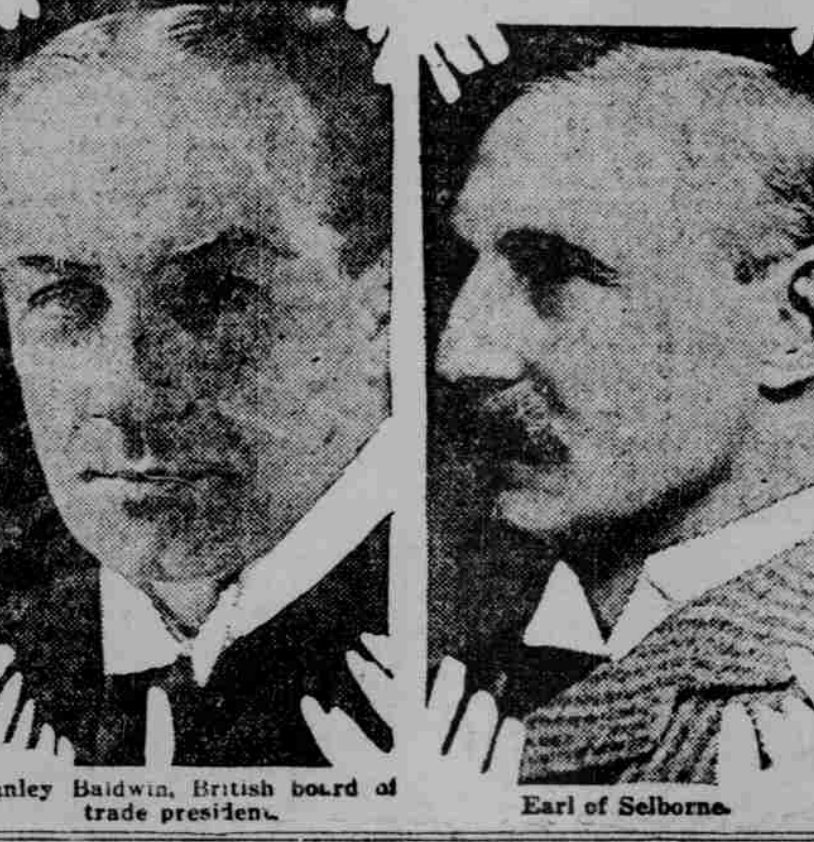
British Cabinet Possibilities



Marquis of Salisbury.



Sir William Joynson-Hicks.



Stanley Baldwin, British board of trade president.



Earl of Selborne.

NEW BOOZE RULES ALLOW DIPLOMATS THEIR WHISKEY

WASHINGTON, Oct. 24.—New regulations, framed under the Daugherty ruling outlawing liquors from shipping in American waters, will safeguard the rights of foreign diplomats to possess abundant stocks of medicinal whiskey and will allow wet supplies in required volume to enter the United States for foreign diplomats. It was declared today at the Treasury department.

CONFERENCE between Treasury and State department officials and representatives of the Department of Justice resulted today in a decision to permit complete freedom of action for foreign envoys in importing and transporting large amounts of liquor and wine for their embassies and legations at Washington.

OFFICER'S SON DIES OF DREAD DISEASE (BULLETIN) WASHINGTON, Oct. 24.—800,000 barrels of fine old whiskey remains in bond, guarded by the government.

It's enough to last the country for twenty years without any further distilling, Prohibition Commissioner Iyaynes said today.

Inventory of the whiskey stocks has been completed preparatory to transfer to new concentration warehouses.

WOMEN KILLED (BULLETIN) WASHINGTON, Oct. 24.—Two men were killed outright and six persons were injured, some perhaps fatally, early today when a Ford touring car, said to have been traveling without lights, collided head on with a heavy sedan on the Lincoln highway east of Wooster.

PARIS, Oct. 24.—An engineer who allowed his train to run by a signal was responsible for a railway collision today in the suburbs of St. Denis, when he, another engineer and three passengers were killed and thirty persons were injured.

Democratic Generals are Not So Pesky As They Were

(TIMES BUREAU AT STATE CAPITAL) INDIANAPOLIS, Oct. 24.—With the general election just two weeks from today, the Republican campaign in Indiana is still showing towards that thing that all persons intimately connected with politics call a climax.

Up to four weeks ago the Democratic general felt rather pesky in some of the congressional districts, especially in sections which were traditionally hostile to Republicanism before the elections of 1916 and 1918.

But four weeks ago Albert J. Beveridge, Republican nominee for United States senator, Senator James E. Watson, Governor McCray and many other speakers of state and national importance started to carry the G. O. P. banner to every section of Hoosierdom.

Now the betting is even money on the county ticket. Local leaders in both parties admit that the battle for the election of the county ticket is close, but there is a likelihood of some nomination on both Democratic ticket. There were ten candidates for the nomination for sheriff. The Republicans, on the other hand, drafted a part of their county ticket. This condition was more eloquent than words.

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As to the vote for Mr. Beveridge in Allen county, there is no difference of opinion. It is admitted on all sides that in this Democratic county on the basis of days gone by should be about 6,000 Democratic—Mr. Beveridge will win easily. In fact, it is declared that his remarkable strength will give such impetus to the ticket that some believe the Republican victory for the local ticket will be overwhelming.

The impression existed in the state during the summer that if any Indiana congressman would have a hard fight it would be Louis W. Fairfield of Angola in the Twelfth district. Now the local leaders declare that the district outside of Allen county is sure to elect a large Republican majority. Allen county would have to go more than 4,000 Democratic to make Fairfield's chances for success shaky.

Throughout the past week the Republican meetings addressed by Mr. Beveridge in the Twelfth, Twelfth and Eleventh districts have been attended by crowds so large that they resemble demonstrations in a presidential campaign.

One feature of the week, interesting because it shows the relative drawing powers of Mr. Beveridge and his Democratic opponent, Samuel M. Rainston, occurred at Portland. Both nominees were scheduled to speak in Portland at the same hour in the afternoon. Mr. Beveridge's train was delayed, mostly men, at his meeting, while Mr. Beveridge spoke in a theatre with 1,000 seats, all of which were filled and many persons were standing to hear his address.

In some of the larger cities it appears that the Democrats are attempting to work a mouth to ear wet campaign. They are not coming out in the open advocating a repeal of the Volstead law, but are passing the word around in pool rooms and other places where persons likely to have wet tendencies congregate. But the voters in these sections are learning about these underhand wet appeals and it appears that in the rural districts the Democrats are going to suffer on this issue.

What's in a Name. Painted head, son of Federal Prohibition Officer Harvey Rhed, of 4287 Olcott avenue, Goldie Goldfinger, of Calumet.

FACTORY ROBBED OF \$4,000

Three bandits this morning sawed their way through the barred windows in the rear of the pants factory of Albert Givens, 602 Chicago avenue, East Chicago, and stole piece goods valued at \$4,000.

A merchant policeman says he saw the bandits, shot at them, but they got away.

Police believe the men made their getaway in automobiles.

WORK UNDERWAY ON IDEAL STRETCH

Actual Cost of Model 40-Foot Concrete Road, \$56,000 a Mile.

(SPECIAL TO THE TIMES) CROWN POINT, Ind., Oct. 23.—The Sheffield avenue thirty-foot asphaltic concrete pavement in Hammond cost the county \$56,000 a mile while the "ideal stretch" of concrete road, on the Lincoln highway at Dyer, forty feet wide, which is being built by the Lincoln Highway Association will cost \$66,000 a mile.

Although the Lincoln Highway Association is spending about \$100,000 a mile on the improvement nearly half of that amount is being used for landscaping, ornamental lighting, tree planting and the overhead expenses of planning and executing the project.

Thousands of dollars worth of money is being laid out in the concrete road project in order to make it a model roadway for the entire country.

The concrete is ten inches thick and instead of wire, half inch steel rods are used for reinforcement. The road which is being laid now will last a lifetime. Engineers declare it will be as good as new in twenty-five years. It is a mute rebuke to the type of roads that have been built in Lake county at enormous cost to the taxpayers.

The standard price on concrete roads, eighteen feet in width, is \$25,000 in Illinois, Pennsylvania and other states. This price has been advertised in all trade journals as just and sufficient.

INDIANAPOLIS, Oct. 24.—A. B. Anderson, judge of the federal court, Saturday sent Demetri Economoff, a Gary lawyer, to the Marion county jail for an indefinite time on charge of contempt of court.

Economoff some time ago was ordered by the court to return to Mike Zoran \$750 of a fee of \$950 which the lawyer collected for representing Zoran in the federal court. He failed to return the money.

Zoran was sentenced by Judge Anderson in 1919 to serve three years in the penitentiary for counterfeiting.

NEW THEATRE BUILDING AT WHITING WHITING, Ind., Oct. 24.—This city is to have a handsome new store, office and theatre building on 119th st. facing LaPorte ave. There will be three stores and lobby on the west end of the building and seven office suites. The theatre will have a seating capacity of 1,000, consisting of a main floor and mezzanine. The auditorium will be 75x100 feet with all modern equipment, such as ventilating, colling, pipe organ, etc.

MISS ADKINS RE-ELECTED INDIANAPOLIS, Oct. 24.—Miss Alta Adkins of Hammond, was re-elected president of the primary election of the Indiana State Teachers association at the Murat theater. The other new officers are: Miss Sue Blasingham, Indianapolis, vice-president; Miss Geneva Strain, Logansport, secretary-treasurer. Dr. H. H. Goddard, professor of abnormal psychology at the University of Ohio, made a talk on the "teacher's responsibility to the defective child. Films of what is being done in the primary department of the Fort Wayne schools were shown.

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MEASURES ORESBIE and Grady feel that Whiting people will be well satisfied when the theatre is ready for their inspection. The stores and offices will be ready for occupancy about December 10th and the theatre complete February 15th. Matlon and Blazonska are the contractors.

COUNTY and state sealers were in attendance from all parts of Indiana.

AFTER repeated warnings to an East Chicago mother to send her girl to school, Judge Miles E. Norton, of juvenile court, orders the mother removed to woman's prison for 60 days for violating school laws, and the daughter he sends to girls' detention home. Truancy among foreign born school children growing at alarming pace, say officials.

KARL GRIFFINA school attendance department head, plans war on justices of peace, other notaries, who misrepresent birth certificates sworn to before them as legal proof of child's age for purposes of school attendance release. Foreign parents are hoodwinked into believing that by swearing to untrue birth certificates before notaries they can secure release from school for children under sixteen.

Caricature is one of the oldest forms of art.