

NEW YORK ELECTS SMITH GOVERNOR; COPELAND IS VICTOR IN SENATE RACE

Miller Is Defeated in the Gubernatorial Contest, While Calder Loses in Fight to Retain Seat in Upper House of Congress; Speaker Gillett Is Re-Elected.

New York, Nov. 7 (by the Associated Press.)—At midnight the congressional returns were complete from only seven states.

At that hour the election of 119 democratic representatives and 67 republicans out of the total of 435 had been reported, but these figures were in no wise indicative of the political complexion of the next congress, as large blocks of districts with heavy republican delegations in some, and heavy democratic delegations in others still were to be heard from.

Albany, N. Y., Nov. 7.—Governor Miller, receiving the returns in the executive chamber of the capital early tonight, conceded Mr. Smith's election and sent a telegram of congratulation to his opponent.

With 2,550 out of 2,747 districts in New York city heard from 442,804. The greatest margin ever given a candidate by the city in any previous election was 417,000, won by John W. Hill in the mayoralty contest last year.

New York, Nov. 7 (by the Associated Press.)—At 11 o'clock eastern standard time less than half of the returns for United States senator and representative in congress were in and less than half a dozen turnovers in the present lineup had been recorded.

Speaker Cannon, who was re-elected, and Meyer London, the only socialist, had been defeated.

In the senatorial contests, the New York republican state committee had conceded the defeat of Senator Calder by Dr. Royal S. Copeland, New York city's democratic health commissioner.

In Connecticut, Senator McLean, republican, was leading Thomas J. Spillacy, his democratic opponent, in Delaware, Senator Du Pont, republican, was leading for both the short term and the long term to follow.

In Indiana, former Governor Ralston, democrat, with only a narrow margin reported, was leading former Senator Albert J. Beveridge, republican, in what appeared to be a close contest.

In Massachusetts, republican, was re-elected from the second Massachusetts district for his sixteenth term, making him the patriarch of the new house of representatives, an honor held now by former Speaker Cannon, who was not a candidate for re-election to the new congress.

Three chairmen of important committees of the house of representatives were returned in the re-elections of Representatives Butler and McFadden of Pennsylvania and Dempsey of New York. They are chairmen of the naval, banking and rivers and harbors committees, respectively.

New York, Nov. 7.—Up to 8 p. m. eastern standard time the returns from the national congressional election were coming in slowly and the polls in many states were at that hour still open.

The "solid south" returned as usual democratic delegations in Georgia, Louisiana and Mississippi, with indications that other democratic strongholds south of the Mason and Dixon line were in no danger.

Returns from the northeast and west, however, were just beginning. In Massachusetts the first returns showed Senator Lodge running ahead of his opponent, the outstanding result early in the evening was the apparent defeat of Governor Miller in New York by Alfred E. Smith, the democratic governor of two years ago.

The first five women candidates for the house to appear in the returns were beaten. Four were in Pennsylvania and one was in North Carolina.

In the south Senators Trammell of Florida, George of Georgia, Stephens of Mississippi and Swanson of Virginia evidently are elected. Senator George succeeds Mrs. W. H. Felton, appointed by Governor Hardwick to succeed the late Senator Thomas Watson. She was the first woman senator but never took her seat.

Early returns from the senatorial contest in other states were not indicative of the results, although shortly after 8 o'clock the New York Times announced the election of Dr. Royal S. Copeland, democrat, to the senate, in defeat of Senator Calder, republican.

Alfred E. Smith's plurality over Governor Miller of New York continued to mount as the returns piled in.

The first turnover in the congressional elections came in Tennessee.

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PRESIDENT MAY CALL CONGRESS TO MEET SOON

Special Session May Be Summoned for Nov. 20; Senate and House Leaders Endorse the Proposal.

Washington, Nov. 7.—President Harding expects to issue a call Thursday or Friday for a special session of congress convening November 20. It was announced today at the White House.

It was said that although the president was not so readily committed to the proposal for the special session which has generally been expected by congressional leaders, only an eleventh hour change of mind could prevent him from issuing the call.

The plan for a special session after the election has received the general endorsement of senate and house leaders. It is understood the president feels that by meeting at least two weeks in advance of the regular session, the legislative program can be so advanced as to enable congress to clean up its slate by the time the regular session ends next March 4.

The feeling among administration officials is that unless an earlier start is made than would be possible with congress meeting the first Monday in December an extra session undoubtedly would be necessary for next March 4.

Although the program for the special session has not been worked out definitely it briefly provides for consideration by the house of the merchant marine bill and work by the committee on the Dyar anti-laboring measure, which has already passed the house.

Administration leaders hope these two measures can be disposed of by the time the regular session convenes, and house leaders have assured the president that by the time committee work a number of the regular appropriation bills will have been finished.

The house appropriations committee has been called to meet Friday to begin its work.

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Phoenix, Ariz., Nov. 7.—Four precincts reported in Maricopa county, three of them in Phoenix, give for governor: Hunt, democrat, 322; Campbell, republican, 627. Two precincts in Yavapai county give Hunt, 294; Campbell, 490.

Denver, Nov. 7.—Official returns from precinct 9-5, in the Capitol hill district, Denver, gave for governor: Griffith, republican, 329; Sweet, democrat, 79.

For congressmen: The same precincts gave unofficially: Milliken 311; Noland, 195.

Colorado Springs, Nov. 7.—Two precincts in El Paso county, for governor give: Griffith, republican, 144; Sweet, democrat, 90.

For congressmen: Third congressional district, two precincts out of 468, give: Harby, republican, 126; Hunt, democrat, 194.

New Haven, Conn., Nov. 7.—United States Senator George F. McLean had a lead of nearly 6,000 over his democratic opponent, Thomas J. Spillacy, in figures from 29 towns out of 169 in the state. The totals were: McLean, republican, 89,335; Spillacy, democrat, 74,622.

Party-one towns for governor gave: Templeton, republican, 181,323; Fitzgerald, democrat, 96,552.

Denver, Nov. 7.—The first precinct to report in Denver on the

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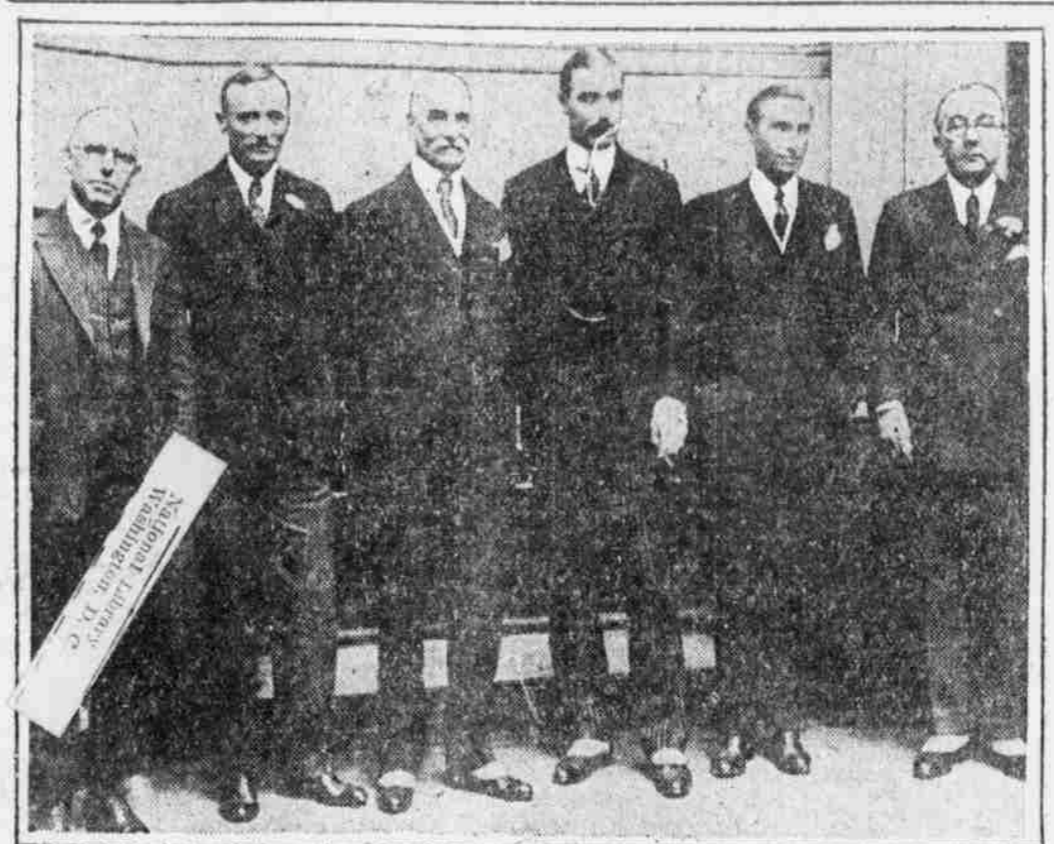
WEATHER

FORECAST. Denver, Colo., Nov. 7.—New Mexico, probably Thursday; somewhat warmer Wednesday; extreme north portion. Arizona: Fair Wednesday and Thursday; no important change in temperature.

LOCAL REPORT

Conditions for the twenty-four hours ended at 8 p. m. yesterday, recorded by the university: Highest temperature 58. Lowest 29. Range 29. Mean 44. Humidity at 6 p. m. 42. Precipitation 0.0. Wind velocity 5. Direction of wind Southwest. Character of day Clear.

Official "Eyes" of America Gather for Conference in Berlin



The ambassadors from the United States to the middle European countries, conferring in Berlin recently at the calling of Ambassador Houghton to discuss the conditions in middle Europe.

LA FOLLETTE IS VICTORIOUS BY 200,000 MARGIN

Seven Republican Congressmen in Wisconsin. All His Supporters, Are Believed to Have Won.

Milwaukee, Nov. 7.—Senator Robert M. La Follette, running as a republican in today's Wisconsin election, was a five to one favorite in tonight's early returns, has been elected United States senator by a margin of 200,000 over his opponent, Mrs. Jessie Jack Hooper, who headed the shattered democratic independent ticket.

Available returns from 292 out of 2,534 precincts at 11 o'clock gave La Follette 20,751; Hooper, 2,526.

Closely following Senator La Follette was his running mate, Governor John J. Blaine, who publicly acknowledges his senatorial leadership and advocated his platform. The vote on the gubernatorial race at this hour from the same number of precincts was Blaine, republican, 23,822; Bentz, democrat, independent, 2,204; Arnold, socialist, 282; Welles, prohibitionist, 87.

Seven of the states republican incumbent congressmen, all La Follette supporters, also have been returned, according to early returns, while in the eleventh district, Herbert H. Pease, republican, was unopposed for election.

2 CLOSE CONTESTS IN CONGRESSIONAL RACE IN KENTUCKY

Louisville, Ky., Nov. 7.—Incomplete returns from the eleven congressional districts in Kentucky show two close contests. In the fifth republican claim the election of M. H. Thatcher by approximately 3,000 votes, with 69 precincts missing.

Democratic headquarters claim the election of Kendrick Lewis by approximately 1,000.

Scattered and incomplete returns from 3 out of 135 precincts in the tenth district gave John W. Langley, republican, 5,155; Tom Hatfield, democrat, 4,812.

The third district, previously considered doubtful, rolled up an unofficial majority of approximately 6,000 to elect R. Y. Thomas, democrat, over W. O. Moats, republican.

GASTON LEADING SENATOR LODGE; CONTESTS CLOSE

One-Third of the Precincts in the State Give Democratic Candidate a Lead of 18,229.

Boston, Nov. 7.—Close contests for senator and governor were indicated by returns from more than one-third of the election precincts in Massachusetts. The vote of 221 precincts, including 245 in the city of Boston, gave a Gaston, democrat, for senator, a lead of 7,229 over Lodge, republican, and Fitzgerald, democrat, for governor, a lead of 18,706 over Cox, republican. The Boston precincts heard from gave Gaston a majority of 42,795 and Fitzgerald 47,262.

Thomas C. O'Brien, republican, was elected district attorney of Suffolk county, including Boston, by a substantial margin over Joseph C. Pelletier, democrat, who was removed from that office by the supreme court.

The 521 precincts gave for governor: Cox (R.), 120,672; Fitzgerald (D.), 131,468. For senator: Gaston (D.), 128,176; Lodge (R.), 109,947.

8 DEMOCRATS IN LOUISIANA WIN CONGRESS SEATS

Present Delegation in the National Assembly Is Returned; There Were No Contests at the Polls.

New Orleans, La., Nov. 7.—Louisiana in the election today returned to congress her present delegation of eight democrats. The delegations were not contested.

G. O. P. CASTS A HEAVY VOTE AT ALABAMA POLLS

Republicans Show More Strength Than Usual. But the Entire Democratic State Ticket Is Elected.

Birmingham, Ala., Nov. 7.—The democratic state ticket, headed by W. W. Brandon for governor, today was elected in its entirety, although republican strength in some sections was reported the heaviest ever recorded.

UNDERWOOD WONT BE IN LEADERSHIP RACE

Birmingham, Ala., Nov. 7.—Senator Oscar W. Underwood of Alabama today formally announced that he will not be a candidate for leadership of the democratic majority in the senate after March 4.

"The condition of my health," said the senator, "makes it advisable both in justice to the party and to myself that I should not offer for re-election. I do not want my friends to feel any unnecessary alarm about my health but it is not robust enough for me to continue after March the duties of leadership which require such constant attendance."

Upon reaching home here from Washington recently, Senator Underwood was attacked by bronchitis and he had to cancel his speaking engagements. His term as senator from Alabama extends four years from next March.

SOLDIER BONUS, BEER AND WINE SWEEP ILLINOIS

Both Propositions Have Been Carried by Enormous Majorities. Is Prediction of Observers.

Chicago, Nov. 7.—Illinois' 555,000,000 soldiers' bonus referendum and the beer and wine proposition were sweeping the state on the face of early returns tonight.

The bonus vote in the downstate precincts—with 131 out of 2,546 reporting, showed the proponents of the payment to soldiers leading by 196,770 votes to the precinct. In Cook county the first eight precincts gave the bonus law a lead of 185 votes to the precinct. The wine and beer referendum led by 106,770 votes to the precinct in the first 121 downstate districts reporting, and by 165,7 in the first eight Cook county precincts.

While the returns already in are few, political observers predicted that both propositions have carried by enormous majorities.

GAS EXPLOSION KNOWN TO HAVE KILLED 80 MEN

Rescue Crews Bring Out Five More Bodies; Are Believed to Be the Last in the Workings.

Shanley, Pa., Nov. 7 (by the Associated Press.)—The Reilly Coal company's mine, swept by a gas explosion yesterday morning, was cleared of its dead today.

Late this afternoon, rescue crews brought out five bodies—believed to be the last in the workings. This brought the total of known dead to 86. Thirty-two miners were rescued. Officials of the company declared that a re-check of their records made it practically certain that 112 men were in the mine when the explosion took place. The total of listed survivors includes six miners who were in the cage when the flood of gas and smoke issued from the mouth of the shaft. The total dead includes the three miners rescued alive, who failed to remain conscious.

Further search of the workings was made tonight. Mine officials and rescue men realize the possibility that one of two men might have entered the mine yesterday without reporting to their boss. All miners listed as missing have been accounted for, however.

BALLOTS WITH MAYFIELD NAME ON CHALLENGED

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The Vote in Albuquerque Was Almost a Landslide; the Republicans Practically Concede the Loss of the Entire Ticket, Including Legislative Candidates.

On the face of returns received up until 2 o'clock this morning, Bernalillo county has returned a substantial majority for the democratic state and county tickets.

In the city of Albuquerque the democratic vote was almost a landslide. The majority for the city will reach 3,000 or more, according to the democratic claim. For city and county the majority apparently will be well over 1,000.

Republicans last night practically conceded the loss of the entire county ticket, carrying with it the three candidates for the state legislature.

It was reported early in the evening when reports of straight ballots were given on the city precincts had carried the city precincts by an average of from two to one to four to one. The subsequent count showed that this proportion held good throughout the scratched ballots, though the republicans had claimed that they would gain when the scratches were checked down. On straight ballots the democrats won in the city by 1,412.

Reports from the country precincts early indicated reduced republican majorities in the republican strongholds. Francisco de Arisco turned in a democratic majority of 235. Barajas showed a close vote. San Jose went democratic by 188, and the republicans carried Alameda by only 11 votes. Palmito went republican by two.

Scattered reports from other localities showed small democratic majorities, and it was apparent that the democrats would carry the county. The official estimate at democratic headquarters was that the county outside the city would go democratic by 200 to 300.

The vote was slow in coming in, and probably all the returns will not be received before tonight.

Precinct 12 1A. For senator: Davis, 135; Jones, 256. For congress: Warren, 159; Morrow, 241. For governor: Hill, 141; Hinkle, 254. For lieutenant governor: Gallages, 145; Bacon, 246. For secretary of state: Des Georges, 141; Chacon, 207. For supreme court: Brantley, 67; Branton, 210. For probate judge: Sanchez, 48; McClellan, 230. For county clerk: Werner, 61; Harris, 211. For sheriff: Lewis, 74; Zamora, 190. For treasurer: Sanchez, 60; Swope, 217. For superintendent: Burke, 30; Montoya, 189.

Precinct 26 1C. For senator: Davis, 64; Jones, 201. For congress: Warren, 87; Morrow, 229. For governor: Hill, 69; Hinkle, 217. For lieutenant governor: Gallages, 57; Bacon, 357. For secretary of state: Des Georges, 106; Chacon, 192. For supreme court: Barnes, 93; Brantley, 415; Branton, 107. For probate judge: Sanchez, 60; McClellan, 230. For county clerk: Werner, 73; Harris, 137. For sheriff: Lewis, 74; Zamora, 190. For treasurer: Sanchez, 60; Swope, 217. For superintendent: Burke, 30; Montoya, 189.

EDWARDS LEADS FOR SENATOR IN RACE IN JERSEY

Partial Returns Give Him 31,263 to 20,915 for Frelinghuysen; Final Result Is in Doubt.

Newark, N. J., Nov. 7.—With returns from all parts of the state dragging slowly in, indications at 11 o'clock tonight were that the results in New Jersey's senatorial and gubernatorial contests would be extremely close.

Representatives of none of the candidates would hazard a confident estimate of the final result.

Only 223 of the state's 2,464 election districts had tabulated their votes by that time. At that hour, Senator Frelinghuysen, republican, 20,915, and Governor Edwards, democrat, 31,263, in the fight for the senatorial post.

For governor, the democratic ticket gave Ruyon, republican, 27,192; and Steier, democrat, 26,442.

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