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COOLIDGE POLLS ENORMOUS VOTE

Received More Votes than Other Two Candidates Put Together

GOLDSBOROUGH ELECTED

New York, Nov. 5—The victory of Calvin Coolidge yestereday was a greater landslide than that which swept Warren G. Harding into the White House four years ago. The attempt of Robert M. La Follette to build the foundations of a third party from the wreckage of the two old partles was a failure. La Follette carried but one state—Wisconsin. John W. Davis carried the solid south Tennessee, Oklahoma and probably New Mexico.

President Coolidge's plurality in New York State approximates a million. He carried every borough in the greater city. The Republicans expect to have control of the next Congress in both houses. La Follette's bloc was disintegrated in the election yesterday Returns coming in from the states west of the Rocky Mountains indicate that the Republican machine functioned with precision in the election.

With the possible exception of a switch of New Mexco's three votes from Davis to Coolidge, the standing of the presidential candidates in the electoral college when final tabulations are in will be:

Coolidge 379
Davis 139
La Follette 13

18,000,000 Vote For Coolidge

It was estimated that Coolidge polled 18,000,000 popular votes—2,000,000 more than were given to Harding. Davis, it was estimated, had 8,000,000, as against 9,000,000 for Cox. Senator La Follette polled about 4,000,000.

More voters trooped to the polling places and dropped their ballots yesterday than ever before in the history of the nation.

Goldsborough Re-elected

Hon. T. Alan Goldsborough, present incumbent in Congress from the first congressional district, was reelected by a majority of nearly 700 votes over Mr. Harry Phoebus.

PRESIDENTIAL VOTE

For Maryland

Allegany	5,017	10,147	3,172
Anne Arundel	3,447	2,991	425
Baltimore City	60,134	71,662	32,947
Baltimore Co.	9,377	9,259	2,717
Calvert	1,212	1,506	82
Caroline	2,251	1,857	103
Carroll	4,584	5,323	309
Cecil	2,884	3,158	225
Charles	1,474	2,184	171
Dorchester	3,026	2,210	175
Frederick	7,812	8,154	461
Garrett	1,244	2,555	442
Harford	3,782	3,379	228
Howard	2,789	2,028	308
Kent	2,553	1,858	75
Montgomery	6,534	5,611	576
Prince George's	3,793	4,349	841
Queen Anne's	3,243	1,658	80
St. Mary's	1,942	1,615	72
Somerset	3,020	3,278	47
Talbot	2,827	2,402	160
Washington	5,212	6,418	1,346
Wicomico	4,363	3,618	298
Worcester	3,043	2,465	9
Totals	145,563	160,785	45,274

CONGRESSIONAL VOTE

For First Congressional District

	Goldsborough Dem.	Phoebus Rep.
Caroline	2,195	1,458
Cecil	3,559	2,998
Dorchester	3,257	2,851
Kent	2,709	1,310
Queen Anne's	2,977	1,443
Somerset	2,899	3,360
Talbot	2,994	2,071
Wicomico	4,580	3,406
Worcester	3,116	1,978
Total	28,296	21,275

Jacobson Asks for Receiver

It is with regret that we note the closing of Mr. Jacobson's store. Coming here about a year ago, Mr. and Mrs. Jacobson opend the store formerly owned by Mr. A. E. Miller. Financial difficulties arising, Mr. Jacobson has asked for a receiver, and on Monday the store was kept closed. It is always unfortunate, not only for the individual, but for the town, when a business fails to profit, and our regret is therefore two-fold. We trust that the future may be brighter for Mr. and Mrs. Jacobson.

What makes a road broad? The letter B.

COMMUNITY SINGING FEATURE OF THE P. T. A. MEETING

The regular monthly meeting of the Parent Teacher Association was held Monday evening in the high school, with the vice president, Mrs. Pickering, in the chair. The program, in charge of Mrs. H. E. Ramsdell and Miss Stephanie Ford, included some community singing of good old familiar songs led by Mrs. J. Kemp Stevens, county musical director, with Mrs. G. H. Rue, acting as accompanist. A very short but equally enjoyable talk by Miss Harwood, the new county supervisor, succeeding iMss Healy, brought two aims before the association—the attempt to secure a worthy library and playground equipment for each school. A piano solo well played by Miss Evelyn Wyatt, and two violin solos by Charles Rickards, accompanied by Hugh Ramsdell, completed the program.

The business meeting opened as usual with the reading of the minutes, followed by the reports of several committees. As Mrs. Wooters declined to reconsider her resignation as president of the association, it was regretfully accepted, and voted that the vice president assume the duties of the chair until the election in January.

Various matters were discussed concerning school affairs; a short talk by Mr. Leary brought out certain items of interest concerning the high school. Mr. W. I. Norris reported the acceptance of the inside site by the building committee, which brought a round of applause from the association.

After the rather unusual exercise of the voices in singing the ice cream cones served by the hostesses were very gratefully received and the meeting adjourned.

OPERETTA TO BE GIVEN FRIDAY EVE.

On Friday evening, November 7th, at 8 o'clock, the Ladies Aid of the M. P. Church will present an evening's entertainment provided by girls under the direction of Miss Adeline Fisher.

The program will be divided into two parts, the first including a series of drills of Denmark, England, France and America. Presented in costume of the various countries, this will be a very attractive feature. Songs and recitations will complete this part of the program.

A tuneful, catchy little operetta entitled "Market Day" will form tne second part. The songs in it are exceedingly pretty and the operetta is sure to please.

Everyone is invited to attend this entertainment. The admission charge is small, and a delightful entertainment is being prepared for you.

Mrs. FLONEY K. POLLARD

Mrs. Floney K. Pollard, wife of Mr. Thomas E. Pollard, died last Thursday at her home on Fountain avenue, following an illness of several montas of cancer. Mrs. Pollard was born in Talbot county in 1881. She is survived by her husband, 4 daughters and 2 sons. Funeral services were held Sunday at the Church of the Bretheren, Rev. Arnold officiating and interment was made in the Ridgely cemetery.

Oyster Supper and Bazaar

The Ladies Aid Society of Concord church will hold an oyster supper and bazaar in the boarding tent at Concord camp on Thursday evening, November 13th. If stormy the following night.

COUNTY FEDERATION MET IN RIDGELY

The County Federation of Women's Clubs met in Ridgely October 31, 1924, as guests of the Ridgely Community Club.

The morning session opened at 10 o'clock, in the Methodist Church.

Singing by Federation. Leader, Mrs. M. A. Bracket, accompanist, Mrs. Mulford Swing. The Lord's Prayer was used as worship. Roll call, minuts, treasurer's report. The Federation president, Mrs. Elizabeth G. Walls, Greensboro, gave a short talk on the County Health Nurse, reading a letter from Medical Director Dr. John M. Nichols in which he says, "Wha has been accomplished through your organization in obtaining a nurse cannot be measured in words. Public health nurses today stand out in all county work as a measure of progress and fully cover the modern idea of prevention. It is probable that I can appreciate the value of a public health nurse more than any individual, particularly as it applies to the work in Caroline County, in so much as for a period of nine months we were without the services of one.

I am absolutely of the belief that tuberculosis work in any county can not be carried on without a public health nurse. In closing I feel that your organization should be justly proud of the work that you have accomplished in obtaining Miss Jackson for the work in Caroline County. I surely hope that her services will bring forth results that will please everyone. I am entirely in favor and know without a doubt that she will be essential to me in my work."

Miss Ruth Jackson newly appointed Public Health Nurse spoke of her work and cited two cases which had already received much needed help. An appeal was made for loan closet equipment for the further development of the work.

The annual reports of clubs were submitted, representing a great variety of activities, covering a large field of achievements, both social and financial during the club year.

Mrs. Carson, Federalsburg, who had attended the State Federation at Baltimore was asked to give a short talk on events of the meeting. She informed us that one of their projects was the building of a recreation hall for blind veterans of the World War. Mrs. Clayton Horsey, Greensboro, gave an interesting report from the Eastern Shore Federation which met quite recently in Princess Anne. Singing by Federation. A paper prepared and presented by Miss Florence Monk, Greensboro, on fine art; art, music and literature, was a work of inspiration. A copy of this paper should be on file in every club for reference and development. This would have a tendency toward raising the standard of our present day music as well as other benefits to clubs. 12:30 a most delicious luncheon was served in the new annex to the Methodist Church.

The afternoon session met in the Community Theater at 2 P. M. Over two-hundred attended the morning session in the church but many more were in attendance at the afternoon meeting. Song by Federation. The outstanding feature of this session was the three political speakers, outlining their policies and platforms. First to be introduced was Mrs. Dora Geletly Ogle, Cantonville, representing the LaFollette or Progressive Party. She pictured an ideal form of government to be worked out through her party.

Solo by Mrs. M. A. Bracket, "Mother O' Mine," encore, "The Rosary." Mrs. Thompson Swing was so graciously received in "Johnniees Histor Lesson" that she responded with "Comfort". Both readings were highly pleasing.

The Democratic speaker, Mrs. Victor Dulac, Baltimore, spoke rather more of the party and what it stood for than of the candidates. Duet by, Mrs. M. A. Bracket and Miss Margaret Swing, "In The Gloaming," encore, "Holy, Holy, Holy."

The Republican speaker, Mrs. Gabriel, Baltimore, eulogized the man Coolidge, stressing his simplicity and fidelity. Singing by Federation.

Our Federation president desires to express in a public way her very great appreciation of the cooperation of clubs and individual workers, for their assistance in making the Federation meetings a success. They are steadily growing in intrest and entertainment. Variety is the spice of life and the am to have something different is a good one. It relieves the monotony of too much business, and yet includes something pleasing and beneficial. We as club women and citizens, should deem it a privilege as well as a duty to rally to the support of, and be active in some woman's organization, to help in the splendid work being done by women's clubs. After a few words of thanks to the hostess club for the use of church and theater and kind reception, the meeting adjourned by singing America.

In Town Site Is Chosen

It was with gratification that the news of the decision of the Bulding Committee for the new school building was made public Monday night. Upon reconsidering, the committee decided that the inside location, under all circumstances was the better site for the new school, and have so advised Dr. Cook, state superintendent of education. The vote was unanimous.

At the meeting of the commitee on Monday night certain matters pertaining to the inside site were definitely cleared up, and the location was presented to the committee free. With the removal of the final obpections, the site was unanimously adopted, and the decision made public. It is generally felt by the patrons and all those interested that the members of the committee have made the best decision possible and that the new building will serve its purposes and its pupils best by being placed in the central location.

HALLOWE'EN SOCIAL A GREAT SUCCESS

Ghosts and goblins, butterflies and gypsies, tramps and Bo Peeps, and a motley assortment of boy-girls and girl-boys filled the Sunday school room of the M. P. church last Thursday night at the Hallowe'en social given by the Live Wire class. The room was decorated in Hallowe'en jack o'lanterns, spooks, cornstalks, etc., and with the lights shaded, made a very attractive appearance. Fortunes were told i nseveral different ways, and the fun and guessing of the various persons occupied the first part of the evening. A grand march gave the judges opportunity to award the prizes for the prettiest costume as well as the most absurd. Then games were played ending in a wierd ghost story which produced squeals of terror and howls of glee.

Delicious individual pumpkin pies, ginger snaps, lolly pops and lemonade were served when all were growing weary with laughter and brought the fun to a close.

I'VE GOT A COLD

By THE CRACKER

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I've got a cold, indeed I have, in agony I sit, while pains shoot through my legs and calves like heavens opposite. My head resembles very much a Bolsevik convention, so doggone sore I cannot touch its bloomin' big dimensions. A thousand miles of booming surf now echos in my ears, chaotic thoughts within me surge like froth on pre-war beer, I reek with salves and liniments, in which I am immersed, while aching demons dance and jazz around my trousers girth. My breath comes rasping in a wheeze, my nostrils function not, I cough and spew, I gag and sneeze, and shiver while I'm hot. So now dear friends, remember this I love to hear you laugh, and do not wish that you should miss one issue of this chaff, else from these laders I'd desist and run a vacant column, so remember when you're reading this, that I feel mighty common.

CANNED FOODS WEEK

Will Be Celebrated Nation-Wide November 8-15

Seven national trade associations are co-operating in arrangements for Canned Foods Week on November 8 to 15th, and reports received at headquarters in Washington show that over 400 towns and cities have already preparede programs. The associations that have joined efforts in this week of education on foods are the National Canners Association, Canning Machinery and Supplies Associa Association, American Wholesale Grocers Association, National Associat of Retail Grocers, National Chain Store Grocers Association, and National Food Brokers Association.

While the observance of Canned Foods Week will be nation-wide, committees in each town and city are arranging the local programs, and many novel features will be introduced. Grocers in all of the places have been furnished with materials for special window displays, and for a week preceeding November 8—the opening day—thousands of delivery wagons and motor trucks will carry the now familiar red-white-and-blue Canned Foods Week streamers announcing the event.

Among the many special features of the local programs are window display contests, with popular vote deciding the winners; street parades, prizes for the most artistic flats, special meetings of women'sclubs and similar organizations addressed by experts on home economics and dietetics; the awarding of prizes in essay contests among school children; food shows lasting the entire week; canned industry and use of canned foods.

Luncheons at which the entire menu will consist of canned foods will again be one of the most popular events of Canned Foods Week, and a novel feature of these luncheons will be the souvenir tin-can banks to be given each guest.

Thousands of these banks are being distributed to clubs and other organizations that are to hold canned food luncheons during the week.

CHRISTMAS STAMPS

With the coming of November and the beginning of preperations for Christmas comes also the drive for Christmas seals. The double barred cross has come to play an important part in the welfare of our nation and each year its results grow larger as the sales spread and the money coming in enables it to do a greater, better work.

This is a work in which we can all share; we can all claim a bit of credit for helping to stamp out the dreaded White Plague, simply by the expenditure of some pennies for these stamps. Indeed, so great has the work become, so widespread is it, that the large businesses are taking it up, and their mail during the weeks before Christmas bears the very attractive double barred stamp.

Very soon the sale of these stamps will begin in the county, and you are urged to buy at every opportunity. Send your letters, personal and private, with this message on them. Help spread the gospel of health and happiness; you will be more than repaid for your slight expense.

Enough for one, too much for two, and nothing for three. Takes one to make and two to keep?

A secret.

CEMENT PLANT AND SEVERAL AUTOS BURN

The cement block plant of the Kaufman Construction Company between 1st street and the river was burned Wednesday morning, the alarm being sounded a few minutes after 4:30 a. m. With the buildings were destroyed one 1-ton Ford truck, one 5-ton White truck and two tractors of this company and one Ford delivery truck, 1 Ford touring car and 1 Maxwell in the building adjoining. The cars were the property of J. Virgil Moore and John Noble, of Preston.

It is thought that the fire was begun by some one stealing gasoline. No insurance was carried on any of the property.

The engine was on its way to the fire almost as soon as the alarm sounded due to the prompt action of driver Lee Walston, to whom the alarm was first given. Due to the large amount of oil and gasoline in the building, the fire was under control before the engine arrived.

NO FERTILE FIELD FOR SOCIALISM

Col. John C. Coolidge, of Plymouth, Vermont, is an ordinary New England farmer. In passing his farm you would probably observe the landscape of a well-kept, tidy home in the outskirts of a small hamlet. You would very likely see a strong, vigorous elderly man doing chores about the place, or working in the field, but you would think nothing more about it, as it would be nothing which you would not expect to see in any rural section.

And yet Colonel Coolidge has the distinction of having done something which was never done by any man before in history, that of having sworn in as President of the United States, his own son in the house in whch both were born, something more than a year ago, and of sitting in the same house on last Tuesday night and hearing the announcement of the choice of the American electorate by radio.

Come to think about it, it sn't any wonder that the doctrines of Socialism, Bolshevsm and Communistic propaganda, find no fertile soil for development in free America. It is to be expected that the proponents of class rule and fanaticism will meet with stunning rebuke at the hands of the electorate, in a country where every man's son is a Presidential possibility.

F. D. C.

Arranging For a Bazaar

The Ladies Circle met at the home of Mrs. Wesley Thawley on Thursday evening. The other hostesses were Mrs. L. B. Towers and Mrs. T. Fred Towers. After the business session, which was taken up with arrangements for the coming bazaar, there was an interesting program consisting of a reading by Mrs. Fred Towers, the recital of a ghost story in costume, in the dark, by Mrs. Newman Rickards, and two musical numbers given by Hugh Ramsdell and Charles Rickards on the violin and piano. There was an excellent attendance, and the guests were given a lighted cattail torch to help them find their way home.

TOAD HOLLOW BREVITIES

Abe Grimsley quit smokin' a while ago, he said he quit because his pants was patched so much that a match couldn't get no footin' to strike any where on 'em, an' he had to git up an' go to the stove every time he wanted to light up. Abe was rather disconsolate for a few days, an' then his wife took pity on him an' sewed a piece of sand paper on the right leg of his pants where he could git at it handy, so now he's enjoyin' himself again.

Pete Doolittle said he couldn't vote this year because the bunion on his toe has got so big he couldn't get into the booth to mark his ballot.

Parson Savemall says he thinks he'll start revival meetin's soon, an' kinda stir up the backsliders a little before they git their money all used up shootin' craps, an' thinks mebbe he can git somethin' on his last year's salary.

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