

Coolidge Elected By Big Majority: McLean's Majority Around 80,000

ROBESON COUNTY GAVE McLEAN MAJORITY OF EIGHT TO ONE OVER MEEKINS

Incomplete Returns Indicate Defeat of Ports Bill in State by Small Majority—Ports Bill and Amendments Probably Given Majority in Robeson.

LIGHT VOTE IN COUNTY.

Democratic New York World Conceded Election of Coolidge Early Last Night but Claimed Re-election of Smith in New York by 150,000 Over Roosevelt.

New York, Nov. 4 (United Press)—The Democratic New York World conceded election of President Coolidge tonight. The world claims re-election of Governor Smith by 150,000 over Roosevelt.

Raleigh, Nov. 5—At midnight tonight the majority of A. W. McLean for Governor of North Carolina appeared to be about 80,000, and the ports bill is thought to be defeated by a small majority.

NORTH CAROLINA GIVES OVERWHELMING MAJORITIES

Raleigh, Nov. 4 (United Press)—Returns up to ten o'clock showed Democratic state and national tickets sweeping North Carolina by overwhelming pluralities, with Davis leading Coolidge 3 to 1, and LaFollette trailing a poor third.

Normal Majority in Virginia. Richmond, Va., Nov. 4—Polls closed at sundown throughout the State.

First Citizen of Robeson County Elected Governor Of North Carolina.



Governor-Elect ANGUS WILTON McLEAN.

Telegrams of Congratulation Pouring In To McLean Home

Mr. A. W. McLean last night received many telegrams of hearty congratulations from many points in the state and outside the state upon his splendid majority.

"Hon. A. W. McLean, Lumberton, N. C. 'Salisbury, Nov. 4—I wish to join the throng of good citizens who are today congratulating themselves that they have elected a man of big head and heart as governor and I am looking for four years of wonderful progress for North Carolina under your wise and patriotic rule."

1 lead over Maltne, Democrat.

New York As Forecast. New York, Nov. 4—First scattered returns appeared to be running true to forecasts, giving large initial leads to Coolidge.

Four Southern States

New York, Nov. 4—In 4 southern states where polls closed at sundown in South Carolina, Cole-Blease automatically elected to senate along with 7 Democratic congressmen.

Republicans Sweep Kansas.

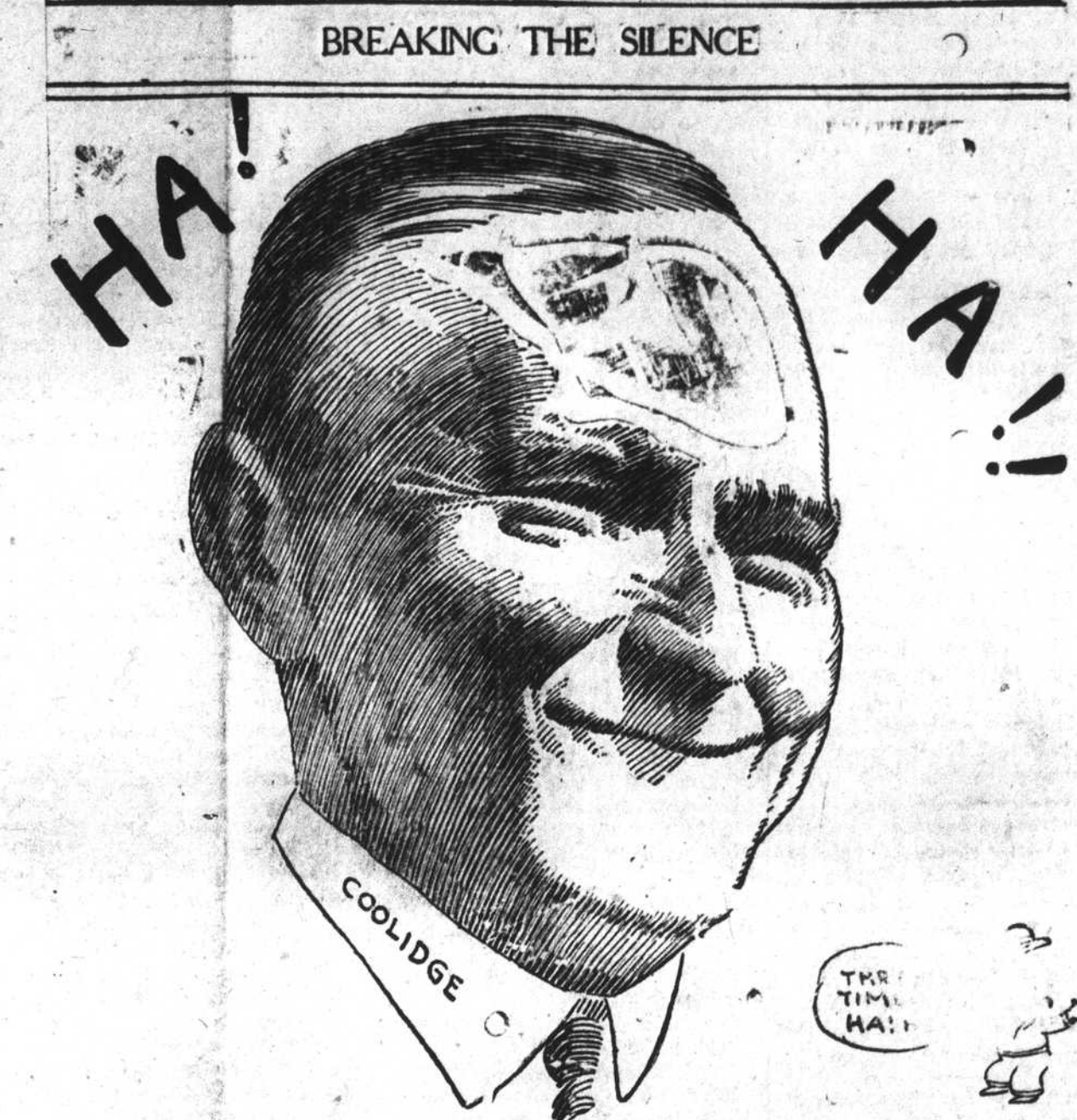
Topeka, Kas., Nov. 4—Sweeping victory for state and national Republican tickets in Kansas indicated by early returns.

Amendments.

The vote on increased pay for legislators in 13 townships was 1,679 for, and 1,197 against.

Vote by Precincts.

The county vote by precincts, as full as it was possible to obtain last night, follows: North Lumberton. Davis 555, Coolidge 40, LaFollette 1; Simmons 582, Whitener 24; McLean 584, Meekins 23; Lyon 572, McDonald 23; Johnson 588, Hall 16; Cobb and McKinn 589, Warwick and Wilks 16; McMillan 588, Allen 16; Flynn 590, Cook 16; balance of ticket same.



McLean Given Great Ovation At Rally Held In His Honor

Folks From All Over County Gathered at Court House on Night Before Election to Honor Home County Man—Capacity of Court Room Packed—McLean Deeply Touched—Made Political Speech.

HAPPIEST MOMENT OF HIS LIFE, McLEAN DECLARED.

One of the largest crowds that ever gathered at the Robeson county court house attended there Monday night a rally in honor of Angus Wilton McLean, most honored son of the county, who yesterday was elected Governor of North Carolina.

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He said that he had received a warm reception everywhere he had spoken over the State during his pre-election campaign of eight weeks, but the thing he valued most was the cordial reception given him on this occasion by the people of his native county.

WINNERS



CALVIN COOLIDGE President Elect. CHARLES G. DAWES Vice-President Elect.

Funeral of Ira B. Townsend From Residence 3:30 Today

Well Known and Useful Citizen Died Suddenly of Angina Pectoris Monday Night—Had Been in Failing Health for Two Years But End Came as Shock and Surprise to Community.

INTERMENT WILL BE MADE IN MEADOWBROOK CEMETERY

The funeral of Mr. Ira B. Townsend, who died suddenly Monday night about 2 o'clock, will be conducted from the residence, East Fifth street, this afternoon at 3:30 o'clock by Rev. T. McM. Grant, pastor of Chestnut Street Methodist church, of which deceased was a member and steward for many years.

News of Mr. Townsend's death came as a shock to the entire town yesterday morning. It was known that he had been in poor health for the past two years, a victim of diabetes, but his condition had seemed somewhat improved in recent months.

During the past summer Mr. Townsend, accompanied by Mrs. Townsend, went to Philadelphia, where he was under treatment at the Methodist Episcopal hospital for several weeks. Upon his return home his health seemed considerably improved, and his sudden death came as a shock to his friends, who were numbered by his acquaintances.

Mr. Townsend had been a devoted member of Chestnut Street Methodist church and Sunday school for many years, during recent years being one of the most useful members of the board of stewards. He was also a member of the men's Bible class, serving in a useful capacity as secretary and on committees for the advancement of the class work.

Surviving are his widow, a daughter of the late Col. W. F. French; his step-mother, Mrs. S. M. Oliver of Marietta; three sisters—Mrs. J. A. Branch of Lumberton, Mrs. W. H. Graham of Rowland, Mrs. W. F. Holmes of Charlotte; one half sister, Mrs. Fleming Ramseyer of West Palm Beach, Fla.; two brothers—Rev. F. L. Townsend of Durham, Mr. R. E. Townsend of Wilson; and three half brothers—Messrs. N. A. and B. O. Townsend of Dunn and Mr. Jackson Townsend of Stillwater, N. Y.

Many members of the immediate family and other relatives are expected to arrive today in time for the funeral. The death of Mr. Townsend removes a popular and useful citizen who will be sorely missed in his church and in the community.

It was stated in Monday's Robesonian that Mr. W. B. Harker, formerly editor of the Maxton Scottish Chief, had stopped in The Robesonian office on his way to jail. After the paper came out he came by again and said he had escaped, that the case against him had been dismissed.

CO-OPERATIVES PROSPER Regina, Sask. (United Press)—Co-operative associations operated by farmers in Saskatchewan did a business totaling \$6,388,132 last year, according to a report released by the department of agriculture.