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COUNTY DEMOCRATS WIN ALL OFFICES

G.O.P. Makes Heavy Gains In North

SWEEPING VICTORY STAGED WITH MAJORITIES RANGING UP TO 1845 IN LIGHT VOTING

Democrats Make Biggest Gain in Edneyville; Republican Strength Grows in Mills River

The Henderson county Democratic ticket scored a sweeping victory in the voting yesterday, according to unofficial returns from all 20 of the county's voting precincts. Democratic majorities over Republican opponents varied from 1845 votes in the race for clerk of the superior court to 531 votes in the race for sheriff.

- ELECTED To County Offices (All Democrats) SOLICITOR Eighteenth Judicial District CLARENCE O. RIDINGS STATE SENATOR Twenty-Seventh Senatorial District L. B. PRINCE RALPH W. GARLINER REPRESENTATIVE E. L. BURGIN COUNTY COMMISSIONERS T. L. DURHAM J. A. RUSHER D. G. WILKIE SHERIFF W. E. DAVIS CLERK SUPERIOR COURT GEORGE W. FLETCHER TAX COLLECTOR J. M. STEWART CORONER J. F. BROOKS SURVEYOR CHAS. B. TURNER COUNTY BOARD OF EDUCATION J. W. MORGAN FOREIGN MINISTER ASUNCION, Paraguay, Nov. 9. (UP)—President Selix Piava today appointed Elias Ayala, a retired navy captain and one-time Paraguayan minister to Bolivia, as foreign minister to succeed Luis Argana, who resigned.

Republicans made their greatest gain in Mills River precinct, Democratic two years ago. L. L. Burgin, George Fletcher, J. F. Brook and C. B. Turner carried this box on the Democratic ticket, but majorities were given to the Republican candidates for commissioner, John Drake and R. H. Staton. Democratic candidates were given majorities in 18 precincts, Republicans in five precincts, and two precincts divided the vote. This tabulation shows gains for the Democratic party in the county as a whole. The total vote cast yesterday was slightly more than 9,500, as compared to slightly more than 11,000 in the 1936 election. The total vote in the last off-year election of 1934 was slightly under 10,000. The light vote yesterday was attributable for the most part to the inclement weather, rain falling during most of the day. The vote was practically the same as that estimated by party leaders yesterday morning. George W. Fletcher, making his first defense of his office of clerk of the court, led the entire Democratic ticket. He polled 5667 votes to 3822 for his Republican opponent, M. N. Orr, and had a majority of 1845 votes. L. B. Prince, candidate for the state senate, was second with a majority of 1786 over Mack Saunders. D. G. Wilkie, making his first run for county commissioner, led all candidates for this office. He polled 5665 votes to 4078 for L. L. Merchant, who led the Republicans. (Continued on page four)

CONDITION OF LAD WOUNDED SAID CRITICAL

Willard Jones of Green River in Hospital With Shotgun Injuries Little change was observed today in the condition of Willard Jones, 10-year-old son of Mr. and Mrs. Hamilton Jones of the Green River section, who is in Patton Memorial hospital suffering from gunshot wounds in the arm and abdomen allegedly inflicted by Floyd Howard, 17-year-old neighbor of the Jones family. His condition was described as critical. The shooting occurred at the Jones family home where children of two or more families were said to have been playing with a shotgun. The father of the wounded boy is quoted as saying that he told the boys to take the gun out of the house, and that he was told by young Howard that there were no shells in it. Later, the wounded boy is reported to have said that Howard put a shell in the gun for the purpose of showing the other boys how to shoot a rabbit. The Jones boy was shot as a consequence of the demonstration. It is alleged Mr. Jones, the father, said an investigation of the incident would be pressed. No arrests have been made. The wounded boy has been ill recently but had planned to resume his school work at Saluda within a short time.

Victor and Vanquished



GOV. LEHMAN



THOMAS DEWEY

The battle for the governorship of New York was one of the most interesting of the November elections. Strong vote-getter Gov. Herbert Lehman ran again only because heavy pressure was brought by Democratic chieftains who feared any other candidate might be beaten. He won.

The reason the Democrats feared for the New York governorship was that the Republicans were pushing the sensational young racket-buster Thomas Dewey for the important office. A Dewey victory might have foreshadowed further political advance. Already there had been talk of the presidency.

SEN. REYNOLDS LEADS DEMOS IN N. C. RACES

Democratic Majorities in South Ranging as High as 100 to 1

ATLANTA, Nov. 9. (UP)—The South abided by its traditional party solidarity yesterday to place in office those nominated in Democratic primaries. Election majorities for the Democrats ran as high as 100 to 1. Senators George of Georgia and Smith of South Carolina, both marked for presidential purge, reached new terms of office at the head of straight Democratic tickets. Senator Reynolds, staunch New Dealer, led the North Carolina Democratic slate over Charles A. Jonas, Lincoln Republican. All Democratic congressional candidates in Virginia were returned to office. The Republican pocket of Tennessee returned its two congressmen, Carrol Reese and J. Will Taylor, but Democrats swept other districts and statewide offices. Senator Pepper of Florida led his Republican opponent, Thomas E. Swanson better than 5 to 1. Alabama re-elected Sen. Lindsey Hill by an overwhelming majority over J. M. Pennington, his Republican opponent, and Frank Dixon had little trouble becoming governor over Republican and independent opposition. The three Alabama congressional candidates who were opposed won election by wide majorities. They included House Speaker William B. Bankhead. Sen. Claude Pepper of Florida led his Republican opponent, Thos. E. Swanson, at better than 5 to 1 in his bid for another term. Pepper was nominated with the inferential endorsement of the New Deal. In the only congressional contest in Florida, A. Patrick Cannon was safely elected over J. S. G. Gallagher, Republican.

LOOK FOR NEW JAP WARNING ON CHINA AID

Minister to Tell World It Must Choose Between Japan and Chiang TO INTEND MESSAGE FOR UNITED STATES

By RAY C. MARSHALL TOKYO, Nov. 9. (UP)—Foreign Minister Haichiro Arata soon will issue an informal declaration warning the world that it must choose between Japan and Generalissimo Chiang Kai-Shek's Nationalist government in mapping future relations with China. Diplomatic observers said today. The statement, aimed primarily at Great Britain and the United States, may be made today following the foreign minister's return from the grand shrines of Ise where he has been in a pilgrimage to report his assumption of office of the shrines of the imperial ancestors. Diplomats, basing their predictions on a statement released by the Domei News agency and their own investigations, said that the foreign minister would make these points: 1. Japan supports the American-announced doctrine of the "open door" and opportunity for all nations in China providing the powers will recognize that Japan has dominant interests in Eastern Asia and is the dominant power in this part of the world. 2. In the interest of world peace and prosperity Japan expects the powers to cooperate with the proposed "Japan-China-Manchukuo" political and economic bloc which will be prepared to guarantee stability and the improvement of opportunity for all in East Asia. 3. Japan suggests that the United States, especially, take a (Continued on page four)

WALL STREET TRADE HEAVY AFTER BALLOT

NEW YORK, Nov. 9. (UP)—Wall Street interpreted the election results Tuesday highly favorable for business and traders bought stocks with such vigor that the tickers fell behind the actual market. Practically all leading issues went into new high ground for a year or longer. Favorites were rails, utilities and steels.

ALL DEMOS IN TRANSYLVANIA WIN CONTESTS

Commissioners All Reelected; Kimzey For Lower House Leads Ticket BREVARD, Nov. 9. (Special) The entire Democratic ticket was elected in Transylvania county yesterday with Pat Kimzey, candidate for state representative, leading the ticket, with 2591 votes over six opponents, A. E. Hampton, who polled 1837 votes. Ralph Fisher topped Republican candidates in his race for sheriff, polling 2040 votes. The vote: For United States senate: Reynolds, 2541; Jonas, 1809. For U. S. representative: Weaver, 2560; Gudge, 1831. For superior court solicitor: Ridings, 2581; Bailey, 1800. State senator, 32nd district: Chester A. Cogburn, 2532; I. H. Powell, 1833. Clerk of superior court: Spalding McIntosh, 2538; D. L. English, 1835. Sheriff: George Shuford, 2430; Ralph Fisher, 2040. Register of deeds: Ec Sims, 2555; Roy Fisher, 1907. Tax collector: Edwin Morgan, 2577; Ralph Galloway, 1832. Democratic commissioners were all reelected as follows: Carl Allison, 2573; A. B. Galloway, 2559; John Wilson, 2556. Republican candidates with their votes were: Tinsley Brown, 1860; S. A. Jones, 1853; E. O. Shipman, 1876. Coroner: J. C. Wilke, 2454; Dr. D. H. Bradley, 1885. County Surveyor T. D. Grimshaw was unopposed.

WEAVER WINS FOR CONGRESS

Republican Opponent Congratulates Him; Vote Is Notable ASHEVILLE, Nov. 9.—Incomplete returns from the Eleventh Congressional district as gathered here today showed that Congressman Zebulon Weaver made an outstanding race yesterday with the largest majority ever given a congressman in the district in an off-year election. Vonno L. Gudger, Asheville, Republican candidate opposing Mr. Weaver today issued a statement in which he congratulated Mr. Weaver on his re-election to the house of representatives.

SUMNER ANNOUNCES HIS FIRST LECTURE

Dr. F. W. Sumner of Mills River will deliver the first of a series of weekly lectures on "Christian Psychology" Thursday night at 7:45 at the city hall. The class, which was the outgrowth of ten lectures last spring during the vocational courses at the high school building, was organized last Tuesday night with 30 persons present.

GERMANY WILL KEEP HEAVILY ARMED AND NOT BEG OTHER POWERS FOR LOST COLONIES

MUNICH, Germany, Nov. 9.—(UP)—Chancellor Adolf Hitler last night said in a speech commemorating the crushing of his 1923 "beer cellar putsch" that if negotiations fail to restore Germany's war-lost colonies "nobody must be surprised if we resort to other means." The Fuehrer, speaking before his "old fighters" of the abortive putsch that was the beginning of the Nazi movement, boasted of Germany's armed strength and berated the democracies. "We do not want anything from the western powers except the colonies to which we have a right," he shouted from the rostrum of the Feldherrnhalle to which the Nazi veterans had marched over the same path they took in the putsch, carrying the (Continued on page five)

Jewish Youth In Would-Be Killer Role Is Regretful

If Negotiations For Former Colonies Fail Other Means Will Be Resorted to PARIS, Nov. 9. (UP)—Ernest Von Rath, German embassy secretary who was shot Monday by an assassin, died here today. He was shot by a young Polish Jew, Herschel Grynspan, who wanted to avenge the expulsion of Polish Jews from Germany. PARIS, Nov. 9. (UP)—Herschel Fripel Grynspan, 17-year-old Polish Jew who attempted to kill Ernest Von Rath, third secretary of the German embassy, told an examining magistrate today that he had made two futile appeals to President Roosevelt for his parents in Germany. The youth, formally charged with attempted homicide by premeditation, told Magistrate Jean Tesniere: "I regret my action but I obeyed a will stronger than myself." Before being locked up in Petite Roquette prison to await trial in Assizes court, Grynspan was questioned in German and Yiddish. He denied that he shot the 29-year-old Nazi career diplomat in a fit of rage. "I did it because I loved my parents and the Jewish people who have suffered so unjustly," he said, referring to his father and mother who were deported from Germany in the recent mass expulsion of Polish Jews. Previously, when his parents were threatened with expulsion, he tried to help them by writing two letters to President Roosevelt. "But I obtained no results," he said. Asked why he came to France in 1935, he answered: "Because Jews are not treated like dogs here." He did not attempt to find work, Grynspan said, because he had no identity card and when his residence expired he went into hiding. The youth last August was ordered to leave the country.

S.-Canadian Treaty Expected Ready This Week

OTTAWA, Ont., Nov. 9. (UP) The long-awaited new Canadian-American trade treaty is expected to be concluded this week. Prime Minister Mackenzie King announced last night after a cabinet meeting. The premier said the negotiations for the pact, a revision of the 1923 agreement, had reached "final stages" and he planned to go to Washington some time next week to sign it. Details of the treaty, he said, would be announced simultaneously at Washington and Ottawa a few days after the President Roosevelt affixed his signature. The premier announced that the Canadian parliament would be called into session either the first or second week of January. The date will be announced later. It was expected that because of a lack of full session of parliament the new Canadian-American trade treaty will be put into effect by order-in-council, probably on Jan. 1, and will be presented to the house for ratification immediately after the session opens in January.

UNOFFICIAL RETURNS IN HENDERSON COUNTY RACES

Table with 26 columns for various offices and 20 rows for precincts. Columns include Solicitor, C. O. Ridings, G. D. Bailey, State Senator, L. B. Prince, M. Saunders, Legislature, L. L. Burgin, E. Jackson, Commissioner, T. L. Durham, J. A. Rasher, D. G. Wilkie, E. F. Sitton, L. L. Merchant, E. T. Brown, Sheriff, W. E. Davis, Jno. Drake, Clerk, G. W. Fletcher, M. N. Orr, Tax Collector, J. M. Stewart, R. H. Staton, Coroner, J. F. Brooks, B. F. Cliff, Surveyor, C. B. Turner, J. B. Patterson.