

BUT LITTLE CHANGE ON FIRST BALLOT TODAY

McAdoo Gets 364 1-2, Cox 425 and Palmer 181 1-2—Cox Lost Five and McAdoo 8—Palmer Gained 15.

MUST BE COX OR A "BRAND NEW DEAL"

So Says Norman E. Mack—Must Be a Gray Horse Instead of a Dark One, Mr. Mack Added.

OFFICIAL THIRD BALLOT.

By the Associated Press. McAdoo 364 1-2; Cox 425; Palmer 181 1-2; Davis 30 1-2; Clark 2; Clegg 2; Irving Cobb 1 1-2.

TWENTY-FOURTH BALLOT

McAdoo 364 1-2; Cox 429; Palmer 181 1-2.

The 24th ballot failed to break a deadlock in the Democratic convention and there were growing signs of irritation among the delegates at the time of the adjournment at the time of the adjournment.

BATTLE IN WEST VIRGINIA

One Killed and Three Wounded at Roderfeld Yesterday.

Williamson, W. Va., July 5.—One man was killed and three are known to have been wounded in battle late yesterday at Roderfeld, details of which began drifting into Williamson this morning but which at noon were far from complete.

According to the story told afterwards the miners at Roderfeld formed a union organization on Friday and Sunday afternoon were holding a meeting in the open air when they were fired on from the brush on the mountain side.

WILSON IS SATISFIED

Reported as Pleased With Convention's Attitude on Treaty.

Washington, D. C., July 5.—Neither President Wilson nor administration leaders here were disappointed when they learned that so far as reservations are concerned the President has never opposed interpretative reservations, but has strenuously objected to such reservations as were proposed by the Republican Senators in the belief that such reservations would nullify the treaty.

The Elks in Chicago.

Chicago, July 5.—Chicago's fourth of July celebration continued today with approximately 150,000 visiting Elks as guests.

Meredith Attacks Unit Rule.

San Francisco, July 5.—Secretary Meredith has attacked the unit rule which is controlling the Iowa delegation to the Democratic national convention.

Bolsheviks Break Enemy Resistance.

London, July 5.—The Bolsheviks have broken the enemy resistance on the Crimean front according to an official Soviet statement under Sunday's date received by wireless today.

The Only Criticism Against McAdoo.

San Francisco, July 5.—At a mass meeting of the McAdoo forces last night, Burr W. Jenkins, of Kansas City, who placed Mr. McAdoo's name before the Democratic convention, said the only criticism of his candidate is that he is a son-in-law of President Wilson.

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Columbus, Ga., July 5.—Damage estimated at thousands of dollars has been caused by ravages of army worms in this section within the past week and government aid will probably be required to curb the pest, city officials declared today in announcing that practically the entire corn and hay crop on the municipal farm had been destroyed.

NO RESULTS AFTER TWENTY-TWO BALLOTS WERE TAKEN

Gov. Cox Led at the Close.—Convention Adjourned 10 o'clock today.

Auditorium, San Francisco, July 5.—After twenty-two fruitless ballots with none of the eight presidential candidates receiving even a majority vote, let alone the necessary two-thirds majority, the Democratic national convention recessed at 11:41 o'clock tonight until 10 a. m. Monday, the legal Fourth of July.

Governor James M. Cox, of Ohio, led the procession, throughout the night over William Gibbs McAdoo, William C. McAdoo, who had been passed by Cox in the afternoon, had a considerable rally in the closing hour of the night. Attorney General Palmer was badly defeated.

During the twentieth and twenty-first ballots, Palmer and Cox floor leaders attempted to adjourn the session but friends of McAdoo fought this as his room was in the ascendency. Finally a successful motion to recess was made by Thos. J. Shoney, of Connecticut, a Palmer floor manager.

His motion was carried overwhelmingly by a viva voce vote. To all intents and purposes the convention was deadlocked and the fight was possible to any candidate or even a dark horse.

Senator Robinson after the convention adjourned, said: "It seems to me now as there can't be a nomination until Tuesday."

THE HOME COMING OF CANDIDATE HARDING

His Home Town of Marion, Ohio, Has on Its Best Bib and Tucker Today to Celebrate in His Honor.

Marion, O., July 5.—Senator Harding is coming home today. He has come home on many other days, but this time he comes most highly honored of his fellow-townsmen, the candidate for President of the United States. Few are the cities or towns that can boast of having been the home of a Presidential candidate, and Marion citizens appreciate this honor.

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LATER REPORTS LEAVE THE MORRISON LEAD UNCHANGED

Majority Stands at 467 in Returns Compiled from 70 Counties.

Additional and supplemental reports of the vote in Saturday's primary compiled by The News and Observer yesterday, covering 70 of the 100 counties, increased the total vote accounted for to 93,243, but did not serve to materially alter the ratio of lead for Cameron Morrison over O. Max Gardner, his opponent for the Democratic nomination for Governor.

Morrison, 49,767; Gardner, 44,628. Only meagre reports were received during the day for the two other State contests, and the lead of Saturday night favorites was not appreciably altered. Max Gardner still leads for the Associate Justiceship of the Supreme Court by 19,730.

Baxter Durham's lead over J. P. Cook for State Auditor was stationary during the day, although the vote for both was slightly increased. The vote for the two offices by 70 counties: Gardner, 21,254; State Auditor, Durham, 29,657; Cook, 19,298.

Judge J. Crawford Biggs, State manager for Mr. Gardner, said last night that with practically one-third of the precincts not heard from, it was impossible to determine who is nominated. In 25 counties, he stated, Mr. Gardner had a net gain of 5,285 votes over Mr. Morrison, based upon their vote in the first primary.

Without going especially into figures, Heriot Clarkston, State manager for Mr. Morrison, was claiming the nomination of the Mecklenburg by 10,000 votes. He expects his own lead to climb steadily as the returns come in, and that when the entire 100 counties are heard from Mr. Morrison will have a lead that bears out the most sanguine predictions.

The lead for Morrison given in the first paragraph above represents returns, complete and incomplete, from seventy counties. The official vote in the first primary in the thirty counties listed in the returns above is as follows: Gardner, 8,235; Morrison, 8,795; Page, 4,201. This would indicate that the Morrison lead in Saturday's primary, shown by these returns from these seventy counties, will be slightly increased by returns from the thirty missing counties.

SOLDIERS' MONUMENT ERECTED AT GOLDSBORO.

In Memory of the 37 Men of That City Who Gave Their Lives in the War.

Goldboro, July 5.—In the little village of Vivian, France, on January 1, 1919, the surviving members of Goldsboro Company E, of the 30th division, unanimously decided to erect a monument in memory of the 37 members of that company who gave their lives in the war, and late this afternoon the decision was carried to a successful conclusion when the monument was unveiled at the Wayne county courthouse.

Raleigh Paper Shows Morrison Leads

Additional and supplemental returns from 73 counties out of 100 in the state in the second primary Saturday, compiled by The News and Observer give over Lieutenant Governor O. Max Gardner for the Democratic nomination for governor out of a total of 95,957 votes accounted for, careful estimates of the probable vote in the remaining 27 counties, based on the official returns in the first primary indicate that Morrison's lead will be increased by about 1,500.

Bryan is for New Deal in Candidates.

San Francisco, July 5.—William J. Bryan said tonight that he considered it expedient for the convention to go out side of the list of candidates already before it for nominee, and that he would suggest a number of men.

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MORRISON AGAIN LED IN CABARRUS COUNTY

Mecklenburg Candidate For Democratic Gubernatorial Nomination Receives 528 Votes in Cabarrus.

COOK AND LONG ALSO LED HERE

Cook Received 686 Votes to 142 For Durham.—Long Led Stacey by 255 Votes.—Figures Almost Complete.

The official count from every precinct in the county with the exception of No. 1 township, gives Cameron Morrison a lead of 212 votes over Lieut. Gov. O. Max Gardner in the primary of last Saturday. It is certain that the official report from No. 1 township will not change the standing of the two contestants for the gubernatorial nomination by many votes, and Mr. Morrison has a safe lead of 200 votes.

Mr. James P. Cook carried the county by a majority of 544 in his race with Baxter Durham, and Judge Long has a lead of 255 votes over Mr. Stacey.

The vote so far has been: Morrison 528; Gardner 318; Cook 686; Durham 142; Long 541; Stacey 294. The official count in the primary in June gave Morrison 294 votes and Gardner 154 votes.

There were 846 votes cast Saturday for Morrison and Gardner, an increase of more than 100 over the vote cast in June. Every precinct in the county showed a slight increase with the exception of Kannapolis, the vote in that city being twenty short of the June primary vote.

Mr. Morrison carried Concord, Mt. Pleasant and Kannapolis. His vote in Kannapolis was 90 to Gardner's 82 and in Mt. Pleasant he received 48 votes to Mr. Gardner's 16.

The vote so far is: Township No. 2—Box 1: Gardner 13; Morrison 4; Cook 18; Durham 3; Long 17; Stacey 0.

Township No. 2—Box two: Gardner 5; Morrison 4; Cook 7; Durham 0; Long 6; Stacey 1.

Township No. 3—Gardner 11; Morrison 7; Cook 17; Durham 11; Long 14; Stacey 4.

Township No. 4—Box 1: Gardner 11; Morrison 19; Cook 29; Durham 1; Long 23; Stacey 6.

Township No. 4—Box 2: Gardner 22; Morrison 10; Cook 77; Durham 44; Long 63; Stacey 51.

Township No. 5—Gardner 5; Morrison 8; Cook 15; Durham 2; Long 16; Stacey 1.

Township No. 6—Gardner 4; Morrison 1; Cook 5; Long 2; Stacey 2.

Township No. 8—Gardner 16; Morrison 48; Cook 58; Durham 6; Long 61; Stacey 2.

Township No. 9—Gardner 8; Morrison 5; Cook 11; Durham 2; Long 12; Stacey 1.

LOCAL AND OTHERWISE

The Board of Ministers of Central Methodist Church will meet at the Church this evening at 8 o'clock.

The Women's Missionary Society of Trinity Reformed Church will meet at Mrs. P. G. Cook's on Sunday of next Wednesday afternoon at 3 o'clock.

The Parks-Boek Co. have still big bargains in all departments of their big store in odd lots of all kinds of merchandise which will still be sold at the sale prices. See new ad. today.

The summer school for teachers at Lenoir College will be in session on July 12th. All teachers from this and other counties who want to attend the school are asked to communicate with Dr. J. C. Perry, Hickory.

The county commissioners are holding their regular monthly meeting at the court house today. Nothing of unusual importance is expected to be brought before the board at this meeting.

A short business meeting of the Patterson Community Club will be held on Thursday night. After the meeting the members of the Christian's Missionary Society of Central Methodist Church held a box supper.

An episode of "Elmo the Fearless" is being shown at the Postage Theatre today. Tomorrow "The Virgin of Stamboul," a \$200,000 production with Priscilla Dean in the leading role, will be shown.

Marriage licenses have been issued by Register of Deeds Harris to the following couples: Hanford Biggs and Miss Tilda Miles, both of Kannapolis; J. P. Bart, of Lexington, N. C., and Miss Lavie Bishop, of Kannapolis.

The fire department was called to the home of Mr. and Mrs. Z. A. Moore on North Union street yesterday afternoon. Some quilts, which had been placed on the roof of the house, caught, but no damage was done to the home.

The Young People's Missionary Society of Central Methodist Church will meet tomorrow evening at 7:30 o'clock at 8 o'clock with Miss Elizabeth Cotten at her home on North Union street.

The Woodmen Circle will meet with Mrs. Frank Carroll on North Church street on Tuesday evening at 8 o'clock. All members are urged to attend, as business of importance will be transacted.

Mr. Curtis Mangum, of the firm of Preslar & Mangum, has entered the Charlotte Sanatorium, where he will submit to a slight operation. His condition this morning is reported as being very satisfactory.

Mr. Eugene White, who was chief operator at the Lexington theatre for twenty years, left last night for his new home in High Point. Mr. Charles Earnhardt is now chief operator at this theatre, and Mr. Nevin Spaffenfeld is his assistant.

Do you long for the old-fashioned days? Our old-fashioned honest to goodness lemonade, home made cakes and candies will bring them back to you. The Trinity Reformed Mission Band lawn party, Tuesday night, July 6th, at the old hall.

The Woman's Missionary Society of St. James Lutheran Church will meet with Mrs. Frank Brown, at her home on North Church street Tuesday afternoon at 4 o'clock. All members are urged to be present, as this will be the last meeting before the convention in August.

Messrs. Charles Y. Propst and Oscar Backwelder have returned from a business trip to Detroit for the Concord Motor Company Messrs. Propst and Backwelder shipped several cars to this city for their company, and they were in Detroit for about six weeks.

The Women's Missionary Society of St. James Lutheran Church will meet at the home of Mrs. Frank Brown, on Church street on Tuesday afternoon at 4 o'clock. It is very important that all members attend this meeting in order to elect officers for the ensuing year, to perfect plans for the meeting of the N. C. Missionary Convention to be held in St. James Church August 6-8 and also to bring in the thank offering boxes and annual dues.

IN FIGHT TO A FINISH AT SAN FRANCISCO

The Supporters of Each of the Three Leading Candidates Lined to Hold a Mystery as Ever.

NO DARK HORSE LED OUT AS YET

The Identity of the Democratic Presidential Nominee Is Today as Great a Mystery as Ever.

San Francisco, July 5.—The identity of the Democratic Presidential nominee was as great a mystery as ever in the delegates to the National convention when they reconvened today, and centered upon the three leaders: Campaign managers for Cox, McAdoo and Palmer, who were in the lead on the 22nd ballot, Saturday night, continued to probe an early victory for their respective candidates, but the rank and file of delegates holding no other source of information, remained in the dark regarding the outcome.

Speculation that the over-Sunday recess might have possibly brought about a compromise, plan for breaking the deadlock, was not supported by any announcement on the part of the party leaders or admission by campaign managers. Instead the leaders remained silent, and managers were circulating all suggestions of compromise, declaring they were in the fight to the finish and their forces would receive important accessions on each succeeding ballot. Judged by outside appearances, the situation has resolved into a triangular war of attrition.

Supporters of each of the three leading candidates are determined to hold the votes they now have and are hoping for recruits from rival camps as well as State delegates that so far have voted for favorite sons. They are proceeding on the military theory that the vanished army is that which suffers a lowering of morale. Realizing that the delegates are restless as nations to admit losses, various campaign managers have devoted nearly as much time since Saturday night in strengthening their own lines as they have in missionary work.

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REPUBLICAN PLANS BEGIN TO TAKE SHAPE

The Leaders Will Meet in Chicago This Week to Discuss Them.

Chicago, July 5.—Republican presidential campaign plans are expected to take definite shape in this week soon after the adjournment of the Democratic convention in San Francisco.

Activity will begin tomorrow with the arrival in Chicago of Will H. Hays, chairman of a score of national members of the national committee and several Harding campaign managers. The conference will begin as soon as the leaders arrive and will continue till a definite plan of action is decided on, it was stated.

Services at Jackson Training School.

Rev. T. W. Smith, who has charge of leaving that services are conducted at the Jackson Training School each Sunday afternoon at three o'clock, took the matter up with the minister, the socialization of Mecklenburg, and they agreed to send some member of the association each fourth Sunday to take charge of the services.

On June 26th, Rev. Zeb Barnhardt, pastor of Logan street Methodist Church, conducted the first service under this arrangement. Mr. Barnhardt brought with him six members of his choir. Mr. Barnhardt preached a very able sermon and the choir sang some beautiful hymns. The boys and all present were highly pleased with the service.

IMPORTANT STEP IN UKRAINE.

Supreme Power Vindictive in the National Council of Defense.

Warsaw, July 5.—Supreme power in the government of Poland and full military authority has been vested in the National Council of Defense, created by the Polish diet today. The formation of this council was decided owing to the Bolshevik threat to Ukraine.

THE WHITE LEONARD COUNTRY.

Benon Harbor, Mich., July 5.—Charles White, of Chicago, today faced his fourth chance to win the world's lightweight championship, meeting Benmie Leonard, of New York, title holder, in a ten-round contest. The match was to be staged in an open air arena, and indications were that a capacity crowd of 15,000 spectators would witness it.