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## Ohio Is In Throes Of Hot Political Fight

### Republicans In President's Home State Making Heroic Efforts To Hold It For G. O. P. But Democrats Are Confident Of Victory And Look For Big Majority

Columbus, Ohio, Nov. 3. (By The Associated Press)—One of the hardest fought political struggles in its history is being staged in President Harding's home state of Ohio, where both Republicans and Democrats have made the President's administration an issue, with both parties claiming success.

Ohio voters have been urged by the Republicans to uphold the work of President Harding's administration. Accomplishments of the national administration have been recounted by both native and imported campaigners, virtually every member of the President's Cabinet having visited Ohio for the Republicans.

The Democrats have concentrated on the Republican national and state administrations. The democratic campaign has been conducted almost entirely by home talent, but these home speakers have made a campaign equal to the Republican effort.

The result is that, despite a plurality of approximately 400,000 for Mr. Harding in Ohio two years ago, the Democrats are making large claims for the success of the entire Democratic ticket in Ohio at the election on November 7th. W. W. Durbin, Democratic campaign manager, said that he believed the Democratic majority would reach 200,000. He said that polls conducted by Cincinnati and Columbus newspapers showed the Democrats would have a big lead. He pointed out that these same polls two years ago indicated an overwhelming victory for the Republicans.

William H. Miller, the Republican campaign manager, insisted that the entire Republican ticket in Ohio would be successful, but he refused to indicate by what margin.

"We are busy getting out the Republican vote, and believe that it will all be out," he said. "I do not believe that any Republican votes will switch to the Democratic column. We are depending upon the Republican votes."

Democratic Chairman Durbin pointed to the list of cabinet members and other out-of-the-state speakers who have been sent into Ohio by the Republicans as indicating in his opinion that the Republicans are worried about the result in Ohio.

Among such Republican campaign orators have been Secretaries Daugherty, Hoover, Hughes, Denby, Wallace and Postmaster General Work of President Harding's cabinet, and Senator Edge of New Jersey, ex-Senator Beveridge of Indiana, Governor Morrow of Kentucky and Roy Haynes, Federal prohibition commissioner.

In a speech at Middletown, Ohio, in support of the Republican candidates, Senator Edge declared that the verdict of the voters in Ohio "should settle for all time any question of President Harding's capable handling of the grave responsibilities placed upon his shoulders. Ohio is on trial!"

He added that party leaders formerly said "Look to Maine" now say "Look to Ohio."

In addition to the speakers from other states, Colonel Carmel A. Thompson of Cleveland, the Republican nominee for governor, and Congressman Simeon D. Fess, the Republican nominee for senator, have stumped the state from one end to the other. Governor Harry L. Davis also has taken the stump for the Republican ticket, although he is not a candidate for re-election.

On the Democratic side, Atlee Pomerene, the Democratic candidate for re-election to the Senate, and A. Victor Donahay, the Democratic nominee for governor, have borne the brunt of the campaigning, although former Governor James M. Cox of Dayton, who was the Democratic nominee for President against Mr. Harding two years ago, has also taken the stump.

Both parties are paying particular attention to the election of Ohio's Congressional delegation of 22, now solidly Republican.

Democrats are claiming assured victories in the Third (Dayton), Fourth (Lima), Fifth (Defiance), Ninth (Toledo), Twelfth (Columbus), Thirteenth (Sandusky), Seventeenth (Newark) and Twenty-first (Cleveland) districts, and assert that a Democratic landslide will carry the Democratic Congressional candidates in other districts to victory. The Republicans are claiming the re-election of an entire Republican Congressional delegation from Ohio.

In the Third District, former Congressman Warren G. Harding of Hamilton

## NATION HAS MUCH FOR GRATITUDE

### President Harding Issues Annual Thanksgiving Proclamation For November 30th

Washington, Nov. 3 (By The Associated Press)—Declaring that the estate of the nation "presents very much to justify a nationwide and most sincere testimony of gratitude for the bounty which has been bestowed upon us," President Harding in the annual Thanksgiving proclamation today called upon the people to observe November 30 as a day of thanksgiving, supplication and devotion.

## PHILIPPINES WANT COAST DEFENDED

Manila, Nov. 3 (By The Associated Press)—Warships to the defense of the coasts of the Philippines are asked for in resolutions introduced in the House of Representatives petitioning the United States Congress to authorize construction of the vessels.

## TRY CROSS CONTINENT

San Diego, Nov. 3 (By The Associated Press)—Lieutenants McReady and Kelly, army aviators, left here this morning in the attempt to cross the continent from San Diego to New York without a stop.

## Belgium Has Asked For Representation

Brussels, Nov. 3 (By The Associated Press)—The Belgian government has sent notes to France, England and Italy expressing the desire to be represented in the Lausanne Near East conference in order to protect Belgian interests.

Was False Alarm  
The Fire Company was called to 34 Skinner Avenue Thursday night, but it was only a false alarm.

(D) opposes Congressman Roy G. Fitzgerald (R) of Dayton; in the Fourth, former Congressman J. H. Goeke (D) of Wapakoneta opposes Congressman John L. Cable (R) of Lima; in the Fifth, Frank Kniffen (D) of Napoleon opposes Congressman C. J. Thompson (R) of Defiance; in the Ninth, former Congressman I. R. Sherwood (D) of Toledo opposes Congressman W. W. Chalmers (R) of Toledo; in the Twelfth, H. Sage Valentine (D) of Columbus opposes Congressman John C. Speaks (R) of Columbus; in the Thirteenth, A. W. Overmeyer (D) of Fremont opposes Congressman James T. Begg (R) of Sandusky; in the Seventeenth, former Congressman W. A. Ashbrook (D) of Johnstown opposes Congressman W. E. Morgan of Newark, and in the Twenty-first District, former Congressman Robert T. Crosser (D) of Cleveland opposes Congressman H. C. Gahn (R) of Cleveland.

Each of these districts claimed by the Democrats have been normally Democratic for years. Democratic leaders claim that the present congressmen from these districts went into office with the Republican landslide two years ago, and that they cannot be re-elected.

The state issues in this campaign have been of minor nature compared with the national issues, most of them having been constructed on pleas for a business administration in state government, or aimed at the Republican's claim of a business administration under the administration of Governor Davis, who reorganized the state government on a cabinet basis.

Other speakers who came into Ohio in behalf of the Republican party, or were expected prior to the election, included Vice President Coolidge, Senator Lenroot of Wisconsin, Senator Sterling of South Dakota, Senator Watson of Indiana and Senator Pepper of Pennsylvania.

## Old Friends Meet First Time in 62 Years



Sixty two years is a life time for many people, but is a brief span for "Uncle John" Daubney, 102 years old and Minnesota's pioneer citizen. He met N. D. Lammers of Taylors Falls, Minn., for the first time in 62 years, and they had a great old time. Uncle John on the right, used to hold his friend on his knee, and laughed about it. Mr. Lammers at the left, was one of the numerous friends who attended Uncle John's 103rd birthday recently observed.

## Guards Kill Two In Hold Up

Memphis, Nov. 3 (By The Associated Press)—Jack Kennedy, ex-convict, and an unidentified bandit were killed early today in an attempt to hold up and rob the mail express cars on the fast St. Louis, Memphis & Frisco train near here. It is reported that there were six men in the gang. Postoffice inspectors learned six days ago of the plot and the train carried extra guards. Eleven officers who were hidden near the scene of the robbery killed the pair when they refused to halt while escaping. A hundred registered letters which had been stolen were recovered.

## Another Woman Saw The Hall-Mills Murder

All Persons Connected With Case Summoned By Attorney Mott Today

New Brunswick, N. J., Nov. 3 (By The Associated Press)—All persons connected with the Hall-Mills murder case with the exception of the rector's widow were summoned to the courthouse by Attorney Mott today for checking the evidence to be submitted to the grand jury. Statements made by Mrs. Hall in an interview will probably be taken as her story for the jury.

New Brunswick, N. J., Nov. 3 (By The Associated Press)—Deputy Attorney General Mott has discovered another woman witness to the Hall-Mills murder, according to reports. The identity of the woman is kept a secret by the authorities. The case is said to be almost completed.

## Lloyd George Is Again Able To Speak

London, Nov. 3 (By The Associated Press)—Announcement that Lloyd George has recovered sufficiently to make a speech here tomorrow leads many to think that the former premier will announce his decision on the question of spreading war on the Conservatives or cooperating in some quarters.

### Will Meet Monday

The Parsonage Society of City Road Church will meet Monday afternoon at 3:30 o'clock with Mrs. M. G. Morrisette at her home on North Road street. All members are urged to be present.

## Falls Says Weevil Now In Pasquotank

### Three Farms Found Infested In Three Different Townships Indicating General Presence Of Pest

The boll weevil has reached Pasquotank County and indications are that scattered specimens could be found in almost any part of the County.

The foregoing statement is vouchered for by County Agricultural Agent G. W. Falls, who, early this week in company with Assistant State Entomologist J. A. Mabey, conducted a systematic search for the weevil on a number of farms in the County.

The weevil was found on three farms in three different townships, Nixonton, Mt. Hermon and Providence, indicating that it is pretty well distributed over the whole County. The first farm on which weevils were discovered was that of John Overton, colored, five miles from town on Body Road. The other two farms were J. D. Winslow's farm in Providence, near the Norfolk Southern passenger station, and Percy Pritchard's farm in Mt. Hermon.

"Looking for the boll weevil," says Mr. Falls, "is like searching for a needle in a haystack. The weevils are so small and as yet the infestation is so light, I am confident that they might be found on 100 other farms in the County if systematic search were made for them."

The weevil was for the first time authoritatively reported to have crossed the Albemarle Sound on October 9th. Only a few weeks prior to that time official announcement came from the State Department of Agriculture at Raleigh that no trace of the weevil had been found north of the Sound.

It is three years, generally speaking, from the first appearance of the weevil before the pest reaches the height of its destructiveness. That consumption may perhaps be delayed by the vigorous use of preventive measures information as to which is now available to every farmer in the State.

Mr. Falls has live specimens of the boll weevil and specimens of the boll weevil's eggs which he will be glad to show any farmer interested.

## Seek Raise Average Of Regular Giving

Chicago, Nov. 3 (By The Associated Press)—To awaken the conscience and intelligence of the people of the Protestant Episcopal church to the needs set out in the program adopted at the Portland General Convention, thereby raising the average of regular giving throughout the communion, is the main object in view in the nation wide campaign to be conducted wholly within the ranks of the church, according to a statement by Chicago headquarters of the denomination.

Results of the campaign in the three years now closing encourage church leaders in the belief that the ensuing three years will be equally successful, says the statement, quoting the secretary of the field department.

"In the eighty-eight dioceses of the church in the United States the work of informing our people of the convention program and explaining the educational methods to the leaders, already is going forward," continues the statement. "Our reports show enthusiasm and determination that will go for another big advance in the missionary, educational and social service fields."

The program, which fixed a budget of \$21,000,000 for the next three years' work, will support 3,000 missionaries in America and throughout the world and carry on the work of religious and social service to which the church is committed. A forward program also was adopted involving an additional \$8,400,000 of which eighty-two per cent will be spent in the United States and its territorial possessions for hospitals, schools, new churches and community houses, with special emphasis upon work among Indians, negroes, mountaineers and mill workers, according to plans. Americanization and rural and industrial effort also come under the program.

An appropriation of \$2,000,000 for denominational colleges and for student work at fifty-five of the great secular institutions all over the land is provided in the program. The budget is to be raised by quotas in the three years ending 1925.

Mrs. C. E. Forbes has returned from Roanoke Island and Manteo where she visited relatives and friends.

## TREATIES ARE VOID

### So Say Turkish Nationalists, And Sultanate Is Suppressed And Law Of Succession To Throne

London, Nov. 3 (By The Associated Press)—It is reported that the Turkish Nationalist Assembly at Angora has passed a law suppressing the Sultanate of Turkey and the law of succession to the throne, says a dispatch to the Exchange Telegraph from Constantinople. Such action is interpreted to mean that the Sultan has been deposed.

Angora, Nov. 3 (By The Associated Press)—The Turkish Nationalist government has announced that it considers null and void all treaties and conventions concluded since March 16, 1920, by the Constantinople administration.

## The Germans Leave Labor Conference

Geneva, Nov. 3 (By The Associated Press)—German representatives of the international labor conference left the meeting this afternoon owing to differences concerning use of the German language.

## Not Ask Permission About Foreign Loan

London, Nov. 3 (By The Associated Press)—The German cabinet, according to a Central News dispatch, has decided to ask the Reparations Commission permission to negotiate a foreign loan of five hundred million gold marks to stabilize the mark.

## Attempt Identify Body Dead Soldier

Boston, Nov. 3 (By The Associated Press)—State officials of the American Legion have requested the parents of Harry Allsup, of Covington, Ky., to send a photograph of their son in the effort to determine whether the man who died at the Government hospital here last week was Allsup, war veteran, or an impostor as army officers allege.

## AMERICANS BEST PATRONS OF ENGLISH AIR ROUTES

London, Nov. 3 (By The Associated Press)—Air travel between the Continent and England is growing in popularity. In July 711 machines were in actual service, and carried 1591 passengers, a majority of whom were Americans.

## Former Premier Nitti Would Come To America

Rome, Nov. 3 (By The Associated Press)—Former Premier Nitti is reported to have made application for a passport in order to go to America.

## COTTON MILL IN MANCHURIA

Liaoyang, Manchuria, Nov. 3 (By The Associated Press)—A cotton mill with 30,000 spindles is to be built here by a Japanese company, the capital of which is 10,000,000 yen. The mill, it is expected, will be in operation by April 1, next. The South Manchurian Railway Company has offered a site for the mill at a low rental.

## "HATE," NEW METRO FILM IS VERY STIRRING DRAMA

The Maxwell Karger production for Metro of Wadsworth Camp's "Hate," adapted to the screen by June Mathis, is the attraction at the Alkrama tonight. Alice Lake is the star. She plays the roll of a pretty little show girl who becomes involved in a murder mystery wherein one of her admirers is falsely accused. Her fight to save his life and the romance which comes to her through her struggle makes a story full of suspense from first reel to last.

## CROWDS ATTEND PAGE FUNERAL

### Many Stand Outside Little Church — Tenants On Farm Act As Pallbearers

Richmond, Nov. 3 (By The Associated Press)—All available space in the little Old Fork church near his late home in Hanover County was occupied this morning at the funeral of Thomas Nelson Page. Many country folks unable to gain admission stood outside. Tenants on the Page farm served as active pallbearers. The body was sent to Washington on the noon train.

## Offers Albertini The Ambassadorship

Rome, Nov. 3 (By The Associated Press)—Mussolini has offered the post of ambassador to Washington, vacated by the resignation of Vittorio Ricci, to Senator Albertini, Italian representative at the Washington armament conference. It is asserted in political quarters that Albertini declined to proffer.

## ARTIFICIAL EYELASHES ADORN PARISIAN WOMEN

Paris, Nov. 3 (By The Associated Press)—A superb set of silky eyelashes, secure for all time and impervious to loss through laughter or tears, may be had in Paris for a price, or rather two prices, the cost in francs charged for the operation and the pain which this same operation entails.

There are Parisian women who gladly pay both. The lashes are sewn into the edges of the lids by a deft surgeon, and take root there after about twenty days. Seen close at hand, they show no scar or rim around the lid to betray the surgeon's touches.

## AUSTRIA IS PERMITTED TO TRADE IN AEROPLANES

Vienna, Nov. 3 (By The Associated Press)—The Council of Ambassadors has notified the Austrian government that the treaty prohibition against the manufacture, import and export of airplanes for civilian uses is abolished as of today.

### Girls Play At Edenton

While the High School boys play football this afternoon against Great Bridge High School the girls of Elizabeth City High School will play basket ball against Edenton High School at Edenton. Mrs. C. W. Melick and R. T. Ryland accompanied the team.

### Kiwanis Club Tonight

The Kiwanis Club meets tonight at 6:30 at the Southern Hotel.