

## BLOW TO JOHNSON IN CALIFORNIA IS FINISHING TOUCH

Western Senator Steps Down  
Out of Presidential Race  
Badly Beaten.

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WASHINGTON, May 7.—Hiram Johnson's defeat by President Coolidge in the California presidential primaries is the severest blow to Johnson's prestige since his career broadened beyond the confines of his own State.

Long ago it was apparent that Johnson was out of the fight for the Republican presidential nomination. But he stayed in, refusing to take the formal step of withdrawal that would have robbed yesterday's defeat of much of its significance.

**Badly Beaten**  
Now, Johnson is not only a badly beaten candidate for the presidency, but he has lost the main prop and pillar of his position—the support of his home State. It has been axiomatic for years that Johnson had only to be a candidate in California to win. His enemies, powerful though they were, have been unable to over-ride the tremendous popular strength Johnson possessed.

Johnson was not ready to make any statement regarding the California result, nor to say whether he would withdraw from the presidential contest. The fact is that he is so far out of it that the act of withdrawing now would seem ridiculous. Indiana, which snatched him under by five or six to one, and California, which turned on his favorite son, withdrew him more effectively than any statement of his. Johnson probably will issue some statement later in the day, he said over the telephone from his suburban home this morning.

**What Next?**  
The question is now what he will do to recoup his broken political fortunes at home. There have been reports recently that Johnson would shortly quit the national political arena and go back to California "to start over again" in a fight to re-establish the once promising career which has gone to smash since he came to Washington. But he can scarcely do that at this point. He was elected to serve in the Senate until 1929. It would embarrass him with his constituents were he to attempt to give up that post to go back to California to seek some other proof of the State's support.

Neither is there any encouragement for him in an independent race for the presidency. The liberals regard him as a Conservative.

## Primary Vote in State

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showed Crittenger, 1,346; McCulloch, 374; Durgan, 84; Holt, 745; Batt, 24; Priest, 21, and Risk, 19.

Four precincts in Madison County gave President Coolidge 341 and Johnson 32.

The same four precincts cast the following votes for Republican candidates for Governor: Jackson, 213; Toner, 154; Shank, 27; Bush, 7, and Dulberger, 2.

For Congress on the Republican side four precincts voted for Vestal, 129; Winfrey, 90; Clevenger, 12, and Benadum, 6.

**By United Press**  
CLINTON, Ind., May 7.—Complete returns from Wayne County today gave the following:

For President: Coolidge, 6,420; Johnson, 748.

Republican Governor: Jackson, 3,760; Shank, 1,714; Toner, 480; Bush, 401; Davis, 59.

For Democratic Governor: McCulloch, 872; Durgan, 438; Crittenger, 283; Cravens, 179; Holt, 93; Risk, 86; Priest, 49.

For Congress, Sixth District: Republican—Elliott, 3,749; Mason, 1,734; Phillips, 1,239. Democratic—Handley, 1,471; Clifton, 325; Myers, 92; Yarling, 46; Elkmab, 50.

**By United Press**  
CLINTON, Ind., May 7.—Twenty-six precincts in Vermilion County today gave the following:

For President: Coolidge, 2,350; Johnson, 637.

For Republican Governor: Jackson, 1,191; Shank, 513; Davis, 428; Toner, 277; Bush, 70; Dulberger, 27.

For Democratic Governor: Batt, 471; Holt, 316; McCulloch, 307; Durgan, 148; Cravens, 93; Crittenger, 71; Priest, 47; Risk, 42.

**By United Press**  
LAFAYETTE, Ind., May 7.—Mayor Durgan of Lafayette carried Tippecanoe County by a majority over all other candidates for the Democratic nomination, official returns show today.

The results are as follows: Durgan, 4,742; McCulloch, 915; Priest, 31; Risk, 377; Batt, 35; Cravens, 54; Holt, 48.

**By United Press**  
WASHINGTON, Ind., May 7.—Twenty-five precincts out of thirty-four in Daviess County gave for Democratic Governor: Durgan, 795; McCulloch, 645; Batt, 378.

**By United Press**  
FRANKLIN, Ind., May 7.—Complete vote of Johnson County was:

Republican, for President, Coolidge, 1,892; Johnson, 159.

Republican, for Governor: Batt, 103; Davis, 40; Dulberger, 1; Jackson, 1,078; Shank, 474; Toner, 451.

Republican, for Congress, Fourth District: Hill, 1,244; Hisey, 643.

Democratic, for Governor: Batt, 30; Cravens, 3,220; Crittenger, 45; Durgan, 4,742; McCulloch, 915; Priest, 31; Risk, 377; Batt, 35; Cravens, 54; Holt, 48.

**By United Press**  
MARTINSVILLE, Ind., May 7.—Morgan County returns complete gave President Coolidge 2,754; Johnson, 506.

For Governor the Republican vote was: Bush, 177; Davis, 43; Dulberger, 22; Jackson, 1,794; Shank, 598; Toner, 784.

Democratic vote for Governor was: Batt, 62; Cravens, 485; Crittenger, 78; Durgan, 65; Holt, 119.

## For Congress



MERRILL MOORES

Official returns from scattered precincts in Marion County indicate Merrill Moores will be renominated for congressman of the Seventh district by Republicans.

Culloch, 1,209; Priest, 47; Risk, 36. The Republican vote for Congress was: House, 973; Sedwick, 2,227.

**By United Press**  
NEWCASTLE, Ind., Henry County's complete vote for President was: Coolidge, 5,414; Johnson, 447.

In the Republican race for Governor: Bush, 508; Davis, 60; Dulberger, 6; Jackson, 3,431; Shank, 1,164, and Toner, 958.

Democratic: Batt, 19; Cravens, 474; Crittenger, 428; Durgan, 52; Holt, 300; McCulloch, 618; Priest, 29, and Risk, 63.

The Democratic congressional vote: Clifton, 726; Handley, 642; Myers, 179; Reese, 89; Yarling, 96, and Elckman, 52.

For Congress on the Republican side: Elliott, 3,335; Mason, 521, and Phillips, 1,273.

**By United Press**  
GREENSBURG, Ind., May 7.—Complete returns from the thirty precincts in Decatur County gave President Coolidge 3,510; Senator Johnson 332.

The Republican vote for Governor was: Bush, 146; Davis, 84; Dulberger, 20; Jackson, 1,751; Shank, 819; Toner, 839.

For the Republican nomination for Congress the vote was Hill, 2,124; Hisey, 1,235.

The complete vote on Democratic candidates for Governor was: Batt, 23; Cravens, 1,032; Crittenger, 41; Durgan, 280; Holt, 77; McCulloch, 382; Priest, 29, and Risk, 40.

**By United Press**  
GARY, Ind., May 7.—The first returns from Lake County, giving the results of the voting in twenty-two precincts out of a total of thirty-nine, gave President Coolidge 2,481 and Senator Johnson 1,734.

Republican candidates for Governor: Jackson, 2,056; Shank, 1,567; Toner, 479; Davis, 125; Bush, 125; Dulberger, 65.

In the Tenth District Republican congressional race, W. F. Hodges received 2,408 to Will R. Wood's 1,959.

## Ray in Lead



OTTO RAY

Otto Ray, city councilman, was the leading candidate for Democratic nomination for sheriff of Marion County on official early returns.

The Democratic vote was light, most of the Democrats voting the Republican ticket.

**By United Press**  
VINCENTS, Ind., May 7.—Twenty-five precincts out of fifty-five in Knox County gave:

For President: Coolidge, 1,702; Johnson, 305.

For Republican Governor: Jackson, 1,214; Shank, 486; Toner, 255; Bush, 109; Davis, 57; Dulberger, 23.

Democratic: McCulloch, 643; Crittenger, 251; Durgan, 113; Cravens, 58; Batt, 46; Holt, 72; Priest, 23; Risk, 22.

**By United Press**  
FRANKFORT, Ind., May 7.—Nineteen precincts out of twenty-one in Clinton County gave:

For President: Coolidge, 1,814; Johnson, 310.

For Governor: Republican, Jackson, 1,238; Shank, 503; Toner, 444; Bush, 81; Davis, 40; Dulberger, 14.

Democratic: Crittenger, 76; McCulloch, 754; Cravens, 846; Batt, 52; Durgan, 83; Risk, 68; Holt, 232.

**By United Press**  
COLIARUS, Ind., May 7.—Bartholomew County's complete returns showed the following results:

For Governor: Bush 303, Davis 38, Dulberger 18, Jackson 1,606, Shank 1,837, Toner 484.

Republican vote for Congress was: Hill 2,462, Hisey 1,619.

Democratic vote for Governor was: Batt, 94, Cravens 1,595, Crittenger 116, Durgan 187, Holt 48, McCulloch 1,008, Priest 26, Risk 50.

**By United Press**  
MARTINSVILLE, Ind., May 7.—Complete unofficial returns from all the 32 precincts in Posey County gave: Jackson 1,059, Shank 469, Toner 133, Bush 67, Davis 33, Dulberger 21.

Democrats: McCulloch 1,592, Durgan 805, Holt 548, Batt 119, Crittenger, 78.

## Chuckles

Members of the county election board were still laughing today, when they had a chance, about funny phone calls received Tuesday.

"Say, I want to talk with Leo Fesler," said one person. "I want to know if I can contest the whole election. It's all crooked. I'm a Democrat and didn't get one vote."

A woman called and wanted to know if her husband, who was an election sheriff, would have to stay all night.

"I want to know, so he can't put anything over on me," she said.

berger 120, Cravens 93, Priest 72, Risk 51.

Coolidge ran four to one over Johnson, the vote being 1,360 to 331.

Harry Rowbottom defeated Kiper for Republican nomination for Congressman, 871 to 764.

**By United Press**  
ROCKFORD, Ind., May 7.—Unofficial Republican vote in Spencer County: Jackson, 1,149; Toner, 259; Davis, 7; Shank, 684; Bush, 81; Dulberger, 24. For Congress, First District: Kiper, 1,858; Rowbottom, 506. For President: Coolidge, 1,797; Johnson, 561.

No report has been made of the Democratic vote.

**By United Press**  
RUSHVILLE, Ind., May 7.—Complete returns from Rush County gave President Coolidge 3,812; Senator Johnson, 360.

The Republican vote for Governor was: Bush, 694; Davis, 36; Dulberger, 19; Jackson, 2,000; Shank, 1,340; Toner, 426.

Republicans voted thus for Congress: Elliott, 2,664; Phillips, 1,466; Mason, 252.

Democratic candidates for Governor received: Batt, 47; Cravens, 457; Crittenger, 69; Durgan, 28; Holt, 781; McCulloch, 669; Priest, 50; Risk, 40.

The vote for Democratic candidates for Congress was: Clifton, 1,095; Elckman, 118; Handley, 306; Myers, 203; Reese, 58; Yarling, 282.

**By United Press**  
COSHEN, Ind., May 7.—Elkhart County, with only one precinct uncounted, showed the following vote for President:

Coolidge, 3,888; Johnson, 1,053. In the Republican contest for Gov.

## Deery Ahead



JAMES E. DEERY

James E. Deery, on the face of early official returns, appeared to be far in the lead for Democratic nomination for prosecutor.

ernor the vote was: Bush, 321; Davis, 129; Dulberger, 32; Jackson, 2,876; Shank, 727; Toner, 1,044.

The Democratic vote for Governor was: Batt, 125; Cravens, 107; Crittenger, 317; Durgan, 136; Holt, 576; Risk, 117; McCulloch, 848, and Priest, 86.

**By United Press**  
LA PORTE, Ind., May 7.—Returns from thirty-six precincts in La Porte County gave Ed Jackson 2,934; Shank, 1,650; Toner, 851; Bush, 263; Davis, 208, and Dulberger 73.

The lightest Democratic vote in the history of the county was polled. McCulloch is leading with 257; Cravens, second with 53; Durgan, 47; Batt, 45; Risk, 46; Crittenger, 39; Holt, 18; Priest, 11.

In order the four leading Democratic candidates were Meredith Nicholson, the author; Michael M. Mahoney, lawyer; J. Sexton and Harry W. Bassett.

Russell Harrison, whose name appeared on about every Republican slate issued Tuesday from Klan to Anti-Klan, led the list of Republican senatorial candidates, four of whom were to be nominated.

William T. Quinn, Fred M. Dickman, Harvey G. Shafer, Robert L. Moorhead and James R. Norrell followed in the order named. Moorhead's advocacy of the bill in the last session of the Legislature which was intended to prevent the annual 500-mile race at the Indianapolis motor speedway was said to have injured his chances of renomination.

The battle for the eleven nominations for State Representative was hard fought in both parties.

The leading Republican candidates for Representative were: Joseph C. Buchanan, Charles Mendenhall, Charles E. Behinger, Russell V. Duncan, H. Walker De Haven, George W. Elliott, J. W. Elbaugh, William Y. Hinkle, Claremont R. Smith, Frank Born, William F. Werner.

**By United Press**  
WARSAW, Ind., May 7.—Complete vote of the twenty-four precincts in Kosciusko County gave:

Republican, for President: Coolidge, 2,532; Johnson, 420.

Republican, for Governor: Bush, 146; Davis, 94; Dulberger, 36; Jackson, 1,826; Shank, 281; Toner, 638.

For Congress from the Thirteenth District: Hickey, 2,029; Vermilion, 940.

**By United Press**  
CONNERSVILLE, Ind., May 7.—Complete unofficial tabulations of the twenty-two precincts in Fayette County gave:

Republican, for President: Coolidge, 2,822; Johnson, 287. For Governor: Rush, 126; Davis, 19; Dulberger, 9; Jackson, 1,858; Shank, 795; Toner, 332. For Congress: Elliott, 1,359; Mason, 277; Phillips, 1,403.

Democratic, for Governor: Batt, 600; Cravens, 193; Crittenger, 165; Durgan, 187; Holt, 310; McCulloch, 565; Priest, 52; Risk, 43. For Congress: Clifton, 782; Handley, 484; Elckman, 18; Reese, 15; Myers, 123; Yarling, 47.

William W. Spencer was unopposed for the Democratic nomination of joint representative and Charles M. Clark was ahead of his only Republican opponent, Frank E. Cline.

The Republican battle for the sheriff nomination was interesting, although Omer Hawkins drew far ahead of the field as the count progressed. Claude F. Johnson, John F. Walker and George L. Winkler, were closely bunched for second position.

Otto Ray was making a runaway for the Democratic nomination having almost a majority over eight opponents.

**Clauer Piles Up Lead**  
William E. Clauer piled up a commanding lead for treasurer on the Democratic side.

Paul F. Robinson, coroner, easily won the renomination on the Republican ticket. His opponent probably will be Garrett E. Kirby.

Paul R. Brown and George C. Schmidt were fighting it out for the Republican nomination for surveyor. Schmidt holding a slight lead most of the time. Rush E. Pickens led George M. Cheney for the Democratic nomination.

John Kitley appeared to have easily won the Democratic race for commissioner of the First district and may be opposed either by Cassius Hogle or John E. Shearer, Republicans, who ran neck and neck throughout the morning.

Charles O. Sutton seemed to have the better of Albert Hoffman in the contest for the Republican nomination as commissioner of the Third district. George H. Hardin apparently had an easy victory over two opponents for the Democratic nomination.

## Leading Democratic Candidate



DR. CARLETON B. MCCULLOCH

## ANTI-SHANK MEN LEAD IN COUNTY

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Johnson, in Marion County, chief interest in the Republican primary centered in contests for county and State offices.

Mayor Shank and Ed Jackson were running a close race for G. O. P. governorship nomination in the county, with Shank slightly in the lead, according to late official returns received by the canvassing board.

Merrill Moores apparently is assured of Republican renomination for congressman, as he had piled up a decisive lead over Ralph E. Updyke, who hung close to Moore's heels for a long time Tuesday night.

**McCulloch or Durgan**  
In the Democratic race for Governor Carlton B. McCulloch and George R. Durgan were running fairly close, McCulloch gaining somewhat as the returns came in. Joseph P. Turk, Democratic candidate for nomination for Congressman, apparently was safely nominated by a decisive plurality.

Charles B. Clarke may finish second, with Julia E. Landers and Raymond F. Murray fighting it out for third.

William H. Remy, present prosecutor of Marion County, and James E. Deery, appeared to have easily won the Democratic race for commissioner of the First district and may be opposed either by Cassius Hogle or John E. Shearer, Republicans, who ran neck and neck throughout the morning.

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**GIRL CHANGES MIND;  
LAD LEAPS IN SEA**

**Deck Hand on Ocean Liner  
Sees Youth Jump.**

**By United Press**  
CHERBOURG, May 7.—A girl who changed her mind about young Thorn-dyke Hilton of Chicago to leap from the liner Orduna when she was three days out from New York, passengers said when they arrived here today.

The orchestra was jazzing a gay tune and passengers in evening dress were chatting at their dinners when Hilton suddenly left his table.

"I'm going astern a minute," he said.

A frightened deck hand saw him balance a minute on the rail and then leap into the darkness of the sea.

Search for the body was unavailing. Quillen, Fred M. Dickman, Harvey G. Shafer, Robert L. Moorhead and James R. Norrell followed in the order named. Moorhead's advocacy of the bill in the last session of the Legislature which was intended to prevent the annual 500-mile race at the Indianapolis motor speedway was said to have injured his chances of renomination.

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## POLITICAL TRICK IS TOUPIN'S DEFENSE

Answers Suit Filed by School  
Teacher.

**By United Press**  
PROVIDENCE, R. I., May 7.—Lieut. Governor Felix Toupin today characterized as a political trick the serving of papers calling upon him to appear in court next month to answer a \$25,000 breach of promise suit filed against him by Miss Josephine Olivere, a former school teacher.

Toupin said the whole affair was nothing more than an attempt to ruin him politically and blamed the Republican machine for responsibility.

He said criminal action might follow.

The papers were served twelve hours after Miss Olivere had withdrawn the suit, he said. He claims to have an affidavit in which Miss Olivere states she has no grievance against him.

In the petition filed Miss Olivere claims Toupin asked her to marry him, then later said he didn't love her.

## INDIANA SON TO BE IN HALL OF FAME

Bust of James Eads Will Be  
Given Place of Honor.

A bust of James Buchanan Eads, the only son of Indiana elected to the New York University Hall of Fame for Great Americans, will be one of ten to be unveiled May 13, according to a dispatch today.

Eads, born in Lawrenceburg, Ind., May 23, 1836, is best known for the Eads bridge over the Mississippi River at St. Louis. During the Civil War he built many "ironclads" for the Union. He died March 8, 1887.