

IRWIN RENAMED; M'NUTT'S GROUP CLAIMS VICTORY

Regulars of Both Indiana
Parties Retain Control
of Organizations.

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ton were named unanimously and Mr. Wright won by a vote of 15 to 7 over L. G. Bradford, South Bend. Shortly after the election, George Ball, Muncie manufacturer, appeared before the committee and urged that the election of state officers be set aside and the delegates could be seated from the Eighth District. While this was being debated a motion to adjourn resulted in another tie vote and Mr. Irwin again cast the deciding vote, for adjournment.

Another contest settled by the committee was the double slate of officers chosen for the county committee in Allen County. It was decided that the officers should be Homer Kelsey, chairman; Mrs. Martha Viscory, vice chairman, and Mrs. Mollie Hartman, secretary. Ed Schuman, elected treasurer, resigned immediately after the result was announced.

The defeated slate consisted of D. C. Flanagan, chairman; Mrs. Mabel Metzner, vice chairman; Miss Edna Poisner, secretary and Eugene Poerber, treasurer.

Halli Myers Is Ousted

Forces of Gov. McNutt were the apparent victors for control of the Democratic state organization.

Victories won by organization backers yesterday in district conventions make it apparent that the administration program for the state committee is to be pushed through, observers said. The program includes the re-election of the present officers and the appointment of a secretary by the chairman.

Halli Myers, Columbus, campaign manager for Pleas Greenlee, ousted patronage secretary of the state administration now seeking the gubernatorial nomination against Gov. McNutt's wishes, was discarded as Ninth District chairman. Lawrence E. Reeves, Columbus, Statehouse group selection, was the victor.

Bays Hurls Challenge

Paul P. Fry, Linton, state excise director and political ally of Mr. Greenlee, claimed re-election as Seventh District chairman, but a protest to the state committee was anticipated.

Mr. Fry announced the result of a secret ballot in the meeting at Bloomfield yesterday gave him a victory over Frank Flinney, Martinsville, state auto license commissioner and Statehouse choice, by a margin of 13 to 9.

Fred Bays, Sullivan County chairman, challenged Mr. Fry's announcement and demanded that those who voted for Mr. Flinney stand up. A majority of the county officers stood, Mr. Bays told the state committee.

Third District Deadlocked

The Statehouse choice, Harry Schulte, Lafayette, likewise was unsuccessful in the Second District where Lawrence Corey, Monticello, was not a candidate.

The Third District, comprising St. Joseph, Elkhart and La Porte Counties, remained in a deadlock, however. Lawrence Cannon, Michigan City, and Mayor Alvan Smith, La Porte, were reported tied with three votes each.

Most of the other district chairmen, many of them re-elected, were considered administration supporters.

New members of the Indiana Democratic committee, chosen at district reorganization elections yesterday and Saturday, are listed below.

Other District Choices

First District—John Lyddick, Gary, chairman, and Mrs. Rose Emerson Whiting, vice chairman.

Second District—Harry Schultz, Lafayette, chairman, and Mrs. Margaret Afflis, Delphi, vice chairman (both re-elected).

Third District—Deadlock with Lawrence Cannon, Michigan City, and Alvan Smith, La Porte, receiving three votes each.

Fourth District—Virgil M. Simmons, Bluffton, chairman (re-elected) and Mrs. Anna Grady, LaGrange, vice chairman.

Fifth District—Alex M. Pursey, Hartford City, chairman, and Mrs. Esther Fisher, Frankfort, vice chairman (both re-elected).

Sixth District—Alden H. Baker, Noblesville, chairman, and Mrs. Del-

HERE'S 'WEIGHTY' EVIDENCE FOR OARP INVESTIGATORS



These Townsends are getting ready to produce some "weighty" evidence for the congressional investigating committee when they take their 12,000 pounds of petitions into Washington.

Townsend backers are shown here as the caravan carrying the petitions arrived in Indianapolis yes-

terday.

The caravan of five trucks and more than a dozen passenger cars stopped overnight here on the way from Los Angeles to Capitol Hill, where other petitions favoring the Townsend Old-Age Revolving Pen-

sion Plan are to be collected.

ZEP PREPARED FOR NEW TRIP

Hindenburg Breaks Record
on Return Flight to
Germany.

By United Press

FRANKFORT, Germany, May 14.—Commercial airship service between Europe and the United States, a dream of many years, became an established fact today.

The dirigible Hindenburg was moored at its new home port this morning after a round trip in seven days seven hours 25 minutes between Germany and Lakehurst, N. J.

No sooner had the great ship been put in its hangar and its 47 passengers, mail and cargo disposed of than the airport crew began turning its motors and making preparations to refuel it for the second pay-load airship in history to the United States.

Saturday night or Sunday, depending on the weather, the 203-foot ship will sail again for Lakehurst, and four days later it is due to leave the United States for Frankfort.

The Hindenburg broke all airship records for the westward and eastward flight. It flew to Lakehurst from Friedrichshafen in 61 hours 22 minutes. The old record was 95 hours 22 minutes. On its home flight, the Hindenburg completed its flight in 48 hours 28 minutes. The old eastward record was 55 hours 22 minutes.

La Swinehart, Clinton, vice chairman (both re-elected).

Seventh District—Paul P. Fry, Linton, chairman, and Mrs. Sanford Trippett, Princeton, vice chairman. (The election of Fry is expected to be protested to the state committee.)

Eighth District—Ernest Weatherholt, Perry County, chairman, and Mrs. Gertrude Powers, Warrick County, vice chairman (both re-elected).

Ninth District—Lawrence E. Reeves, Columbus, chairman, and Mrs. Eudora Kelley, Nashville, vice chairman.

Tenth District—Anderson Kelch, Union, Greensburg, chairman, and Miss Dorothy Lambert, Fayette County, vice chairman.

Eleventh District—Cary Forkner, Anderson, chairman, and Mrs. Marcella Murphy, Indianapolis, vice chairman (both re-elected).

Twelfth District—Henry O. Goettl, Indianapolis, chairman, and Mrs. Nannette Dowd, Indianapolis, vice chairman.

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COMPROMISE ON PROBLEM GIVEN CHURCH PARLEY

M. E. Committee Fails to
Make Attack on
Profit Motive.

By United Press

COLUMBUS, O., May 14.—The attack on the profit motive in American business, a cause of church dissension for four years, was absent today from the recommendation for a pronouncement on social and economic motives before the general conference of the Methodist Episcopal Church.

Sidestepping liberal demands for a definite recommendation for change but denouncing "grasping interests" and "privatism in the midst of plenty," the State of the Church Committee offered a middle-of-the-road resolution which may allay the anticipated liberal-conservative battle on the conference floor.

A subcommittee which drafted the recommendation had received resolutions demanding expansion of liberal principles and retraction of the 1932 statement branding the industrial order "unchristian, unethical and anti-social" because it is largely based on the profit motive, which is a direct appeal to selfishness.

Designed to Foster Unity

Dr. G. Bromley Oxnam, subcommittee chairman, said the resolution was designed to foster church unity.

"It is better to have a united church studying social issues scientifically, in Christian spirit, than a divided church fighting over it," Dr. Oxnam, president of De Pauw University, said.

The recommendation probably will reach the conference floor tomorrow.

One of three white bishops remained unchosen today after Dr. Edwin F. Lee, missionary bishop for Eastern Asia, failed by 20 votes on the seventh ballot to receive the 378 necessary for election. Dr. Harry W. McPherson, president of Illinois Wesleyan University, was second with 173 votes.

The unofficial Methodist Federation for Social Service, target of "Communist" bars from conservative ministers and laymen, escaped censure in the state of the church committee report.

Its proposed solution for economic inequalities of substituting a planned social economy for profit-motive economics was described without comment.

"While we do not pass judgment upon the technique of attainment, we as Methodists do declare ourselves in favor of a personality-making economy . . . wherein the fundamental objective is fullness of life for all," the resolution said.

Mr. Nolan said Groves was set at large to the Indianapolis Postoffice general delivery window, is to be returned to Detroit, Mich., to face prosecution under the Federal stolen property act, Val Nolan, United States attorney, announced today. Today he waived hearing before United States Commissioner Fae Patrick. His bond was set at \$10,000.

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BOOK AWARD IS GIVEN
TO PROFESSOR'S WIFE

"Caddie Woodlawn" Is Selected in
Children's Literature.

"Caddie Woodlawn," a book by Carol Ryrie Brink, has been chosen 1935 winner of the John Newbery medal for "the most distinguished contribution to American literature for children," it was announced here today following the annual meeting of the American Library Association in Richmond, Va.

Mrs. Brink is the wife of a mathematics professor at the University of Minnesota. "Caddie Woodlawn," her second book for children, describes the life of a little girl on the Wisconsin frontier during the Civil War.

Frederick Melcher, editor of Publishers' Weekly, who sponsored the award medal in honor of John Newbery, the first publisher of children's books, is a former Indianapolis bookstore manager.

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Official Congressional Vote

in 10 Districts Announced

Returns Do Not Change Winners, but There Is Some Alteration in Ballots Cast for Candidates.

By United Press

Official returns in the May 5 primary from 10 of the 12 congressional districts were announced today by Orris Hooper, election clerk in the office of Secretary of State August G. Mueller.

Returns on congressional races were received from all but the First and Twelfth Districts, which are wholly within one county and are not certified to the Secretary of State.

The returns did not change previously announced winners of the various congressional races but total vote was changed in several instances.

The voting by districts was announced as follows:

Second District—(Several counties did not report voting, since both candidates were unopposed) Democrats—Hugh A. Barnhart, Rochester, 10,520; Republicans—Charles A. Halleck, Rensselaer, 17,977.

Pettengill Wins

Third District—Democratic: Samuel B. Pettengill, South Bend, 19,313; John H. Browning, Elkhart, 8,804; Fred M. Eby, Elkhart, 975. Republican: Andrew J. Hickey, LaPorte, 11,267; Floyd O. Jeilson, South Bend, 7,779; Herman W. Voges, Elkhart, 4,461.

Ninth District—Democratic: Charles A. Halleck, Bedford, 28,205; Floyd E. James, Scottsburg, 10,280; and Weldon Lambert, 4,206. Republican: Chester Davis, Bedford, 17,636, and Albert Meranda, Jeffersonville, 7,625.

Tenth District—Democratic: Francis I. Farley, Auburn, 16,765; Clarence R. McNabb, Fort Wayne, 11,920; Thomas P. Riddle, Ray, 1748. Republican: David Hogg, Fort Wayne, 18,200; Howard S. Grimm, Auburn, 5,107; Fred T. Robinson, Fort Wayne, 1,220.

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Eleventh District—Democratic: William H. Larabee, New Palestine, 19,686; Walter F. Jones, Anderson, 9,190; James M. Wallace, Anderson, 4,352; L. William Curry, Indianapolis, 3,023. Republican: Don F. Roberts, Indianapolis, 5,164; Elmer H. Shank, Indianapolis, 4,222; Paul B. Brewer, Indianapolis, 3,986; Robert I. Marsh, Indianapolis, 2,966; John M. Noe, Indianapolis, 1,505, and Ernest Benninghoff, 810