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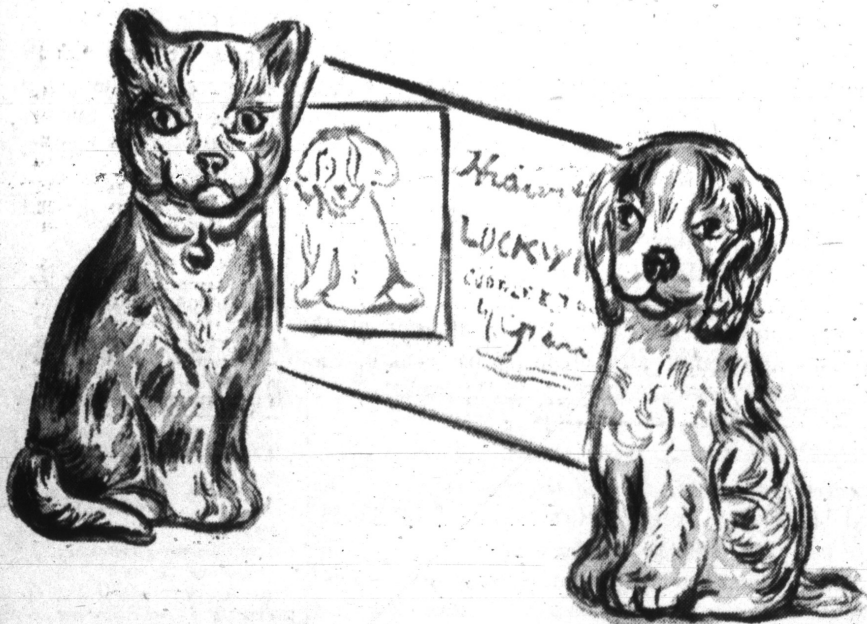
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NYE HEADING FOR SETBACK

GOP Just Holding Its Own In National Voting For Senate.

BULLETIN
NEW YORK, Nov. 8 (U. P.).—Senator Gerald P. Nye (R. N. D.), one of the senate's foremost isolationists, conceded defeat by Governor John Moses (D.), today on the basis of late returns which gave Mr. Moses a 13,000-vote margin.

NEW YORK, Nov. 8 (U. P.).—The senate's leading Republican isolationist, Gerald P. Nye (N. D.), apparently was headed for retirement today on the basis of late returns which showed his Democratic opponent, Governor John Moses, rolling up a 13,000 vote lead.

Returns from 595 of the state's 2254 precincts gave Moses 33,588 to Nye's 20,920. Independent Lynn U. Stambaugh, whose campaign apparently split the Republican vote to bring about Nye's defeat, had received 7244 votes on last returns. Elsewhere in the country the G. O. P. was just holding its own in the senate, where it now has 37 of the 96 seats.

Likely loss of the North Dakota seat by the Republicans, the conceded defeat of Senator John A. Danaher (R. Conn.) by Brian McMahon, (D.) and the poor showing of Senator James J. Davis (R. Pa.) were counter-balanced by apparent gains in Indiana, Iowa and New Jersey.

Davis Trailing
The Connecticut tally gave Danaher 390,553 to McMahon's 428,757. In Pennsylvania, Davis was trailing 1,880,846 to 1,696,796 for Francis J. Myers (D.). The figure represented 8078 of the state's 8208 precincts, with 210,000 soldier votes to be counted on Nov. 22.

Senator Scott W. Lucas (D.) was re-elected with 7814 precincts out of Illinois' total of 8748 giving him 303,334 votes over his Republican opponent, Richard J. Lyons. The vote: Lucas, 1,834,680; Lyons, 1,531,346.

The Republican candidate in Iowa, Governor Bourke B. Hickel, was leading Senator Guy M. Gillette (D.), 416,333 to 392,585 on the basis of returns from 1981 of the state's 2466 precincts.

In New Jersey, H. Alexander Smith (R.) was leading Elmer H. Wene (D.), 728,806 to 686,336 with 2723 of 3647 precincts reporting.

Southerners Win Easily
Meanwhile, southern Democrats, as expected, won easily with Senators Lister Hill (Ala.); Claude Pepper (Fla.); Walter F. George (Ga.); and John Overton (La.) being re-elected, and Clyde R. Roy (N. C.) and Olin D. Johnson (S. C.) going to the senate for the first time.

Adam S. Bennion (R.) was defeated by Senator Elbert Thomas (D.) in Utah.

Senator Millard Tydings (D. Md.) was re-elected when 962 of 1325 precincts gave him 236,975 against 149,557 for Blanchard Randall Jr. (R.).

In Kentucky, James Park (R.) conceded the election of Majority Leader Alben W. Barkley (D.) while in New York state, Senator Robert F. Wagner (D.) was leading Thomas J. Curran (R.) 2,816,870 to 2,216,525.

Vermont's Senator George D. Aiken was the first Republican to get under the re-election wire after 11 Democrats already had won their races.

Morse Appears Safe
Wayne L. Morse, Republican, the labor conciliator who asked for and received C. I. O. support after he had beaten Senator Rufus C. Holman in the primaries, was leading Edgar W. Smith (D.), in Oregon, 67,888 to 39,458 and appeared safe.

Democratic incumbents appearing to hold safe leads were: California—Senator Sheridan Downey, 679,681 to 606,176 for Frederick F. Houser, (R.); Illinois—Senator Scott W. Lucas, 1,374,009 to 1,091,847 for Richard J. Lyons, (R.); Nevada—Senator Pat McCarran, 11,808 to 7673 for George W. Malone, (R.); and Oklahoma—Senator Elmer Thomas, 273,850 to 215,578 for W. J. Otjen, (R.).

Republicans Safe
Other Republican incumbents with apparently safe leads were: Kansas—Senator Clyde M. Reed, 56,648 to 45,888 for Thurman Hill (D.); New Hampshire—Senator Charles W. Tobey, 91,342 to 86,423 for Joseph J. Betley (D.); Ohio—Senator Robert A. Taft, 426,250 to 388,510 for William G. Pickrel (D.); South Dakota—Senator Chan Gurney, 39,812 to 21,465 for George W. Bradshaw (D.); Wisconsin—Senator Alexander R. Wiley, 79,742 to 36,414 for Howard J. McMurray (D.).

Lagging reports from Massachusetts, where little more than a sixth of the vote was counted, gave Leverett C. Saltonstall (R.), 180,877 to 93,356 for John H. Corcoran (D.). Missouri's race for the seat vacated by Senator Harry S. Truman (D.), who resigned to make the successful run for the vice presidency, remained close when 4261 of 4843 precincts gave Roy McKeltrick (D.), 691,340 against 693,313 for Forrest C. Donnell (D.).

VOTE BANS CLOSED SHOP
LITTLE ROCK, Ark., Nov. 8 (U. P.).—A constitutional amendment which would outlaw the closed shop and maintenance of union membership contracts in Arkansas appeared today to have been approved. Returns from 406 of Arkansas' 1607 precincts showed 16,509 votes in favor of the amendment and 12,046 against.

PLANE CRASHES, 13 MISSING
NORFOLK, Va., Nov. 8 (U. P.).—A navy plane crashed yesterday off Old Point Comfort and the navy reported that the 13 men aboard were either dead or missing.

Democrats Tighten Control Of House With Gain of 20

By JOSEPH L. MYLER

United Press Staff Correspondent

NEW YORK, Nov. 8 (U. P.).—The Democrats appeared assured of stronger control of the house of representatives today with a gain of approximately 20 seats.

A United Press tabulation shortly before noon, showed Democratic nominees had ousted 20 incumbent Republicans and had filled at least four of the five vacancies now in the house. The Republicans won two seats now held by Democrats, leaving the Democrats a net gain of 22. There were 93 undecided contests.

The Republican lost five seats in Pennsylvania, four in Connecticut, three in New York, two in Illinois and one each in Maryland, Kentucky, Minnesota, California, Missouri and Ohio.

The 342 candidates definitely elected included 202 Democrats 138 Republicans, one Progressive and one American Labor party member. The Democrats have 214 against 212 Republican seats in the present congress, and need at least 218 for a bare majority.

Lose in California

The Democrats lost another seat in California, when Gordon L. McDonough (R.) defeated Hal Styles (D.) for the seat which former Rep. John M. Costello (D.) lost to Mr. Styles in the primary election.

The Democrats shared in a notable victory but it will do them no good when the house is organized. Augustus W. Bennett, nominee of the Democratic, American Labor, Liberal and Good Government parties, defeated Republican incumbent Hamilton Fish Jr. (N. Y.), a life-long Republican. He will vote Republican in the house. Mr. Bennett unsuccessfully opposed Mr. Fish in the Republican primary.

The house leaders of both parties were re-elected. They were Republican leader Joseph W. Martin Jr. (Mass.) and Democratic leader John W. McCormack (Mass.).

Another Republican loss was Melvin J. Maas (Minn.) ranking G. O. P. member of the house naval affairs committee. Had the Republicans won a house majority, Mr. Maas would have become chairman of the committee.

Mr. Maas served on Guadalcanal in this war as a lieutenant colonel of marines. A sharp critic of the New Deal, he was trailing Frank Starkey (D.).

In another close race, Rep. Clare Boothe Luce (R. Conn.) finally won re-election after trailing Margaret E. Cennors (D.).

Incumbent Democrats generally were winning. Among closer races was that of Chairman Andrew J. May (Ky.) of the military affairs committee. Incomplete returns showed him running behind Elmer E. Gabbard.

Of the 435 members of the new house, three Republicans were elected in September, and five Republicans, 51 Democrats, mostly in the South, and one American-Labor party candidate were unopposed.

Follows Precedents
The prospects of another Democratic house were in accord with election precedents. Not in 68 years has the party which elected the President lost the house.

Four years ago, when Mr. Roosevelt defeated the late Wendell L. Willkie, the Democrats won 268 house seats. This total was cut down in the 1942 election and was further reduced by deaths among Democratic members.

Among Republicans defeated were Daniel Ellison (Md.), C. Frederick Pracht (Pa.), Hugh D. Scott Jr. (Pa.), Joseph M. Pratt (Pa.), Thomas Miller (Pa.), James Gallagher (Pa.), Ranulf Compton (Conn.), William J. Miller (Conn.), Chester O. Carrier (Ky.) and Fred E. Busby (Ill.).



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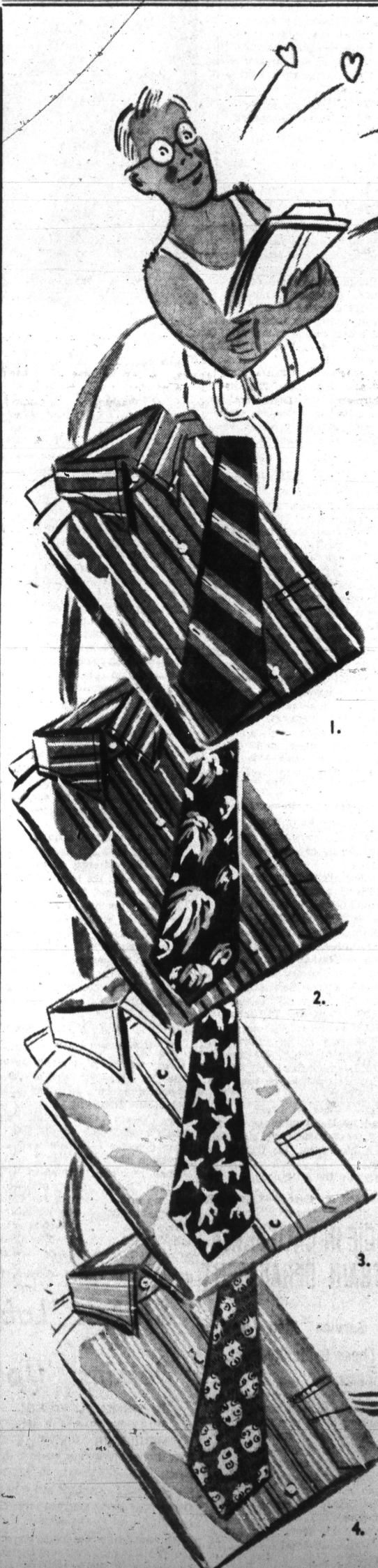
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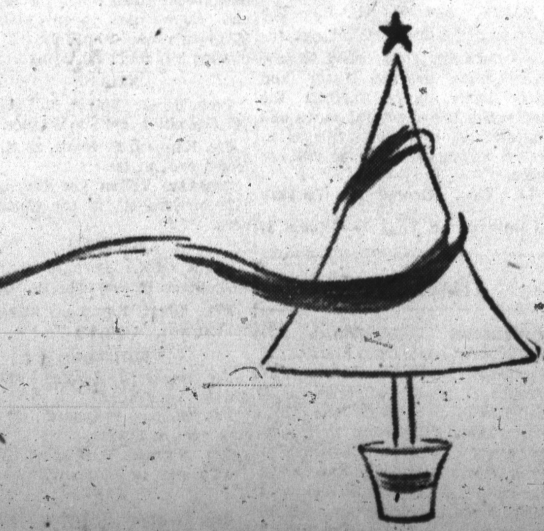
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