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REPUBLICANS CONFIDENT AND READY FOR BATTLE

Congressman Watson's Speech Has Served to Strengthen and Arouse the Party.

DEMOCRAT MANAGERS ADMIT KUHN WILL BE DEFEATED

Chairman Gardner Aided by an Effective Organization Has Laid Plans for Getting Out a Large "Off Year" Vote

Tomorrow is election day. The campaign in Richmond and Wayne county has been brought to its conclusion and the "oldest inhabitant" cannot recall a campaign that has been quite like it. The utter apathy of both Republicans and Democrats up to within ten days ago was unusual, even for an "off year," but there has been an awakening in the Republican ranks that augurs well for the ticket, both State and Congressional and there is no longer doubt the Republican leaders say, that old Wayne tomorrow will roll up a big plurality for both tickets.

Chairman Gardner who has been an indefatigable worker has had the hearty co-operation of the county central committee members and there has been nothing left undone that would tend to increase the interest.

Congressman Watson's great address at the Coliseum Saturday night was the master-stroke of the present campaign. Because of charges uttered against his stand on important public questions, he sought to reply to them, and it is openly asserted on all sides that he did this to the utmost satisfaction of every person within his hearing. Not only the 2,000 persons who were in the Coliseum, however, were brought under the influence of Congressman Watson's many declaration of principles, both personal and party, but it was plain yesterday that each of the congressman hearers had gone forth from the Coliseum and had spread the good news. The doubts of many Republicans concerning the shortage of the vote were at once removed, for representative citizens from every part of Wayne County heard Congressman Watson's call, and the word will reach nearly every Repub-

lican voter in the county before tomorrow.

Good Weather May do Harm.

Good weather tomorrow may to some extent handicap the Republicans in the rural districts for the majority of the farmers are Republicans and it is feared that some of them, will take advantage of the weather conditions to attend to farm work instead of going to the polls, even though the time lost is short. An effort will be made in every voting precinct of the county, however, to have the full strength of the party out.

Reports from every out-township in Wayne county which were received Saturday were most encouraging to Republicans. Instead of any disaffection it was found upon reliable information that there is almost a total lack of it. The Republicans in the country districts and in the small towns are well satisfied with present conditions and do not intend to forsake the party which brought them about.

Democrats Unorganized.

The Democrats have practically no organization in the county and are depending upon the Republicans who are "dissatisfied" to help them out. Though the leaders will not admit it, there are some Democrats who are free to confess that the leaders themselves have no real hope of accomplishing any result tomorrow. The campaign was started, however, and precedent compel it to be carried out to the end. The only claim of the Democrats is that the pluralities of the Republicans will be "greatly reduced." The Republican county committee confidently expects plurality close to the normal in this county.

Word from every county in the Sixth Congressional district which was received Saturday and yesterday shows that conditions everywhere are rosy for the Republicans. The plurality of Congressman Watson is estimated at from 3,000 to 3,500.

Voting Places for Tomorrow's Election

The list of voting places in Richmond and Wayne township for the election tomorrow, is as follows:

FIRST PRECINCT—No. 10 School House.

SECOND—George Miner's Shop, on the Chester Pike.

THIRD—E. L. Norris's house on the Middleboro Pike.

FOURTH—Oliver Burgess house on the Abington Pike.

FIFTH—Fountain Hill School House, east of the city.

SIXTH—Court House.

SEVENTH—Shofer's Livery Barn, South Sixth street.

EIGHTH—No. 301 South Sixth street.

NINTH—532 South Sixth street.

TENTH—20 Ft. Wayne Avenue.

ELEVENTH—City Hall.

TWELFTH—North Fourth street between C and D streets.

THIRTEENTH—Northwest corner Ft. Wayne avenue and North D street.

FOURTEENTH—1032 Main street.

FIFTEENTH—Shoe Shop on North E, south side, between 10th and 11th.

SIXTEENTH—822 North F street.

SEVENTEENTH—No. 813 North 10th street.

EIGHTEENTH—K. of P. Temple.

NINETEENTH—Benning's Livery

avenue.

PRESIDENT COMMENDS WORK OF CONG. WATSON

The following is an extract from the letter written by President Roosevelt to Congressman James E. Watson on July 25, 1906:

"It will be entirely satisfactory to me to address the letter to you, the man, who as Republican 'whip' of the House rendered such valuable and efficient service for all the measures advocated by the administration."

Miss Mary Boarman of Washington is the guest of Mrs. J. W. Roney, 306 North D street.

HAD HIS WRIST BROKEN

Horace Keeor, Chauffeur for Frank Vaughn Meets With Accident While Cranking an Auto.

While "cranking" the automobile of Frank Vaughn in Dayton Saturday Horace Keeor had his wrist broken. He accompanied the High School football team to Dayton and while there met the Vaughns and had just started with them on a ride around Dayton when the accident happened. He had just recovered from a burn received two weeks ago when the gasoline tank of the same machine exploded.

Palladium Bulletins

The Palladium will begin displaying election bulletins about six o'clock tomorrow evening. A large screen will be placed across from the Palladium office and upon it a large stereopticon will throw the returns as fast as they come in. The Palladium will give the most complete election service ever furnished by a Richmond paper and it will pay all interested in the election to watch the Palladium bulletins.

THE WEATHER PROPHET.

INDIANA—Fair Monday and Tuesday; fresh east to southeast winds.

WEEK OF NICE WEATHER

THE DAYS FAIRLY WARM

Record Kept at the Pumping Station Shows that The Warmest Day Was Friday and the Coldest Thursday Marks of Indian Summer.

The week ending Saturday was one of fairly warm days and cold nights. Saturday was hazy, the mercury climbed to 56 at mid day and there were ear marks of Indian summer about the conditions. There were three clear days during the week, the remainder being cloudy in part or altogether. The maximum temperature was 57 degrees on Friday; the minimum 49 degrees in the morning of November 1, Thursday. The record of the temperature day by day for the week as taken by Walter Vossler, voluntary observer at the water works pumping station is as follows:

	High	Low
October 28	43	34
October 29	49	25
October 30	49	35
October 31	41	25
November 1	47	19
November 2	57	22
November 3	56	23

PRESIDENT KELLY HANGED IN EFFIGY

Students at Earlham Awake to Find Hideous "Dummy" Hanging to Tree.

IN FRONT OF DORMITORY

ACTION GREW OUT OF THREAT OF AUTHORITIES TO DISMISS THREE FOOTBALL STARS FROM THE TEAM.

Some of the students at Earlham College, sore at the authorities for threatening to suspend some of the best football players from the team because they were not keeping up their school work, Saturday night hung President Kelly in effigy. Yesterday morning the tackling "dummy" used by the football team was found hanging in front of the college dormitory, with the words, "Prexie" painted over it in large letters. The unsightly image dangling high in air, from a rope drawn tightly about its neck was soon taken down and it is thought that in case the perpetrators of the affair are found they will be severely dealt with, probably expel from the college.

School spirit is running high at the college this year.

The football team has not yet been scored on this year and the students are anxious for the regular men to play, whether they are up in their studies or not. The authorities however will not countenance this and it was only by taking heroic measures that Carey, King and Wilson the three main stars of the back field were able to play Saturday. The spirit of the students has manifested itself this year in another way and that is in painting buildings, historic stones and fences. Conspicuous numerals can be seen everywhere on the college campus.

MORE EVIDENCE OF JUVENILE THIEVES

Woman's Exchange on Main Street Thoroughly Ransacked Last Night.

FEW DOLLARS WERE TAKEN

ENTRANCE WAS SECURED BY THE ROBBERS THROUGH AN INSECURE WINDOW, EARLY IN THE EVENING.

The Woman's Exchange and Art Goods Emporium, owned by Mrs. Mary C. Bradbury, at 1015 Main street, was entered by burglars early last evening and thoroughly ransacked. Several dollars in cash and several small articles of merchandise taken.

Mrs. Bradbury has living apartments at the rear of the exchange but these evidently were not entered by the burglars, a fact which indicated to the police that they must have been amateurs, probably juveniles. Mrs. Bradbury left home early in the afternoon and when she returned last evening between 8 and 9 o'clock she discovered that the exchange had been visited during her absence. The evidence was on every side. The money drawers had been opened, their contents taken; show cases opened, their articles strewn about, and drawers beneath show cases which contained various articles of merchandise had been ransacked.

Entrance to the store room had been gained by prying open a window that looks out into a court between the exchange building and the Bee Hive grocery store. The fastenings of the window were insecure.

About \$5 Was Taken.

Between and \$3 and \$5 was taken from two cash drawers and several dollars more were taken from a handbag, the burglars leaving the handbag behind. Partly burned matches, lying upon the floor and on the tops of show cases, marked the trail of the burglars from one end of the store room to the other.

The police department was notified and Patrolman Vogelsong who investigated, expressed his belief that the work was that of boys. During the past three or four months there have been numerous small burglaries in Richmond and the police department believe that all or nearly all of them have been committed by juveniles.

It was deemed probable last night that an arrest in connection with the Woman's Exchange robbery would be made.

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October 28 43 34

October 29 49 25

October 30 49 35

October 31 41 25

November 1 47 19

November 2 57 22

November 3 56 23

WILLIAM BLOSE IS DEAD

WAS A FORMER RESIDENT

Remains Brought to This City From Chicago and Taken to the Home of Chas. Williams on South Eleventh Street.

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Watson's New Laurels

Louis Ludlow, writing for the Indianapolis Star on the recent trip of the Vice President says:

"During the four days many notable speeches have been delivered by the Vice President and the veteran campaigners who are sent to assist him, but the general verdict of those who heard all of the speeches is that Congressman James E. Watson has carried off the oratorical honors and has earned the title of Indiana's foremost orator. His speeches at South Bend and Terre Haute arose to the supreme heights of eloquence and left an imprint on the thousands of his hearers which will never be effaced.

One Woman Who Wants Hearst to Win



MRS. WILLIAM R. HEARST AND HER SON.

Mrs. William Randolph Hearst, whose husband is a candidate for the governor of New York, was Miss Millicent Wilson before her marriage. She is petite and pretty and is not greatly devoted to society. The little boy was born in Washington two and a half years ago. He is a handsome, bright lad, quite as fond of chasing the household kitten as his father is of running for office.

MINISTERS PRAY; MAYOR LIES SICK

Philadelphia Preachers Offer Prayers for the Success of Reform Party.

SITUATION OF INTEREST

MANY BELIEVE THAT MAYOR WEAVER HAS SUFFERED A SEVERE COLLAPSE ON ACCOUNT OF UNIVERSAL CONDEMNATION

Philadelphia, Nov. 4.—Prayers for the success of the Reform Party in the city and state elections on Tuesday, and for Mayor Weaver that he may be brought back into the Reform fold, were offered by hundreds of preachers throughout the city today.

For Mayor Weaver's return to the pulpit of the republican organization which he so vehemently execrated a year ago, the pulpit of Philadelphia today voiced pity rather than condemnation. Preachers referred to his action as a fall from virtue and endeavored to gloss it over with the excuse that he had been misled and misguided by insincere friends. They nearly all expressed their confidence in his sincere intent in acting as he had done. Nevertheless the clergy pointed to the danger of the Mayors' sons resulting in a defeat of the reform forces for which he had sponsored only last year.

It was a little over a year ago that these same preachers had sent heavenward their invocations that Mayor Weaver be guided aright in his fight against the republican political gang. He sided with the preachers then

and his change of heart since has been a sore blow to them.

Mayor Weaver's illness still continues so serious that his wife said to day that it is doubtful whether he will be able to be out this week and will therefore miss his chance to vote on Tuesday for the espoused party of his choice. The impression has grown almost to a certainty now, that the mayor's condition is really due to a nervous collapse resulting from his realization of having made a mistake in declaring for the Republican ticket against the reform movement. His condemnation in the newspapers has been all but unanimous.

Lamar Whitesell, a well-known man of this city has purchased a half interest in the Auto Inn, on East Main street. The Inn is considered one of the best business properties in the city and the friends of the young man are congratulating him on his entry into the business.

Editor Chas. W. Stivers Brands

J. B. Gordon as a Merciless Liar

The Palladium yesterday afternoon received the following communication from Charles W. Stivers, the well known editor of the Liberty Herald:

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