

## DAKOTAS WILL VOTE FOR TAFT

Straw Vote Taken in States  
Show Bryan and Kern  
Will Be Defeated.

GREATER POLL IS TAKEN.

PROBABLY MORE THOROUGH  
THAN THAT OF OTHER STATES  
—BOTH STATES WERE PLACED  
IN DOUBTFUL COLUMN.

Chicago, Oct. 21.—The straw vote of the Record-Herald, taken in North and South Dakota, indicates that the plurality for Taft and Sherman over Bryan and Kern in each of the states will be in the neighborhood of 14,000. The Record-Herald's figures show a forthcoming republican plurality in North Dakota of 13,542 and in South Dakota of 14,268.

Both of the Dakotas have been placed in the doubtful column by the political managers and strong and virile claims have been made by both sides as to where the two states will land on election day. The straw ballot results are strongly indicative of the fact that the leaders who look who look for a heavy slump from the Roosevelt figures are correct in their pre-election forecasts.

### Poll is Most Thorough.

The straw vote in each of the states is even more comprehensive than in Iowa, Wisconsin or Minnesota, the size of the straw vote, in proportion to the entire vote of the state, being much larger in each of the young Northwestern commonwealths. The tables which are presented are gleaned from straw ballots which were cast in each section of the states, representative of the organized and unorganized labor vote, of the agricultural and wheat country, of the city and village and of the mining region in the two states.

### Poll in South Dakota.

The summary of the returns from South Dakota are first given in the following figures, covering the compilation of the straw vote which was taken in the state one week ago:

Vote for Taft.....	788
Vote for Bryan.....	690
Vote for Debs.....	73
Vote for Chafin.....	58
Vote for Hilsen.....	15

## MARSHALL WOULD DEBAUCH PENAL INSTITUTIONS

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ification of a president is his ability to pick good men for his advisers. Roosevelt has been singularly fortunate. Against Mr. Bryan we have his choice of the other hand we have in Taft

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## WILL WED HER SLANT EYED PUPIL IN N. Y.



New York is to witness another international marriage. Miss Belle LeRoy, a pretty St. Louis Sunday School teacher in Chinatown is to wed Kee Sing, one of her Oriental pupils, whose picture is also shown. Kee is a laundryman by profession.

a man who has succeeded in his undertakings, which have all been of great responsibility. I think that the equipment of William Howard Taft is absolutely better than the equipment of any man that was ever nominated for that office. He is a great lawyer, more than that he is a great judge. But to be a great president a man must be more than a great lawyer or a great judge. He should be a man of wide administrative attainments. In the Philippines he met and solved an administrative problem of the greatest difficulty. "It seems to me in comparing the two men that we are facing the situation of the dog with a bone in his mouth who saw his reflection in the brook, and dropped his bone to brag at the reflection. The real bone and the reflected bone represent the difference between Taft's performance and Bryan's promises."

## THREE INDICTMENTS AGAINST MONTGOMERY

Allegheny Bank Cashier Embellished \$750,000.

Pittsburgh, Pa., Oct. 21.—Three indictments, collecting 38 counts, were returned by the federal grand jury against William Montgomery, former cashier of the Allegheny National bank, which failed for over \$1,000,000 recently.

Since the failure Montgomery has been in jail under \$100,000 bail. The charges include embezzlement, abstraction and misapplication of funds. He is alleged to have embezzled nearly \$750,000.

In one of the indictments Addison S. Altatter, former discount clerk of the bank, was joined as defendant.

## HENRY CLEWS OPPOSES THE BRYAN PLAN

Guarantee Plan Should Only Be Established by Banks.

Detroit, Mich., Oct. 21.—In an address here last night before the Detroit Chapter of the American Institute of Banking, Henry Clews of New York strongly opposed government guarantee of bank deposits. If a guarantee system is ever established, Mr. Clews said, it should be by the banks of their own initiative.

A municipal Pasteur Institute, where victims of dogs or other animals whose bites produce rabies can be cared for at cost or at the city's expense, is proposed by a Chicago alderman.

For tapping the pavement with his stick to let his sweetheart know he passed beneath her window, a lawyer's clerk was sentenced to two days in jail as a public nuisance in London.

## DEATH INTERVENES PREVENTING MARRIAGE

Young Man Who Shot Sweetheart Succumbs.

Rushville, Ind., Oct. 21.—Marshall Hollowell, a prominent young farmer of Washington township, this county, died at the Sexton sanitarium. Death followed an operation for abscess on the brain, resulting from a self-inflicted gunshot wound a few months ago, after the young man had seriously wounded his sweetheart, Miss Mary Erle.

Young Hollowell was thought to have almost recovered, but a few days ago the abscess developed. Miss Erle has entirely recovered, and it was understood that the young people were to have been married soon.

## AERONAUT WRIGHT RAPIDLY RECOVERING

Will Be Taken to His Home in Dayton.

Washington, D. C., Oct. 21.—Orville Wright, the aeronaut, who has been in the hospital at Fort Meyer ever since the accident to his aeroplane on Sept. 17, when Lieut. Thomas E. Selfridge met his death, is rapidly improving.

He is expected to be able to move about with the aid of crutches in a few days, and his sister, Miss Catherine Wright, plans to take her brother to their Dayton home by the end of next week.

It will probably be a long time before he is able to make any flights in his aeroplane.

## RAPID PROGRESS ON SOUTH L STREET

Good Weather the Cause of Speedy Work.

The favorable weather has done much toward being a factor in the rapid progress that has been made in the construction of South L street. When the work was undertaken it was not believed it would be possible to carry it on except for a few weeks as the fall weather was expected to be disagreeable. The contract with the county commissioners provided ample time and the contractor expected to have to drop the work and resume again next spring. There has been no interruption, however, and a few more weeks of this kind of weather will see the completion of the street. A steam shovel has been used and a large number of wagons, so that unusually rapid progress has been made.

## NARROW ESCAPE FROM BEING BURIED ALIVE

Physician Discovers Signs of Life in Woman.

Ellis, Kans., Oct. 21.—The timely intervention of a physician who was not satisfied with the appearance of the body prevented the burial alive of Mrs. Thomas Chapman, wife of a prominent citizen.

Mrs. Chapman was supposed to have died suddenly Saturday. The body was prepared for burial, but was not embalmed. The funeral was to have taken place Tuesday.

Just before the casket was sealed, a physician requested permission to see the body. After confirming his suspicions the woman was removed from the coffin and placed in bed. While her heart was weak, it is believed that she will recover.

Governor Guild, of Massachusetts, has appointed Prof. Emily Green Black a member of the State Industrial Commission. Miss Black is professor of economics at Wellesley College and president of the Woman's Trade League Union of Massachusetts.

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## THE THEATER



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### "Fighting Parson" Mediocre.

"The Fighting Parson," which appeared at the Gennett theater last night was only mediocre. It was a typical melodrama, and to those lovers of things melodramatic is pleased. The story of the play was only fair, but had the company carried better stage effects, much could have been added to the performance.

### "The Devil" Cancels.

"The Devil," one of Henry W. Savage's greatest successes in America, will not appear in Richmond next week, as the date has been cancelled owing to unavoidable circumstances.

Owing to the death of Gus Rogers, the famous comedian, who was to have appeared in Cincinnati next week, his company's engagement has been cancelled there and "The Devil" has been booked for the entire week in that city to take the place of the Rogers company. Fort Wayne and Toledo were also cancelled.

Mrs. Ira Swisher, resident manager of the Gennett theater, is endeavoring to secure the show for Richmond week after next, but it is not yet known whether she will be successful.

### Guy Stock Co.—Gennett.

The Guy Stock company made good Monday night in "The Manxman. Hall Cain's story of the Isle O'Man. Wednesday matinee, "From New York to Texas," is the offering, and "Dr. Jekyll and Mr. Hyde" will be played Wednesday night. This is Mr. Guy's most popular play, and is well remembered. It is said that he is not surpassed by any in his work in this popular play.

## POISONED CANDY EATEN BY WOMAN

Examination Made After She Goes Into Convulsions.

Columbus, Ind., Oct. 21.—Mrs. Anna Parker, a widow, about seventy-five years old, living at Forest Hill, Decatur county, received a box of bonbons through the mails. She ate some of the candy, and the first intimation members of the family had that anything was wrong was when they found the woman in convulsions. A physician was called who says the woman can not recover. An examination of the candy revealed the fact that it contained strychnine.

The relatives have no clue as to who sent the box, or why poisoned candy should be sent. The postmark was Indianapolis, but there was no writing of any kind in the box.

### The Eyes.

"Long, almond shaped eyes, with thick and creamy lids covering half the pupil and with a forehead that is full above the brows—there you have the eye of the man of genius." The speaker's own eyes answered that description strikingly, but he was far from being a man of genius, being, in fact, a magazine editor. "Protruding eyes," he went on, "show mental and bodily weakness. Eyes close together denote cunning. Those far apart denote liberality. Thin lashes without any upward curve to them and thin brows poorly marked are signs of melancholy and indecision. The eyes of a voluptuary move slowly under heavy lids. Those of a miser are small, deep sunken and blue, set in a bony and perpendicular forehead. The most beautiful eyes—large, brilliant and clear, glistening and flashing with a rapid motion—the most beautiful eyes denote elegance of taste, gaiety, some selfishness and a great interest in the opposite sex."—New York Press.

Mr. Ray Howell, a prosperous young printer employed in the Palladium newspaper office, surprised many of his friends by informing them that he is a benedict candidate, and will leave soon single blessedness. Mr. Howell's fiancée is paying him a short visit.

## WOLF AND NORRIS ARE SUCCESSFUL

Chosen to High Red Men Offices.

Indianapolis, Oct. 21.—After an exciting contest at the annual meeting of the Indiana great council of the Improved Order of Red Men, Otto Wolf, Frankfort and O. G. Norris, Rushville, were elected respectively.

The election of the great junior sagamore was of more interest than that of any other officer as that office is the stepping stone to better things in the Great Council. Other officers elected were C. A. Robinson, great prophet; George I. Kisner, Terre Haute, great sachem; Dr. Charles M. Stoute, Middletown, great senior sagamore and Lewis A. Stoy, New Albany; Wilson Roosevelt, Elkhart; W. B. King, Lafayette; Dr. J. S. Coffman, Muncie, great representatives. Great representatives are entitled to seats in the great council of the United States. Charles Cary, Alexandria, was elected great trustee without opposition.

### Curious School Customs.

Mexican schoolmasters show their appreciation of a pupil's efforts in a curious manner. The diligent student is allowed to smoke a cigar during the lesson. When the whole class has given satisfaction, permission is given for a general smoke, and even the little Mexicans are allowed to light a cigarette for the occasion. Needless to say, the schoolmaster himself smokes a cigar of a size and quality proportionate to his superior position. But the scholars are not allowed to drink, this privilege being accorded to the master only. On his desk he always keeps a bottle of liquor, which, when empty, occasions much dispute among the parents of his scholars, as it is considered an honor to be able to fill the schoolmaster's bottle.—London Standard.

### Barley for Swine.

While corn is considered the great fattening grain for pigs, tests have shown that other grains may be substituted in a great many cases, says a prosperous swine breeder. At some of our stations barley has been tested in comparison with corn, the result being very favorable to the barley. In general, it may be said that the results have shown that barley is not quite equal to corn, pound for pound, but is very close to it, and when we consider the high quality of the carcass produced by barley feeding we may almost say it surpasses corn as a grain for producing a high grade of pork.

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