

STORM CUTS DOWN VOTES IN MICHIGAN

Hoover, With Name on Two Ballots, Expected to Make Good Showing

JOHNSON CLAIMS STATE

Detroit, April 5.—The effect of the Easter storm was apparent in the early voting today in the Michigan primary. With few exceptions the turnout of voters was considerably lighter than had been anticipated.



MRS. GEORGE W. GLASSMIRE Evicted from her home, to whose assistance has gone the district attorney's office

HOOVER TO CONFER HERE ON SATURDAY

Presidential Candidate Will Visit New Headquarters and Meet Party Leaders

Herbert Hoover will confer with Philadelphia Saturday to confer with the Republican committee and inspect the new headquarters recently opened at 1317 Walnut street.

Mr. Hoover will arrive at committee headquarters here Saturday morning and will address party leaders of Philadelphia and adjoining counties.

Formation of a statewide organization will be pushed and an endeavor made by leaders here to have a general summary of this body ready to place before Mr. Hoover on his arrival.

Leaders from many counties have called at the Hoover committee headquarters and each county chairman is raising formation of his respective committee.

Many prominent Philadelphia Republicans are conferring with the Hoover committee. Walter Lee, of the American Ice Co., who served during the war as assistant to C. W. Fawcett, chief of central committees of the food administration, was among those to register this afternoon.

New York has no provision for a presidential preference declaration, and delegates named by the Republican organization are running unopposed.

U. S. YACHTS 'POOR CONVOY'

Admiral Wilson Criticizes Escort of Transports During War

Washington, April 5.—(By A. P.)—Yachts composing the escort forces under command of Rear Admiral William B. Fletcher at Brest were not proper escorts for the high seas.

France and America Are Drifting Apart

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For an alliance with the United States, the territorial guarantee of the League covenant, both of which support the French position, were considered, but he has been unable to deliver to France.

The French position has been to set up a buffer state west of the Rhine, the buffer state to drift into the hands of France. Recently the separated movement in the Rhine provinces has been revived.

France is busy establishing its case for the violation of the treaty. It is making its case in a way which will impair its claim when its fifteen-year period of occupation of the Rhine ends.

The Millard government could do nothing which would strengthen it more than to send its troops to occupy the German cities and call upon its Allies to stand with it in insisting that the treaty should be observed.

Celebrates Forty-fifth Anniversary

Jeanne Anna de Kay

CIVIL SERVICE ASKS \$62,000 OF COUNCIL

Needs of Commission Will Be Outlined Before City Officials Today

AIM TO STANDARDIZE PAY

Appropriations totaling \$62,000 will be urged before the Council's finance committee this afternoon by the Civil Service Commission, which will outline the needs of three proposed divisions of the commission.

Classification and standardization of municipal salaries is to be made a permanent activity of the civil service body, operating through a proposed classification division, while an examining division and a division of hearings also are to be provided for.

The work of standardizing salaries, a project long urged by civic associations, will cost \$50,000. Of that sum \$22,000 is to be applied to an immediate survey made by outside experts.

Six thousand dollars is requested for the division of hearings. Under the new charter the commission is designated to conduct hearings formerly within the scope of the police and fire trial boards.

Mr. Woodruff said that the work of classifying positions and standardizing salaries will require \$12,400 a year after this year. The classification division is to have a chief at \$2000, an assistant classifier at \$1800, a stenographer at \$1320 and a file clerk at \$1180.

It is essential to establish for each standard position a "competent" rating rather than a flat rate of pay, Mr. Woodruff declared.

Mr. Woodruff emphasized the need for adequate physical examination, he instanced examinations for police lieutenant and sergeant.

A "promotion" examination for police sergeant and lieutenant, he said, "should give real thought to physical condition, not only because a police lieutenant who is alert on his feet and has kept himself in good condition is a valuable asset to the city."

Deaths of a Day

Confess Bombing in Strike

Eleven Arrested Following Outrages in Chicago

Mayor Home From Shore

Retiree by Answering Letters and Studying City Plans

Patrick C. Boyle

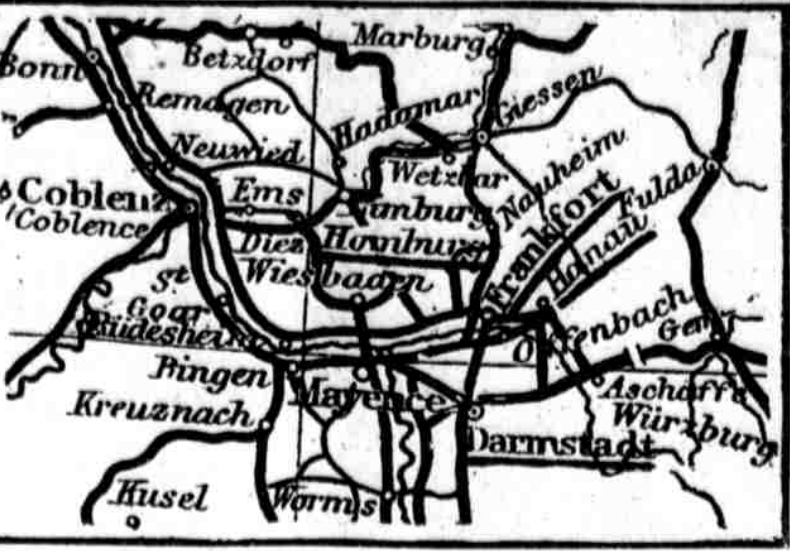
William D. Showalter

Bishop Matthew S. Hughes

Warren Barwick

GENERAL DE GOUTTE

REGION WHICH FRENCH MAY OCCUPY



This map shows the Rhine section in Germany which French troops threaten to occupy as a result of German forces being sent to the Ruhr region. The French propose to seize the Rhineland cities of Frankfurt, Darmstadt, Homburg and Hanau.

ARMENIA OUTRAGES BLAMED ON SENATE

If It Talks Much Longer There'll Be None to Talk About, Says Dr. Coan

It is the Senate that talks and talks and does nothing, that is responsible for the thousands of lives lost in Armenian massacres," according to Dr. Frederick G. Coan, a missionary and representative of the Near-East Relief.

Doctor Coan's remarks, made before the Presbyterian Ministerial Association, in the Witherspoon Building, today, were expunged from the record, in so far as the Senate part was concerned, on motion of the Rev. Zed H. Copp, chaplain of the Eastern Penitentiary.

Doctor Coan had spoken in similar vein before the Baptist ministers at their meeting in the First Baptist Church, Seventeenth and Sanson streets.

"I have been a missionary forty-seven years in Persia," he said, "I know conditions. Armenia is absolutely responsible for conditions in Armenia and massacres there. It stands today a sinner nation. It has forgotten already what its boys did for over there."

One trouble is, Americans hear these stories of massacres and they do not believe them. It is now eighteen months since the armistice, and not one thing has been done in this situation. Another result of this is that for the first time in our history, the moral forces go in with mandatory power.

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EARLY HARD-COAL SCALE EXPECTED

Operators Declare Only Slight Wage Increase Would Advance Price of Anthracite

MINERS HALT PRODUCTION

GOOD MEN HARD TO KEEP

By the Associated Press

New York, April 5.—Agreement on a new wage contract for the anthracite coal fields is expected within two weeks, Philip Murray, international vice president of the United Mine Workers, announced here today.

As soon as the committee of miners and operators conducting negotiations reaches a decision, he said, a tri-district convention will be called, probably at Wilkes-Barre, to ratify or reject the proposed contract.

At today's session operators began presenting the list of statistics, data and arguments combating demands for a 60 per cent wage increase. They indicated that they would offer a contract quite different to that proposed by the workers.

Mine workers' officials said the real struggle will center on the wage question. They said they would refuse to grant soft-coal miners, who are not in the demand for a six-hour day and five-day week, it was indicated, will not be pressed. The fight for the "check-off" and closed shop will be pushed, union men declared.

Reading, April 5.—(By A. P.)—It is estimated here today that the loss in production because of idleness during the last few days at the anthracite mines in Chicago, the miners announced today. Five thousand were laid off when they reported for work today and the others will follow as soon as the small receipts of animals on hand are taken care of.

An embargo on all express shipments was placed this morning by the American Railway Express Co. Officials said the blizzard yesterday, combined with the switchmen's strike, had made it impossible to move cars in the local yards.

Chicago's milk supply is seriously threatened, but railroad officials said they would make every effort to keep the milk trains running.

Approximately 2500 switchmen were out at midnight, according to strike leaders and the General Managers' Association, representing the railroads.

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COLBY FOR STATE DEPT. SHAKE-UP

Secretary Considering Lansing's Plans to Reorganize Overgrown Diplomatic Work

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By the Associated Press

Washington, April 5.—Plans made by former Secretary Lansing for the reorganization of the State Department so as to equip it better for handling the enormously increased responsibilities growing out of the changed world conditions following the war are receiving the attention of Secretary Colby, and may be carried out in part, at least.

Mr. Colby said today he had conferred with Mr. Lansing on the subject, but was not prepared to say at this time just what he would endorse or what he would propose. Mr. Lansing's recommendation, he said, had many years of study behind it and was "entitled to great weight."

"There are a number of the branches of the department which are overgrown and understaffed at the present time," said Mr. Colby. "We have the difficulty that all Washington has in keeping many of the highest ability contented in positions that are very onerous and exacting at the very moderate salaries which it is possible for us to offer men. The problem is a very important one and is receiving my very close study."

"During the war the pressure of the State Department was not so great, and, I may say, a great many functions of the department were necessarily interrupted and some of these activities virtually discontinued owing to the conditions in the world. With the abolition of many of the temporary boards, there has been a certain residue of functions which could not be discontinued, and in a number of cases the State Department has been a recipient of residual functions of other departments and then, again, with the gradual resumption of political and trade relations in the world, there has been a great burden added to the department and that of course means a great strain on the personnel."

CAN'T BELIEVE HE'S DEAD

Even Government Certificate Can't Convince Soldier of Demise

Former Private Michael Iannelli is another one who says that reports of his death are greatly exaggerated. Although the government says so, he puts it in writing, as it were, in a handsomely embossed certificate.

LIBERTY GLO IS FLOATED

Vessel, Damaged by Mine, Towed to Holland

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PERJURY IN ALBANY, SOCIALISTS CHARGE

National Committee Says Record of Assembly Trial Was Doctored

WARNS AGAINST REPRISALS

By the Associated Press

New York, April 5.—Charges of perjury testimony and a "doctored" record in the trial of the five Socialists expelled last week from the New York Assembly were contained in a statement issued today by the national executive committee of the Socialist party.

"The closing hours of the shameful proceedings at Albany, where the fun of liquor accompanied the commission of the crime, have awakened many thousands to the danger which a war-cracked reaction has brought to the nation," read the statement.

After asserting that Assembly members who voted to suspend knew nothing regarding the charges and voted at the orders of their party leaders, the statement said, "A trial followed, which was reminiscent of the black days of the Inquisition, and 'perjured' testimony was introduced and referred to unimpeachable witnesses."

"For many weary years," the statement continued, "the Socialist party has contended with the criminal practices of the politicians in elections. Our voters have been brutally slugged at the polls. Having beaten the election thugs and crooks in five districts, in some of them even the combined opposition of the two major parties, our assemblies have denied their seats in the Assembly chamber."

"A republican form of government guaranteed by Section 4 of Article IV of the constitution of the United States, has been abolished by a usurping oligarchy in the Capitol at Albany."

"Our resources are by no means exhausted and the solidarity of all the organized forces of labor assures us ultimate victory. We caution our friends not to permit their resentment of this legislative crime to goad them into any conduct that would reflect upon the great cause of human emancipation."

"The Socialist party will not be driven underground by its enemies." The statement is signed by William H. Henry, George E. Roeyer, Jr., and James Olson.

Begins Revival Tonight

The Rev. Henry W. Stough will begin his revival services in this city at the Erie Avenue Methodist Episcopal Church, Seventh street and Erie avenue, tonight. He will be here for at least three weeks. He will be accompanied by Professor William N. Thomas, the Welsh chorister, from Pen Arty, Pa. He will speak each evening and Sunday afternoon.

Advertisement for Jacob Reed's Sons, featuring 'Style IS AN INSPIRATION' and 'Not a Development of Mechanical Processes'. Includes a list of clothing items and prices.

Advertisement for SUNDAY OUTINGS, listing various travel packages and prices for different destinations.