

COMPLETE G. O. P. VICTORY

WIN SEATS IN CONGRESS SENATE AND ASSEMBLY

Majorities In County Range From 1400 To More Than 3100 Votes; VanZandt, Letzler and Haines Are Elected; Nearly 90 Per Cent of County's Voters Cast Ballots In Republican Sweep



JAMES J. DAVIS Re-elected to United States Senate ARTHUR H. JAMES Pennsylvania's New Governor-Elect

Riding on the crest of a wave that swept throughout the State, all Republican candidates for district and county offices were elected by majorities ranging from more than 1400 to more than 2500 at the general election Tuesday.

Don Gingery, Democrat, was defeated by James E. Van Zandt for Congress; Edward J. Thompson, Democrat, was defeated by A. H. Letzler for the State Senate, and Kenneth G. Haines polled a substantial majority over John W. Decker, Democrat, for the General Assembly.

Van Zandt also polled majorities over Gingery in Blair and Clearfield counties, which with Centre county, comprise the 23rd Congressional District. The vote by precincts was as follows:

Table with 2 columns: Precinct Name, Gingery Van Zandt. Rows include Centre, Clearfield, Blair, and Totals.

Similarly, Letzler had a strong majority over Senator Thompson in Clearfield county, which with Centre comprises the Senatorial district. The votes were as follows:

Table with 2 columns: Precinct Name, Letzler, Thompson. Rows include Centre, Clearfield, and Totals.

In his second contest with his fellow school teacher for the general assembly, Kenneth G. Haines, of State College and Rebersburg, polled a total of 11,902 votes to defeat the incumbent, John W.

Decker, by a majority of 2,381. Decker polled 9,521 votes. From 7 a. m. until 8 p. m. Tuesday both Democratic and Republican party workers throughout the county exerted every effort to get out the vote, and their efforts met with unusual success, for with the highest total vote at 21,414, nearly 90 per cent of the 24,350 registered voters in the county went to the polls during the day.

Centre county closely followed the general State-wide trend in favor of Republican candidates, for in every office majorities were recorded for the G. O. P. standard bearers. The lowest majority polled by any candidate was the one tallied for A. H. Letzler, whose majority was 1423 over Senator Thompson. The highest majority was scored by James J. Davis, who had a lead of 3,180 over George H. Earle for the United States Senate.

Charles Alvin Jones, Democrat, trailed Arthur H. James for Governor by 2,444 votes, the respective tallies being, according to the unofficial newspaper tabulation, 9,541 and 11,985.

Samuel S. Lewis, Republican, with a county total of 11,767, had a 2-232 majority over his Democratic opponent, Leo C. Mundy.

Thomas A. Logue, Democrat, with a total of 9,559 votes, was 2,134 in arrears of his Republican opponent, William S. Livingston, whose total was 11,693.

Mrs. Eva B. Roan, well known Bellefonte and State College optometrist who was a candidate for

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Unofficial Tabulation of Vote Cast In Centre County, Tuesday

Large table with columns for VOTING PRECINCTS, U. S. SENATOR, GOVERNOR, LIET. GOVERNOR, SECY. INT. AFFAIRS, REP. IN CONGRESS, STATE SENATOR, GENERAL ASSEMBLY. Rows list various precincts and candidates with their respective vote counts.

PENN STATE STUDENT IS SENTENCED FOR FORGERY

New Faces To Represent District



A. H. LETZLER State Senator



JAMES E. VANZANDT Congressman



KENNETH G. HAINES Assemblyman

Mingoville Man Gets Maximum Penalty For Incestuous Relations With Daughter

ADMITS PASSING 35 CHECKS TOTALING \$632

Bellefonte Woman, Aged 75, Goes to Jail For Making Home Brew Beer

A Penn State student who forged more than 30 checks for a total of \$632, and a Mingoville man who entered a plea of guilty to being the father of two children born to his daughter, were among five defendants sentenced by Judge Ivan Walker at a special session of Court here Monday morning.

The Penn State student, Sidney Kaiser, of Altoona, was sentenced to make restitution and to serve an indeterminate term in the State Industrial school at Huntingdon. The Mingoville man was Jerome DeArmitt, who was sentenced to pay the costs of prosecution, a fine of \$1, and undergo imprisonment in the Western Penitentiary, Pittsburgh for from 1 1/2 to 3 years—the maximum sentence provided by law for that offense.

As is usually the case when Penn State students violate the law, relatives and friends rallied to his support, and letters of recommendation as well as testimony by friends of the family were introduced in his behalf.

The prosecutor in the case, Officer Martin L. Kaufman, of the State

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J. T. McCormick Dies At College

Former Member of Legislature; Was One of Town's Most Prominent Citizens

The Hon. John T. McCormick, prominent banker, legislator, and citizen, died early Tuesday morning at his home in State College. He was in his ninety-third year. Death came at 2 a. m. after a long period of ill health.

A son of J. Shannon McCormick and Susan (Beck) McCormick, he was born in Walker township, Centre county on January 23, 1849.

In 1852 his parents moved to a farm west of State College, where he attended the public schools and grew to manhood.

In 1869 Mr. McCormick married Miss Anna Marie Fahr and a year later purchased a farm adjoining his father's farm where he and his bride resided until the death of Mrs.

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Heavy Losses As 3 Barns Burn

Damage About \$7000 in Blaze Near Bellefonte; Cause of Two Fires is Mystery

Three barns in various parts of the county were destroyed by fire during the latter part of last week, entailing heavy losses in each case. Two of the fires are of undetermined origin, while the third is believed to have originated from a corn shredder operating in the structure.

The first of the series destroyed the large barn on the farm of Irvin L. Confer, on Upper Marsh Creek, Howard, R. D., early last Wednesday morning. The second resulted in the total destruction of a large modernly-equipped barn on the Luther Smith farm, just west of Bellefonte, about 3 o'clock Saturday morning, and the third fire leveled to the ground a barn on one of the David C. Gilliland farms at the foot of Mt. Nittany, near Oak Hill, shortly after 9 o'clock Saturday morning.

Modern Structure Razed

The fire at the Smith barn, one of the most spectacular to occur in this vicinity in many months, was discovered shortly before 3 o'clock Saturday morning by Miss Helen Smith, whose attention was attracted

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Stores Close Tomorrow

Mayor Hardman P. Harris, united with Clyde Stewart, chairman of the Retail Division of the Bellefonte Chamber of Commerce in asking that all Bellefonte stores and business places remain closed all day tomorrow, Armistice Day.

It is further requested that curb flags be displayed in front of all business places during the day and up until sundown tomorrow night.

Freight Cars Block Traffic

Three cars on a siding of the Bellefonte Central Railroad at State College, ran off the end of the siding last Wednesday afternoon and crossed North Atherton street. Little damage resulted and traffic was rerouted for only a short time.

IN THE STATE AND NATION

Leads of 270,000 to 350,000—greater than their most optimistic leaders had predicted—elected Republicans as United States senator, governor, lieutenant governor and secretary of internal affairs.

Gov. George H. Earle, who brought in a "Little New Deal" four years ago, after 40 years of Republican state control, lost by 409,090 votes his fight to win the Senate seat held by Republican James J. Davis.

From out of the hard coal fields, Superior Court Judge Arthur H. James drove his way to the governorship over the Democratic candidate, Charles Alvin Jones, Pittsburgh lawyer, who was pledged to carry on the Earle program.

GOP Controls State House

Republicans took over the House of Representatives of the General Assembly but the Democrats retained a slender margin in the Senate because of holdovers.

SEVERAL HURT IN ACCIDENTS

Several persons were injured, one of them seriously, in an unusually large number of automobile accidents during the past week.

Milton Straub, 75, of South Spring street, Bellefonte, received lacerations of the head, several fractured ribs, and bruises about the body Monday when he was struck by a car as he walked across High street near the Bellefonte Trust Company building. The car, driven by Miss Gertrude Bartlett, of Zion, was backing away from a curb at the time. Witnesses reported the elderly man was dragged for a short distance after being struck.

Mr. Straub was taken to the Centre County Hospital where his condition last night was reported to be "fair."

Wharten Haines, aged 20, son of Mr. and Mrs. Milford Haines, of near Unionville, escaped serious injury Tuesday evening when the bicycle he was riding was struck by a truck near his home. The truck is reported to have been owned by Koffman & Co., Bellefonte. The driver of the machine stopped and brought the youth to the Centre County Hospital where an examination revealed that he had escaped with minor scratches and bruise burns. He was discharged from the institution yesterday.

A Valley View cow escaped yesterday

C. of C. to Award \$600.00 In Cash

45 Local Stores Join in Move to Brighten Christmas Shopping Season

Forty-five Bellefonte stores and business places are cooperating in the Bellefonte Chamber of Commerce's plans to distribute \$600 in cash among patrons of local stores as an added attraction here during the Christmas shopping season.

Tickets, entitling the holder to share in the awards will be given with each fifty-cent purchase in all of the participating stores. The prize list follows:

- First prize, \$50.
Five second prizes of \$20 each
Twenty third prizes of \$10 each
Thirty fourth prizes of \$5 each
Fifty fifth prizes of \$2 each

Members of the Sales Promotion committee of the Chamber of Commerce, in charge of the prize distribution are: Walker Cohen, chairman, Hassal Montgomery, Charles Mensch, C. C. Brown, and Reeder Jodon.

The drawing is to be held at 10 p. m. Thursday, December 29, with appropriate ceremonies.

Following are the stores where tickets will be given with each 50-cent purchase.

Saylor Acting Fire Marshal

Philip Saylor, Chief of the Logan Fire Company, is acting as Borough Fire Marshal in the vacancy caused by the recent death of John J. Bower. Mr. Saylor will continue as Fire Marshal until a permanent selection of Mr. Bower's successor is made by Council early next year.

'Daniel Boone' In Toils of Law

Youth Who Shoots Big Game, Turkeys, With .22 Rifle Held in Cabin Robbery

A modern Daniel Boone, who adorns his hat with the hide of a squirrel he brought down with a slingshot—who has killed four deer with a single-shot 22-calibre rifle—who shot three rabbits the other day with the same rifle—and who used that weapon to bring down an 18-pound turkey on the opening day of the season, is in the toils of the law here as the result of the recent robbery of the S. M. Shallcross summer cottage "Twinmount," at Ramville.

The 15-year-old boy is Joe Witt, a native of Blair county, who has been living in the Egypt Hollow section of Union township for some time. According to a statement released by State Motor Police officers James Griffith and H. D. Ream, of the Rockview barracks, who investigated the cabin robbery, Witt is

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Local Physician Addresses Nurses

Dr. Hoffman Guest Speaker at Monthly Meeting of Alumnae Association

Following the regular monthly business meeting of the Centre County Hospital Nurses Alumnae Association held at the hospital on last Tuesday evening, Dr. Richards Hoffman of Bellefonte, was the guest speaker and took as his subject "Aviation Medicine." Dr. Hoffman, who is deeply interested in aviation, spoke of the very exacting physical and mental examinations which would-be airship pilots must pass, and explained the reasons for such tests. He also explained what type of persons would be unfit to do traveling as airplane passengers.

Dr. Hoffman's address was greatly enjoyed and he was given a rousing vote of thanks by the audience which consisted of Mrs. F. P. Geary.

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Break Ground For County Poor Home

Ground was broken Monday afternoon by Richtenbeck & Long, Northumberland contractors, for Centre County's new \$231,000 poor home at the intersection of Wilson and Howard Streets. The Northumberland firm has the sub-contract from the Berwick Lumber and Supply Company, general contractors.

In charge of operations for the Berwick contractors is Harry Taylor, of Harrisburg, who comes here from Laurelton State Village, where he supervised the construction of several new units.

Coburn Man Is Killed By Car

Wheel Strangles Basil Malone as He Attempts to Repair Gasoline Line

Caught under a wheel of his car when the brakes of the machine released while he was making repairs to the gasoline line, Basil Malone, aged 26, of Coburn, was choked to death Friday night along the Cherry Run mountain road about four miles south of Woodward.

Malone's lifeless body was found about 7:45 o'clock Saturday morning by a group of hunters from Hartleton. The rear wheel of the machine was resting on the man's neck, and rigor mortis had set in.

Dr. W. E. Heaton, of Phillipsburg, Centre county coroner, who investigated the fatality, declared that from the condition of the remains he believed death had occurred between 5 and 6 o'clock Friday afternoon. No inquest was held.

According to State Motor Police officers G. L. Finkbeiner and John Amick, of the Pleasant Gap sub-station, who conducted an investigation, Malone, who conducts a

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Court Upholds In Registration Dispute

After a hearing Friday morning in the registration case of Patrick J. Muldowney, of Bellefonte, Judge Ivan Walker upheld the act of the Centre County Registration Commission in denying Muldowney the right to vote at Tuesday's election.

According to testimony at the

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Deer Killed By Car

H. A. Thompson, president of the Jacobs-Thompson Company, Pittsburgh, escaped injury but his car was slightly damaged about 9 o'clock Friday morning when his car struck a large buck on the Bald Eagle Valley highway near the Plum Grove schoolhouse, east of Unionville. Mr. Thompson reported the matter to game protector E. M. Woodward, East Bishop street, Bellefonte, who had the carcass removed.

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ELECTION NIGHT INTERLUDE

Time: Tuesday evening, 9 o'clock (Centre County Hospital Standard Time.)

Place: The Centre Democrat news room.

(Telephone rings.)

Voice at other end—"Hello, is Pop there?"

Desk Man—"Whom do you want?"

Voice—"I want that big tall guy you call Paul Dubbs. I've been out here at the hospital for a half hour and he doesn't seem to know it yet. Tell him Mom and I are getting along fine and—"

Desk Man—"Here's Paul Dubbs, just came in. You can talk with him.

Paul (talking into phone)—"Hello, who is this?"

Voice—"Hello, Pop, this is Rebecca Rawlings Dubbs, your new daughter speaking."

Paul (dropping receiver and making a bee-line for the door)—"Fev'n's sake."