

Duy Will Win in Battle With Leshner

A Bloomsburg dispatch to the Philadelphia Press says: "Federal judges in the Sixteenth Congressional District are considerably perturbed over the cross currents of opinion among their own party members set ago by the letter of President Wilson, which apparently

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asks for the election of Democratic Congressmen, even though they have opposed the President's war policies. In the counties of Columbia, Montour, Northumberland and Sullivan, where A. W. Duy is regarded as certain to defeat John V. Leshner, who is asking for his fourth term in Congress, the old line Democrats received their first dose of political discontent when Palmer and McCormick, acting for the President, virtually created a vacancy at the top of the Democratic ticket in Pennsylvania. That action left a decidedly sore spot in the Democratic ranks of the Sixteenth District.

Marysville Permitted to Open Churches Sunday

Marysville, Pa., Oct. 31.—The State Board of Health has made the following ruling for Marysville in regard to the ban on influenza: That all the borough churches may hold services Sunday. The Sunday schools shall not be held before November 11. The public schools may open on Monday but all rooms and halls shall be well cleaned and ventilated, and all children with colds sent home until in health. Very little influenza has been in Marysville, due to a strict compliance with the rulings of the health officers of the state by closing all places of assembly before the disease secured a hold on the town.

138,288 Are Taken by Allies During Month

London, Oct. 31.—The Allies have captured during October on the west front alone 138,288 prisoners and 2,083 guns, it is officially announced.

WILSON'S PLEA WAS OPPOSED BY PARTY LEADERS

Attack on Republican Loyalty Made Despite Protests of Democrats

HAS AROUSED COUNTRY

As Much Interest in Congressional Contests as in Presidential Election

Washington, Oct. 31.—President Wilson's appeal to the voters of the country to return a Democratic Congress has precipitated a national political contest which has eclipsed even the public interest in the war.

Never before in the history of the country has an off year Congressional contest excited so much feeling. The interest rivals that which precedes the settlement of a Presidential contest and extends from coast to coast. Just as President Wilson established a precedent in appealing for partisan support in the midst of a great war, so the result has been the staging of a contest so dramatic that the few remaining days of the contest will witness a momentous struggle. Feared fireback on appeal it is well understood in Washington that the President's decision to appeal for the election of a Democratic Congress was opposed by prominent Republicans. These men professed to believe the President would have annihilated the Republican party if he had taken it into his confidence and relied upon the successful outcome of the war for the prestige which that would give. They also objected on the ground that in making the appeal the President was compelled to admit the equal patriotism of the Republican organization as compared with the Democratic, which party left the inference to be drawn that it was personal loyalty which the President sought rather than loyal adherents to the cause of the Republic.

They frankly feared a fireback from the appeal. But since it was made there is absolute unanimity of Democratic belief that it shall be successful. They believe that since the President has asked for a vote of confidence failure to receive it would have extremely serious consequences to the Democratic party. The intensity with which they feel this is assumed to be responsible for the somewhat violent political argument advanced by certain members of the Cabinet, among whom Secretary Daniels has assumed a prominent position because of his characterization of the Republicans as "Junkers."

TRIBUTE PAID TO WALTER SHAFFER

Officer of the French Flying Corps Praises Missing Dauphin Flyer

Tribute to the work in the air of Adjutant Walter Shaffer, of Dauphin, whose air plane was forced to descend behind the German lines as told in last evening's edition of the Harrisburg Telegraph has been received by the aviator's mother, Mrs. Charles E. Shaffer, from Lieut. James H. McMillan.

Lieut. McMillan tells how Shaffer's machine was lost and gives hope to the belief that Shaffer was captured and not killed. The family on the strength of this has asked the American Red Cross to try and find Shaffer in an enemy prison camp. Lieut. McMillan's letter follows: American Hospital of Paris, Escadrille Spad 38, G. C. 22, S. P. 102, Wednesday, Oct. 9, 1918.

Dear Mr. and Mrs. Shaffer: I have been in the hospital for two weeks, and have just learned through the kindness of the staff of the hospital that you are still in the world. How may I tell you of my sorrow? Walter and I have been together a great deal and I have learned to care greatly for him.

North of Rheims in the region of Craonne, he saw one and dove at it to attack it. The Germans opened fire from the ground, a severe fire, and Garand says that Walter continued on down to the ground and that he had the good will of all people he met, that he was well liked for his personality, his character, for there never was a more conscientious boy than Walter, nor a better one, may prove to be for you as it is for me, a truly comforting thought. He was a mighty fine pilot and whatever happened was beyond his control.

As soon as I return to the escadrille I shall gather his things together and take them to some safe place in Paris, until I may hear from you. I shall send you his citations and anything else of value immediately. And be assured that I shall do everything possible to obtain news for you and for us.

And may I tell you how awfully confident I am that his cheerful disposition will carry him through the temporary mental sort of desolation which might have been his the first few days after his capture. As a pilot his treatment will be good. There are many of our Lafayette boys over there. Some are doing work for the Red Cross.

I shall send the number of Walter's machine and the number of the motor to the Red Cross at Berne, Switzerland. The escadrille and the group are making every investigation through military channels and soon we'll have good news.

Lieutenant Madon has asked me to tell you of his regret. He liked Walter greatly and admired the eagerness with which Walter did his work. The other officers and all the pilots also wish me to express their regret. But how may I? Its beyond words.

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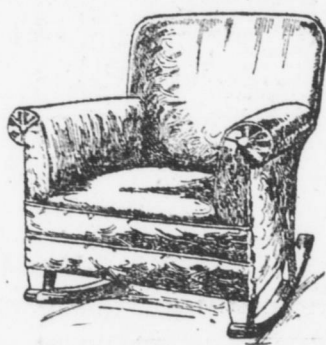
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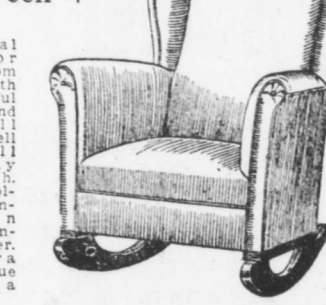


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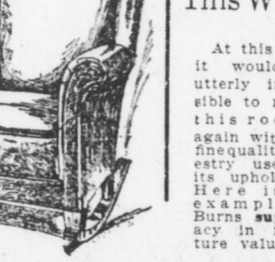
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Reports from all over the country received at Washington are to the effect that the Republicans are fighting mad, mad clear through, and that there has been a remarkable realignment of the party. The doubtful element of the situation lies with the possible effect of the appeal among the rank and file of the Republican party, which like the rank and file of the Democratic party is intensely loyal to the country and which has been taught to regard party lines lightly in the past few years. Democrats hope Republicans fear that this element of the party will prefer to support the President now while the war is in progress and leave party matters to be settled later.

In spite of the elements of doubt, Republican leaders believe the appeal to the country has fallen on deaf ears. They insist the country is no more of the opinion that the success of the war depends upon the election of a Democratic Congress than was the Senate impressed with the belief that the passage of the woman suffrage amendment was necessary to its successful prosecution.

They point out that the present Democratic administration was elected by the aid of Republican votes and that the country acted upon the assumption it was electing a party group to keep the country out of war rather than to conduct one. One of the issues that will be clearly settled in the contest is whether the country believes the war should be fought to a definite conclusion or whether there should be a settlement by negotiations. Senator Lodge, who would become the chairman of the Foreign Relations Committee of the Senate in the event that body becomes Republican, has left no doubt of his position. He stands for unconditional surrender of Germany. The position is supported by such Senate leaders as Nelson, of Minnesota; McCumber, of North Dakota, and others, while the two former Presidents, Taft and Roosevelt, leave no doubt as to the position they occupy.

For a Coalition Government Republican leaders to-day definitely predicted that the next Congress, House and Senate, would be captured from the Democrats. They base their prediction upon the belief that the voters throughout the country resent the appeal to put "only Democrats on guard," and they indicate that the verdict at the polls, while it will not be in any sense a repudiation of the President, will be a verdict for a coalition government, with the present Democratic President continuing in power, supported by a Republican Congress.

The fact that the principal committees of Congress are now in the hands of men whose war records are decidedly dubious, in one of the reasons Republicans give for expecting the voters to change the political complexion of the House and Senate. The appointment of such men as Lodge at the head of the Foreign Affairs Committee of the Senate; Penrose as chairman of the Finance Committee, it is pointed out, will insure the settlement of peace terms upon the basis that the majority of the American people desire, and the drafting of a revenue measure which will distribute the burden of taxation in an equitable manner.

As indicating the attitude of many voters throughout the country, a telegram from the three county chairmen in Iowa was received by Representative Towner to-day, in which it was stated that the Republicans of that section resent the proposition that a Democratic Congress is necessary to winning the war.

"We stand aghast at Wilson's appeal for the power of a Caesar," the communication stated. "We believe that Republicans in Congress who have led in legislation for national preparedness and for vigorous prosecution of the war can more safely be trusted by 100 per cent. Americans to make peace terms with Germany than Democrats of the Kitchen, Dent and Clark type who have obstructed that legislation. We in Iowa Senator Lodge's two-word platform: unconditional surrender and oppose any peace by negotiation."

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