

WEATHER — Unsettled and cloudy with showers this afternoon or Tuesday. Warmer.

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VOTES PILE UP FOR ROOSEVELT

His Majority Over Taft in Pennsylvania Primaries is Now 160,000.

70 OF 76 DELEGATES

Downfall of Senator Penrose Is Also Accomplished—Old Machine Is Smashed.

PENNSYLVANIA PRIMARIES.

Fifty-eight Roosevelt delegates to Chicago were elected. Probably six Taft delegates to Chicago were elected. All Roosevelt delegates are instructed. All Taft delegates are uninstructed. The state convention will be absolutely controlled by Roosevelt men and will elect twelve delegates at large to Chicago. Roosevelt's majority over Taft will probably reach 160,000. Senator Boies Penrose, Taft leader, will be taken from the national committee and probably fall of re-election at the expiration of his term in the senate.

Philadelphia, April 15.—Latest returns from the Pennsylvania primaries of Saturday only serve to increase the size of the victory of Colonel Roosevelt over President Taft in the fight for delegates to the Chicago convention. Fairly complete returns show that, after the state convention, Roosevelt will have at least seventy delegates and Taft not more than six from this state.

The supporters of President Taft carried but one district west of Philadelphia, that comprising Lancaster county, where Mayor McLain has almost an unassailable organization. In Philadelphia the Taft supporters apparently carried the First, Second, Third and elected one delegate in the Fifth district. But in the First district State Senator Edwin S. Vane, the Republican organization leader, and his running mate as delegate, Receiver of Taxes Hugh Black, have announced that to their minds Colonel Roosevelt is the only Republican capable of saving the country to Republican rule. President of Select Council Ransley, who was elected as an uninstructed delegate in the Third district, has announced "as Senator Vane votes so do I."

Personal Popularity Won Here. In the Fifth district in Philadelphia one Roosevelt delegate was elected and one apparent Taft man got through. C. A. Disston, the saw manufacturer, was swept into office on the Taft ticket through his popularity with his own employees.

The recapitulation shows that President Taft may count the vote of E. T. Stotesbury and John Wanamaker, who was elected in Third, C. A. Disston of the Fifth and William W. Geist and William H. Keller, the two delegates elected in the Lancaster district. This in the sum total of the Taft delegates unless complete returns make minor changes.

Not only have the Roosevelt followers swept the state for delegates, but they have elected the majority of the 372 representatives to the state convention, which will elect twelve delegates at large to the national. Those twelve delegates are already counted for Roosevelt, but the state convention will have another and more potent effect upon Pennsylvania. It marks the passing of United States Senator Boies Penrose as a member of the national committee and many persons are predicting that it also marks the beginning of his exit from politics.

The End For Penrose. In this same connection the twenty-five men nominated as candidates for the state senate, when elected, will hold over until the time comes for the selection of a successor of Senator Penrose. From late returns eighteen of these men are opposed to Senator Penrose and the ideas for which he stands.

Every man elected as a Roosevelt delegate went into the fight not only pledged, but instructed for Roosevelt. The alleged Taft delegates and those credited to Taft entered the battle without pledge and were elected uninstructed.

The complete vote of the state probably will show that the Roosevelt delegates polled 160,000 votes more than the Taft delegates.

There is but one section of the entire state where it is thought that the vote was personal for Roosevelt. The coal miners voted for him to a man, and with a suspension of operations at present they turned out heavily. In the other country districts the farmers were well organized as against machine rule. In Philadelphia the people simply did the same thing they did a year ago—overthrew a reform mayor. Senator Penrose is saying nothing. Early Saturday morning he went to Atlantic City and, within two hours after reaching there, had boarded his yacht and Sunday she pointed her nose seaward. He did not depart, however, until he got the late editions of the newspapers and read of the defeat of his machine.

Governor Woodrow Wilson will have the entire Democratic delegation, his nomination being practically uncontested.

HARBOR BOARD TO HELP CAUSE

Members Will Aid Aldermen in Securing Rights to Ends of Street.

WILL MEET SHORTLY

Have Power Under New Law --Lack of Authority Reason for Being Dormant.

Indications are that the city's Board of Harbor Commissioners will shortly become active and aid the aldermen in obtaining rights to lands at the ends of streets abutting on water courses. The suggestion that the harbor board become active has been taken up by the aldermen and the commissioners may endeavor to take steps to aid the Board of Aldermen in securing the desired rights.

Want Ends of Streets. For months past the aldermen have, by varied means, endeavored to secure the much-desired rights to ends of streets. At first they negotiated with the Board of Riparian Commissioners through City Attorney C. C. Hommann in a vain endeavor to purchase the rights. Recently it became known to them that the rights could not be bought, as the state would not relinquish its hold on such lands. Action was then taken to have the judiciary committee of the board negotiate for leasing the lands in question. The committee, headed by Alderman Sandbeck, is now at work on the project and it is likely the harbor commissioners will come to their rescue.

Under provisions of the latest law concerning harbor commissioners, such a commission has almost unlimited powers, according to the interpretation taken by Acting Mayor Garretson. He is of the opinion that the harbor board could materially aid in securing the desired rights because of its powers.

Members of Board Talk. Members of the Board of Harbor Commissioners said today they had not been active the past six months because there appeared to be a doubt as to the legality of their appointment. Under the 1911 law on the subject a harbor board must be composed of four men, not more than two of a political party, and they are to hold office during the term of office of the city's chief executive who appointed them. Those appointed by former Mayor Bollschweiler were: C. C. Baldwin, Matthew T. Smith, Ira R. Crouse and B. M. Gannon.

MACHINISTS TO MAKE DEMANDS

Want 8 Hour Day—Big Meet Here Tonight.

Much enthusiasm is apparent among machinists in and about this city over the open mass meeting of Raritan Lodge No. 347, International Association of Machinists, to be held in Union hall at 146 Smith street, commencing at 8 o'clock tonight, preparatory to a demand for an eight-hour day. The principal speaker among the several to appear will be J. J. Keppler, of Chicago, international vice president of the Machinists' Union. Among the others to appear will be Hugh V. Heints, business agent in district No. 47 of the International Association of Machinists.

This will be the first time that a national representative of the Machinists' Union has ever visited this city and it is therefore planned to give Mr. Keppler a warm reception. Those who have heard him in other places declare him a capable speaker and union leader.

The local union is making every effort to increase its membership in the past few days. A decisive action on a movement already strong in some sections to establish an eight-hour day at the same wages now received. The local union is affiliated with District No. 47, which comprises all the lodges in the state. The growth of the unions in the district has been extensive the past year.

LOCAL BOYS IN TRENTON JAIL

Police headquarters was notified today that Harold Morrison, of 73 Fayette street, and Andrew Peterson, of 335 State street, were arrested in Trenton and locked up there last night as young vagrants. The lads, who are about ten years old, ran away from home shortly after noon yesterday. It is believed they "beat" their way to the capital and when nightfall came they wandered aimlessly about the city. Their parents have been notified.

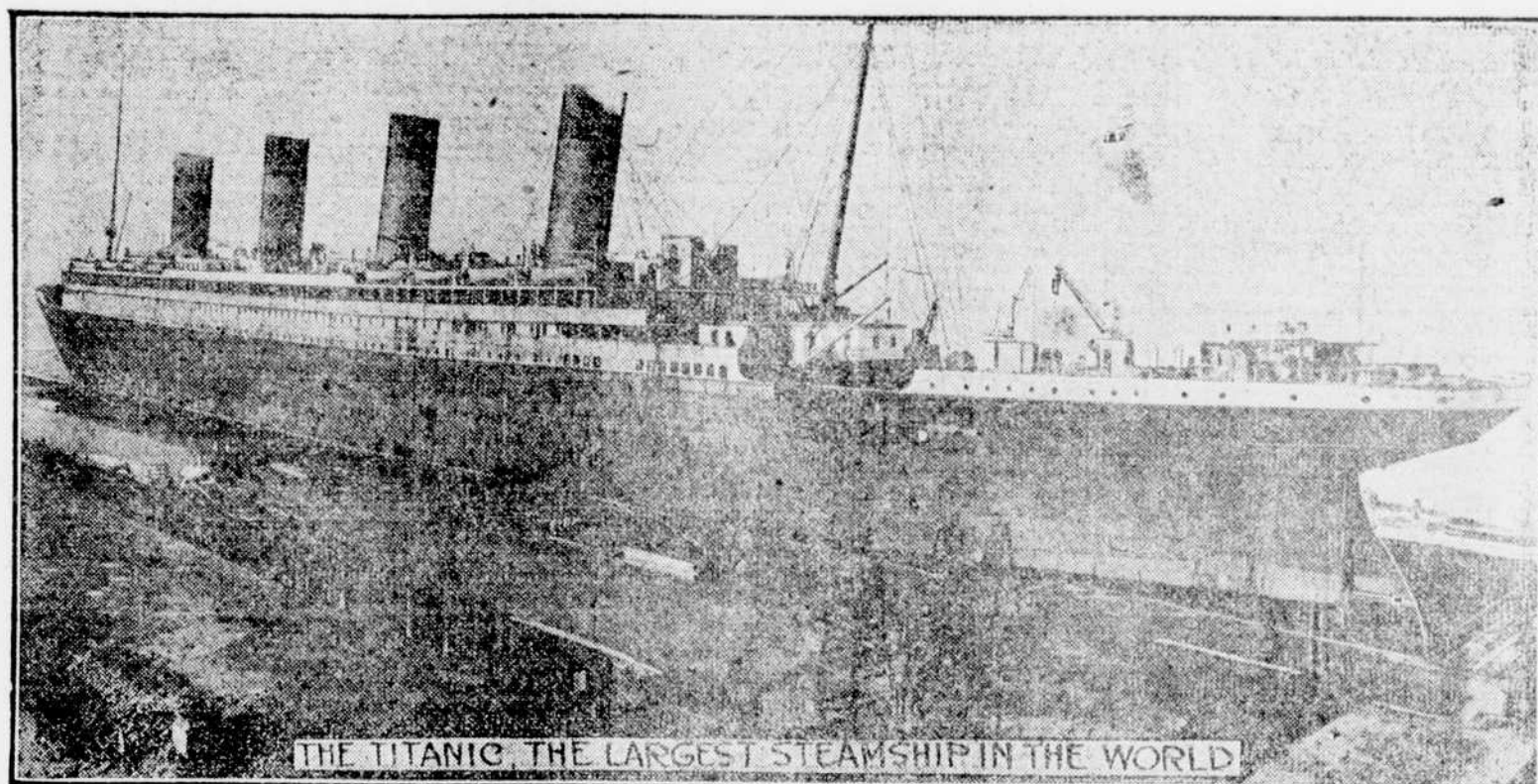
Haymakers Initiate One. One candidate was initiated by Po Ambo Loft No. 614, Haymakers, at its meeting in Red Men hall yesterday afternoon. Many members were present to enjoy the social session and collation that followed.

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TITANIC, LARGEST STEAMSHIP AFLOAT, IS NEARLY SUNK BY ICEBERG ON 1ST VOYAGE



THE TITANIC, THE LARGEST STEAMSHIP IN THE WORLD.

C. P. CONVERY 1ST DEPOSITOR

Former City Treasurer Puts \$50 in Postal Savings Bank This Morning.

OPEN AT 8:30 O'CLOCK

Money Draws 2 Per Cent. Interest If Left There a Year—Simple Method.

Former City Treasurer Cornelius P. Convery, of State street, was the first depositor at the new postal savings bank, which opened at 8:30 o'clock this morning at the post office. Mr. Convery was on hand early and succeeded in securing the honor from a number of others interested in the bank who stopped at the post office during the morning and took out cards. Mr. Convery placed \$50 on deposit and received a certificate for that amount.

William Pemberton, a clerk in the money order department at the post office, was the second depositor this morning, and Postmaster William H. Pfeiffer expects the list to grow with marked rapidity when the advantages of the system become generally known. Any sum deposited before the first of any month draws interest at two per cent. if not withdrawn during the year.

One of the main purposes of the bank is to instruct the young people in the art of saving their extra coins. A person takes out a card exchanged to it ten stamps, purchased at the post office, which is then deposited at the office. When the depositor has \$50 on deposit by this method, which, by the way, is the largest amount one depositor can accumulate, the money can be exchanged for five \$100 government bonds, bearing specific interest, if the depositor so desires. It is expected that the foreign people will take an active interest in this improvement to the facilities at the post office.

CLAIMS GANG BEAT HIM UP

Causes Four Arrests But Couldn't Identify Assailants.

Paul Horvath's complaint to the police that he had been slashed and beaten on Hall avenue Saturday night resulted in the arrest of four young men. Horvath testified before Recorder Kehoe that he had been cut under the left eye and was beaten by a man, who he believed intended to hold him up. As he was unable to identify his alleged assailant the four prisoners were discharged.

Horvath declared to the police he was attacked on Hall avenue shortly after 9 o'clock Saturday night. He averred a knife was used to slash his face, but in the estimation of the police he had not been cut, but hit, presumably with some blunt instrument. He met Easton streets and told of the attack. Frank Meyer, nineteen years old, of 239 Huntington street; John Gail, twenty-two years old; Al Sherman, nineteen years old and Steve Katko, twenty-one years old, all of Grove street, were arrested by Patrolman Harding.

ITALIAN LABORER WINS \$160,000 IN LOTTERY

Wilmington, Del., April 15.—Lucky Louis Daros, a laborer receiving \$50 a month, received word today that he holds a winning ticket in an Italian lottery which entitles him to \$160,000.

HOUSES AND LOTS FOR SALE. AT KIRKLAND PLACE. High location. No gases from factories. Trolley and automobile traffic a block away (much safer.) For terms see owner, Johan Jensen, 618 Smith street.

Special by United Press Wire.

Montreal, April 15.—The new steamship Titanic, which struck an iceberg last night, was afloat at 8:30 A. M. today and her engines were working. At that time she was crawling slowly in the general direction of Halifax and toward the Virginian which is enroute to her. The Titanic reported the women and children had been put in life boats and they were ready to be lowered at the first sign that the vessel was actually sinking. The weather was clear and calm. While the forward holds were full of water the pumps were being worked to their fullest capacity and if they can stand the strain there are hopes that the big boat will yet make port.

The Titanic passengers will this afternoon be transferred to the Baltic which will take them to New York. They are due there Thursday. The Baltic is the same liner that brought passengers of the sunken liner Republic to New York. At St. Johns, N. B., at 11:15 o'clock a dispatch says the Titanic is being towed into port by the Allan liner Virginian.

The steel prow of the Titanic crumpled before the impact with the enormous iceberg. At the smash, however, the water tight compartment doors closed automatically. Immediately the wireless appeals for aid were sent out and the responds were immediate. According to information here the Titanic carried about \$5,000,000 in bonds and diamonds.

In addition to the Virginian there were in the vicinity of the Titanic and raced toward her today the White Star liners Olympic and Baltic; the Hamburg-American liner, Cincinnati; the Cunarder, the Mauretania; the Prince Albert and Amerika; the Frederick Wilhelm and a half dozen freighters.

The news of the accident was relayed at the Allan line offices here in a wireless message from the captain of the steamship Virginian, of that line. It was stated that the Virginian had been in wireless communication with the Titanic, that she had reported being in collision with an iceberg and asked for assistance.

The Virginian reported that she was on her way to the Titanic. The Virginian steamed from Halifax yesterday morning and at the time the wireless was sent she is reckoned to have been about abeam of Cape Race. She was 900 passengers on board, but can accommodate 900 more of the Titanic's passengers should their removal be necessary.

The message from the Virginian's captain was sent by wireless to Cape Race and from thence by cable to Halifax and then by wire to Montreal. The Allan line officials here expect to hear further news at any moment.

Removing the Passengers.

Special by United Press Wire. New York, April 15.—Wireless dispatches from P. K. Haddock, of the White Star liner Olympic says that five boat loads of passengers have been taken from the sinking Titanic by the Parisian of the Allan line and twenty others have

been taken by the Cunard liner Carpathia. The Parisian and Carpathia are standing by the Titanic and the Baltic was reported as approaching by the Olympic's captain.

This information came direct to the local offices of the line and Vice President Franklin declared he personally had no doubt but that the Titanic would be safely towed to port. At the time Olympic's captain sent the message 800 passengers had been removed. A second dispatch stated the Virginian had passed the line to the Titanic and will tow her to Halifax.

The White Star line officials, after a conference lasting more than an hour today, issued an official statement in which they stated that the Titanic was unsinkable and that there was no reason to believe she had either had, or could founder.

Cannot Understand Silence.

Special by United Press Wire. Boston, April 15.—General Manager J. H. Thomas, of the White Star line, made the following official statement to the United Press: "We have no word from the Titanic. I cannot understand why wireless communications with the Titanic should be stopped. She is not so far distant to speak to Cape Race unless her condition prevent. If everything were normal she should have spoken to points along the north coast via the Olympic and other vessels long before this."

No Revenue Cutter Near.

Special by United Press Wire. Washington, April 15.—Following an interchange of wireless messages with revenue cutters off the New England coast, service headquarters today announced it would not send aid to the disabled liner Titanic. "The only revenue cutter now anywhere near the Titanic is at least three days away from the liner," an official said. "Manifestly it would be too late to do any good."

Largest Vessel Afloat.

The steamship Titanic of the White Star line, the largest vessel afloat, is on her maiden voyage and is due in New York April 16. The Titanic is of 46,328 tons register, with a displacement of 52,000. Her total length is 852 feet 6 inches, her breadth is 92 feet 6 inches, and she is 175 feet from the keel to the top of the smokestacks. She has eleven decks, which is equal to what was called a skyscraper a few years ago. The vessel will carry 4,000 persons, including passengers and crew, and this in spite of the fact that the staterooms are unusually spacious, beds taking the place of bunks in most of the apartments. Two royal suites on the Titanic cost \$4,350 each for the trip, the occupants having a private promenade deck on which they will have as much privacy as on the piazza of their own home.

When the huge ship left Southampton April 10 she passed the New York of the American line, and the tremendous suction developed by the passage of the leviathan caused the seven hawesers holding the New York to snap that vessel loose. She was pushed back into her dock without mishap.

Simultaneously with the first voyage of the Titanic comes the information that the North German Lloyd line has let a contract that will eclipse the present queen of the seas. The boat to be built will have a registered tonnage of 54,000 and will be more than 900 feet long. In the meantime the Hamburg-American line is building the Imperator, which will be of 50,000 tons and will be in service within a few months.

To show the tremendous advance made in the building of ocean greyhounds in recent years it may be said that the Titanic is nearly four times as large as the Kaiser Wilhelm der Grosse, which ten years ago was one of the largest, finest and fastest boats in service.

FINE CLUB FOR SELLING LIQUOR

Police Make Raid on Ball of Oak Field Club in Washington Hall.

EARLY SUNDAY MORNING

Three Youths Arrested for Fighting--President of Club Arraigned--\$25 Penalty.

A ban may be placed on Saturday night dances which continue until Sunday morning as the result of a free-for-all fight which occurred at the termination of the Oak Field Club ball in Washington hall yesterday morning.

The disposition of the case has raised a question about the right of organizations and clubs to sell liquor without a license when holding a public affair. It has also raised the question as to the right of organizations to sell liquor Sunday morning or at any time after midnight, should they hold a permit. Recorder Kehoe feels confident that no permit can be given to sell liquor all night and he maintained the Oak Field Club was guilty of violating the excise law when they did so, regardless of whether or not they had a permit from an acting mayor or from any other official. Officers of the club mentioned they had received permission to run a dance from a former acting mayor. They have until 7 o'clock tonight in which to pay the fine.

The club members claim they are innocent of any wrong doing. They are licensed at the act of officials in taking them to task because of a fight which they had no part in. The court held they were responsible for the fight, inasmuch as it maintained a fight would probably not have occurred had liquor not been sold.

Arrested for Fighting.

William Eagan, twenty-three years old, and John Eagan, twenty-two years old, of 417 High street, and Arthur Ernst, twenty-two years old, of 152 New Brunswick avenue, were arrested for fighting on a charge preferred by Harvey Levine and charged with being drunk and disorderly, according to the police records. Joseph Augustine, nineteen years old of 475 New Brunswick avenue, who endeavored to stop the fight, was also taken into custody.

The court held none of the prisoners for fighting, but called the officers up on an excise violation charge. The officers are: Joseph Augustine, president; William St. John, secretary; John Petrick, treasurer; John Schieker, Joseph Petrick, Edward Morgan and Robert Morgan.

The raid was made by Patrolmen Koszko, Quinn and Calvin at 4:30 o'clock yesterday morning. The club officers claim the music had been dispensed and the dance was not in progress at the time.

Mother of Valentine Kishner Dies at Rahway.

Mrs. Valentine Kishner passed away at her home in Rahway Friday afternoon, April 12th, after a brief illness, at the age of seventy-two years. Besides her husband she is survived by six children, twenty grandchildren and six great grandchildren. The children are Mrs. William Perry, of Paterson; Mrs. Joseph Ling, of Ford; Mrs. Edward Baker, of Plainfield; Mr. Valentine Kishner, of this city; Mrs. Celia Leonard and Mr. Joseph Kishner, of Rahway. Funeral Tuesday afternoon from late residence at 2 o'clock. 6277-4-15-11*

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TO GET DOCTOR FRIDAY NIGHT

County Detective Peltier Says Stubbett Has Reached End of His Rope.

PROSECUTOR IS ACTIVE

Expects to Have Him in County Jail This Week--Injunction Useless.

Action to restrain officers from bringing "Dr." James E. Stubbett, the alleged "quack," from New York to this state will be defeated by Prosecutor Silzer and Assistant Prosecutor Stricker on Friday and Stubbett will positively be brought to this county Friday night, according to a statement of County Detective Peltier today. The official says Stubbett has reached the end of his rope and has not a leg to stand on, legally. He declared there was absolutely no doubt that Stubbett's injunction secured to restrain officers from taking him out of New York on requisition granted by Governor Dix, returnable on Friday, would then be set aside.

When the alleged "quack" is brought to Middlesex county he will have to answer to several indictments, one of the most serious of which is for practicing medicine without a certificate. This was obtained on testimony of "patients" of Stubbett's who called on him in this city. It was declared he diagnosed cases according to the size of pocket-books of his victims. One of the witnesses against him is a local constable, declared to be of sound health, whom the "doctor" said was suffering from various ailments; one of them he termed a "serious disease."

SHAFT BREAKS ON FERRYBOAT

Tugs Shove It Across Sound --Another Boat Secured.

Automobilists and early morning passengers crossing the sound were put to considerable inconvenience yesterday when the port shaft on the ferryboat Perth Amboy of the Staten Island Rapid Transit broke as the boat was making its way across the sound from Tottenville. The accident happened about 6 o'clock.

Engineer James Grimes, who is on the boat in place of Patrick McGrath, as soon as he saw the shaft was something wrong stopped the engine and Captain Reuben Androvette, who was in charge sounded his whistle for assistance. The tug George H. Rose, of the Androvette Towing Company coming down the sound and the tug Arthur Kill of the Arthur Kill Towing Company came alongside and towed the disabled ferryboat to this city. The tug Arthur Kill was put into service and made the next trip with passengers from here to Tottenville. After that the Arthur Kill was used to short the ferryboat back and forth across the sound until the arrival of the ferryboat Englewood of the Port Line ferry about 2 o'clock.

All this time automobilists at Tottenville had to back on the ferryboat. The big paddle which crashed through the men's cabin, but on account of the early hour there were few passengers on the boat.

The Perth Amboy was towed to Fletcher's Iron Works at Hoboken to have a new shaft installed. The ferryboat will be away about two weeks. This is the second time the Perth Amboy has broken a shaft within the past three months.

MAY PREVENT SUNDAY BALL

Chief Burke to Confer With Acting Mayor.

Chief of Police Burke will shortly confer with Acting Mayor Garretson upon the subject of Sunday baseball. They will endeavor to decide whether the sport should be permitted on Sundays in the city, or only in certain parts on the outskirts of it. Many vacant lots and fields were used yesterday and the police did not stop the pastime. It appears likely that it will not be permitted in thickly settled parts of the city and under no circumstances will it be allowed on the streets.

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