GOV. COX PLEDGES AID TO HARDING

Defeated Democratic Candidate Wires Congratulations to President-Elect.

RECORD G. O. P. VOTE PILES UP

Marding Assured of 379 Votes in the Electoral College-Missouri goes Republican and Tennessee Result Still in Doubt.

Dayton, O., Nov. 4,-Gov. Cox, the defeated presidential candidate, wired his congratulations to Senator Harding the president elect. The message

"In the spirit of America, I accept the decision of the majority, tender as the defeated candidate my congratulations, and pledge as a citizen my support to the executive authority in whatever emergency may arise."

Huge G. O. P. Vote Piling Up. New York, Nov. 4.—One of the most sweeping Republican victories in party history was recorded for Senator Warren G. Harding for President and a Republican congress.

Tremendous and unparalleled Republican pluralities beginning with the first count of ballots in the election continues mounting.

Defeat in their fight both for the presidency and congress was conceded of 250,000. The vote on the 1,271 preearly by Democratic national leaders on the basis of the crushing Republscan vote and despite the absence of final and official figures.

With the presidency and congress went loss to the Democrats of goversors, state legislatures and other state and local candidates. The break even threatened to extend into the border states hitherto "soild south," with Republican gains i asome southern states larger than any since the Civil war.

Harding Certain of 379 Votes. In the absence of final figures the swelling tide of huge pluralities gave electoral college, as against 127 for him assurance of 379 votes in the electoral college, as against 140 for Gov. Cov, with 12 doubtful, inclusive of states where the Republican tide was running strong.

The unofficial results presaged a larger majority in the electoral college for Senator Harding and his running mate, Gov. Coolidge of Massachusetts, than any since 1888, except alone the vote of 435 for President Wilson in 1912, during the Republican "split."

Women's Votes Cause Delay. The first trials of woman suffrage contributed largely to the Republican majorities, and, also, was a factor in delaying the count in many states. The millions of women's ballots also swelled the popular vote recorded beyoud all records.

New York, Ohio-the home of both Benator Harding and Gov. Cex-Illinots and Pennsylvania furnished the largest Republican pluralities. That of New York, where Gov. Smith, Democrat, and Nathan L. Miller, Repub-Hean, were neck and neck in the gubernatorial fight—was close to the million mark. Ohio was around 350,000 Blinois, at the present ratio, about 800,000 and Pennsylvania about 550.

1,000,000 Plurality in New York. New York, Nov. 4.—New York state went Republican in the presidential election by the unprecedented pinral-Ity of approximately 1,000,000 votes,

With the single exception of the contest for governor, which is still in doubt, with Governor Smith leading on the face of the returns, but the potential figures for the missing districts indicating the election of his Republican opponent, Nathan R. Miller, the landslide was complete.

United States Senator James W Wadsworth, Jr., Rep., was elected by a substantial plurality over his Democratic opponent, Lieut, Gov. Harry C Walker. The Republicans will control both branches of the legislature and elected 25 representatives to congress, a net gain of five seats, with two districts missing.

Complete New York City Vote. Complete returns from the 2,733 districts in Greater New York gave Sen stor Harding a plurality of 440,041 over Governor Cox. The vote was: Cox, 345,535; Harding, 785,576; Debs. 131,856.

The complete New York city vote for governor gave: Smith, Dem., 762. 746; Miller, Rep., 290.135; Thompson.

Pro., 8,458. Harding Carries Home State.

Columbus, O., Nov. 4.-Warren G. Harding took Ohio away from Gov. James M. Cox by a plurality of 350,000. according to indications from helf of the 7,145 precincts of the state. In 8.047 precincts Harding's vote was 478,-558, while Cox has a vote of 324,933. If the present ratio is maintained, it is said that Harding's plurality will be 857,000. The entire Republican ticket appeared to be winner in the home state of the two candidates, with Frank B. Willis, candidate for enator. leading his opponent by a vote of 28,-000. The vote that places Harry L. Davis, Rep., in the lead for governor is equally close.

es 250,000 Margin in Indiana. dishapolis, Mov. 4.-- A tabulation 1.271 precincts out of the 3,384 in adians shows Senator Harding leadhe his Democratic opponent by 36,028 If the present ratio is mainto the completion of returns, for Harding will have a plurality

VOTE FOR PRESIDENT

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Arizona	2,000	
Arkansas		65,00
California	400,000	
Colorado	75,000	
Connecticut	*112,245	
Delaware	12,000	
Florida		40.00
Jeorgia		100,00
Idaho	37,000	
Illinois	800,000	
Indiana	250,000	
Iowa	400,000	
Kansas	170,000	
Kentucky		25,00
Louisiana		70,00
Maine	•76,333	
Maryland	45,000	
Massachusetts	335,000	
	225,000	
Michigan	100,000	
Mississippi	200,000	70,000
Missouri	60,000	
Montana	65,000	
Nebraska	140,000	
Nevada	5,000	
New Hampshire	15,000	
New Jersey	225,000	
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North Dakota	5,000	
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Oklahoma	200,000	5,000
Oregon	20,000	
Pennsylvania	550,000	
Rhode Island	55,000	
South Carolina		60,000
South Dakota	50,000	
Tennessee		
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Jtah	30,000	
Vermont	*44,301	
Virginia	**,002	60,000
Washington	160,000	
West Virginia	78,000	
Wisconstn	300,600	
Wyoming	10,600	
*Complete.	20,000	

cincts gives Harding 311,307 and Cox, 215,281.

In the contests for United States senator and governor the totals probably will fall only slightly below the figures for president,

Whole Ticket Wins in Michigan, Detroit, Mich., Nov. 4.—The entire Republican ticket from President down through all the state offices are far in the lead in Michigan, and gaining with each additional precinct, Senator Harding was leading Governor Cox by about 225,000 votes, with more than half of the state yet to report.

All of the state's 13 Republican congressmen seemed assured of elec-

Attorney General Groesbeck, Republican for governor, was leading Woodbridge N. Ferris, Democrat, by 130,000 in the 1,157 precincts heard from,

Missouri Swings to G. O. P.

St. Louis, Nov. 4.—Missouri, anxiously watched by leaders of both parties in the sope that its vote would have a part in swinging the pendulum either way, was leaping more and more towar dthe Republican column as unofficial returns came in.

state's 3,810 precincts heard from, Republican candidates for President, also serious, United States senator and governor had majorities of more than 35,000, Democrats, however, refused to concede a victory, claiming that their strongholds had not all reported.

Returns from 2,194 precincts gave for President: Harding, 362,700; Cox. 300,602. For Senator: Spencer, 333. 445; Long, 295,730. For governor: (Rep.), 350,157; Atkinson (Dem.), 288,415,

Harding Winning Maryland.

from 693 precincts out of 821 in Maryland gave for president: Cox. 137,726; Harding, 181,339; Dehs. 262.

Minnesota G. O. P. Wins. St. Paul, Minn., Nov. 4.—Republican state leaders predicted that the decisibe plurality apparently given Harding for President in Minnesota would carry into office the Republican state

Returns from 571 precincts out of of 3,220 in the state gave Harding 99, 556 and Cox 27,169. For governor, 663 precincts gave State Auditor Preus. Rep., 109,056, as against 67,675 polled by Shipstead, indorsed by the Nonpar-

800,000 Plurality in Illinois.

Chicago, Nov. 4.- Len Small of Kankakee, Republican candidate for governor, and all of his associates on the state ticket were swept into office by a landslide of Republican votes which gave Senator Harding the record plurality of 800,000 in the state. Small's plurality over James Hamilton Lewis is approximately 500,000, yet falls short of the Harding inundation by

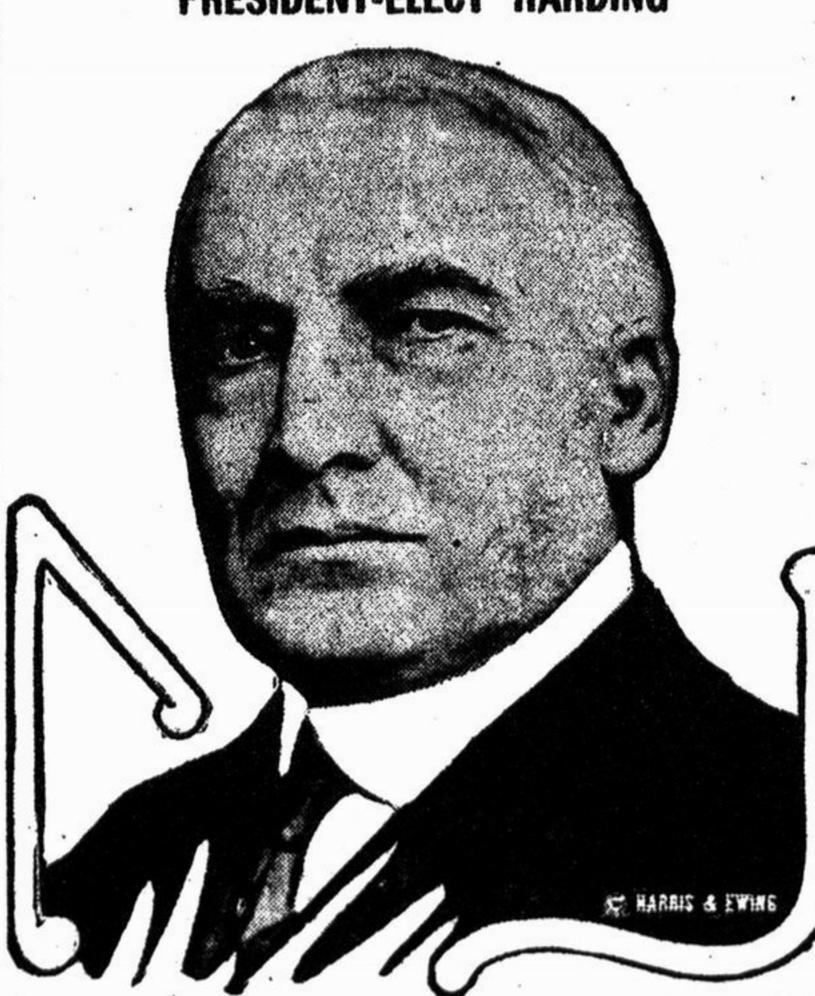
Latest returns from hie state show that Senator Harding had received 437,363 votes in 2,350 precincts out of 5,700 in Illinois, and Cox 189,154 votes. In 2.140 precincts Small had been given 427,411 votes and Lewis 238,018.

G. O. P. May Win Tennessee.

Atlanta, Ga., Nov. 4.-Although Democratic leaders refused to admit that Tuesday's election had resulted in any breck in the "solid South," Republicans claim the election of Al Taylor, Republican candidate for governor of Tennessee, and expressed confidence that complete returns would give the state to Senator Harding. Unofficial returns compiled by the Knoxville Journal and Tribune from 65 counties in Tennessee, however, gave Harding a plurality of 18,422 over Cox, and Taylor a lead of 29,142.

Huge Plurality in Pennsylvania. Phhiladelphia, Nov. 4.—Senator Harding carried Pennsylvania by probably the largest plurality ever given a candidate in this state. The whole Republican state : lcket was also elected by large pluralities and the Democratrepresentation from Pennsylvania congress was reduced.

PRESIDENT-ELECT HARDING



NOT PERSONAL

Senator Harding Is Grateful, but Not Exultant Over Election.

MORE GIVEN TO PRAYER

He and Mrs. Harding to Take a Vaca. tion During Month of November-Will Visit Texas and Panama Canal Zone.

Marton, O., Nov. 4.-Senator Harding sat down in his library and penciled the following statement:

"Assuming that the returns are wholly dependable I do not hesitate to say that I am pleased.

gratitude, but I am not exultant. It is not a personal victory. "It is a renewed expression of con-

"Of course I am happy to utter my

With more than two-fifth of the fident Americanism and a national call to the Republican party. It is

Obligations Are Solemn.

"The American obligations are so solemn that instead of exaiting I am more given to prayer to God to make me capable of playing my part and that all these calls to responsibility may meet the aspirations and expectations of America and the world. I am sure the people who have voted the Republican ticket will uncerstand my feeling that I should make un instant statement of policies at this time be-Baltimore, Md., Nov. 4.-Returns youd the expression made throughout the campaign."

Senator Harding said that throughout the campaign it had been his intention, win or lose, to take a vacation

during the month of November. President-elect Warren G. Harding and Mrs. Harding will le ve Marion next Friday night or Saturday morning for a vacation at Point Isabel, Tex., near Brownsville, as the guest of "Ed" Scobey, a close personal friend of the senator. Mr. Scober has a ranch near Point Isabel where he has resided for 15 years, although formerly he was a resident of Marlon. According to plans, Senator Harding will remain at Point Isabel for about two weeks, going from there to Galceston, where he will take passage on a steamer to Panama. Following a trip through the canal zone, the President-elect and Mrs. Harding will return to New Orleans, going from there to Bedford, Va., where arrangements have been made for Senator Harding to address a convention of the Order of Elks of which he is a member.

Marion Will Be Headquarters.

Marion probably will be the headquarters of the next President during the winter and up until the time when he goes to Washington for his inaugutation in March. It is understood that the visit to l'anama will be pure ly a pleasure trip, as neither the sen ator nor Mrs. Harding have ever seen the canal. No cabinet appointments are to be determined upon during this trip. It is believed, according to the best information here, that the President-elect does not expect to take any part in the final session of the Sixtysixth congress. He either will be paired with a Democratic senator or may resign as he feels that as a result of the election the Republicans will have a sofe majority in the upper

Wilson's Home District to Harding Princeton, N. J., Nov. 4.-President Wilson's home district in Princeton went for Harding and Coolidge by about 5 to 1, according to election of ficials. The count has not yet beer

Bryan Votes Ticket Straight. Lincoln, Neb., Nov. 4.-William Bryan voted the straight Democratic ticket, he announced.

ELECTORAL VOTE

STATES

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Arizona	3		
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California	13		
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Connecticut	7		
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GOVERNORS MANY STATES

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Arkansas-Thomas E. McRaeDem
Colorado-Oilver H. ShoupRep
Connecticut - E. J. Lake Rep
Delaware-W. D. DenneyRep
, Florida-Cary A. HardeeDem
Georgia-*T. W. Hardwick Dem
Idaho David W. Davis Rep
Illinois Len Small Rep
Indiana-W. T. McCrayRep
Nebraska-S. R. McKellre Rep
New Hampshire-A. O. BrownRep
New Mexico-R. H. Hanna Dem
New York-SmithDem
N. Carolina-Cameron Morrison Dem
North Dakota-L. J. Frazier Rep
Ohio-Harry L. DavisRep
lowa-N. E. KandallRep
Kansas-Henry J. AllenRep
Maine-**F. C. ParkhurstRep
Massachusetts-C. H. CoxRep
Michigan-A. J. GroesbeckRep
Minnesota-J. A. O. PreusRep
Missouri-A. M. HydeRep
Montana-Joseph M. DixonRep
Rhode Island - E. J. San Souci Rep
South Carolina-R. A. CooperDem
South Dakota-R. H. McMaster Rep
Tennessee A. H. Roberts Dem
Texas-R. M. Neff Dem
Utah-C. R. MaheyRep
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West Virginia-E. F. MorganRep
Wisconsin-John J. Blaine Rep
*Unopposed. "Elected in September

MADE GAIN IN NEW ORLEANS

Harding Polls the Unprecedented Total of 17,090 Votes-Carried Ten Country Parishes.

New Orleans, Nov. 4.—Senator Harding polled the unprecedented total of 17,000 in the city of New Orleans with five of the 157 precincts missing. He carried ten known country parishes, apparently was an easy victor in the third congressional district and eight city precincts, mostly in the uptown residence section gave him majorities.

F. D. Roosevelt Lost Home Town. Hyde Park, N. Y., Nov. 4.—Complete returns from Hyde Park, the home town of Franklin D. Roosevelt, Demo cratic vice presidential nominee, give Harding, 279; Cox, 194.

The Forum

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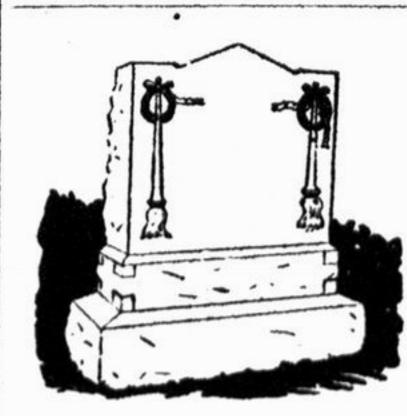
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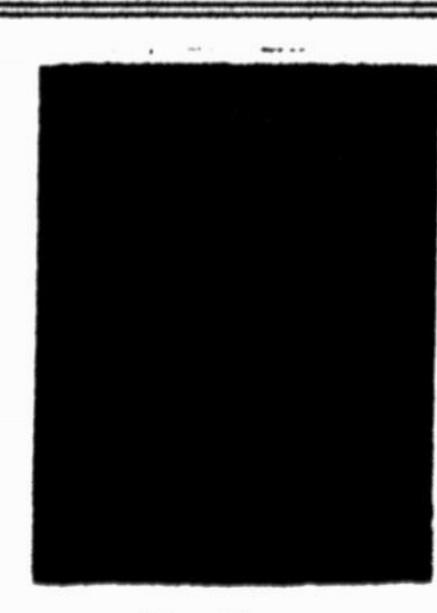
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