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PROMINENT EVANGELISTS.

Luther Bridges, famous Methodist Evangelist from Georgia, will be here Sunday. In addition to being a great preacher, he is also a fine singer. He will hold services at the Methodist church in the morning at 11:00 o'clock. At the evening service, Frank Neal, Evangelist of Amarillo, will preach, when Rev. Luther Bridges will lead the song services. Frank Neal is a brother of John F. Neal, who, it will be remembered, held a revival here last spring.

This is a rare opportunity for Marfa to hear two of the best known and most popular evangelists in the south.

LOCKLEY, SILVERWARE, GLASSWARE, ETC.

County Commissioner Clarence Hord advises that the big grader and tractor are at work on the Fort Stockton road, via Hovey. This section for some sixteen miles will be an entirely new road. We trust that Brewster's portion of the Alpine-Fort Stockton road may soon be in such good shape that Alpineites and strangers going to Fort Stockton will have no cause to complain of the bad road so far as this county is concerned; and that we may soon be linked with as good a road to Stockton as we are to Marfa and Fort Davis—Alpine Avalanche.

All Royal Society packages reduced to close-out prices at Bailey's Store.

BELLE BENNETT SOCIETY.

Mrs. Jim Tyler delightfully entertained the Belle Bennett Missionary society Tuesday. Her already beautiful home was decorated in keeping with the Hallowe'en season. Lollypop ghosts appeared with the delicious refreshments which were served to the following: Mesdames Rosson, Clark, Anderson, Willie, Bishop, Flint, Woolie, Hoffman and Misses Williams and Ables.

PUBLICITY SUPT.

SEWING CIRCLE.

The Marfa Sewing Circle was entertained with a Hallowe'en party at the home of Mrs. Jim Tyler, by Mrs. Shellie Barnes and Mrs. Tyler.

The house throughout was decorated with ghosts, spooks, jack-o-lanterns and the Hallowe'en colors of yellow and black.

The main features of the evening were the "initiation of the ghosts" and "digging up old man Smith's grave." The rest of the evening was spent in hunting for fortunes and playing games. Refreshments of punch, sandwiches cakes and lollypops were served from the "witches kettle," brewed in the fireplace.

All report one of the most enjoyable events of the season.

WOMAN'S TOGGERY, WEDDING PRESENTS

JUNIORS MEET.

The second year juniors of the Methodist church met at Mrs. Hoffman's on October 27, for a party. They played many interesting games which the children enjoyed. The following were present:

Fletcher Metcalfe, Virginia Cole, Verna Settle, Evelyn Howell, Emma Lou Ridout, Marjorie Scott, Iva Cline, Edith Taylor, Mary Virginia Griffith and Ruth Abbott.

The following officers were elected:

President, Fletcher Metcalfe. Vice-President, Virginia Cole. Secretary, Verna Settle. Treasurer, Evelyn Howell. Reporter, Emma Lou Ridout.

REPORTER.

FOR RENT! FOR RENT!

A four-room cottage with bath. Phone 214.

300 BALES OF COTTON.

Today, 300 bales of cotton from the river valley will be shipped from the Marfa depot. This is the first shipment of the season.

NEW SUNSET LIMITED.

Wednesday the new Sunset Limited, consisting of nine coaches, costing about \$500,000.00, stopped in Marfa for over an hour. There must have been 500 Marfa people, young and old, who passed through the train to look over its many beauties and excellent conveniences. The following officials were with the train to receive the visitors:

W. G. McCormick, general passenger agent; O. W. Longnecker, treasurer; W. S. Stalling, superintendent Pullman company; J. E. Monroe, division passenger agent; J. H. Walsh, superintendent Austin division; W. R. Mann, assistant superintendent El Paso division; T. J. Anderson, general agent, passenger department; J. B. McDermid, Pullman conductor in charge.

If you want to make your gifts, get a Royal Society stamped piece to embroider at reduced prices from Bailey's.

SHE DID NOT KNOW.

The Fort Davis Post in its last issue mentions that Mrs. H. M. Jones, while in Marfa a few days ago, purchased from one of Marfa's grocery stores a package of black-eyed peas. After they were received in her home she inquired where were they raised. It was learned they were raised at Fort Davis on her husband's farm. There is nothing like letting people know what you have to sell, and occasionally display a sample. In Marfa today there are apples grown in Fort Davis—48 to the box—that no country in the world can equal in size, beauty and flavor. Besides, around Davis there has been grown other fruits, as well as vegetables, which cannot be equaled in these United States.

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Within three miles of Fort Davis, including 40 acres, more or less, especially suitable for apple orchards. Interested parties write Harry Grierson, Fort Davis, Texas.

BAPTIST CHURCH NOTES.

Dr. D. C. Daniel, who has had long experience in both home and foreign mission work, was with us two evenings last week.

Our superintendent has presented the Sunday school with an excellent stand for a blackboard. Thanks.

Though the rain cut our school in two last Sunday, the attendance for October averaged well above that of September. Now, let's make November the best of the year.

Many boys and girls are dismissed from Buckner Home every month, but new orphans are continually being admitted to take their place. Let us remember those seven hundred boys and girls with more than our usual generosity next Sunday.

The last bit that we ever do in the Seventy-five Million campaign must be done before the convention meet in November. After that, all our old pledges will be abandoned. Come on and let us finish the work.

We want to make plans at once to settle the indebtedness of our church property. By prayerful attention to this matter, we should have all the money ready to meet the last note, which falls due on December 11th.

Remember that if we do not remember the Lord on Sunday, we are not likely to give Him much thought on other days. So, come and worship with us.

S. F. MARSH.

LOCKLEY'S, JEWELRY, WEDDING PRESENTS

PUTTIN' ON AIRS

The devil-in-chief was too busy to trot out and see the new equipment of the Sunset Limited trains, which was held here for an hour on Wednesday so that those who wanted to could survey it.

It's said the new equipment is some pumpkins as regards general finish and new-fangled conveniences. It's also said that Agent Petross, who "bosses the diddings" around the station was strutting around as if he owned the whole works—as proud as a kid with a new toy.

JOHN W. KOKERNOT.

Last Friday, in San Antonio, John W. Kokernot passed away. At the time of his death he was 71 years old.

He was one of the pioneer cattlemen of Presidio County, living for a number of years at Alpine.

About 30 years ago he moved to San Antonio, where he resided up to his death.

He is survived by his widow, Mrs. Mary H. Kokernot; three daughters, Mrs. P. J. McNeel, Mrs. J. L. Felder, Mrs. Randolph Carter, all of San Antonio; three sisters, Mrs. Gussie Fitzgerald, Mrs. Rebecca Kendall, Mrs. Huddie Littlefield, all of San Antonio; two nephews, Herbert L. Kokernot of San Antonio, Walter L. Kokernot of Gonzales, and eight grandchildren, P. J. McNeel, Jr., Francis Felder, Muriel Carter, Mary Ella Carter, all of San Antonio, and two sons of his son, the late L. G. Kokernot of Alpine.

All our toys are now on display and are going fast, at Bailey's.

NOTICE OF SALE.

STATE OF TEXAS, County of Presidio.

On May 28, 1923, J. R. Miller executed a note to the undersigned for \$145.50, due in sixty (60) days, secured by a chattel mortgage on one Weber gas engine and drilling machine, which said mortgage contained the provision that a failure to pay said note authorized the undersigned to take possession of said property and to sell the same at public auction.

NOTICE is hereby given that said note is past due and unpaid, the undersigned has taken possession of said property and will proceed to sell the same at public auction at the Court House door in Presidio County, Texas, in the manner and within the time required by law, on the 10th day of November, 1924.

Dated this the 28th day of October, A. D. 1924. JOHN HUMPHRIS.

COTTON COMPRESS FOR MARFA.

The machinery has arrived for the cotton compress. This will be quite a benefit for the railroads and a saving for the cotton growers. In the next issue of the Era, more details will be given in regard to this new enterprise.

Without question, in a short time Marfa will be the shipping point for over 10,000 bales of cotton, produced entirely in Presidio county.

NOTICE TO THE PUBLIC.

Owing to other engagements, I am leaving Marfa before completing my work here. I will return about Nov. 20th. Anyone wanting piano tuning or repairing done, or wanting to buy a piano or phonograph, please leave name and address with Mrs. Sam Davis, Phone 96. Local references, Miss Greenwood and Miss Wilkinson, music teachers.

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If you can feel when a pair of spectacles fit your eyes, without the advice of an optician or eye doctor, you can save from \$7.50 to \$10.00, as Lockley, the Jeweler, who is a graduate optician (but not practicing), has added a good stock of regular first class prescription spectacles to be sold as ordinary merchandise without expert advice as to whether they properly fit your eyes or not. "You are the judge."

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While down town don't fail to see our beautiful line of silk dresses, also pretty wools in the sport materials. Milady's Shoppe.

NOTICE!

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to say a word to you when you are
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the same day; he's the one who can
ask for anything you've got, even
for your life, no matter how bad
you want or need them; he's the one
who trusts you when all the world
calls you a liar; he's the one who
don't grin when you are in trouble
nor turn his back when you are in
need. You may take out your soul

ONLY A "MORAL OBLIGATION."

In a letter, elsewhere published,
to El Paso voters inquiring for legal
light and learning on their obliga-
tions under the Texas Democratic
primary pledges, Atty. Del W. Har-
rington emphasizes the incontrovert-
ible facts that no Texas Democrat
can be put in jail, fined or otherwise
legally proceeded against for sup-
porting the Republican candidates
instead of the cleanly and legally
chosen Democratic nominees. There-
fore, runs the logic of Mr. Harring-
ton's advice to these honorable in-
terrogators and faithful Democrats,
go ahead and vote for the Republican
candidates.

The chief weakness of the Har-
rington communication seems to be
that it does not cite enough preced-
ents. It covers a certain number of
decisions of various learned judges
on the question of primary pledges,
making clear that nowhere in the
United States has a citizen ever been
put in a hoosgow for treating his or
her pledged word like a light hint
long ago extended to a deceased col-
ored person. But nowhere does he
mention that a man can't be shot
for joining a church for the purpose
of corrupting it or of disgracing it
by his conduct; that he can't be
legally bastinadoed for breaking his
oath to keep lodge secrets; that he
can't be sued for failing to send his
mother that check he promised her
last January; that he can't be sent
to the penitentiary for inviting peo-
ple out to dinner and letting them
pay the bill.

Since the primary pledge to sup-
port the candidates finally named by
the primary is only, out of Mr. Har-
rington's and justices' mouths both,
a "moral obligation," he might have
shown more vividly what a wide va-
riety of moral obligations it is pos-
sible to wriggle out from in this up-
rightly moral condition of civiliza-
tion, without suffering a single pang
of life, limb or property. He could
have conveyed far more interestingly
and intimately the advantages which
men may derive in this life by get-
ting along without personal honor.

BRO. BANDY ABOUT AGAIN.

Bro. Bandy is able to be about
again after the serious accident
which he suffered a few weeks ago.
He was laid up in the Masonic
hospital in El Paso for quite a while
and at one time it was thought the
damage done to his head would re-
sult seriously. He is preparing to
make a trip to Lubbock to look after
business interests and recuperate.—
Rio Grande Valley News.

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NOTICE! NOTICE!

The Odd Fellows and the Rebekahs
will give an old fashioned tacky
party Oct. 31st, 1924. All members
are requested to come in an old
fashioned tacky costume.

After all, it was only a 17th cen-
tury mossback right-thinker, named
Shakespeare, who wrote that "Who
steals my purse stealstrash, but he
that filches from mine my good name
leaves me poor, indeed." Now an up
and coming modern lawyer ought
to be able to administer more deft
comfort than the mere sense of legal
irresponsibility to those whom he
would encourage to throw away
good names on a dishonored obliga-
tion and a Republican ballot.—El Paso Times.



A WEEKLY PANORAMA OF EVENTS IN THE NATION- AL CAPITAL.

(By Peter Keegan.)

Washington's first real taste of the
presidential campaign came in the
Borah investigation of campaign ex-
penditures, which started in Chicago
and then moved to the capitol, al-
most, it seemed, as a matter of habit,
since so many investigations of this
kind or the other, have taken place
beneath its massive dome.

The professional "investigation gal-
lery"—those aged ladies and other
persons with nothing to do but hang
around the capitol looking for ex-
citement, will tell you frankly that
the Borah inquiry, thus far, is "noth-
ing much". They will point back to
those other famous probes of the
last congress, when it became cus-
tomary for the town to buzz, not
with one scandal, but with at least
half a dozen juicy scandals every
twenty-four hours.

Nothing of a very scandalous nat-
ure has been unearthed yet by Sen-
ator Borah, so far as an impartial
observer can see, although there has
been some revelation of the meth-
ods of the political managers in go-
ing after the money with which to
run a presidential campaign. Ac-
cording to figures presented to the
committee, the campaign will cost
the American people somewhere in
the neighborhood of four million

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members are cordially
invited to be present.

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Mrs. Georgia Arnold, Sec

DEMOCRATIC CANDIDATES.

THE STATE OF TEXAS,
County of Presidio.

I, J. H. Fortner, County Clerk of Presidio County, Texas, do hereby certify that the following is a true and correct list of the names of the Democratic candidates for county and precinct offices, as certified to me by the Democratic County Chairman, and by order of the District Court of Presidio County, Texas, which will be on the ballot for the general election to be held Nov. 4, 1924.

And that no other names have been certified to me by any party, organization, or independent candidate:

Name of nominee, office for which nominated:

Anita Young, for District Clerk.
K. C. Miller, for County Judge.
J. C. Fuller, for County Attorney.
J. H. Fortner, for County Clerk.
S. W. Wooley, for County Treasurer.

O. A. Knight, for County Tax Collector.

Robert Greenwood, for County Assessor.

J. E. Vaughan, for Sheriff.

W. T. Davis, for Commissioner, Precinct No. One.

J. J. Franklin, for Commissioner, Precinct No. Two.

James Sloan, for Commissioner, Precinct No. Three.

D. D. Kilpatrick, for Commissioner, Precinct No. Four.

W. G. Young, for Justice of the Peace, Precinct No. One.

R. M. Mitchell, for Constable, Precinct No. One.

J. W. Rawls, for Constable, Precinct No. Two.

W. H. Carter, for Justice of the Peace, Precinct No. Four.

G. C. Brown, for Constable, Precinct No. Four.

Geo. Dawson, for Justice of the Peace, Precinct No. Five.

Bob Speed, for Constable, Precinct No. Five.

Roy L. Tingle, for Justice of the Peace, Precinct No. Six.

Hugh Ridout, for Justice of the Peace, Precinct No. Two.

B. Nunez, for Constable, Precinct No. Six.

Hall Kilpatrick, for Justice of the Peace, Precinct No. Eight.

J. K. Edmundson, for Constable, Precinct No. Eight.

In testimony whereof, I have hereunto signed my name officially

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dollars, more than half of which will be spent by the Republicans. Twenty million dollar was the amount which Senator LaFollette said the Republicans had or were trying to raise.

As far as President Coolidge is personally concerned, his campaign to succeed himself is ended. Despite the efforts of some of his advisers to get him out of Washington for a speaking campaign, he has succeeded in remaining close to the White House. Whether or not that kind of campaign has profited him only the returns on November 4th can testify. Anyway, it may be known that he, at least, is satisfied.

William G. McAdoo's letter in which he had more kind words for the LaFollette ticket than for the Democratic presidential candidates, was a subject of much speculation here, and was pointed to in Republican circles as indicating that all was not serene in the Democratic camp. It has become necessary of late for the Democratic chiefs to make formal denials of reports that anyone is "laying down" on Mr. Davis or that something else than illness has kept McAdoo from taking the stump for the Democratic ticket, although it is no secret that McAdoo has never recovered from that blow he received after that memorable struggle at Madison Square Garden.

The closing days of the campaign have been enlivened. NOT only by Senator LaFollette's slush fund charges, but by his personal assaults on President Coolidge. Among other things, LaFollette has charged that Coolidge is a "nickel nurse", ex-

and caused to be impressed hereon the Seal of the County Court, at my office in the City of Marfa, Texas, the 8 day of October, A. D. 1924.

J. H. FORTNER,
County Clerk, Presidio County, Texas.

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SAMPLE BALLOT

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FOR Amendment of Section 51 of Article 3 of the Constitution authorizing the Legislature to grant aid to Confederate soldiers, sailors and their widows who have been a resident of this state since January 1, 1910.

AGAINST Amendment of Section 51 of Article 3 of the Constitution authorizing the Legislature to grant aid to Confederate soldiers and their widows.

TO MY FRIENDS AND PATRONS.

I have apples in cold storage at the Marfa Power house. You can get apples now when in need of them by calling at the power house. I also have some green tomatoes at 8c per pound. If in need of any, send your orders by mail. M. F. Higgins, Fort Davis, Texas.

Everyone should see our beautiful new gift lines, suitable for weddings, birthdays and all occasions.—Bailey's Store.

WRIST PIN BREAKS.

The Sunset Limited, westbound was delayed about forty-five minutes Tuesday p. m., by the breaking of the wrist pin on the left side of the locomotive.

The mishap occurred just a few miles east of town, between Nopal and the stock pen, but by wiring the thingumajig to the piston frame the train was able to wiggle on its way under its own power.

REMOVED.

The iron fence around the court house grounds has been removed. A contract has been let to lay down a cement walk around the block, which, when completed, will add to the appearance considerably.

TREES—Fruit and ornamental, ordered. Assistance given in selection of suitable varieties. J. R. Jacobs

NOTICE! NOTICE! NOTICE!

The first week in November is to be known as book week in the State of Texas. Anyone wishing to donate a book to the Marfa Public School will please send them in during that week.

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C. E. MEETING.

The Christian Endeavor of the Christian and Presbyterian churches met at the Presbyterian church. The study class begins at six and the Endeavor at six-thirty.

Mrs. W. K. Livingston was the leader and the meeting was held as a "Camp Fire" meeting. An imitation camp fire was arranged in the center of a circle of chairs. The meeting began with a series of sentence prayers, first, for Dr. F. E. Clark, founder of Endeavor; second, for the Endeavorers who have gone from the society; third, for those who have left off the C. E. work, and last, for the Endeavorers here at home. The prayers were followed by a hymn, "Sweet Hour of Prayer," sung softly.

The next thing on the program was the personal talks by each one in the group on what the Endeavor

had done for them and what they had done and were doing for their society.

"Near the Cross" was the next song. The meeting was turned over to the president for business.

The meeting came to a close by singing a verse of "I'll Go Where You Want Me to Go." The Mizpah benediction was repeated as the Endeavorers stood in the glow of the camp fire.

Why not buy that Christmas present now? We will keep it for you and you can get just what you want now, and later you will have to take what you can get. Lockley, the Jeweler, has a good showing of jewelry, watches, diamonds, silverware, etc., and Mrs. Lockley, (The Womans Toggery,) has many things that will solve your Yuletide troubles and make your friends see life from a little different angle.

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School hose for boys and girls at close-out prices at Bailey's Store.

FOR RENT—Rooms for light housekeeping or rooms for lodging. Apply Mrs. W. A. Wells.

Just received—a full line of handsome winter coats. Milady's Shoppe.

Mrs. A. B. Coutre is in Marfa from Fort Clark, visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Newt Aiken.

When in need of children's sweaters, see those at Milady's Shoppe.

We have just received an immense assortment of silverware at Bailey's.

Laura Mitchell and Helen Joyce spent last week-end in Alpine, visiting friends.—The Shorthorn.

Woman's Toggery—Coats, Dresses.

Save a repair bill on your fence by using cedar posts. We have a carload just in. G. C. Robinson Lumber Co.

Bring us your hats to be made into new hats, also any materials. Prices reasonable. Milady's Shoppe.

Mrs. A. L. Shipman has been this week in Galveston, attending a convention of the Eastern Star.

Cool, comfortable rooms, reasonable rates—for permanent roomers—hot and cold water in each room. Hotel Jordan.

Come in and see our beautiful pictures with harmonizing frames at Bailey's.

FOR RENT—One dwelling house with four rooms and bath. Apply to T. C. Mitchell.

Fine knitted union suits for men, women and children at cost to close them out.—Bailey's Store.

M. F. Higgins was in the city on Thursday with a load of apples for the cold storage.

Jordan Hotel under new management, renovated and improved thru-out. We respectfully solicit your patronage.

Mrs. C. A. Brown and her sister, Miss Edeline Jones, of Alpine were Marfa visitors the first of the week.

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Miss Elva Spencer returned first of the week from Del Rio, where she was successfully operated on for appendicitis.

Please get your chickens, turkeys, beef roast, pork roast, fish and oysters on Saturday evening for Sunday as I will not be open on Sunday morning after Nov. 1st. Phone 87. DAVIS MARKET.

Frank Randolph from Charleston, Va., has entered school. We are glad to have him as a student and a member of the football squad.—The Shorthorn.

We have some wonderful bargains in useful garments, such as flannellette gowns and pajamas for men, women and children, which we are closing out below cost, as we are discontinuing such goods.—Bailey's Store.

J. C. Bird of Alpine was a visitor to the city Thursday.

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MILADY'S SHOPPE.

New shipments of dresses, sweaters and hats are coming in every day. Be sure and see them.

RECORD DISASTER YEAR KEPT RED CROSS BUSY

In 192 Places in United States Its Relief Operations Cost \$737,603.

One hundred and ninety-two disasters resulting in 735 deaths and injury to 1,932 persons, rendering nearly 44,000 homeless and causing property losses estimated at more than \$44,750,000, established a new record in the United States in the year ended last June 30, according to reports of the American Red Cross. In all of these disasters immediately relief activity was applied by the Red Cross, which expended \$737,603.37 through the national organization and the local Chapters in assisting stricken communities.

As the nation's chief relief agency, whose service covers over 43 years, the Red Cross is expected to be on duty almost as soon as disaster strikes any locality. This trust and confidence is amply justified by the increasing equipment of the Red Cross, which recently organized a mobile disaster unit of experienced workers ready in all parts of the country to respond on the instant to a call for active duty. This unit is capable of operating in several disaster areas under one general direction, and recently was at work in seven communities in five states at the same time. Ability, alertness and increasing skill of volunteer workers in more than 3,500 Chapters are reasons for the preparedness of Red Cross for disaster operations, be the call for a disturbance in a restricted local area or for millions in relief funds for a staggering catastrophe such as the earthquake in Japan.

The Red Cross, however, is far from being self-satisfied, for the organization is giving the most serious consideration to measures for preventing disasters. Its relief administration and rehabilitation policies have won for it nation-wide regard. That this important work can always measure up to every demand needs the continued support of the American people through Red Cross membership. The annual enrollment will begin Armistice Day, November 11, and every American is urged to join or renew membership in the Red Cross.

Help yourself by helping others with your dollar Red Cross membership. The dividend in good works is guaranteed.



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plaining that his economies, which have been the rock upon which the administration has elected to rise or fall have been directed toward small things, while larger extravaganzas have passed unnoticed. "Nickel nurse" is only one of the LaFollette nicknames, but it is typical. On the other hand, LaFollette has been subjected to a severe Republican counter-attack for his promise not to use the national guard or federal troops to put down strikes or other disturbances threatening the public peace.

At the beginning of this campaign we promised to avoid predictions as to the outcome, and we see no reason to break that resolution now. Most of the straw votes show President Coolidge in the lead, with Davis and LaFollette see-sawing back and forth for second place. Probably these polls have something to do with the existing feeling, but there is a general belief in Washington that Coolidge will win, that Davis will run second in the count of electoral votes and third in the matter of the popular vote. Some observers still believe that there can be no choice and that the election will be thrown into congress with the possibility of Gov. Bryan being the next president; and the Democratic organization, of course, still expects to defeat Mr. Coolidge decisively. The betting odds in New York and Washington favor Mr. Coolidge, but our advice, based on a survey of the situation, is to risk little hard cash on the result.

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