

Election posters met the eye everywhere. It was the first free election in Austria since before the war; a novel experience for the younger people and reviving many memories for the older generation, ~~many~~ including the genial 83-year-old president, Dr. ~~Theodor~~ Koerner. Another early arrival

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at the polling booth was the Chancellor, ~~Julius Raab~~ ^{Herr} Raab *leavely*

~~leader of the Austrian~~ Peoples Party, which with the Socialists ^{Party forms} ~~the~~ Coalition. They were

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returned by a big majority, so everything in the Governmental Garden continued lovely.