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REPUBLICANS

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.. stration's Policy Endorsed By the People.

Nebraska and Custer are Exceptions.

The election Tuesday through out the nation was a great victory for the republican administration. The republican majorities were increased in their usual strong holds and their votes increased in democratic states. Upon the whole it was a splendid endorsement of the able and business like administration of President McKinley. Ne brasks and Custer county alone are still joined to their idols.

Ohio wins out with 50,000; Iowa re-elects Gov. Shaw with 62,000 plurality. Kansas shows republican gains throughout the state and elects most of the county officers and six out of eight of the district judges.

Pennsylvania returns to her oldtime majority and gives the republican candidate for state treasurer over 100,000 majority. In Kentucky, a democratic strong-hold, the republicans claim the election of Taylor for governor by over 6,000. New Jersey is again republican and gains control of both houses of the legislature. In Massachusetts the republicans elect their candidate for governor by 65,000; South Dakota shows heavy republican gains and elects all their judges. From a general view, outside of Custer county and the state, the returns are most gratifying as an endorsement of the republican administration.

FOR RENT. - A large fat rooster and several smaller chicks.

Judge Sullivan claims his election by 1,350 majority in the district.

Kansas stands up for the administration by giving increased republican majorities.

The Hawkeye state went republican by 62,000 and elected 80 republicans in the house.

Had the rest of the state made the same gains that Custer county has in this campaign, it would have won in the fight with ease.

Holcomb's majority in the state for supreme judge, from present indications, will not be less than 10,000 and it may reach 15,000.

Nash of Ohio was elected governor with a majority of 50,000, which was 92,000 more than Gov. Bushnell's plurality two years ago.

As to the victor belongs the spoils, we move that Charley Shinn be made El Armstrong's deputy. earned recognition and the pops will be ungrateful unless they recognize their claims.

Already there is a contention between the democrats and pope over who is entitled to the credit for the campaign and has not hesitated since fusion success. The pops contend his resignation as chairman of the state that it was Holcomb's popularity, while the democrats maintain that Republican ticket. it was Bryon who did it.

F. E. VanAntwerp, of Lodi, was in the city Wednesday to learn how big the pop majority was. Mr. VanAntwerp has the consolation of knowing that he not only got the full support of republicans, but was supported liberally by others.

The republicans of Custer county have much to be thankful for in the recent campaign. We have not only held our own in an official way by the re-election of Judge Armour, but we lave gained one supervisor and strengthened the party by the increase of our numbers by 200 more voters.

Indications P - oint to His Elec-

on by 7,000 Plurality. ORDERLY ELECTION IN KENTUCKY

Republicans Claim Election of the State Ticket and Legislature by Good Majority-Chairman Blackbarn Insists Goebel WIII Pull Through With Small Plurality

LOUISVILLE, Nov. 8 .- By the combined efforts of the Republicans and anti-Goebelites, Attorney General W. 3. Taylor (Rep.) has been elected governor of Kentucky by a majority variously estimated from 7,000 to 15,000 over Goebel (Deri.). Returns received up to midnight also indicate the election of the entire Republican ticket, while the complexion of the legislature is in

The weather throughout the state was perfect and more than an average vote was polled, the total falling but little short of the vote polled in the last presidential election.

Comparatively little disorder prevailed and aside from several arrests for alleged violations of election laws. the election was characterized by a remarkable degree of quietude.

Governor Bradley remained in Louisville during the day and had Louisville legion in readiness for marching orders. The militia was called out after the close of the polls to enforce an injunction granted by a local judge, but the presence of the militia was not needed and the companies were soon ordered back to the armory.

Chairman Long of the Republican campaign committee said at midnight that Taylor's plurality would not be less than 15,000. This estimate he said was based upon estimates received from a majority of the counties in the state. Governor Bradley estimates Taylor's plurality at from 15,000 to 18,000.

Chairman Long gave out the following at 1 a. m. regarding the next legislature: The Republicans have elected ten senators out of 19. Three more are believed to have been elected, but the returns are not complete, while one is in doubt. There are two Republican holdovers and six anti-Goebel holdovers. In the house the Republicans have elected 41 members for certain, the Democrats 35, and the anti-Goebel Democrats 5. Nineteen districts not heard from. This insures a fusion majority in the house against the Goebel law and probably a Republican majority.

Later returns tend to confirm the Republican claims of victory and while the majority will not reach their estimated figure, the returns received up to I o'clock continue to show Republican gains and a plurality of 7,000 is conconceded by many of the Democratic leaders, while some of the more faithful are claiming a plurality of 5,000 for Goebel. It is thought that the Republicans have gained so materially that it leaves the complexion of the next legislature in doubt despite the holdover senators. The estimated plurality of the most sanguine Democratic leaders is based upon returns from the interior of the state, which probably will be overcome by the strong Republican counties, many of which are inaccessible by telegraph and railroad.

A bulletin issued at 1 a. m. by the Goebel campaign committee says: "We have not enough information concerning the state to go into details, but we are confident we have won, though the majority is small."

MARYLAND IS DEMOCRATIC. Governor and Legislature Elected by Over

Ten Thousand Majority. BALTIMORE, Nov. 8 .- Incomplete returns from the city of Baltimore and meager reports from the state received up to 11 o'clock last night indicate that the Republicans of Maryland have been overwhelmingly defeated and that John Walter Smith, the Democratic candidate, has been elected by a majority variously estimated at from 10,600 to 15,-000. There is also a reasonable certainty that the lower house of the general assembly will be Democratic by a large majority and that the Democrats will elect enough state senators to overcome the Republican advantage among the holdover senators, thereby controlling Both Charley and his father have both branches of the legislature. The Democrats are wild with enthusiasm, while the Republicans are correspondingly depressed over the result, which they are inclined to attribute to treachery among the followers of Mayor Malster and United States Senator George L. Wellington.

The latter has taken no part in the central committee a few weeks ago to predict the overwhelming defeat of the

The Gold Democrats, as an organization, supported Governor Lowndes, but they seem to have but little if any effect on the result.

Blackburn to Bryan. FRANKFORT, Ky., Nov. 8 .- Former Senator Blackburn at 2 a. m. sent the following telegram to W. J. Bryan: We have carried Kentucky by a small but safe majority. Sincere congratulations on your splendid victory in Ne-

Democratic Congressman Elected. PHILADELPHIA, Nov. 8 .- One congressman was elected in Pennsylvania yesterday. In the Ninth district, comprising Berks and Lehigh counties, Captain H. D. Green (Dem.) was chosen by a majority of 5,000, to succeed H. D. Ermentrout, deceased.

New Jersey Republican. NEW YORK, Nov. 8 .- At the close of the polls at 7 p. m. in New Jersey the Republicans had carried the state and mayor by 3,000 majority retained control of the senate and house of assembly. The senate appears Republican by a good majority.

JTH DAKOTA'S VOTE

eturns Show Republican Gains in Connties East of Missouri River, SIOUX FALLS, S. D., Nov. 8 .- City of Sioux Falls complete gives Republican majority 258, net Republican gain 195, Hughes county, Pierre, for supreme

court, Curson (Rep.) 274; Haney (Rep.) 262; Fuller (Rep.) 251; Smith (fusion) 54; Kennedy (fusion) 55; Bennett (fusion 1 70. The Argus Leader basing estimates on returns thus far received from points

in South Dakota, claims election of Republican nominees for state supreme court by 10,000 majority. This is also the estimate of the national committee-

At midnight Chairman Bowler conceded the election of the judges by 2,000. Aberdeen-Returns are coming in slowly. Partial reports from nearly every county east of the Missouri river show Republican gains, especially in cities. Aberdeen gives Republican gain of 100 over last year. Judge Fuller, on whom the fusion forces concentrated their fire, is running some behind his ticket, but not enough to defeat him. Returns so far indicate a Republican majority of at least 500.

Chairman Herried of the Republican state central committee says: "I regret the small vote cast in the state, due to the fact that the farmers are busy. Had there been a full vote there would have been a Republican landslide. But as it is we will carry the state by at least 8,000 majority. This victory is especially gratifying because of the desperate efforts of the fusionists and because Senator Pettigrew threw his personality into the fight for all he was worth."

Two hundrel and twenty-four precincts in the state give Republicans 8,691; fusionists, 5,576, clearly indicating a Republican majority of 10,000. The Black Hills counties give an increased Republican majority over two

YANKTON, Nov. 8 .- A little over half a vote was polled yesterday in the city and county election. Returns are coming in very slowly. The city with four outside precincts gives Republican supreme judges 100 majority. The Second commissioner district, which includes two of the largest wards in the city, gives McGregor 100 majority over Wyman (Rep.) Yankton county will probably go Republican.

Deadwood-Deadwood gives Judge Corson a majority of 272; Lead a majority of 185. Rapid City gives Smith a majority of 92. All the other towns in Pennington county have gone Republican. Fall River and Custer counties went for Corson. The vote was very

ELECTION IN KANSAS. Republican Gains Over the State Will

Average Ten Per Cent. TOPEKA, Nov. 8 .- Early returns indicate Republican gains in the county

elections held over Kansas yesterday. It is predicted by conservative politicians that the Republican gain will reach per cent. In Shawnee county the whole Republican ticket is elected by a gain of 20 per cent over last year. A very light vote was polled all over the

Returns received up to midnight indicate that the Republican gain over the state at large will average 10 per cent. Cowley county is in the lead so far as heard from, showing an average Republican gain of 400 over last year. In Sedgwick county, of which Wichita is the principal town, the entire Republican ticket is elected except district judge, Hale (Dem.), who is re-elected. There seems to be no great gain or loss in Sedgwick county. In Leavenworth county the ticket is divided. Everhart (Dem.), is elected sheriff by 400.

Atchison county is Republican by a reduced majority. The fusionists elect

one commissioner. In Douglas county the Republican ticket is elected and slight gains are indicated. Captain Krause of the Twentieth Kansas, fusion nominee for county register of deeds, was defeated in this county.

Hutchinson reports entire Republican ticket elected in Reno county by 800 majority, a Republican gain of 300. In Lyon county the entire Republican ticket is elected.

The Republicans have elected eight out of 12 candidates for district judge in the state. In the Thirty-sixth judicial district, where a bitter contest was on, the two Republican candidates. Charles Johnson and Cyrus Hurrel, split the vote, and the Democrat, Gephart, went in.

The Republicans elected the only two candidates for state senator. They were John Chaney of Shawnee county and C. C. McCarthy of Jefferson county.

Virginia's Light Vote.

RICHMOND, Va., Nov. 8 .- Returns show that both branches of the legislature will be overwhelmingly Democratic. The voting was exceedingly light, the principal contests were between Democrats and independents, and the warmest of these fights was in the Isle of Wight senatorial districts, where the Democrats lost, Another

warm fight was in Shenandoah county for the house, the independent candi date winning. On the basis of present returns it is figured that seven Democrats are elected. Quiet Election In New Orleans. NEW ORLEANS, Nov. S .- The New

Orleans election passed off quietly. Fully 90 per cent of the registered vote was polled. Forty precincts out of 148 give the regular Democrats 3,545 and the Jacksonians 2,743.

At Salt Lake. SALT LAKE, Utah, Nov. 8 .- Returns indicate that Thompson (Rep.) has been elected mayor by 500 or 600 majority and that the Republicans have elected a majority of the city council.

Phelan Elected Mayor. SAN FRANCISCO, Nov. 8.—Republican city committee at 9 p. m., conceded the election of James D. Phelan (Dem.)

HOLCOMB

Elected Over Reese by a Majority of 10,000.

FUSIONISTS WIN IN NEBRASKA

Republicans Admit Defeat, but Not by as Large a Majority as Claimed by the Fusionists-Falling Off is Shown in the Vote of Both Parties.

LINCOLN, Nov. 8 .- There is no longer any doubt as to the result in Nebraska. The returns continue to show steady fusion gains, and the majority for Hol comb will not be less than 10,000.

W. J. Bryan gave out this statement: "The campaign in Nebraska was fought on national issues and the result is a protest against the policy of the administration.

At I a. m. Chairman Tefft of the Republican committee admitted that the figures at hand showed the election of the fusion ticket.

LINCOLN, Nov. 8 .- It is evident to both parties in yesterday's fight that Nebraska has repledged her allegiance to the fusion standard. While Republicans are not yet willing to admit defeat, early figures point that way. There has been a steady falling off of the vote of both parties, but while the fusionists have suffered but little, the Republican loss has not been less than three to a precinct. If the present ratio is maintained, ex-Governor Holcomb and the fusion state ticket will be elected by not less than 10,000. Fusionists claim much

Returns up to midnight continue to show the same fusion gain as earlier reports, and there is no longer the least doubt of the fusion ticket's election.

Chairman Edmisten of the Populist state central committee said: "We carcied the state by 15,000 and have made gains in county officers.'

Chairman Tefft of the Republican committee declined to make a statement, but many of his associates admitted defeat, though not conceding it by as large a majority as claimed by the fusionists. Asked at midnight for a statement,

W. J. Bryan replied, with laughter: "I concede the state of Nebraska to the fusionists by 15,000." Lancaster county elects the entire Re-

publican county ticket, with the possi-

FROM COUNTY SEATS. Returns Gathered at Political Centers of

ble exception of sheriff.

Each County. Schuyler-This city gives following: Holcomb, 310; Reese, 253; same precincts in 1898 gave Poynter 284; fusion Hastings-Six precincts give follow-

ing: Holcomb, 599; Reese, 730. Papillion-This city gives the following: Holcomb, 138; Reese, 123.

Wahoo-Six precincts give the following: Holcomb, 809; Reese, 522. Hebron—This precinct gives Holcomb 126. Reese 129.

Ord-City and township precincts give following: Holcomb, 174: Reese, Fremont-Complete vote of this city.

First ward, Reese, 268; Holcomb, 156 Second ward, Reese, 166; Holcomb, 84 Third ward, Reese, 158; Holcomb, 149. Fourth ward, Reese, 149; Holcomb, 143. Beatrice-Second ward gives following: Holcomb, 108; Reese, 301, Teeter,

97; Rich, 87; Ely, 291; McGilton, 304. Grand Island-The election here passed off very orderly but hotly contested. Over 1,500 votes were polled in this city, above a normal vote. Four precincts out of five in this city give Holcomb 488; Reese, 579. The same

precincts one year ago gave Hayward 573; Poynter 409, a net gain of 73 votes for the fusionists. Fusionists Win in Nebraska. OMAHA, Nov. 8 .- One hundred and sixty-three precincts in Nebraska out-

side of Douglas county give Holcomb (fusion) 17,510; Reese (Rep.), 17,268. Returns from the city of Omaha indicate substantial gains for Holcomb and smaller gains for the fusion ticket as

compared with last year. The World-Herald (Dem.) estimates on a basis of 80 precincts outside Douglas county which in 1898 gave fusion 7.888; Republican, 9,007. Same precincts give fusion 8,801; Republican, 8,026. On this basis the fusion major-

ity in the state would be 15,000. Thirty-three precincts out of a total of 101 precincts in Douglas county give Holcomb 3,301; Reese, 3,193. Same precincts last year gave Poynter (fusion) for governor 2,798; Hayward (Rep.)

Lincoln-Twenty-one precincts outside of Omaha show a net fusion gain of 34. Five precincts complete in the city of Lincoln show a fusion gain of 54. Comparisons are made with a year ago, when the fusion majority was 2,700, There is a very slight falling off in the vote of both parties, but the percentage of Republican loss is greatest.

Returns from 97 precincts in Nebraska outside of Douglas county give Holcomb (fusion), for justice supreme court, 9,806; Reese (Rep.), 10,351. Returns from 227 precincts of Nebraska, outside of Douglas county, give

Holcomb 23,144; Reese 22,896. The Lincoln State Journal posts bulletin saying: At the present rate of gains Holcomb is elected by 12,000 ma-

Mayor Maybury Is Re-Elected. DETROIT, Nov. 8 .- The official count from all of the city's 120 precincts shows that Mayor Maybury (Dem.) has been re-elected to a third term, by 2,957 majority. City Treasurer Thompson received 6,427 majority over his Republican opponent and is re-elected to a second term. City Clerk John Schmid (Rep.) gets a third term by 1,338 majority. The Democrats elected eight alderman and the Republicans nine, making the council stand 19 Republicans to 14 Democrats.

CRANE ELECTED GOVERNOR

Republicans Carry Massachusetts by 65,000 Plurality.

Boston, Nov. 8.—The Republicans carried Massachusetts yesterday by 65,-000 plurality, electing W. Murray Crane governor. The entire Republican state ticket was elected by practically the same plurality as the head of the ticket and the legislature of 1900 will also be Republican by the usual large majority, there being few changes in either branch. The total vote for governor, with one town missing, was as follows: W. Murray Crane (Rep.), 168,846, Robert Treat Paine, Jr. (Dem.), 103,182.

The senate of 1900 will stand practically the same, 33 Republicans and 7 Democrats, while the house will have 165 Republicans, 68 Democrats, with the balance divided among the Socialists and Prohibitionists.

While the Socialists lost a representative in Haverhill, their candidate for governor lead the Democratic nominee in that city, and in other parts of the state the Socialist doctrine was given some endorsement.

The expansion question apparently played little part in the election and Senator Herbert C. Parsons of Greenfield, where the question was an issue before the people, was defeated. Mr. Parsons ran independently and was assisted in his campaign by a number of anti-expansionists from this city.

IN MISSISSIPPI. Populist Vote Shows a Decided Falling Off In the State.

JACKSON, Miss., Nov. 8 .- Scattering returns from representative sections of the state indicate a very light vote over the state. This was caused by a lack of interest of the voters in the country precincts and a heavy purging of the registration books in several counties. The entire Democratic state ticket is elected by a majority conservatively estimated at 30,000. The official count will not greatly vary these figures The Populist vote shows a decided fall ing off, which will probably amount to 30 per cent. Not over 65,000 votes were polled during the day. The Populists have probably elected a member of the legislature from Choctaw county. The vote on the Noel amendment, providing for an elective judiciary, is decidedly close, and it will require an official count to determine the result.

Crowds Watch Bulletin Boards. NEW YORK, Nov. 8.—The crowds which gather on Park Row and Printing House Square on election night to watch the bulletins from the various points were slow in putting in an appearance last night. The groups appeared smaller than usual, and apparently less enthusiastic than usual. Bulletins showing Republican or Demo cratic gains excited but little general interest, but pictures of the military and naval heroes of the late war were received with rounds of cheers.

A bulletin stating that Jones of Ohio was making the Republicans and Democrats of that state guess "where they were at" brought several rounds of cheers for the nonpartisan candidate for gubernatorial honors. When bulletins from other states were shown, there came a shout from the crowd for something from Nebraska and Kentucky. The chief interest in the bulletins locally seemed to center in the Mazet-Stewart fight for assemblyman in the Nineteenth district, borough of Manhattan.

At the National Capital. WASHINGTON, Nov. 8 .- More than the usual amount of interest in off year elections was manifested in both official

and unofficial circles. Particularly was this the case with reference to the states of Ohio, Maryland Kentucky and Nebraska. In administration circles the closest attention has been paid to the progress of the campaign in Ohio. where it was felt that in a measure at least the policy pursued in the Philippines would be put to a test. Considerable surprise was manifested here when the news giving Jones' probable vote was received, as the Republicans were confident that it would not amount to the proportions it assumed. The size of the Democratic majorities in Maryland and Nebraska astonished most politicians, though it was expected that each state was more likely to go Democratic than Republican. With reference to the four states named, and also New York,

the moral force will lead the legislature to pass the municipal code, which provides that every municipal officer in Ohio shall be elected by the nonpartisan plan and do away entirely with political parties in all our cities. Furthermore, the vote for the nonpartisan idea will have its influence in shaping national issues next year. There will be more of morals in the national platforms by reason of it. I am thankful that the nonpartisan vote in Ohio may be regarded as favoring a Christian policy toward the Philip-

Barnett's Plurality.

PHILADELPHIA, Nov. 8.—Estimates from all of the counties in the state indicate Barnett's (Rep.) plurality over Creasy (Dem.) to be 138,483. In some counties the estimates were necessarily based on meager information and complete returns may change the figures here given

Philadelphia—Complete returns from 40 wards in this city give Earnett for state treasurer a plurality over Creasy of 59,408 against a plurality of 70,953 for Beacom in 1897. The total vote cast yesterday was 150,440 against 145,047 in

The general results of tion over the country show republican gains.

Again we have met the enemy and again we not only held our own, but have shown an increase in our numbers.

The people of Custer seem to know a good thing when they see it, which is manifest in the re-election of Judge Armour.

The populist majorities in this county, judging from best information at hand at this writing, will range from 100 to 700. Scheringer it is believed will have the smallest margin, while Supt. J. J. Topley will have the largest.

Last fail when the republicans of Broken Bow gave F. M. Currie a majority of 96 out of a vote of 480 we thought we had reached the top notch, but when the bount revesled Tuesday night that we ind given Judge Armour 177 majority, Capt, Talbot 147 and Walt George 120 out of a vote of 581, we are inclined to feel that vext time we will make the vote unanimous.

The election just passed has some consolation for all. The populits congratulate themselves that the r publicans only elected one officer and the democrats are proud to know that they have asserted themselves and have a name to live The prohibitionists rejoice that their name still appears on the ballot and that they with other men can stand up and be counted with out violating their conscience. The republicans console themselves that no pops died from fright and that only a few of the thinner skinned have suffered from wounds received from the valliant clan of our indefagitable warriors. May peace of conscience and tranquility prevail with all until another conflict is forced upon us.

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NOTICE OF FINAL SETTLEMENT. STATE OF NEBRASKA, L. S.

Custer County, ss.

In county court, before J. A. Armour, Judge, in the matter of the estate of Charles Griffiths, neaner, also in the matter of the estate of Charles Griffith, and the creditors and heirs. four states named, and also New York, it was felt that personal considerations played an unusually large part in this year's elections.

Gratifying to Mayor Jones.

Toledo, Nov. 8.—Mayor Jones late last night said: "The result of the election is gratifying to me, as it must be to every lover of liberty. The vote for the nonpartisan idea is large enough to justify the claim that the cause has won the greatest victory in the political history of the state. I believe the moral force will lead the legthree weeks in the CUSTER COUNTY REPUBLICAN, Dated this 31st day of Oct., 1899. True Copy. J. A. Armeur, County Judge. [SEAL] nov2-3w

> NOTICE TO NON-RESIDENTS. In the District Court of Custer County, Nebr. The Reliance Trust Co., Plaintiff.

The Heliance Trust Co., Plaintiff.

George D Hutchinson, Ella Hutchinson, his wife, W B Eastham and B S Lilly, Defendants. The defendants, George D Hutchinson. Ella Hutchinson, his wife, and B S Lilly, will take notice that on the 24th day of October, 1899, the pla ntiff, The Reliance Trust Co., filed its jettion in the district court of Custer county, Nebraska, against George D Hatchinson. Ella Hutchinson, his wife, W B Eastham and B S Lilly, defendants, the object and prayer of which are to foreclose a certain tax certificate issued by the treasurer of said custer county, on the 25th day of November, 1893, of which the plaintiff is now the owner and holder thereof, for the sum of \$9.82, and covering the following described now the owner and holder thereof, for the sum of \$9.85, and covering the following described premises: The south half of lots 23 and 24, in block 3, in A W Gandy's addition to the original town of Brotten, said county, and upon which has been baid 'subsequent' tax as follows: On the 25th day of October, 1893, for the year 1892, the sum of \$4.95; on the 1st day of August, 1894, for the year 1893, the sum of \$2.14, each of which amounts draw 20 per cent inserest from their resective dates, all of which is due and unput amounts draw 20 per cent interest from their repective dates, all of which is due and unput
Plaintiff prays a decree of foreclosure of at
e rificate and receipts and sale of said premise.
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Attestic James Stockham, Clerk,
By 3 G Palater, Deputy, 026-6t