

NEBRASKA IS DIVIDED

Fusion State Ticket Pulls Through Safely.

THE LEGISLATURE GOES REPUBLICAN.

The Vote Not Up to Expectations, and the Result Very Close--Legislative Districts in Some Instances Only Give Majorities of From Three to Ten--Figures

The Nebraska election is now a part of history. That the result, as indicated by the unofficial figures, was a surprise to the larger portion of our citizens is clearly evidenced by the trend of talk. The fusionists have succeeded in electing their state ticket, the majorities ranging from two to three thousand. While the figures given are incomplete and unofficial, they are nearly correct, and official figures will not change the result materially.

Despite the fact that the fusionists were successful in electing the state ticket, there is a vein of regret running through the rank and file that Senator Allen fell as a result of the loss of the legislature. Many have been heard to declare that they would much rather the state ticket had been lost than that Senator Allen should be left. Some, however, take the philosophical view that inasmuch as the republicans will control the national congress anyway, Senator Allen could do no good for the cause of bimetalism even if he had been returned.

On the other hand, the republicans are jubilant over the capture of the legislature, and profess to see in it a turn down for silver. Republicans declare they have a majority on joint ballot, and are already discussing Senator Allen's successor. Sentiment is drifting toward Judge Hayward, many saying that his election would be a reward for his splendid race for the governorship. Other republicans mentioned in connection with the senatorship are Judge Field, G. M. Lambertson, M. B. Reese and D. E. Thompson of Lincoln, and John L. Webster of Omaha.

So far as we are able to secure them, complete but unofficial returns on governor are given in the following table:

Table with columns: Name, Hayw., Poynt., Total. Lists candidates like Adams, Antelope, Banner, Blaine, Boone, Box Butte, Boyd, Brown, Buffalo, Burt, Butler, Cass, Cedar, Cherry, Cheyenne, City, Colfax, Cummings, Custer, Dakota, Dawes, Dawson, Deuel, Dixon, Dodge, Douglas, Dundee, Dunlap, Dundy, Fillmore, Franklin, Frontier, Fremont, Furnas, Garfield, Gosper, Grant, Greeley, Hall, Hamilton, Harlan, Hayes, Hitchcock, Hooker, Howard, Johnson, Kearney, Keith, Keya Paha, Kimball, Knox, Lancaster, Lincoln, Logan, Morrill, Mounson, Nebraska, Nemaha, Nelso, Nuckolls, Otoe, Pawnee, Perkins, Phelps, Pierce, Polk, Red Willow, Richardson, Rock, Saline, Sarpy, Sherman, Seward, Stanton, Thayer, Thomas, Thurston, Webster, York.

Table with columns: Name, Total, Plurality. Lists candidates like Thayer, Thomas, Thurston, Webster, Wayne, Wheeler, York.

CONGRESSIONAL.

Two Republican and Four Fusionists are Elected to Congress. The result in the congressional districts is indicated in the following set of table. The figures are incomplete and some counties are not in yet, but the result will not be changed by them.

Table with columns: Name, District, Total, Plurality. Lists candidates for various districts like First District, Second District, etc.

Second District. Incomplete.

Table with columns: Name, District, Total, Plurality. Lists candidates for the Second District.

Third District. Incomplete.

Table with columns: Name, District, Total, Plurality. Lists candidates for the Third District.

Fifth District. Incomplete.

Table with columns: Name, District, Total, Plurality. Lists candidates for the Fifth District.

The vote in this district in 1896 was: Andrews, 15421; Sutherland, 19392; Sutherland's plurality 3771.

Table for Fourth District. Incomplete. Columns: Name, Total, Plurality. Lists candidates like Butler, Fillmore, Gage, Hamilton, Jefferson, Salline, Saunders, Seward, Thayer, York.

The vote in this district in 1896 was: Halner 18544; Stark, 20515. Stark's plurality 1671.

Table for Sixth District. Incomplete. Columns: Name, Total, Plurality. Lists candidates like Banner, Blaine, Box Butte, Boyd, Brown, Buffalo, Cherry, Cheyenne, Custer, Dawson, Deuel, Grant, Greeley, Holt, Hooker, Howard, Keith, Keya Paha, Kimball, Lincoln, Logan, Loup, McPherson, Morrill, Rock, Scott's Bl., Sheridan, Sherman, Thomas, Thurston, Wheeler.

The vote in this district in 1896 was: Cady, 14841; Greene, 19378. Greene's plurality, 4534.

Table for Varying States. Columns: Name, Total, Plurality. Lists candidates like Cady, Greene, etc.

A Single Shell.

There is in the state department at Washington a relic of the famous battle of Manila in the shape of fragments of a shell from one of Admiral Dewey's six-inch guns. This fragment, which is rusty from exposure, smashed the Spanish commandant's house at Cavite, destroyed \$10,000 worth of property and killed five Spaniards. It is evident all shells, though fired by American guns, do not hit the mark, but when they do the effects are quite beyond ordinary comprehension. We see the results in small instances like this, but more plainly in the utter destruction of entire fleets.

Gratified the Prince.

Prince Ferdinand of Roumania, who has been hunting in the Carpathians, expressed a desire to kill a bear, and soon after had the luck to start up two, one of which he shot. On examining the carcass he found a hole through the nose, as though the animal had worn a ring, and inquiry brought out the confession that the Amtmann of the district had bought the bears from a showman in order to gratify the Prince's wish.

Largest Cannon in the World.

The largest cannon in the world was taken by the British when India was conquered. The cannon was cast about the year 1500, and was the work of a chief named Chuleby Koomy Khan, of Ahmednager. The inside of the gun is fitted up with seats, and is a favorite place for British officers to go for a quiet noon-day smoke.

Not Very Amiable.

"Excuse me!" exclaimed the timorous man, "but may I disturb you for a few minutes on a matter of considerable importance to myself and possibly of some concern to you?" "No, sir!" replied the disagreeable citizen; "not unless you promise not to waste as much time talking business as you do apologizing."--Washington Star.

What a Doctored Horse Tells.

(1) That the owner does not care one straw for the suffering of dumb animals. (2) That the owner does not care one straw for the good opinion of nine-tenths of his fellow-citizens who witness the effects of his cruelty.

A Rare Cure.

Anxious Parent--Doctor, my daughter appears to be going blind and she is about to be married. Doctor--Let her go right on with the wedding; if anything can open her eyes marriage will.--New Orleans Times-Democrat.

THE LEGISLATURE.

A List of Members-Elect So Far as it is Possible to Know.

Official returns show that the republicans will control both branches of the Nebraska legislature. In the senate the republicans will have 21 and the fusionists 12. In the house the republicans will have 52 and the fusionists 48. The list of members elected, according to official returns, is as follows:

SENATORIAL DISTRICTS. No. 1, Richardson and Pawnee--W. J. Haldeman, rep., banker, Burdard. No. 2, Nemaha and Johnson--W. R. Barton, rep., tombstone dealer, Tebensch. No. 3, Otoe--J. H. Ahrends, rep., merchant, Syracuse. No. 4, Cass--William H. Newell, rep., contractor, Plattsburgh. No. 5, Saunders and Sarpy--William D. Schall, fusion, farmer, Springville. No. 6, Douglas--Joseph Crow, rep., lawyer, Omaha; Isaac H. Myers, rep., farmer, Waterloo; J. H. Van Dusen, rep., lawyer, South Omaha. No. 7, Cumby and Burt--D. C. Giffert, rep., merchant, West Point. No. 8, Dixon, Dakota, Knox, Cedar and Thurston--W. A. Morgan, fusion, merchant, Allen. No. 9, Antelope, Boone and Greeley--J. P. S. Smith, fusion, farmer, Elgin. No. 10, Washington and Dodge--W. D. Holbrook, rep., farmer, Everett. No. 11, Wayne, Stanton, Madison and Pierce--F. J. Hale, fusion live stock dealer, Battle Creek. No. 12, Platte and Colfax--James A. Dunn, fusion, farmer, Schuyler. No. 13, Holt, Garfield, Wheeler and unorganized territory north of Holt and Keya Paha--Hugh O'Neill, fusion, farmer, Chelsea. No. 14, Brown, Keya Paha, Cherry, Sheridan, Dawes, Box Butte and Sioux--Otto Mutz, fusion, silver rep., farmer, Springfield. No. 15, Custer, Valley, Loup and Blaine--Frank M. Currie, rep., Broken Bow. No. 16, Buffalo and Sherman--J. E. Miller, fusion, farmer, Majors. No. 17, Hill and Howard--Rasmus Hasaburg, rep., lawyer, St. Paul. No. 18, Polk, Merrick and Nemaha--Thomas Farrell, fusion, farmer, Central City. No. 19, Butler and Seward--Andrew T. Knepper, fusion, farmer, Octavia. No. 20, Lancaster--A. R. Talbot, rep., lawyer, Lincoln; Jacob Kocke, rep., farmer, Hickman. No. 21, Gage--Frank M. Trout, rep., Beatrice. No. 22, Saline--H. McCargar, rep., implement dealer, Crete. No. 23, Jefferson and Thayer--Calvin F. Steele, rep., merchant, Fairbury. No. 24, York and Fillmore--Charles A. Fowler, rep., lawyer, Ohio. No. 25, Clay and Hamilton--F. M. Howard, fusion, farmer, Aurora. No. 26, Nuckolls, Webster and Franklin--George J. Spohn, fusion, Superior. No. 27, Adams--C. L. Alexander, rep., hackman, Hastings. No. 28, Kearney, Phelps and Harlan--James S. Canaday, fusion, farmer, Minden. No. 29, Furnas, Red Willow, Hitchcock, Dundee, Gosper, Frontier, Chase and Hayes--F. N. Allen, rep., merchant, Arapahoe. No. 30, Dawson, Lincoln, Keith, Cheyenne, Logan and unorganized territory west of Blaine and Logan--Eldridge D. Owens, rep., lawyer, Cozad. REPRESENTATIVE DISTRICTS. No. 1, Richardson--A. J. Weaver, fusion, lawyer, Falls City; J. M. Schable, rep., Falls City; Charles Smith, rep., Falls City. No. 2, Pawnee--F. J. Wenzl, rep., farmer, Steinhaus; Andrew Scott, rep., Pawnee City. No. 3, Nemaha--John T. Swan, fusion, merchant, Auburn; William M. Armstrong, rep., merchant, Auburn. No. 4, Johnson--Palmer Blake, rep., farmer, Johnson. No. 5, Nemaha and Johnson--Peter Burlet, rep., banker, Johnson. No. 6, Otoe--W. J. McGinley, dem., Douglas; D. H. Harris, rep., miller, Unadilla. No. 7, Cass--Everett Pollard, rep., farmer, Nehawka; L. A. Young, rep., farmer, South Bend. No. 8, Cass and Otoe--R. A. Dittmar, rep., manager of gas works, Nebraska City. No. 9, Sarpy--Claus Grell, dem., farmer, Chalco. No. 10, Douglas--Thomas J. Flynn, dem., plumber, Omaha; Thomas F. Sturgess, silver rep., printer, Omaha; J. A. Beverly, rep., contractor, Omaha; Frank Burman, rep., insurance, Omaha; J. O. Detweiler, rep., lawyer, Omaha; Levi Cox, rep., stock commission man, South Omaha; M. D. Houck, rep., lawyer, Omaha; Hugh H. Myers, rep., lawyer, Omaha; R. O. Olmstead, rep., lawyer, Omaha. No. 11, Washington--W. D. Hodges, druggist, Blair. No. 12, Burt--J. F. Nesbit, rep., merchant, Tekamah. No. 13, Burt and Washington--J. H. Chambers, rep., banker, Moran. No. 14, Dodge--M. T. Zellers, rep., physician, Hooper; A. J. Hustings, rep., farmer, Webster. No. 15, Cumby--Giles L. Steele, rep., farmer, Waver. No. 16, Cumby, Dakota and Thurston--Mark W. Murray, dem., editor Times, Pender. No. 17, Wayne and Stanton--Louis Smithberger, rep., stock raiser, Stanton. No. 18, Dixon--J. J. McCarthy, rep., real estate, Emerson. No. 19, Cedar and Pierce--G. P. Watson, fusion, Plainville. No. 20, Knox--Charles Crockett, fusion, farmer, Bloomfield. No. 21, Antelope--H. C. Elwood, fusion, farmer, Creighton. No. 22, Boone--H. C. Keister, fusion, farmer, St. Edwards. No. 23, Madison--T. F. Memminger, fusion, banker, Madison. No. 24, Platte--O. S. Moran, fusion, farmer, Creston. No. 25, Platte and Nemaha--James W. Tanner, fusion, editor Post, Fullerton. No. 26, Colfax--Joseph G. Doherty, fusion, farmer, Schuyler. No. 27, Saunders--C. W. Lennar, fusion, farmer, Cedar Bluff. No. 28, Butler--George L. Smith, fusion, Ullyses; F. F. Loomis, fusion, farmer, Octavia. No. 29, Seward--J. J. Endicott, dem., farmer, Dorchester; George W. Fuller, rep., Seward. No. 30, Lancaster--Joseph Burns

FOR WHAT TO BE THANKFUL.

Holcomb Issues His Last Thanking Proclamation.

In pursuance of law and conforming to the proclamation of the president Thursday, November the twenty-fourth of the present year, is hereby proclaimed a public holiday, set apart and designated as a day of thanksgiving and praise to Almighty God for the many evidences of divine favor we have enjoyed as individuals, as a state and as a nation during the year now drawing to a close. "On this day all the people of the state are earnestly requested to refrain from engaging in their usual avocations and, around the family fireside and in their accustomed places of public worship, appropriately observe the day in the spirit of our forefathers who have transmitted to us this beautiful Christian custom. The occasion awakens in our minds a deeper sense of our dependence upon God, and of His guiding hands in the affairs of state and nation. To Him we must look for aid in the advancement of the human race to a higher civilization, and for the preservation of our country and its institutions. "The American people have waged a great war on behalf of humanity. By the sacrifice of many lives and of much treasure; by the bravery and patriotism of American soldiers and sailors, millions of the downtrodden and oppressed of other lands have been brought nearer the realization of their hopes and aspirations of civil liberty in a government which shall derive its just power from the consent of the governed. Let us hope that civil liberty and free institutions, with which we are so highly endowed, may soon be also a portion of those for whom this war was waged. "The return to their homes and families of many of the soldiers who have fought their country's battles gives special cause for thanksgiving. The early and safe return of those yet remaining in camp and on the battle field will be cause for joy to all. Many homes, saddened by the death in the cause of humanity of those near and dear, will be made brighter by the thought that they gave up their lives that others might be made happier and permitted to enjoy the blessings of a free government. Let us pray and believe that the great good done to suffering humanity by the intervention of American arms has not been displeasing in the sight of God, even though resort was had to the stern arbitrament of war to accomplish such results. "In our beloved state a wonderful exposition of the arts, industries, and advancement of the great west has been inaugurated and carried to a conclusion successful beyond our most sanguine expectations. It has demonstrated the marvelous progress, the high state of civilization attained, and the intelligence, industry and inventive genius of the people inhabiting this great territory, and has shown the limitless possibilities of its future growth to all the world. It has been the means of securing a more intimate knowledge and better understanding of the character, pluck and perseverance of our people among their brothers in other portions of our common country, and again verifies the saying that 'Peace hath her victories no less renowned than war.' "Seedtime and harvest have passed, and under the favor of Divine Providence, abundant crops have blessed the toil of the husbandman. Commerce and manufacture have felt the quickening influence of the surplus agricultural products, which have found ready markets in foreign lands. Business has revived and labor quite generally has found remunerative employment. Thrift, industry and perseverance in the several fields of activities characterize our people. Churches and schools abound and contentment and happiness are within the reach of all who strive in well doing. Our liberties are still preserved and our destiny shall be as wrought out by the people in the fear of God and the love of truth, justice and righteousness. "On this day let us not forget the poor, unfortunate and the distressed, inasmuch as it is said: 'For the poor shall never cease out of the land; therefore I command thee saying, thou shalt open thine hand wide unto thy brother, to thy poor and to thy needy in thy land. "In testimony whereof, I have hereunto set my hand and the great seal of the state of Nebraska. Done at Lincoln this fourteenth day of November, A. D. 1898. "SILAS A. HOLCOMB, Governor.

POLLARD KILLS HIMSELF

A Young Man Found Dead in His Hogg Near Lincoln.

While driving home from Lincoln on the Woodlawn road, Frank Pollard, a young Englishman about twenty-three years old, committed suicide. The body did not fall out of the buggy and the horse continued on the road. A neighbor of Pollard's, George Denberger of Woodlawn, met the rig soon after, about three miles from Lincoln, and seeing that its occupant was unconscious, took charge and brought the body to Lincoln. Pollard died in a few minutes after being found. The act was of recent occurrence, as he had been seen by a passerby a few minutes before. A revolver was found in his hand at the time, from which two shots had been fired. As only one of them had taken effect, it is believed that he had fired the revolver at a mark along the road to try it. The wound from which he died was a ghastly one, the ball entering the right side of the head, just above the ear, and lodging in the opposite side of the skull, tearing the flesh, penetrating the bones of the head and allowing blood and brains to ooze out.

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