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McKINLEY THE MAN

His Triumph on Tuesday Was a Most Signal One.

REPUBLICANS MAKE INROADS IN SOUTH

The Eastern States Especially Give the Advance Agent of Prosperity Immense Pluralities—Republicans in Power.

William McKinley is president elect of the United States. He has not less than forty majority in the electoral college and his plurality of the popular vote is unprecedented.

The next house of representatives will be Republican by a large majority, not so great, perhaps, as in the present house, but sufficient to assure the country that the sound money policy of the party will be faithfully adhered to.

The forces of repudiation and national dishonor have been decisively routed. The American people have administered a death blow to the party of sectionalism and class hostility. The voice of the country is overwhelmingly against any debasement of the currency and against the slightest violation of the pledged public faith. The "solid south" has been broken. The intelligence, the integrity and the patriotism of the large majority of the country have been vindicated.

It is a great and a glorious victory for sound finance, for public and private honesty and for a government of law and order. We confidently believe that its effect will be most salutary in restoring confidence, removing depression and starting the nation upon a new era of progress and prosperity.—Omaha Bee of Wednesday.

Services by Rev. Glascock.
Rev. Glascock, state evangelist of Kansas for the Christian church, will commence a series of protracted meetings in the German Congregational church, Sunday, November 8th, holding services at 3 and 8 o'clock, p. m. These meetings will continue until further notice. Rev. Glascock comes well endorsed as a Bible student and effective evangelist, and heartily invites the public to his meetings, which he expects to make both interesting and profitable.

How the Returns Were Shown.
The returns were projected on a large screen at the opera house, Tuesday night, thanks to the courtesy of Supt. Valentine and those in charge of the school lantern. It was a great accommodation to the public and enthusiastically appreciated. It was the most convenient arrangement we have ever enjoyed at any election, giving the people en masse the benefits of the bulletins plainly.

Keyes is a Winner.
The canvass of the vote completed, Thursday afternoon, shows that Harlow W. Keyes is re-elected county attorney by seven (7) plurality. The vote reported from Bondville was found to be erroneous, McKillip running behind his ticket there, where a fight was made against him on account of his religious faith.

The Ladies Are Thankful.
The ladies of the cemetery committee wish to thus publicly return their thanks to all those who assisted in any way in making so large a success of their recent suppers, from which they realized about \$95.00, for the use of cemetery improvements.

A Civil Celebration.
Halloween was very civilly celebrated here, last Saturday evening, being almost entirely devoid of the usual demonstration and of all destructive pranks. All of which is to be warmly commended.

S. M. Cochran carry in stock the German, Riverside, Antique and Royal Oak heating stoves—nothing better in the market. The prices are right.

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New York 275,000.

MOVEMENTS OF THE PEOPLE.

JACK DWYER was up from Kansas over election.

MISS MAUDE DOAN returned home, last Friday morning, from visiting in Denver.

EMIL KROENING came in from Colorado, Monday night, to cast his vote for McKinley.

A. B. SMITH of the Danbury News was over to the county seat, Wednesday, to hear the election news.

E. L. ROHLF came out from Omaha, Saturday night, to cast a vote for McKinley, protection and prosperity.

REV. G. P. FUSON and family left on Wednesday morning for Crawfordville, Indiana. Mr. Fuson was very ill when he left.

E. T. MADDEX's mother of Boone, Iowa, after a short visit here, left on Monday evening for Central City, Colorado, where she will visit a daughter.

REV. G. P. FUSON was quite ill, Sunday, and unable to fill his pulpit, but was better, Monday, and able to help swell McKinley's vote in McCook, Tuesday.

GEORGE BALL came in from Colorado, last Saturday, to vote for the advance agent of prosperity. Mrs. Ball accompanied him and they visited relatives briefly before returning to Colorado.

B. A. LINCOLN and Mrs. E. May Starbuck departed on Thursday morning for Pacific Junction, Iowa, near where they will make their home. They have the best wishes of many friends in Red Willow county.

MR. AND MRS. WILLIAM CHERRY of Red Oak, Iowa, arrived in the city, close of last week, and are the guests of their cousin, Elmer Rowell. Mr. Cherry was formerly in the newspaper business in Albia and Red Oak. They will go as far west as Denver before returning east.

CITY CHURCH ANNOUNCEMENTS.

CATHOLIC—Mass at 8 o'clock a. m. High mass and sermon at 10:30, a. m., with choir. Sunday school at 2:30 p. m. All are cordially welcome.

REV. J. W. HICKEY, Pastor.

METHODIST—Sunday school at 10; preaching at 11; Junior League at 2:30; Epworth League at 7; preaching at 8. Subject for morning, "Soul Saving and Its Reward." In the evening, "Paul in a Basket." Bible study Wednesday at 8 p. m. All are welcome.

J. A. BADCON, Pastor.

CONGREGATIONAL—Morning theme, "Some Things that Majorities do not Decide." Evening service at 8 o'clock; Sunday school at 10 o'clock; Endeavor Society at 7, leader, Edith Oyster, topic, "Interest in Foreign Missions"; Prayer meeting on Wednesday evening at 7:30 o'clock. You will be cordially welcomed at these services.

HART L. PRESTON, Pastor.

CHRISTIAN—Sunday school every Sunday afternoon at three o'clock in the German Congregational church. We have no pastor at present, but the Disciples will continue to break bread, each Lord's day after Sunday school. Endeavor society on Tuesday evening of each week at 8 o'clock. You are cordially invited to attend these services.

BY ORDER OF COMMITTEE.

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IS COLD IN NEBRASKA

The Entire Fusion State Ticket Carries the Day by Safe Pluralities,

AS WELL AS THE BRYAN ELECTORS

Populists Make Gains in the Congressmen and in the Legislature—No Consolation for Republicans Here.

There is little consolation for Republicans in the result in Nebraska. The returns indicate the election of the Bryan electors and the entire Fusion state ticket. Gains are also claimed for the Fusionists in the number of their congressmen and in their members of the legislature. It is a pretty clean sweep and affords no comfort to the Republican party of this state. The result is an eye-opener to many, but was anticipated by those well posted on the situation, which has been considered precarious ever since the opening of the campaign. The result is nevertheless somewhat overwhelming and stunning.

The day was a perfect one for weather, and the vote cast was full.

McCook is about the only bright spot in the local political horizon.

It was one of the closest elections in the history of Red Willow county politics.

McCook almost reached the 600 mark and they were pretty much all republicans, and straight.

It was a cold day for everything but the national ticket—and that is glory enough for one day.

The defeat of Congressman Andrews is especially deplored by local Republicans, to many of whom it came as a great surprise.

The news from Nebraska was depressing, which made the enthusiasm over the national result all the more demonstrative and excessive.

Elsewhere will be found an abstract of the official vote of Red Willow county, which has been prepared with care and may be taken as correct.

Some apparent mistakes in this issue are explainable on the ground that later or official returns changed the result in cases where the race was close.

The Republicans had everything pretty much their own way, Tuesday night, when the returns came in; but the silver lining came to the Populists on the morrow and their countenances perceptibly shortened.

SCHOOL NOTES.

Ira Clark is about from his threatened illness of close of last week.

The school stereopticon was used at the opera house, Tuesday night, to throw the returns of the election on the screen.

The 12th grade have dropped botany until spring, and resumed the study of chemistry.

The usual deprecations were committed on Halloween night, although most of the boys concerned were small. Marshal Jordan took a hand in the matter and made it exceedingly unpopular for the guilty ones.

The Vote on Commissioner.

The vote on county commissioner was as follows:

Precincts.	Robinson.	Johnston.
Beaver.....	81	37
Bondville.....	31	26
Danbury.....	59	14
Driftwood.....	23	27
Gerver.....	14	23
Grant.....	7	7
Lebanon.....	48	47
Missouri Ridge.....	44	8
Tyrone.....	44	15
Valley Grange.....	15	47
Totals.....	366	251
Robinson's plurality	115	

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Massachusetts 120,000.

The Battle in Nebraska.

The battle in Nebraska has been the most fiercely fought presidential contest since the state came into the Union. The fact that the presidential candidate on the tripartite ticket had his home in this state and the complete fusion of all the elements of opposition to the Republican party placed the Republican cause at a great disadvantage in Nebraska. It was apparent that in order to carry Nebraska for McKinley and the state ticket the Republicans had to combat against great odds.

In 1892 Harrison carried the state by only 4,105 plurality over the Weaver electors, and 25,400 Democratic votes were diverted to the Cleveland electors. Had there been complete fusion in 1892, Harrison would have lost Nebraska by more than 20,000. This year Republicans were comforted by the combined forces of the populists, silver Democrats and so-called silver Republicans, reinforced by one-half of the prohibitionists, who claimed to be converts to free silver as the paramount issue. The Bryan aggregation was, therefore, fully 25,000 stronger at the opening of the campaign than the supporters of McKinley.

The disaster which has overtaken the Republican state, congressional and legislative tickets is, therefore, not in the least discreditable. On the contrary, Nebraska Republicans have good reason to feel proud of the gallant fight they have made. While chagrined and grieved over the result in this state, they can rejoice with the Republicans of the nation over the triumph of the Republican cause and the prospect for a speedy restoration of prosperity through the re-establishment of confidence and the resumption of the policy of protection and reciprocity.—Bee of Thursday.

Trendily-Plummer.

Mr. G. D. Trendily and Miss Gussie Plummer were married yesterday afternoon at 2:30 o'clock. The ceremony was performed by Squire E. E. Rowell, at his residence on Monmouth street. Mr. and Mrs. Trendily are estimable young people of Perry precinct, Mrs. Trendily being the daughter of Marion Plummer, one of our most substantial citizens. THE TRIBUNE extends hearty congratulations and well-wishes. Mr. and Mrs. Trendily will be at home after November 30th.

PERSONAL AND OTHERWISE.

A. L. KING was down from Culbertson, first of the week, on business.

J. B. MERVISE will go down to Lincoln, to-night, to rejoice with those that can.

W. S. MORLAN was in Lincoln, Wednesday, to hear the news of the late Republican disaster.

DEPUTY COUNTY CLERK HAMMOND has moved into the dwelling recently vacated by Mrs. C. M. Wilson, on Monmouth street.

The ladies of the cemetery committee are hard at work on their play, the "Princess Bonnie", which they expect to present to the public the second week in December.

Meserve is Elected.

The election of J. B. Meserve, populist candidate for the office of state treasurer, is a source of gratification not only to his party friends, but to the people of this section of the state in general.

The canvass of the vote on the amendments is not completed as we go to press this noon.

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RED WILLOW COUNTY

The Fusionists Make Almost a Clean Sweep of the County Offices.

HOLLAND, KEYES AND ROBINSON

The Pluralities are Very Small and Requiring the Official Vote for Certainty—It Was a Cold Day for the G. O. P.

The Fusion ticket in Red Willow county won, except McKillip, though by very small pluralities. Holland is elected over High for representative by 56 plurality; Keyes over McKillip for county attorney by 7 plurality, and Robinson over Johnston for county commissioner of the First district by 115 plurality, thus making a pretty clean sweep.

One of the few Republican candidates that carried the county was Congressman Andrews, whose plurality was 21.

RAILROAD NEWS ITEMS.

J. R. ROXBY went down to the farm near Arapahoe to vote.

Pay day is announced for November 12th, in the evening, we understand.

Conductor **Tim Foley** and wife moved into the Spearman residence, this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Monpleasure arrived home, Monday night on 3, from a three weeks visit east.

Harry Kingsbury's mother returned, last Saturday, from Denver, where she has been visiting friends for a few weeks.

Supt. English had his shoulder dislocated in the Irish special collision, Monday morning. Some of the railroad men pulled it back into place.

Engineer Meserve of Gillette, Wyoming, has killed thirteen antelope, and thus earned the nickname of "Antelope Len". He still retains from his range experience the ability to shoot and ride.

The friends here of **Engineer Messler** of Sheridan, formerly of this city, will be pained to learn of a series of misfortunes that have overwhelmed the family up on the northern division. Following the temporary loss of his position and the death of their little one comes the injury of their son, who lost a number of fingers in the company's yard at Sheridan, recently.

The Lincoln Journal of Tuesday gives the following account of the accident to the Irish special that followed the Bryan train: "John M. Tipling lost his life in a rear end collision on the Burlington at Malcolm, yesterday morning at 8:50. The John P. Irish special was following the route of the Bryan special, being about one hour behind the train bearing the presidential nominee. The conductor of the Irish train had orders to pass a freight at Malcolm. It was supposed that the freight would take siding for the special as is customary. It did not do so and through someone's blundering the special crashed into the caboose of the freight train. The caboose was telescoped with a stock car and Mr. Tipling, who had evidently foreseen the impending catastrophe and tried to escape it, was caught between the caboose and the rear stock car and his body terribly crushed. Death must have been instantaneous. The engine of the special had its smoke stack broken and the front end of the engine stove in. The stock car and the caboose on the freight were badly smashed.

The ladies of the Congregational church have changed the date of their Carnival to one day later, coming on Friday and Saturday instead of Thursday and Friday as previously announced.

The ladies of the Maccabees gave a reception last evening in honor of Mrs. W. C. LaTourette, who will shortly depart for Cedar Rapids, Iowa, where her husband will engage in business.

Notwithstanding the hard times, S. M. Cochran & Co. are keeping a complete line of general hardware. See them before buying.

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H. W. Keyes 7 Plurality.

THE CARNIVAL OF DAYS.

A Burlesque of Maud Muller and a Pretty Fan Drill.

The "Carnival of Days" will be given in the opera house, next Friday and Saturday, November 13th and 14th, by the ladies of the Congregational church. Each day of the week will be represented by an attractive booth; refreshments of various kinds will be served in the different booths; also home made candies. An entertainment will be given each night. A laughable burlesque of Maud Muller will be given the first night, with the following cast:

Mr. Muller..... Jonathan Prime
Mrs. Muller..... Mrs. W. S. Perry
John..... J. P. Forbes
Maud..... Mrs. C. W. Bronson
Judge..... Abner Clark
Assisted by a chorus of eight voices.

On the second evening will be given a beautiful fan drill by twelve young ladies and a burlesque by twelve young men. The admission will be ten cents, and you will get the worth of your money both nights.

Besides many useful and ornamental articles will be offered for sale at reasonable figures.

PETITE PERTINENT PARAGRAPHS.

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The Notion Store commenced business in the postoffice lobby, this week.

Mrs. A. W. Utter has moved her studio into the Drysdale building north of the Commercial house.

Correspondents will please be more regular and have communications in by Thursday morning.

Fifteen (15) cents will buy a box of nice writing paper at this office, containing 24 sheets of paper and 24 envelopes.

THE TRIBUNE wants correspondence from every precinct and town in Red Willow county. Terms readily given on request.

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S. M. Cochran carry in stock the German, Riverside, Antique and Royal Oak heating stoves—nothing better in the market. The prices are right.

The ladies of the cemetery committee and friends gave a profitable oyster supper in the Republican club room, election night, realizing a neat sum from the affair.

The ladies of the Baptist church will serve a Thanksgiving dinner on Main street, place to be advertised later. The people of McCook and vicinity are urgently requested to liberally patronize them.

Mrs. A. J. Rittenhouse, formerly with Mrs. M. E. Barger, is now doing dress-making in connection with Misses Stover & Stanfield's millinery bazar. For the next few weeks, however, she will be found in the rear of Dr. Green's store.



Michigan 40,000.



Illinois 100,000.



New Jersey 68,000.



Ohio 50,000.



Iowa 87,000.



Minnesota 30,000.