

RESULTS IN NEBRASKA

SHELDON ELECTED GOVERNOR
REPUBLICAN STATE TICKET.

LEGISLATURE ALSO REPUBLICAN

Constitutional Amendment Providing for Elective Railroad Commission Carried—Republicans Elect Five Out of Six Congressmen.

Lincoln, Neb., Nov. 7.—George L. Sheldon (Rep.) is elected governor of Nebraska by a plurality of from 10,000 to 18,000 and carries with him probably, the entire Republican state ticket. The returns show a Republican loss of barely one vote to the precinct outside of Lincoln and Omaha. These two cities will nearly offset the Democratic gain.

The Republican state central committee claims not only the state ticket, but five of the six congressmen and a majority of thirty-seven on joint ballot in the legislature, insuring a Republican successor to United States Senator Millard. Democratic state headquarters do not concede the Republican claims, but made no formal statement.

The vote was lighter by far than two years ago, and the scratching of tickets made the count slow.

In the city of Lincoln the Republican plurality of former years was maintained, Republicans electing the entire legislative and county tickets.

Pollard (Rep.) for congress in the First district and Hinshaw in the Fourth are elected by reduced pluralities.

The indications are that the constitutional amendment providing for an elective railroad commission carried.

Six precincts out of twenty in the city of Lincoln show an average Republican gain of eleven to the precinct. This indicates almost certainly the election of the entire Republican legislative and county ticket in this (Lancaster) county, with the possible exception of county attorney.

Douglas county divided its vote and elected a Democratic county attorney and congressman, Hitchcock, while sending a Republican delegation to the legislature.

Town of Crete complete, three voting precincts, gives a Republican gain over two years ago on governor of 95.

Returns indicate the election of Boyd (Rep.) to congress from the Third district.

IOWA IS IN DOUBT

Both Sides Claim Election of Their Candidate for Governor.

Des Moines, Nov. 7.—For the first time in many years the gubernatorial result in Iowa is in doubt. Although both Republican and Democratic state managers claim the election of their candidates for governor, all the returns received so far, numbering about 250, indicate that only a complete count will determine the result. The 250 precincts already received show a loss for Cummins of nearly 40 per cent, which, if maintained, would mean the election of Porter (Dem.) by a small plurality.

Iowa will have ten Republicans in its next congressional delegation. It is believed that Major J. F. Lacey, for many years representative of the Sixth district, has been defeated. In the First district both Republicans and Democrats claim victory.

The next legislature will be safely Republican and on joint ballot will probably elect J. P. Dolliver to the United States senate.

Sioux City—Four precincts in Sioux City give Cummins (Rep.) for governor, 801; Porter (Dem.), 1,169. Same gave Hubbard (Rep.) for congress, 672; Dickson (Rep.), 973.

Des Moines, Ia., Nov. 7.—An unusual amount of independent voting has made the count slow in Iowa, but returns from about 15 precincts indicate Cummins' election for governor over Porter (Dem.), although all Republican pluralities will be reduced. The bolting Republicans have kept good their threat of scratching.

North Dakota.

Fargo, Nov. 7.—Scattered returns indicate that Fisk has been elected judge of the state supreme court over Knauf, the Republican nominee. For governor, Sarles (Rep.) and the rest of the Republican ticket are elected. Later returns may show that Sarles had a close call. Burke (Dem.), for governor, carried Fargo by a big majority.

The chairman of the Republican and Democratic state central committees are both claiming the election of their candidates for governor and justice of the supreme court. These two offices are the ones on which there was a contest. Owing to the closeness of the election and the slowness of getting returns it will be late today before anything definite will be known concerning the result.

Republicans Carry Delaware.

Wilmington, Nov. 7.—The Republicans have carried Delaware and elected Burton for congress over Marvel (Dem.). They will also control the Delaware legislature that will elect a successor to United States Senator Allen (Rep.).

Congressional Elections.

Chicago, Nov. 7.—Returns from the congressional elections show that 197 Republicans and 150 Democrats have been elected to the sixtieth congress. Thirty-nine districts are still to be heard from.

MORAN SWAMPED IN BAY STATE

Guild Re-elected Governor of Massachusetts by Increased Plurality.

Boston, Nov. 7.—The Republicans were victorious in the state election, Governor Guild being re-elected by a considerably increased plurality over last year, while his opponent, District Attorney John B. Moran of Boston, the candidate of the Democratic and the Prohibition party and Independence league, received a somewhat larger vote than that given the Democratic candidate a year ago. With two-thirds of the state vote tabulated, Mr. Guild's plurality was estimated at about 37,000. The Republicans re-elected their entire state ticket, although Lieutenant Governor Draper fell considerably behind Governor Guild. The next legislature will be Republican by the usual large majority in both houses and this will insure the re-election of United States Senator W. Murray Crane of Dalton. The Massachusetts delegation to congress will remain practically the same.

The outcome of the election was a considerable disappointment to Mr. Moran and his fellow campaigners, E. Gerry Brown of Brockton, candidate for lieutenant governor and George Fred Williams of Dedham. The Moran campaign was handicapped by lack of organization, a meager campaign fund and opposition from a large number of former leaders. The vote came from the wage earners principally, as was shown by the strong indorsement given the Suffolk county district attorney in nearly all the mill cities and other industrial centers.

Illinois.

Chicago, Nov. 7.—The indications are that John F. Smulski (Rep.) for state treasurer, has been elected by a majority of from 100,000 to 125,000. Scratching of ballots in Cook county was so extensive that returns were unusually slow.

Indications are that Strassheim, Republican candidate for sheriff, and John R. Thompson, Republican candidate for county treasurer, are victorious by 25,000. Louis Rinaker, Republican candidate for county judge, has a plurality of 20,000. The new municipal court judges will all be Republicans, and the assistant states attorney, Olsen, has been elected chief justice. A possible exception to the election of Republican judges for the municipal court is Barrett, a colored nominee, who was scratched heavily.

South Dakota.

Sioux Falls, S. D., Nov. 7.—Reports from the state are very meager, owing to the slowness of the count, due to the great scratching of county tickets. Incomplete returns indicate the election of the Republican congressmen and Republican state ticket by not less than 35,000.

Latest returns in dicat that the Republicans have carried South Dakota by 25,000 to 35,000 plurality, a falling off from 15,000 to 20,000 from the the vote two years ago.

Philo Hall (Rep.) and W. H. Parker (Rep.) are elected congressmen-at-large. The Republicans will have at least 85 out of 133 members of the legislature.

Wisconsin.

Milwaukee, Nov. 7.—The Republican state ticket, headed by Governor James D. Davidson, swept the state by an estimated plurality of at least 40,000 over John A. Aylward, the Democratic candidate, and his colleagues. Returns showed the election of nine Republicans and one Democratic congressmen, and one district, the Third, still in doubt.

Special returns to the Sentinel from the Third congressional district indicate the election of James W. Murphy (Dem.) over Congressman James W. Babcock (Rep.) by an estimated plurality of 3,000.

Minnesota.

St. Paul, Nov. 7.—Governor Johnson has been re-elected governor of Minnesota over his Republican opponent, A. L. Cole, by a majority of at least 30,000. This majority for a Democratic candidate is unprecedented in Minnesota. Four years ago Van Sant (Rep.) was elected governor by a majority of 50,000.

Michigan.

Detroit, Nov. 7.—Governor Warner and the entire Republican state ticket have been elected by 70,000 majority. The Republican congressional candidates in all of the twelve Michigan districts have been elected and the Republicans will have a large majority in the state legislature, with a possibility of its entire membership.

West Virginia.

Wheeling, W. Va., Nov. 7.—Partial returns from scattered counties in West Virginia show the probable success of all five of the Republican congressional nominees. The legislature will be Republican, with the present joint ballot majority of 57, insuring the re-election of Senator S. B. Elkins.

Montana.

Butte, Nov. 7.—Incomplete returns from the state indicate the election to congress of Charles N. Pray and Henry C. Smith, candidate for the state supreme court. Republicans appear to have made gains throughout the state.

Arkansas.

Little Rock, Ark., Nov. 7.—The Democratic candidates for congress were elected in every district of Arkansas. The vote was light in all districts except the Fourth, where a hard fight was made.

HUGHES WINS IN NEW YORK

HIS PLURALITY IN EMPIRE STATE IS ABOUT 50,000.

REST OF TICKET STILL IN DOUBT

Hearst Carries Greater New York, Buffalo, Rochester, Utica, Troy Elmira and Some Other Cities—Republicans Gain in Rural Districts.

New York, Nov. 7.—According to incomplete returns from all over the state, Charles E. Hughes, the Republican candidate, has been elected governor of New York over William Randolph Hearst by approximately a plurality of 50,000.

Outside of Greater New York, with 160 election districts missing, Hughes had a plurality of about 124,000. In Greater New York, with 69 election districts missing, Hearst had a plurality of 75,036.

No definite figures are yet available as to the results with regard to the subordinate state officers and both Democrats and Republicans are claiming victories from lieutenant governor down.

Neither Mr. Hearst nor his campaign managers would concede the election of Mr. Hughes, maintaining that when all votes should have been counted Mr. Hearst will have a safe majority.

As was generally expected, Mr. Hearst showed his greatest strength in the cities through the state and took out of the Republican column a number of the more important municipalities which heretofore have been Republican. Among the cities which gave Hearst a plurality were Buffalo, Rochester, Utica, Troy, Elmira, Rome, Little Falls and Jamestown. All of these, except Rome and Utica, were Republican two years ago. Mr. Hughes did not gain a single city. The Republican ticket was successful, but sustained serious losses in Syracuse, Gloversville, Amsterdam, Ithaca, Schenectady, Watertown and Plattsburgh.

State Senator Thomas F. Grady of Tammany Hall has been re-elected over Thomas Rock, who has been known in the campaign as "Eight Hour" Rock, and who claimed he had been "tricked" by the Independence league.

There were many odd turns to the balloting. Here in New York, it was Richmond borough that defeated Mr. Hearst for mayor a year ago and it was Brooklyn, with a big plurality, which helped him to make the race so close. Mr. Hearst barely carried Brooklyn yesterday, but ran ahead in Richmond. In Schenectady, one of the best organized labor cities in the United States, it was expected Mr. Hearst would have a substantial plurality. The Republican ticket was successful by 374 votes, as against a Higgins plurality of 1,621 two years ago.

Election Night Crowds.

New York turned out its myriads of people last night for the usual election night revel. All the pent-up enthusiasm of an unprecedented state campaign was vented in a frenzy of noise. Broadway from Forty-second to Fourteenth street and along Park Row, from the Brooklyn bridge to the end of "newspaper row," was one mass of shouting, shouting people. Oil noise, there was every variety it was possible to create with the use of a good pair of lungs and a tin horn, a cow bell or other devices. It was a boisterous crowd, but good natured. Beginning at Times square, at Forty-second street, Broadway was impassable to everything except pedestrians as far down town as Twenty-third street. The greatest crushes were around Times square, Herald, Madison square and Park Row. At these places, as well as several other points, bulletins were flashed upon screens and everybody cheered impartially. Around Herald square the jam was terrific. Street cars could not get through and only by getting in the currents that surged up and down Broadway was it possible for a pedestrian to make progress.

California.

San Francisco, Nov. 7.—General George Stone, chairman of the Republican state central committee, said to the Associated Press: "Reports from the state are coming in very slowly. There is no doubt as to the result, it is only a question of plurality. Gillett has carried San Francisco by a plurality of from 500 to 1,000, and the entire Republican state ticket, including eight congressmen, has been elected by a plurality exceeding 25,000."

Washington.

Seattle, Nov. 7.—Late returns point to an overwhelming Republican victory in the state of Washington. W. E. Humphrey, Wesley L. Jones and Francis W. Cushman, congressmen-at-large, all Republicans, will be returned. The house of representatives and state senate will be strongly Republican.

Nevada.

Reno, Nov. 7.—Vote counting, which is proceeding slowly, indicates a Democratic-Silver party victory. Sparks, for governor, is running ahead of Mitchell in all quarters. Returns show Sparks, Bartlett, for congress, and Sweeney, for justice of the supreme court, in the lead.

Wyoming.

Cheyenne, Nov. 7.—The entire Republican state ticket has been elected by good majorities and the legislature, which will elect a senator, will be overwhelmingly Republican.

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There is a certain grim, sardonic humor in the contention of the republican party of Nebraska that it, and it alone, must be given the high privilege of redeeming the state from the shame of years of republican misrule.

There is no freshness in the joke, however. It is merely an old, old republican "chestnut," refurbished and clad in new words to fit a new occasion.

The high protectionists, guarding the citadel of government favor of the "interests," have insisted that the tariff structure must be saved from the profaning touch of democracy—that revision demanded by public opinion must come from within the republican party—from the friends of the tariff idea. And what revision have we seen?

The spokesmen of the great industrial trusts entrenched in the United States senate declare that they, and they alone, must be entrusted with the task of devising ways and means for trust regulation. They profess a holy horror at the mere thought of intervention by the "demagogues" of democracy. And what relief has the senate yet made effective?

In Nebraska the argument is even more grotesque. "Reform" must be left to that party which, throughout its years of power; has fastened the burdensome evils upon us. The tariff must be revised only by the friends of the tariff; the trusts must be regulated only by the friends of the trusts, the cure of corruption in Nebraska must be entrusted to the authors of corruption.

What honest reform dare the people hope for in such event?—World-Herald.

Sparks Quills.

Fred and Irene Copeland have the mumps.

Miss Wagner is progressing nicely with her school.

Mont Bishop was in this locality last week buying mules.

A. Haley went to Valentine Monday after merchandise.

Henry Grooms and wife are the proud parents of a baby boy.

Once more we will endeavor to pen the doin's of this locality.

J. F. Swain has moved his family to Hay Springs, where they will run a hotel.

Miss Barnes will give a social at Pleasant Valley school house on Friday night, Nov. 16.

Miss Della Osborne, who is teaching the Bristol school, was home to spend Sunday.

D. A. Hancock and U. S. Marshal Proctor of Omaha were in this locality one day last week shooting chickens.

A box social will be given at Highland school house by Miss Grace Hobson. [Correspondent failed to give the date.—Ed.]

John Helenbolt and Miss Gertrude Allen were united in marriage at Valentine on Wednesday evening, Oct. 31, 1906, by Judge Towne. These young people have lived in this locality most of their lives and have the best wishes of the entire neighborhood. Sunday night the boys gave them a charivari party, which amounted to about \$10.

Well, Eagle, we have missed you, but now we expect to hear from your locality. The Porcupine has found a sweetheart, and mule and chickens are in a thriving condition. [We, also, have missed Eagle's weekly jottings and hope she will be more condescending in the future and favor us with the news from that locality.—Ed.]

PORCUPINE.

Government escort wagon for sale, \$35. Worth \$50. Inquire at this office.

Wm. Niemoth of Pleasant Hill precinct called on us today while in town on business.

It will be gratifying to Mr. McLean's friends to learn that he has been re-instated at this weather bureau station. Mr. Hayden is ordered to North Head.

Uncle Henry's proof sheets of Cherry County Land are looking fine. Only a few days more to get your land and stock listed in this book.

The U. S. weather bureau report for week ending Nov. 7th: The daily mean temperature 44° shows 3° higher than the normal. The highest temperature, 67° on the 5th; lowest 28° on the 7th. The precipitation for the week is 0.48 of an inch and gives a total of 25.70 inches.

The Red Front has begun excavating at the rear of their store and will build a frame warehouse 32x60 ft., with a basement of stone. This will occupy nearly all the space back of their store and will be a great convenience in handling their goods. The dirt is being hauled out and dumped on the low parts of streets, mostly, which is much needed to fill up water holes and frog ponds. Messrs. Jackson and Brayton are enterprising and progressive merchants and decided to build when a favorable opportunity was presented that meets their demands.

A fire started this morning in the building west of THE DEMOCRAT office and had it not been for the prompt action of the fire department and citizens, the building would have been burned to the ground and, probably, would have swept this part of town (block 12), as a high wind was blowing from the north. We desire to thank all who helped or rendered assistance to put out the fire. The fire started from ashes being dumped beside the building which had been taken from the stove early this morning and appeared to have no fire in them.

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Distinguished Visitor.

November 15th, Thursday, Mrs. Flora D. Palmer, field secretary for the Board of Home Missions for the Northwest, will visit Valentine. Reports speak of her as intensely interesting. She will meet the women of the Presbyterian congregation at Mrs. Quigley's home at 2:30 in the afternoon, and in the evening address a general meeting at the church at 8 o'clock. All are requested to remember these two meetings, and prepare for them.

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