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| Barley | 29 | 7 | 29 | 29 | 29 | 29 | 29 | 29 | 29 | 29 | 29 | 29 | 29 | 29 | 29 | 29 |
| Cody | 34 | 34 | 34 | 34 | 34 | 34 | 34 | 34 | 34 | 34 | 34 | 34 | 34 | 34 | 34 | 34 |
| Buffalo Lake | 21 | 21 | 21 | 21 | 21 | 21 | 21 | 21 | 21 | 21 | 21 | 21 | 21 | 21 | 21 | 21 |
| Cleveland | 41 | 41 | 41 | 41 | 41 | 41 | 41 | 41 | 41 | 41 | 41 | 41 | 41 | 41 | 41 | 41 |
| DeWey Lake | 44 | 44 | 44 | 44 | 44 | 44 | 44 | 44 | 44 | 44 | 44 | 44 | 44 | 44 | 44 | 44 |
| Ell | 44 | 44 | 44 | 44 | 44 | 44 | 44 | 44 | 44 | 44 | 44 | 44 | 44 | 44 | 44 | 44 |
| Enlow | 42 | 42 | 42 | 42 | 42 | 42 | 42 | 42 | 42 | 42 | 42 | 42 | 42 | 42 | 42 | 42 |
| Georgia | 33 | 33 | 33 | 33 | 33 | 33 | 33 | 33 | 33 | 33 | 33 | 33 | 33 | 33 | 33 | 33 |
| German | 12 | 12 | 12 | 12 | 12 | 12 | 12 | 12 | 12 | 12 | 12 | 12 | 12 | 12 | 12 | 12 |
| Gilaspie | 12 | 12 | 12 | 12 | 12 | 12 | 12 | 12 | 12 | 12 | 12 | 12 | 12 | 12 | 12 | 12 |
| Goose Creek | 42 | 42 | 42 | 42 | 42 | 42 | 42 | 42 | 42 | 42 | 42 | 42 | 42 | 42 | 42 | 42 |
| Irwin | 22 | 22 | 22 | 22 | 22 | 22 | 22 | 22 | 22 | 22 | 22 | 22 | 22 | 22 | 22 | 22 |
| Kennedy | 4 | 4 | 4 | 4 | 4 | 4 | 4 | 4 | 4 | 4 | 4 | 4 | 4 | 4 | 4 | 4 |
| Kewance | 27 | 27 | 27 | 27 | 27 | 27 | 27 | 27 | 27 | 27 | 27 | 27 | 27 | 27 | 27 | 27 |
| Lavaca | 27 | 27 | 27 | 27 | 27 | 27 | 27 | 27 | 27 | 27 | 27 | 27 | 27 | 27 | 27 | 27 |
| Loop | 44 | 44 | 44 | 44 | 44 | 44 | 44 | 44 | 44 | 44 | 44 | 44 | 44 | 44 | 44 | 44 |
| Merriman | 109 | 109 | 109 | 109 | 109 | 109 | 109 | 109 | 109 | 109 | 109 | 109 | 109 | 109 | 109 | 109 |
| Mother Lake | 49 | 49 | 49 | 49 | 49 | 49 | 49 | 49 | 49 | 49 | 49 | 49 | 49 | 49 | 49 | 49 |
| Crookston | 49 | 49 | 49 | 49 | 49 | 49 | 49 | 49 | 49 | 49 | 49 | 49 | 49 | 49 | 49 | 49 |
| Senzel | 14 | 14 | 14 | 14 | 14 | 14 | 14 | 14 | 14 | 14 | 14 | 14 | 14 | 14 | 14 | 14 |
| Pleasant Hill | 19 | 19 | 19 | 19 | 19 | 19 | 19 | 19 | 19 | 19 | 19 | 19 | 19 | 19 | 19 | 19 |
| Steen | 23 | 23 | 23 | 23 | 23 | 23 | 23 | 23 | 23 | 23 | 23 | 23 | 23 | 23 | 23 | 23 |
| Sparks | 16 | 16 | 16 | 16 | 16 | 16 | 16 | 16 | 16 | 16 | 16 | 16 | 16 | 16 | 16 | 16 |
| Sharp's Ranch | 16 | 16 | 16 | 16 | 16 | 16 | 16 | 16 | 16 | 16 | 16 | 16 | 16 | 16 | 16 | 16 |
| Schlagle | 16 | 16 | 16 | 16 | 16 | 16 | 16 | 16 | 16 | 16 | 16 | 16 | 16 | 16 | 16 | 16 |
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| Valentine | 72 | 72 | 72 | 72 | 72 | 72 | 72 | 72 | 72 | 72 | 72 | 72 | 72 | 72 | 72 | 72 |
| Wood Lake | 22 | 22 | 22 | 22 | 22 | 22 | 22 | 22 | 22 | 22 | 22 | 22 | 22 | 22 | 22 | 22 |
| River | 22 | 22 | 22 | 22 | 22 | 22 | 22 | 22 | 22 | 22 | 22 | 22 | 22 | 22 | 22 | 22 |
| Elmner | 19 | 19 | 19 | 19 | 19 | 19 | 19 | 19 | 19 | 19 | 19 | 19 | 19 | 19 | 19 | 19 |
| Reeves | 12 | 12 | 12 | 12 | 12 | 12 | 12 | 12 | 12 | 12 | 12 | 12 | 12 | 12 | 12 | 12 |
| Kinneyville | 12 | 12 | 12 | 12 | 12 | 12 | 12 | 12 | 12 | 12 | 12 | 12 | 12 | 12 | 12 | 12 |
| Totals | 1010 | 1023 | 1055 | 1011 | 1057 | 1068 | 977 | 1105 | 868 | 1108 | 947 | 1085 | 978 | 1000 | 942 | 1065 |

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THURSDAY, NOVEMBER 12, 1908.

R-r-revenge!

The editorial writers of the State Journal are pretending to be very angry at the brewers' combination for defeating their Gov. Sheldon and say some very startling things about what Gov. Sheldon should do before he steps down and out. They want him to call a special session of the legislature to pass the county option law for revenge. These writers realize that the brewery combine has always been an asset to the republican party and they were very quiet about their ill gotten victory two years ago and four years ago when Gov. Mickey needed every saloon vote and the prohibition vote to pull him through, and also six years ago when they were glad to get the saloon vote for their good Sunday School Mickey, and eight years ago when Dietrich was stumping the state the saloon vote went solid for him and the good State Journal smiled serenely then, but now they want revenge because their Gov. Sheldon has been defeated—and they thought he was presidential timber, too. Talked of him for vice president and a heap of big places that they thought he would fit into. But now he is defeated and the Journal force is weepin' on his shoulder. And they're mad, too, and want revenge against those naughty brewers and want to smite 'em for not likin' their George. A special session of the legislature right away! Show 'em for voting agin George, we will. The good, fair-minded republicans of Cherry county are likely to be raked over the coals for voting as they like. They didn't all vote for "George" here, but they're not to be generally classed with the brewers' combine because they liked Mr. Shallenberger better. It was the better element who voted as they chose and the silly twaddle of those Journal writers trying to ease "George" down from his high pedestal and reduce the swelling of his head to normal size by shedding crocodile tears on his shoulder is having a bad effect for "George" thinks they're in earnest and we hear he is actually trying to sound the feeling of the last legislators with a view of calling

them together if they are all dead set on revenge. Shame on you, George, and shame on you, Bix. You're both naughty boys and ought to be spanked.

County Option.

The advocates of county local option will be unable to get much satisfaction out of the election returns. This question was principally in issue in two great and intelligent commonwealths—Ohio and Indiana. In both the republican party had a county local option law to defend—that in Indiana having been enacted in a special legislative session called for that purpose in the middle of the campaign. And in both states the democratic party was on record as opposed to the policy.

The result was that in both states the democratic candidate for governor was elected. In Indiana a democratic legislature was also elected, while in Ohio the republican majority in the legislature was tremendously reduced. The verdict against county option appears to be reasonably plain.

In Nebraska the question was not in issue so far as platform declarations were concerned. Yet it was generally understood that the democratic party was favorable to the rigid enforcement of the present Slocumb law, while the republican party was tending toward county option. Unquestionably this had something to do with the election of Shallenberger and a democratic legislature.

To say that this means "the brewers did it" is a cheap slander of Nebraska. Nebraska is the most intelligent state, with the least percentage of illiteracy, of any in the union. Nebraska people are not to be controlled by breweries or any other influence than their own conscience, good judgment, and sound common sense.

The World-Herald believes that, in the Slocumb law, Nebraska has the best law for the regulation of the liquor traffic of any state in the union. It offers a genuine local option. The people of a community, under that law, may vote for a system of rigidly regulated saloons, or against it. But

under the county option system the people of a county are permitted to vote only against it. They cannot establish the system by an affirmative vote. For the option then goes back to the several municipalities in the county. This is one of several objections to the county option plan—its essential unfairness.

Nebraska has done well under the Slocumb law. And there are reasons to believe Nebraska is pretty well satisfied with it, demanding, however, that it be enforced strictly, impartially and fearlessly.—World-Herald.

Writers on the State Journal are working themselves into a frenzy over the brewers vote and the votes they were able to influence. Haven't they always been in politics and hasn't the republican party always had that vote and that influence in Nebraska heretofore and are they only grieving now because they think they didn't get that vote and that influence? It looks that way, to read their trashy flings at the democrats and to Mr. Bryan. Now if they had gotten the brewery vote and influence, which probably they did, would they be rejoicing that they knew how to vote right according to their standard or would they be complaining of a rank injustice? There are very few brewers or their influences in Cherry county but Cherry county reduced the big republican majorities of former years and lacked only 23 votes carrying the county for Bryan or a change of 12 votes. Shallenberger also ran far ahead of the usual democratic vote but it was not because of the brewers influence. Are you going to punish the brewers for Governor Sheldon's unpopularity. Do the fools think that the people of this state don't know, or have they forgotten the attitude of Gov. Sheldon towards the 2c passenger law passed by the last legislature? His quarantining of the cattle of this district and forcing them to ship feeders to Omaha for inspection which was a farce and carried out as a farce and a graft? His reduction of

railroad taxation and increase of farm taxation? His anxiety for the railway commission to adjust all rates both passenger and freight and his vetoing the wolf bounty appropriation, a state debt, yet had millions to spend on other appropriations? His insincerity of interest in the people and their cause and his alliance apparent at every turn with corporate influence or that which would make a name for Sheldon the great with men whom he catered to but they were not the common people? Yea, couldn't we follow up Sheldon's administration as governor from the first of his term and show that he is the cause of the big slump in his own vote. The great achievements boastfully attributed to Sheldon in the past administration were mostly fought by him and a coterie of stand pat fellows in the legislature and it was the democrats who united with some honest reform republicans to pass the laws that the people wanted and expected, yea, were clamoring for and now in the past campaign the republicans tried to claim the the honor and glory of what little legislation that was passed for Gov. Sheldon.

No it was not the brewers nor their influence but a righteously indignant people have rebuked Gov. Sheldon for his treachery and stamped him as a traitor to their interests as a people. If we could fight this campaign out again as a state campaign he would have heard state issues discussed in every home. Down and out with Sheldon.

It now looks like the Standard Oil case has been disposed of since the U. S. circuit court of appeals has reversed the trial court in fining the Standard Oil company \$29,000,000 for alleged rebating. The government's petition for a rehearing was denied. Yes, Rockefeller thought Taft was the better qualified and a safer man for president. There were fools who did not own Standard Oil stock nor any corporation stock nor side graft who were blind enough to vote the same old way.

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