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COLUMBUS. - NEBRASKA

News in Brief

The air of the New York subway is said to be deficient in oxygen. Governor Mickey's majority in Nebraska will be between nine and ten

thousand. The oldest orator in Germany is Deputy Schneider in Eberswalde, now

103 years of age. Russia declares that she will brook no interference of European nations in the eastern war.

Military experts in Washington expect the Japanese to conduct a winter campaign in Manchuria.

Eighty Iowa counties give Roose velt 247,249. Parker 110,303, Swallow 7,318, Debs 8,403, Watson 1,357. Four men were killed as a result of reign of terror in a West Virginia

desperadoes. Emperor Francis Joseph has telegraphed to President Roosevelt his congratulations on the latter's elec-

toral victory. Andrew Carnegie's early ambition was to be a newspaper man, and he confesses that even today the youthful yearning takes hold of him. Jesse J. Finley, one of the few sur-

viving brigadier generals of the confederate army, died in Lake City. Fla., on Sunday. He was 92 years of

Captain Joshua Slocum sailed into Boston harbor with his little yawl sloop Spray after a voyage of over nine years. The Spray registers nine tons ret The first National bank of Montour

Ia., has been authorized to begin business with a capital of \$25,000. A. B. Taplin is president and R. E. Austin. Jr. cashier Congressman Cockran promises to

introduce in congress a bill providing that campaign committees shall publish the names of contributors and the amount contributed by each. Louis R. Bermudez, a prominent

resident of Lima, shot and killed himself with a revolver. The deceased was connected with the enterprise American capitalists in Pera. Wells-Fargo officials have discover-

ed that the report of the theft of an express package containing \$11,900 shipped from Chihauhua to Mexico City some time ago was erroneous. President Smith of the Mormon church will be unable to accept the invitation to address the National Irri-

gation congress at El Paso, Tex., on account of the pressure of other busi-More than 500 students worked their way through Columbia university last year, earning in various ways \$74.

secretary of the committee on employment for students. Paul de Cassagnac, the prominent Bonapartist deputy and journalist, and once the most notorious duelist in France, died November 4. He was 61 years old and began his journal

021.17, according to a report of the

istle career at the age of 19. Booker Washington Jr., the eldest son of Booker T. Washington, has filed an application for appointment as paymaster in the arn: The applicant is now a student at the Massachusetts Institute of Technology.

ceived \$10,850 for the Russian Red Cross contributed by commercial and manufacturing establishments in Holland. This contribution will be handed to the dowager empress of Russia. The prospectus of the new Japanese toan of sixty million dollars will be

The Russian consul general has re-

issued soon. Half of the amount will be offered in New York and half in London. The price is 901/2, with interest at 6 per cent. The loan will be secured by a second charge on Japanese customs.

Ten thousand congratulatory messages have been received by President Roosevelt. Every mail brings large numbers of congratulatory letters. Notwithstanding their immense number, the president, has decided that each one is to be answered, and this work will require perhaps several weeks. Former President Cleveland went

on his first hunting trip of the season the next day after election. In company with Dr. Carlton Priest and W. B. McFarland he drove to Rocky Hili, where he spent the day. The shooting was good, and the party returned before dark with sixteen quail Three battleships, five scout crui-

sers, six torpedo boat destroyers, six torpedo bcats and two squadron colliers at an aggregate maximum cost of \$41,300,000, is the building program which the general board of the navy has recommended the secretary of thee navy to urge congress to authorize at its next session.

The Debs socialist vote last Tuesday is estimated at 500,000 for the whole country. Four years ago the total vote of the party was 87.769. Mrs. C. A. Curry, 33 years old, was shot and killed, and her husband probably fatally wounded in a pistol duel

Rev. Herbert Welch, D. D. pastor of the First Methodist Episcopal church at Mt. Vernon, N. Y., was chosen by the trustees as the new president of Ohio Wesleyan university, succeeding Rev. Dr. J. W. Bash-

. The Dutch newspaper Londenvolk announces that King Edward, through the local authorities, has expressed the desire that royal salutes be fired on the arrival of the late President Kruger's body at Capetown and Pretoria, and that minute guns be fired during the procession to the grave,

Former President Andrew John of the Six Nations of New York is in Washington in his efforts to prevent certain half-breeds from getting part of the \$2,000,000 recently awarded the Indians for lands sold by the govern-

President Roosevelt has promised to attend the Louisiana Purchase exposition on Saturday, November 26. He made this promise to a committee from St. Louis headed by Mayor Wells, who came to Washington especially for the purpose of inviting him to visit the fair.

United States Judge Dole at Monolulu has sentenced L. P. Kauhoe, formerly postmaster at Kapkapaa, Kauai island, to one year's imprisonment for embezzlement of funds of his office. Kauboe's defaication amounted to

The Columbus Journal POSTAL SHORTAGE

FOR THE YEAR IT AMOUNTS TO \$8,579,492.

ANNUAL REPORT OF CONDITIONS

Receipts of the Service \$143,582,624; Expenditures \$152,362,116 - New Plan of Compensation of Fourth-Class Postmasters.

WASHINGTON-The annual report of the auditor for the postoffice department shows that the fiscal busicess transacted through the postal and money order branches of the department during the last year were: Revenues of the postal service, \$143,-582,624; expenditures of the postal service, \$152,362,116. Total amount of money orders issued: Domestic, \$383,452,373; foreign, \$37,876,265. Total amount of money orders paid: Domestic, \$385,100,020; foreign, \$6.714. 846. The deficit in the postal revenues therefore was \$8,579.42.

Among the items of expenditure during the year are: Wagon service, \$1,705,604; inland mail transportation (railroad), \$38,595,427; railway postal town: posses are in pursuit of the car service, \$5.261.948; railway mail service, \$12,106,130; transportation of foreign mails, \$2,574,540.

On the subject of the compensation of fourth-class postmasters the audi-

"Without here entering into a discussion of the claims of the postmas- tion. ters of that class. I am satisfied that in view of the position taken by the courts in relation to fraudulent cancellations some other system of fixing their compensation should be adopted. know of no better way than the adoption of the same principle fourth-class postmasters as applies to the determination of the salary of a presidential postmaster—namely, a fixed salary based on the amount of gross receipts of his office, with a penalty by fine and imprisonment for increasing the receipts of the office by the purchase or sale of stamps for ommercial purposes outside of the postoffice or its branches. Wholesale trade in revenue stamps is not permit ted, and there is no reason why it should be permitted in postage stamps. For every stamp sold at postoffices the government's representative receives its equivalent in currency, but under the present syscellations, many instances can be shown where no equivalent is receiv-

Mr. McCarty recommends that the life of the money order be reduced from twelve to three months and that at the end of that period the holder must send the order to the postoffice department and receive a warrant in payment. The purpose of the proposed change is to facilitate the closing of ex-postmasters' accounts. The average life of a money order is only seven and one-half days, and therefore, it is argued, the change would not result in inconvenience.

ed. The adoption of the plan here

suggested would destroy the motive

for fraudulent cancellations, as no re-

port of cancellations would be requir-

TARIFF IN THE PHILIPPINES.

The President is Said to Want it Re vised.

WASHINGTON—President Roose velt will recommend to congress that it authorize that authority be given the tariff now in force in those islands. This decision was the principal and about the only accomplishment of the cabinet session Friday. The matter was brought up by Secretary Taft and his recommendation in the matter ap-

The present tariff in the Philippines was the work of the Philippine commission. It was put into effect by executive order and afterward approved by congress. Since it has been in effect many changes have become necessary for the development of the islands. The act of congress approving the schedules, however, was so worded as to preclude future revision by the commission. The commission has already prepared a scheme of re vision which has been made public for the purpose of securing criticism and suggestions from the business interests of the United States. In this plan some of the schedules are raised and some lowered. The revision is planned with a view more to the development of the business of the islands than from a revenue standpoint.

Missouri is Republican. ST. LOUIS-With complete returns from ninety-six counties out of 114.

the entire republican ticket, with the exception of governor, has been elected by pluralities of 150 to 250. With all but a few precincts accounted for, the Sixteenth congressional district has gone republican by a plurality of 102. This result will in all probability be only slightly changed, either one way or the other, by the returns from the additional precincts.

Friends Wire Fairbanks INDIANAPOLIS-Senator Fairbanks, vice president-elect, has received numerous telegrams of congrat-Congressman Bartholdt, St. Louis: Governor-elect Deneen of Illinois: Senator Foraker of Ohio: General John J. McCook of New York: General John W. Foster of Washington; Senator Platt of New York: Senator Hopkins of Illinois: Thomas Taggarti

committee, and George B. Cortelyou. Resignation of Treasurer. TOPEKA, Kan.-State Treasurer T. T. Kelly addressed a letter to H. P. Dillon, his bondsman, who is holding Kelly's resignation in escrow, telling him to turn the resignation over to Governor-elect Hoch. Mr. Hoch has promised to make a complete investigation of the Kansas treasury after his inaurguration. If the investigation discloses any irregularities on the part of Kelly, with which he is charged, the resignation will be ac-

chairman of the democratic national

Indiana Plurality about 95,000. INDIANAPOLIS. Ind.-Official returns from eighty-two out of ninetytwo counties in Indiana give Roosevelt 325,981, Parker 234,962. Roosevelt's plurality 90,519. The other ten counties will probably increase this to

to Kelly.

State of Washington. TACOMA, Wash.-Roosevelt's plurality in the state of Washington is 66.749, with a few precincts not renorted. The plurality of Mead, republican, for governor is 5,277.

PRESIDENT IS CONGRATULATED

Messages Come se Fast that They Cannot Be Answered. WASHINGTON-President Roosevelt was overwhelmed with congratuations today. They were presented by many people in person and were received by mail and by telegraph from every state and from almost every city in the country. Thousands of telegrams already have been received and they are coming yet in an undiminished flood.

It will be paysically impossible for the president and Secretary Loeb to acknowledge each message received, in accordance with the usual custom at the white house, but the president desires it to be understood that he appreciates it to the fullest and expressions of his friends and would be glad if it were possible personally to greet and thank every one of them.

The president was in exhuberant spirits yesterday. Although he did not retire until a late hour Tuesday night, he arose early and had a happy early morning chat with the members of his family and his house guests. He reached the executive offices early and not till then did he read the morn ing papers. After glancing over them he read a few of the thousands of telegrams of congratulation which had been received and examined bulletins of the latest returns of the election. He was advised that the republicans had carried Maryland, a message from Senator McComas announcing that the result was beyond ques-

President Roosevelt has received the following cablegram from Emperor William

NEUS PALAIS, Nov. 9.-President Roosevelt, Washington, U. S. A.: Sincerest congratulations. May heaven give you prosperity. Tuum quod bonfaustumque sit populo Ameri-

WILLIAM, I. R. A free translation of the Latin in the above cablegram is as follows: "May your good administration be happy and prosperous to the American people.

PENNSYLVANIA.

PHILADELPHIA—Estimates from the entire state give Roosevelt a plurality in Pennsylvania of between 390,000 and 400,000. In Philadelphia Roosevelt's plurality will exceed 175,-

Roosevelt's vote in Pennsylvania far exceeds the expectation of the republican managers. There is a heavy falling off in the democratic vote all over the state. The republicans have elected 29 of the 32 congressmen, carrying all of the doubtful districts. They have also elected 25 of the 26 candidates for the state senate and about 175 of the 204 members of the house of representatives. This insures the election of P. C. Knox of Pittsburg, the appointee of Governor Pennypacker, as senator to succeed the late M. S. Quay. The republicans have also elected John P. Elkin state supreme court judge, and four-fifths of their candidates for common pleas judges, and all of their nominees for associate judges.

WISCONSIN. MILWAUKEE-The result of the election in Wisconsin shows that Roosevelt ran ahead of every ticket and carried the state oy a plurality estimated at between 60,000 and 75.-000; that Governor LaFollette has been re-elected by a plurality of about 50,000 and that the congressional complexion remains unchanged from two years ago. The legislature which is to elect a United States senator to succeed Joseph V. Quarles, is largely republican and the question of whether Wisconsin shall have a primary election law has carried by a safe majority. One of the surprises in the election was the big increase in the vote of the social democratic party. Four years ago that party polled 4.458 votes in Milwaukee county: two years ago 10.704, and in this election 18,120. The social democrats

senator to the legislature.

elected four assemblymen and one

MINNESOTA. ST. PAUL-Roosevelt received a record-breaking plurality in Minnesota. beating McKinley's margin of 77.-000 four years ago. On the face of the returns so far received the republican electoral ticket will have a plurality of over 100,000. Parker's vote was much smaller than that received by Bryan four years ago and Roosevelt was especially strong in counties which of old were populst strongholds. In Kittson county, for example, Roosevelt polled 1,500 votes, as against 100 for Parker, whereas Mc-Kinley carried the county by only 300. In St. Paul and Ramsey county Richardson .. 2,241 Roosevelt will have close to 7.500 plurality, nearly 700 greater than Mc-Kinley's vote.

Complete Returns from Missouri. KANSAS CITY-Returns from all counties in the state, and most of these official, give Folk (dem.), for governor, 30,566 plurality, and Roosevelt 28,271 plurality.

America Demands Reparation. CONSTANTINOPLE-The American legation here has addressed a note to the porte demanding reparation for the recent attack near Alenho ulation from Secretary of State Hay, by brigands upon a caravan belongng to the American house of Mac Andrews & Fobes of Smyrna. The raid resulted in the killing of six of the caravan's camels and the carrying off by the bandits of sixty camels and a considerable sum of money The legation insists upon the arrest and punishment of the outlaws and the restitution of the camels and money.

DES MOINES-lows has giver not less than 125,000 republican plurality and elected ten republican congressmen, with a bare possibility of eleven. Returns from nearly one-third of tha precincts of the state show that while there was a smaller total vote than four years ago, the republican plurality has been almost uniformly increased. The average increase of the republican plurality, so far as heard from, was nineteen to a precinct. With this increase maintained the recepted. Otherwise it will be returned publican plurality would go up from 98,000 to about 140,000.

> MONTANA BUTTE-The count is proceeding slowly throughout the state.

The reports already received indicate that the state will go safe for Roosevelt. Silver Bow county is yet to be heard from.

MARYLAND. BALTIMORE-The Sun, which supported the democratic presidential nominee. concedes, at 2:30 a. m., that Roosevelt carried the state by about

NAMES OF MEN SELECTED FOR Merrick NEBRASKA'S LEGISLATURE. **UPPER HOUSE ALL REPUBLICAN** Lower Branch Stands Ninety-one Re-

publicans and Nine Democrats-Congressional Vote in the Six Ne braska Districts. Recapitulation.

Senate. Dist. 1-E. A. Tucker, Humboldt, rep. Dist. 2—E. E. Good, Peru, rep. Dist. 3—R. W Jones, Dunbar, rep

Franklin Dist. 5-Alex. Laverty, Ashland, rep. Dist 6-1. C. Gibson, South Omaha ep.; B. F. Thomas, Omaha, rep.; C. L. Phelps Perkins Saunders, Omaha, rep. Dist. 7-F. C. Nelson, Bancroft, rep; W Kearney Meserve, Creighton, rep. Dist. 9—Edwin D. Gould, Wolbach, rep Dist. 10-W. D. Haller, Blair, rep. Dist. 11-J. J. Williams, Wayne, rep. 12-Hugh Hughes, Columbus, rep 13-Dr. J. P. Gilligan, O'Neill, rep 15-Martin L. Fries, Arcadia, rep Dist. 16—Aaron Wall, Loup City, rep. Dist. 17—A. E. Cady, rep. Dist. 18—W. H. Whaley, Clarks, rep. Dist. 19-M D. Dimery, Crossing, rep. Dist. 20-J. H. Mockett, Jr., Lincoln rep.; P. P. Beghtol, Bennett, rep. Dist. 21-H. L. W. Jackson, Beatrice,

Dist. 23-W. H. Jennings, Davenport 24-George W. Shreck, York, rep. Dist. 25-C. H. Epperson, Fairfield, rep Dist. 26-J. E. Peterson, Campbell, rep Dist. 27-David Hart, Hastings, rep. Dist. 28—A. F. Harsh, Lowell, rep. Dist. 29—Albert Wilsey, Moorefield, rep. Dist. 30—W. D. Giffin, Gothenburg, rep.

Dist. 22-Andrew Vore, Crete, rep.

Dist. 1-W. H. Hogrefe, rep.; J. S Lard, Werden, fus.; Henry Gerdes, Barada, fus. Dist. 2-J. M. Cravens, Armour, rep. Dist 3-H. R. Howe, Auburn, rep.; U. P. Peabody, Aspinwall, rep. Dist 5-William Ernst, Graf, rep. 6-J. W. Cassel, Nebraska City, rep.; S. M. Parker, Palmyra, rep. Dist. 7-W. DelesDernier, Elmwood,

rep.; W. E. Hand, Greenwood, rep. Dist. 8–R. B. Windham, Piattsmouth, Dist 9-John M Ward Springfield ren '. Barnes, Omaha, rep.; H. T. Clarke, Omaha, rep.; N. P. Dodge, Omaha, H. A. Foster, Omaha, rep.; Michael Lee, F. S. Tucker, Florence, rep. Dist. 11-Frank Jahnel, Kennard, rep.

Dist. 13-J. C. McElhenny, Lyons, rep. 14-Joseph Roberts, Fremont, rep.; Dist. 15-Fred H. Hunke, West Point, Dist. 16-Oscar Thompson, Wisner, rep. Dist. 17-Charles McLeod, Stanton, rep. 18-J. O. Milligan, Wakefield, rep. Dist. 19-F. P. Voter, Laurel, rep. Dist. 20-M. T. Post, Monowi, rep.

Dist. 22-Frank Jouvenat, Petersburg Dist. 22-F. W. Richardson, Battle Creek, rep. Dist. 24-J. W. Bender, Creston, fus. Dist. 24-J. W. Bender, Creston, Dist. 25-Fred Hoare, Monroe, rep. Zuelow, Schuyler, rep. Dist. 26-Otto Zuelow, Schuyler, rep. Dist. 27-W. J. Haarman, Fremont Dist. 28-J. M. Bolen, fus.; Peter F Dist. 29-John H. McLain, Seward, rep. S. S. Atwood, Beaver Crossing, rep. Dist. 30—H. C. M. Burgess, Lincoln.

rep.; Joseph Burns, Lincoln, rep.; James C. Holliet, Hayelock, rep.; Charles C. Warner, Waverly, rep.
Dist. 31-Del. A. Stetson, Western, rep.; J. Rohwer, Friend, rep. Dist. 32-W. E. Robbins, Cortland, rep. J. Casebeer, Blue Springs, rep.; Adam McMullen, Wymore, rep. Dist. 33—Robert Kydd, Beatrice, rep. Dist. 34—W. C. Lines, Diller, rep. Dist. 35—Thomas Lahmers, Belvidere

Dist. 26-Dan B. Cropsy, Fairbury, rep. Dist. 3;—George Perkins, Fairmont, rep.; Robert A. Marks, Ohiowa, rep. Dist. 38—H. M. Dietrich, York, rep.; William Meredith, York, rep. Dist. 39-W. B. Jones, Stromsburg, fus. ep.; Charles Anderson, Marquet, rep . Fishback, Harvard, rep.

Dist. 46-Eric Johnson, Juanita, rep. Dist. 47-H. E. Ferrer, Grand Island rep.; George L. Rouse, Alda, rep. Dist. 48—Neis Hermanson, Nysted, rep. Dist. 49-Thomas Doran, Stuart, rep. W. H. Bedford, Week, fus. Dist. 51-J. A. Douglas, Bassett, rep. Dist. 52-W. H. Horton, Springview, rep. Dist. 53-Frank Currie, Crawford, rep. Dist. 54-George C. McAtlister, Chap-

Dist. 43-H. F. Bowman, Lawrence, rep.

pell, rep.
Dist. 35-A. E. Barton, Arcadia, rep.
Dist. 56-H. Cropsey, Westerville, rep.;
C. Mackey, Ansley, fus. Dist. 58-J. H. Davis, Gibbon, rep. Dist. 59-George E. Bacon, Overton, rep. Dist. 60-A. C. Christiansen, Minden,

Dist. 61-H. C. Livengood, Franklin, rep Dist. 62-C. A. Luce, Republican City ep. Dist. 62-P. G. Engstrom, Holdrege, rep Dist. 64-E. B. Perry, Cambridge, rep. Dist. 65-Philip Gliem. Danbury, rep. Dist. 66-George C. Junkin, Smithfield,

Dist. 67-J. C. Hill, Imperial, rep.

THE CONGRESSIONAL VOTE. First District. Bur- Le- Burkett. Master. 1,697 2.173 ... 7.124 13,711 Totals15,811 9,649 Ken- Hitch-

12 014 Washington 1,472 ..14,325 Kennedy's majority, 701.

Indian at Civilized Work. Purcell Powless, a full-blooded Oneistreet railway service. He is the second full-blooded Indian to be employed by the St. Louis Transit Company. Felix Scott, a Sioux, having been in the service six months. Powless is 23 years old. He was born in Wisconsin. where the Oneida tribe has lived for years. His Indian name is Soda-Wah. He was educated at Haskell institute. Lawrence, Kan.

> Dines Simply at Banquets. The lord mayor of London has to attend some public dinner on almost every night during his term of office. Recently a friend was sympathizing with him on the amount of rich food a year. The mayor then let him into served to the mayor, and he has any simple food he may wish to order. while the rest of the guests eat the mushrooms and truffes.

Large Telescope for Harvard. Without any splurge of publicity Harvard is now installing the largest practical telescope in the world, and the Pickerings, Prof. W. H. and Prof. E. C., feel that the hunt for new stars will soon be renewed with increased interest.

President to Introduce Orator.

When Rev. Charles Wagner, the Alsatian author and orator, lectures in Washington on Nov. 2 President Roosevelt will introduce the distinguished divine to the audience.

.15.373 13.336 11,561 12,297 Fourth District. Hinshaw. Gilbert. Hinshaw. Stark Fifth District.

Hayes Red Willow. 1.265 .14.557 10,628 Totals Sixth District. Kinkaid, McNeel, Kinkaid, Barr Keith Sherman ... Totals ... 1.989 1.272

Wipes Out Albanian Chiefs.

The Sublime Porte, tired, apparent

Dakota

Thayer 1,841
Butler 1,354
Saunders 2,629
Jefferson 2,259
Hamilton 1,565
Saline 2,256

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ly, of continuous fighting with the Albanians, without obtaining any result, seems to have adopted the more insidious plan of weeding out the chiefs. Osman Pasha, one of the most powerful chiefs in Albania, has just arrived at Scutari, ostensibly on a visit to the governor of the province. He is stated to be really, however, in a condition of gilded exile, and many other chiefs are believed to be threatened with similar treatment.

Women of Uncivilzed Races. Among many of the uncivized races of mankind the inferiority of women is consecrated by usage, and she is not permitted even to eat at the same time as her husband. This conditon is found principally in Africa and India. Some tribes place serinstance, they are prohibited from mounting a horse and from eating certain kinds of meat or drinking certain beverages.

Trivial Causes of War. Borrowing a tobacco pipe and failing to return it kindled civil war for years among the rival races in the Pamirs and Afghanistan. A dispute as to the relative attractions of snails and vipers as food gave rise to fifty years of fighting between Milan and Pisa, and it is said two German states | Kentucky fought for years out of rivalry as to their respective powers of beer drink-

ing.—Stray Stories. Oldest American Fort. The oldest fortress in the United States is Fort Marion, on the Matanzas, in Florida. It has seen many bloody frays in the opening up of what is now the paradise of the south. The land around this ancient place has been watered by the blood of men who have fallen in conflict, but today it is a peaceful, picturesque spot, full

of charm and serenity. "Is my husband's case serious, doctor?" "It is very grave, madam. I have left an opiate." "How often shall Washington I give it to him?" "He needs absolute rest and quiet. Don't give it to him. Take it yourself."-Collier's Weekly.

Clock Brought High Price. The record price for a clock is £33,-600 paid for the timepiece made by Louis XVI of France. It was purchased by one of the Rothschilds.

Shark Aids Fisherman. On the night of Sept. 27 a ten-foot shark chased 30,000 herrings into the nets of a Dublin trawler and was aught himself.

The power of little things has so often been noted that we accept it as an axiom, and yet fail to see, in each beginning, the possibility of great events.-F. P. Edwards. The slander inflicts wrong by cal-

umniating the absent: and he who gives credit to the calumny before he knows its truth is equally guilty.-Herodotus. It doesn't always make a young man happy when a girl returns his love—

especially if it is returned because she has no use for it. Even the one-legged man may have a pretty good standing in the com-

munity. A landlord says a month's rent in hand is better than a dozen promises to pay.

Found Fortune in New New Zealand. Albert Winter, an Englishman workof the tribe, has just been given a po- Zealand, picked up a stone to throw attracted his attention, and on examining it he found gold-bearing quarts. Winter quietly took out miners' wrights and with a mate pegged out a claim. This was a couple of months ago. He has just sold his interest for \$500,000 and has gone home to his parents, who had not

heard of him for ten years. Legal Learning and Golf. Secretary Taft played golf up in Canada this summer with a justice of the supreme court, a clergyman and a died at his home here Saturday of ruins. Fortunately no one was injurcity magistrate. The lightest in weight of the quartet owned to 200 pounds. he must have to eat in the course of They were dubbed "the 1,000-pound foursome." Whichever side fell behind a state secret. At every banquet a in the score invariably argued with special little dinner is cooked and legal nicety some fine point in the meaning of the rules which would reverse the advantage. There was a good deal besides golf in that four

> Indian Wants Proper Division. Former President Andrew John of the Six Nations of New York is in Washington in his efforts to prevent certain half-breeds from getting part of the \$2,000.000 recently awarded the Indians for lands sold by the govern-Object to Wine at Christening.

Rev. E. T. Sanford and Rev. H. B. VIENNA-Emperor Francis Joseph Leach of Hackensack, N. J., are makhas telegraphed to President Rooseing a strong fight to have the battle velt his congratulations on the latter's ship New Jersey christened with watelectoral victory.

ROOSEVELT CARRIES ALL THE NORTHERN STATES.

ALSO BREAKS THE SOLID SOUTH

His Electoral Vote as Now Figured Will Be 343, or 104 More Than Needed-Maryland and Missouri Both Choose Republican Electors.

NEW YORK—The plurality of | Kentucky the president in the nation, according , to all indications will exceed 1,500,000 -the greatest plurality ever given an American candidate. The nearest approach to this vote was in 1896, when McKinley received a plurality approximating 860,000, and in 1872, when Grant received 620,991 plurality. The interest centers in Missouri and Maryland. Late returns indicate that the former state is in the republican column so far as presidential electors are concerned, but that Joseph W. Folk, the democratic candidate has been elected governor. The republicans elect eight of the sixteen congressmen. In Maryland the presidential vote will probably be cast for President Roosevelt. Late returns indicate that Thomas A. Smith (dem.) has been elected to congress in the Wisconsing First district by 450 plurality. Congressman Jackson of this district however, puts forward a claim of trick ballots and fraud and says he will contest the election. In the other states it is simply a question of plur-The "solid south" was broken by

the probable defection of Missourithis section of the country usually having thirteen states in the democratic column. The figures show but twelve states, with 133 votes for Judge Parker. President Roosevelt carried all the

northern states-swept them, in factand today he had 343 electoral votes. The banner state is Pennsylvania. Twenty-four hours after the polls closed the returns from this state indicated that Roosevelt's plurality would reach 485,000. Next came Illinois where the president polled approximately 225,000 votes more than did Judge Parker. The New York City returns are still incomplete but the amazement over the result has not subsided. Judge Parker carried greater New York by over 41,000.

COMPLEXION OF CONGRESS.

How the Two Houses Will Stand or the Fourth of March. Rep. Den Alabama ********* Delaware

Maryland Michigan dissouri New Hampshire North Carolina Pennsylvania South Carolina l'ennessee.

Wyoming

END OF WAR FAR OFF. France Again Dec!ines to Take Action Looking Toward Mediation. PARIS-The reports of contemplat-

> ed mediation in the war in the far east have again made it plain that France does not consider the time opportune to exert influence singly or jointly to induce Russia to make or accept terms. At the same moment that the rumors were circulating in various capitals that France intended to act. M. Delcasse, the foreign minister, was pointing out to diplomatic callers that efforts at mediation would be futile. The following is the textual language used when one of the ambassadors sounded the minister on

France's intentions: The ambassador said: "It is profoundly regrettable that the parties do not heed your advice toward averting the present slaugh-

"Yes," answered M. Delcasse, "but all my efforts were in vain." The ambassador then asked: "Can nothing be done to terminate the

M. Delcasse replied with an expression of deep regret: "..o. I am sorry to say that it appears nothing can be vember 12 was 498.149. Total since done at this time."

Heavy Snowfall in Pennsylvania. YORK, Pa.-Telephone and telegraph wires are down, trolley cars are da Indian, grandson of a former chief ing in the Grannity Creek mines, New stalled, railway trains are greatly de- people's party, has issued a call for a layed and there is a general suspen- meeting to be held in Chicago some now concede the election of three resition as motorman in the St. Louis at a pigeon one evening while on his sion of traffic in this city and throughout York county as the result of what is said to be the heaviest storm York ever experienced at this time of the terms a "Jefferson conference." Mr. year. It is estimated that snow fell Ferriss declares that the time has arto a depth of a foot on the level. The city is in darkness, owing to the crossing of wires, due to the wires being weighted down with snow.

> Colonel Anthony is Dead. LEAVENWORTH-Colonel D. R. Anthony, the noted editor of the Leavenworth Times, brother of Miss Susan B. Anthony, the woman suffragist, heart disease, aged eighty years. Colonel Daniel Reed Anthony, who gained his title in the union army, was one of the last of a half dozen editors who did much to spread the fame of Kansas in its early days. He was for nearly half a century editor of the Leavenworth Times, and did much to shape the destiny of his state Official Count in Iowa.

DES MOINES-Complete unofficial returns from every county in the state gives Roosevelt, republican, 331,570; Parker democrat, 165,859; Debs. socialist, 7,342; Swallow, prohibition, 7,285; Watson, populist, 1,791. These are the figures that will be canvassed by the board in December. Emperor Congratulates President.

PLURALITIES BY STATES.

Parker and Reosevelt's Votes Compar ed with McKinley and Bryan's. Roose- McKinley. Bryan 1900. 1900. velt. 1904. State Alabama Arkansus California 4.000 eorgia 225,600 94,924 75,600 26,470 Indiana 130,000 OW4 100,000 14,000 Marvland 13,941 Michigan 104,584 125,000 8,322 174,000 143,606 20,000 15,367 Dakota Dregon 40 000 13, 141 16,003 13,976 Dakota 40 000 l'ennessee Virgin.a

PARKER HAS HAD ENOUGH ESOPUS N. Y.-Judge Parker last night gave to the press an open letter addressed to "The Democracy of Delaware the Nation," in which he thanked Des Moines those in charge of his campaign work Dubuque and declared that the people will soon | Emmet realize that "the tariff-fed trusts are Floyd absorbing the wealth of the nation." Franklin He said that when that time comes

party for relief. In this letter Judge Guthrie Parker says he shall never seek a Hancock nomination nor public office. He Hardin discusses the difficulties encountered by the democrats in making their Howard campaign this year and makes suggestions on harmony in the party. Concluding the judge says he does not hesitate to say that the great moral Jefferson question that confronts the democrats is "shall the trusts and corporations be prevented from contributing money to control or to aid in con- Linn

trolling elections?" The telegraph office at Rosemount odge was dismantled after the day's business. Judge Parker said that his plans for the future were not definitely made, but that soon he would be in harness again. It is generally believed here that he will engage in the practice of law in New York, forming o'Brien a partnership with some well established firm.

OHIO'S QUARTER MILLION. It is That Much Plurality For Roose-COLUMBUS-Nearly complete returns show close to 250,000 plurality | Story for Roosevelt and Fairbanks. Only eighteen out of eighty-eight counties | r niot in the state have been carried for Van Buren Parker and only one democratic congressman has been elected out of Washington twenty-one. State Chairman Harvey Garber, the democratic candidate in the Fourth district, has 1,600 plurality

in a district normally 6,000 demo- Worth cratic. A conference of republican leaders was held here and it was rumored that a plan had been agreed upon to se cure the elimination of all factional lines and rally to Governor Herrick. Chairman Dick denied the conference had any such significance and declared that the discussion related only

to campaign finances. PEABODY IS ONLY ONE LOST.

Republicans Sweep Colorado with Excention of Governor. DENVER-The News (dom.) Friday says: While the returns on the vote for state offices, apart from governor, are far from complete, the to show the election of the entire republican state ticket, except Peabody, and of the three republican congresscounties are estimated on the best the first and only step so far taken in possible advices and there is a chance | that direction. that Mrs. Grenfeld, democratic candidate for state superintendent of pub-

lie instruction, may pull through on the scratch vote in her favor. The state senate is democratic by a good majority, but the complexion of the house is in doubt. The plurality of Adams over Pea-

body for governor amounts to 9,646. Concede Everything. PARKERSBURG, W. Va.-The democrats have conceded everything to the republicans in West Virginia in-

cluding the five congressmen and the Attendance at the World's Fair. ST. LOUIS-Total attendance at the World's fair for the week ending No-

opening of the fair, 17,065,886. Call to Form a New Party. CHICAGO-James H. Ferriss, chairman of the national committee of the his call for the gathering, which he rived for the consolidation of a number of progressive parties and factions under a broad and liberal Jeffersonian program.

Dynamite Wrecks Residence. VIRGINIA. Minn.-A terrific explosion occurred in the rear of the residence of Mayor Fay early Sunday and the handsome building is a mass of ed, but it would seem that dynamite was placed in the rear of the house with the intention of killing the mayor as well as with the intention of wrecking the building. For some time the mayor has been making a vigorous warfare on the violators of the saloon law, and many threats have been made against him.

Latest on Wisconsin. MILWAUKEE-The latest estimate of republican pluralities in Wisreturns are in.

NEW HAMPSHIRE. CONCORD-Fifty-two towns and wards out of 292 in New Hampshire give Reosevelt 6.708, Parker 4.449. Same towns and wards in 1900 gave McKinley 6,915, Bryan 4,614.

THE TWO STATES

WHAT THE VOTE IN NEBRASKA AND IOWA REVEALS.

AOST OF COUNTIES COMPLETE

In Opportunity to Compare the Vote of Mickey in Nebraska with that of President Roosevelt in the National Contest.

IOWA'S PRESIDENTIAL VOTE

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JOHN HAY WILL STAY. Secretary of State to Remain During Roosevelt's Second Term. WASHINGTON-President Roose

velt made the announcement that John Hay would continue as secretary of state during the four years beginning March 4, 1905. "You may state positively," were

his words, "that Mr. Hav will continue

as secretary of state up to March 4. The president was asked regarding other possible cabinet changes, but indicated that there was nothing to be News has compiled tables that seem said at present. His announcement regarding Secretary Hay was made to a number of newspaper reporters in his office. This fixes the most impormen. A considerable number of tant place in the new cabinet, and is

Former Governor of Iowa Dead. VINTON, la.-Former Governor Buren R. Sherman died Friday night. He had been an invalid for several years. He was state auditor from 1875. to 1880 and governor from 1882 to 1885. He enlisted as a private in the civil war in Company G. Thirteenth United States volunteers, and rose to

the rank of captain. He was an active

thirty-third degree Mason. Final Figures in New York. NEW YORK-A revised table of the figures for president and governor in New York state shows that Roosevelt received a plurality of 176,627 over Farker, and Higgins 80,490 over Her-

JOHN F. SHAFROTH DEFEATED.

Revised Returns Give His Opponent Majority of 2,976. DENVER, Colo.—The democrats republican, a majority of 2,976 over John F. Shafroth, democrat, for congressman-at-large, and show 2,785 plurality for R. W. Bonynge, republican, in the First district, and 6.026 plurality for H. M. Hogg, republican, in the Second district.

Friend of America Advanced. PARIS-Baron D'Estournelles de constant was on Sunday elected a senator from Sarthe to succeed M. Legueduc, deceased. Americans here are much pleased with the election of the baron owing to his prominence in the movement for strengthening the ties between the United States and France. Baron D'Estournelles' constituents declare that his election was a striking approbation of the policy of union and peace promoted by the mutual concessions between European nations

Nevada Congressman Republican. RENO, Nev.-With about seventy precincts missing a conservative esticonsin give Roosevelt and Fairbanks | mate places Roosevelt's plurality in between 125,000 and 140,000, and La Nevada at between 2,500 and 3,000. Follette between 50,000 and 60,000. It Yerrington (rep.) was elected to conwill be several days before the full gress by about 100 over Van Duzer.

> INDIA APOLIS -- Secretary Sims of the republican state committee said that from unofficial reports from eighty of the ninety-two counties the republican national ticket had received a plurality of 74,000 in Indiana.