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OHIO IS REPUBLICAN

Grand Old Party Wins Out in the Buckeye State.

MAJORITY OF FIVE IN THE LEGISLATURE

Republicans Can Easily Organize the House Without Fusion.

SENATE DEMOCRATIC BY TWO MAJORITY

One Hamilton County Fus'on Senator May Vote with Republicans.

DEMOCRATS BOOM MCLEAN FOR PRESIDENT

Rumor Has It that Governor Bushnell Will Come Out as a Senatorial Candidate Against Mark Hanna.

COLUMBUS, O., Nov. 3.—This has been a day of anxiety with the Ohio politicians. It opened with the republicans and democrats both claiming the election of their state tickets and a majority of the members of the legislature. Before noon the democrats conceded the election of the republican state ticket by larger pluralities than were given last night in the earliest of these dispatches as the claims of the republicans. Tonight the democratic state committee announced no definite claim on the legislature and the republican state committee raised its claims to a majority of five on joint ballot as follows: Senate—17 republicans, 19 democrats; House—58 republicans, 51 democrats. Total, 75 republicans, 70 democrats. Woods county had been conceded to the democrats until tonight when the complete returns caused the republicans to claim it.

On the returns complete at republican state headquarters the democrats will have a majority of two in the senate and the republicans of seven in the house. In the claims the fusionists from Cincinnati are all counted as democrats. The republicans can organize the house without fusion. There is only one of the four senators elected on the fusion ticket in Cincinnati who is a republican and he now becomes a factor. If Senator Voight of Cincinnati, who is a republican elected on the fusion ticket, should vote with the republicans on the organization of the senate or on anything else that body will be a tie with Lieutenant Governor Jones, republican, having the deciding vote. If the democrats had secured a majority of the legislature or the fusionists held the balance of power, it is said that the fusionists would have voted with the democrats. The republicans now expect two or more of the fusion republicans to vote with them for senator, in which event they claim a majority of seven on joint ballot, with seventy-seven republicans and sixty-eight democrats. None of the fusion votes for senator were counted on by the republican managers in the event they would be needed by the democrats to elect their nominee, but now many speculations are made about the fusion votes.

When it was thought today that control of the legislature might depend upon one vote there was apprehension of trouble in some counties. Emissaries were sent out from state headquarters to close counties to watch the counting. The Ohio law provides that "not less than one nor more than five days from the date of election the deputy state supervisors in each county shall begin the official canvass of the vote and continue from day to day till completed." In the event of a protracted contest in the close counties, the suspense of today might have continued till the legislature met next January.

MCLEAN FOR PRESIDENT.

SPRINGFIELD, O., Nov. 3.—Governor Bushnell arrived home this evening. On learning of his return an impromptu parade was immediately formed and headed by a band marched to the Bushnell mansion. Here a thousand citizens crowded on the lawn and were addressed by the governor from the front porch. He thanked them for their cordial greeting and said the victory was significant as it is the second time in thirty years that Ohio has gone republican. He believed the result will increase confidence and give greater activity in business. He concluded by saying that Ohio will sound the keynote of national politics for the next ten years. After the speech a display of fireworks was made on Fountain square.

democratic state headquarters concede that the legislature will be republican on a close majority of one or more. Chairman McConville does not concede the control of that body to the republicans. After 11 p. m. he received the claims of the republicans on the legislature. Mr. McConville said the republicans claimed the legislature by 75 to 70. He struck the representatives from Wood and Noble counties from their list, also the senator from the Marion-Logan district and said these three changes would make the legislature stand 73 democrats to 72 republicans, and he would never give either of these three doubtful members up until the official count was completed. He also contests the election of two of the twelve members from Cuyahoga county, which would make the legislature stand 75 democrats and 70 republicans. Chairman McConville says he believes the democratic representatives were elected in three other counties which he does not want to name pending investigation of alleged frauds. He charges frauds in Noble and Wood counties and in the Marion-Logan district.

In the event of the republicans securing the legislature on as close a margin as is now claimed by them and not conceded by the democrats, Chairman McConville predicts that Senator Hanna will secure the caucus nomination but fail of election, as did Dr. Godfrey Hunter at Frankfort, Ky., last winter, and that the session of the Ohio legislature the coming winter would break the record for factional fighting and disturbances of the session of the Kentucky legislature last winter. There are reports tonight that certain anti-Hanna republicans and democratic managers have had conferences for a combine to bring out another man if Governor Bushnell refused to allow the use of his name for senator.

REPUBLICAN FIGURES.

At republican state headquarters tonight the list of the districts are given, in which it is claimed that the republicans have 17 and the democrats 19. The only district disputed by the democratic managers is that which includes Marion and Logan counties, and which would make the senate stand 16 republicans to 20 democrats. The republicans concede that the democrats will have two majority in the senate and that no "ripper" bills reorganizing the cities or any municipal boards can therefore be passed. The republicans claim that the organization of the senate depends upon the attitude of Senator Voight of Cincinnati, who is a fusion republican.

The republican state committee claims that the two representatives from Summit county are the only ones in doubt tonight and that the returns show the house to stand fifty-four republicans, forty-nine democrats and two doubtful, and that in their claims of 75 to 70, with a majority of five on joint ballot, for senator, they have so far conceded Summit county to the democrats, although they expect the official count to give them at least one of the two representatives from that county.

The republicans claim the election of representatives from the following counties: Adams and Pike, Carroll and Harrison, Geauga and Lake, Ashtabula, Athens, Belmont (2), Champaign, Clarke (2), Clinton, Columbiana, Cuyahoga (9), Delaware, Erie, Fayette, Fulton, Gallia, Greene, Guernsey, Hancock, Highland, Huron, Jackson, Jefferson, Lawrence, Lorain, Madison, Mahoning (2), Medina, Meigs, Miami, Montgomery (2), Morgan, Muskingum, Noble, Portage, Preble, Ross, Scioto, Stark (2), Trumbull, Union, Warren, Washington, Williams, Wood; total, 53.

The following counties are conceded by the republican state committee to the democrats: Hocking and Vinton, Marion and Morrow, Allen, Ashland, Auglaize, Brown, Butler, Clermont, Coshocton, Crawford, Darke, Delaware, Fairfield, Franklin (3), Hamilton (10), Hardin, Henry, Holmes, Knox, Licking, Logan, Lucas (2); Mercer, Monroe, Ottawa, Paulding, Perry, Pickaway, Putnam, Richland, Sandusky, Seneca, Shelby, Tuscarawas, Vinton, Wayne, Wyandot. Total, forty-one.

BUSHNELL AT HOME.

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REPUBLICAN FIGURES.

The republican state committee has complete returns from eighty-six counties tonight on the vote on the state ticket and the other two counties of the state, Stark and Vinton, are estimated. In giving the pluralities by counties the plurality for Bushnell for governor and the rest of the republican state ticket is placed at 26,520. The plurality in Ohio last year was 51,109. Hamilton county gave McKinley last year a plurality of 19,470, and it gave Bushnell, republican, this year a plurality of only 15,110, a republican loss in that county of 18,230, while the republican loss in the whole state on pluralities is 24,559. Chairman Nash says there were factional troubles in other cities than Cincinnati, notably Columbus and Toledo, and that the rainy weather and other reasons caused an unusually large stay-at-home vote. He states that the official count will show that the voter was much smaller in the rural districts than expected, and that the republicans carried more counties than were carried last year on the vote for representatives that several seats could be changed in that body. In the settlement of contested seats the republicans would have such an advantage in the house over the democrats in the senate that it is not likely that the latter will be aggressors in that matter. And this may allow the close margin of the republicans on joint ballot for senator to go uncontested in any of the close counties or before the committee on elections in the general assembly.

BUSHNELL FOR SENATOR.

There is another alleged movement which is causing much more comment, and that is the rumor that Governor Bushnell will be brought out for senator against Marcus A. Hanna. Allen O. Myers, one of the managers at democratic state headquarters, announced tonight that Senator Hanna would never be elected to the senate on the close joint majority that is claimed, although Hanna had been endorsed for senator by the last republican state convention, the same as Foraker was endorsed by the republican state convention two years ago. Mr. Myers said if the close call on the legislature went against the democrats in the official count of the close counties, that the democrat in the legislature would join with a dozen or more republican members of that body in electing Bushnell instead of Hanna to the senate. Governor Bushnell and all others involved in this movement deny any knowledge of it or that they would have anything to do with it.

CHANGING THE FIGURES.

Both the republican and the democratic headquarters tonight figures are being substituted for the claims of last night and to-day. Chairman McConville of the democratic state committee concedes the defeat of his state ticket, but states they have reduced the republican plurality of 51,000 of last year by over one half. Although others at

COMMENTS ON THE RESULT

London Editors Sizze Up the Situation in Greater New York.

THEIR NERVES ARE SOMEWHAT SHOCKED

Most of Them See Nothing But Evil in the Return of Tammany to Power in the Metropolis.

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LONDON, Nov. 3.—(New York World Cablegram)—Special Telegram.—It is no exaggeration to say that London has been more absorbed in New York's mayoralty election than it ever has been in the choice of its own lord mayor. Tammany's victory having been consistently predicted by New York correspondents of London papers, it came as no surprise and the event was made the occasion of preaching innumerable homilies on the degradation of municipal life in New York.

As usual, Mr. Astor's paper takes the liveliest British attitude of all its rivals. It says: "Under the circumstances it is impossible to say that we manage these affairs in a more satisfactory manner in London. With us such an organization as Tammany hall could not exist and a man or a body of men who had once been proven guilty of corruption could never return to Tammany under the leadership of Richard Croker, has done so in a manner that must afford food for serious thought even in a city so accustomed to bad government as New York is."

The Westminster Gazette says: "This victory for unprincipled government obtained by unprincipled methods is, it must be confessed, a grave disappointment to all who believe in free institutions. New York, from its cosmopolitan character, is hardly typical of the United States as a whole; perhaps, but we could have wished that the greatest city of the greatest republic had shown a keener sense of what civic life should mean. Having made its Lord have mercy on New York, Republican votes have restored Tammany to power and upon the men who cast them will devolve the responsibility for robbery and vandalism in the next four years, and don't let us forget it. New York will not become a respectable city until its clergy are so possessed of the spirit of the old prophets as to be prepared to put governing pressure upon secular events until the press becomes as distinctly and unwaveringly the exponent of unmarketable truth as command the confidence of the reading public; until reputable citizens are sufficiently wedded to righteousness as to be willing to sacrifice political fetishes to the interests of general decency and integrity."

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DR. DEPEW'S WORDS OF WISDOM.

Says the New York Election Has No National Significance.

NEW YORK, Nov. 3.—Returns from the state and city elections received today do not change the result anticipated by the Associated press early last night. Returns from all the counties in the state indicate a plurality of more than 58,000 for Alton B. Parker, democratic candidate for chief justice of the court of appeals. His plurality in Greater New York is 133,655.

Van Wyck, Tammany candidate for mayor of New York, has 81,548 plurality over Seth Low and 118,401 over General Tracy. The state legislature remains republican. The senators, holdovers and the new house of assembly stands 85 republicans to 63 democrats. Ten of the newly elected republican assemblymen are said to be anti-Platt. In the present senate the republican majority is 29 in the house, 78.

The Evening News remarks: "Croker has brought off his tip and won the race, showing that he is more to be feared in his natural arena of politics than on the race course. The population of the second greatest city in the world has elected its ruler and the morning after election the problems occupying his mind did not relate to the government of the city, but rewarding his supporters. The experiment of democracy as seen in New York seems to have its drawback as well as its advantages."

The St. James Gazette thinks: "The reason Americans allow themselves to be dominated by a clique whose leading members would on this side of the Atlantic sooner or later find themselves in the criminal dock, is that American politicians indulge in policies solely for what they can make out of them, and until America finds time to produce a class who will give their time to pecuniary affairs, as here, without expectation of pecuniary reward, Tammany will continue its victories in New York."

RULE OF THE DEMOGOOGUE.

Commenting on the allegation that the "best classes" hold aloof from politics, the Globe says: "It leaves the government of one of the greatest of countries in the world at the mercy of a mob and of an unscrupulous demagogue, who knows how to bend the mob to his will. The effort upon the foreign policy of the country is often deplorable. That large numbers of decent, sensible people are utterly without sympathy with the brutes of Olney and the fatigues of Sherman, we all know, but unhappily they utterly fail to make their voices heard above the din of the New York slums."

The Morning Post says: "Tammany's enormous majority leaves no doubt that the rumor of an arrangement between Croker and the fatigues of Sherman is well founded. The Citizens' union deserves all sympathy for its splendid fight. Mr. Low gave the republicans an opportunity they may never have again. History shows that one party is quite as unscrupulous as the other, and what is still more important, it shows there are considerable public spirit in the new community."

The election issue in New York has no national significance, but with an alarming falling off of the republican vote in the state, with heavy losses in New Jersey, Ohio and other states, the republican party is confronted with the incontrovertible truth that Bryanism and blantism are not dead.

It warns them that they must take steps at once and emphatically to settle this currency question beyond any hope of reopening it."

CASE OF RANK INGRATITUDE.

Officials at Calcutta Make an Exhibition of Themselves.

DULUTH, Minn., Nov. 3.—Captain Alex McDowell, general manager of the American Steel Barge company, is in receipt of a letter from Captain L. Laverg, master of the whaleback steamship City of Everett, which sailed last summer from San Francisco for Calcutta with a cargo of food for the famine sufferers of India.

The letter is a long one and is dated at Calcutta Sept. 18. In it Captain Laverg charges that English officials at Calcutta received the famine supplies without enthusiasm. The pilot came aboard the City of Everett when it approached Calcutta, told the captain that he would have done better to have brought a cargo of rapid firing guns with which to kill off the Indian population instead of food.

Captain Laverg says the City of Everett was treated shamefully at Calcutta by the government and that the treatment seemed especially out of place, in view of the presence of the vessel as representing the generosity and humanity of the American people.

There was nothing on which a claim for dues could be exacted that was not enforced, and the officials, finding, after ransacking the papers of the ship, that the officials at Singapore had exempted the ship from some light dues, promptly enforced them. The claim was made that the governor at Singapore had no authority to exempt the ship from paying any dues. Before leaving Calcutta the English officials even insisted on the payment of dues for the ship's stores.

The Globesays: "When the fortunes of the wigwam are in the ascendant shameless corruption reigns supreme. Judge and police alike owe secret allegiance to an authority with greater powers of making or marring their fortunes than the government of the United States."

THEIR SENATORIAL PREFERENCES.

CINCINNATI, Nov. 3.—The four republicans selected on the fusion ticket for the

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came back it had regained much of its lost influence. Croker is perhaps the most notable Tammany product of our time. A splendid organizer and an indomitable worker, he possessed to a marked degree the tactfulness and smoothness which made Parcell so successful a leader. Steering clear of the personal vanities of Tweed, Croker has revived the other traditions of that worthy regime and has made Tammany once more a political engine of the first magnitude."

GERMAN AND FRENCH PAPERS.

BERLIN, Nov. 3.—The Tagesschau, commenting on the New York election, deplores the victory of Tammany, as "it places the undesirable elements of the Irish on top," and concludes: "The victory in Greater New York will have a sinister effect throughout the country, for it means that the awakening desire for municipal reform has received a terrific setback."

The Vossische Zeitung says: "It cannot be denied that corruption has triumphed."

The Lokal Anzeiger asserts that it sympathizes with "all honest people on the side of Tammany's adversaries."

The National Zeitung says: "It's small wonder that the republicans were defeated. George's adherents evidently re-flocked to the Tammany banner. The failure to defeat Tammany is a point scored against the Washington administration."

PARIS, Nov. 3.—The Temps in its comments on the Greater New York municipal election says: "The result of the election is deplorable for New York and the cause of democracy."

LORD HAVE MERCY ON NEW YORK.

DR. PARKHURST EXPATRIATES ON THE Lack of Moral Genius.

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PARIS, Nov. 3.—(New York World Cablegram)—Special Telegram.—Dr. Parkhurst made the following statement on Tammany's triumph today:

"If New York has not moral genius enough to keep out of Tammany's clutches after having been once rescued from them may the Lord have mercy on New York. Republican votes have restored Tammany to power and upon the men who cast them will devolve the responsibility for robbery and vandalism in the next four years, and don't let us forget it. New York will not become a respectable city until its clergy are so possessed of the spirit of the old prophets as to be prepared to put governing pressure upon secular events until the press becomes as distinctly and unwaveringly the exponent of unmarketable truth as command the confidence of the reading public; until reputable citizens are sufficiently wedded to righteousness as to be willing to sacrifice political fetishes to the interests of general decency and integrity."

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The special election in the Third congressional district, Brooklyn, resulted in a victory for Edmond H. Briggs, democrat, over William A. Prendegast, republican, by nearly 2,000 majority. Last year Francis Wilson, republican, was elected in this district by more than 7,500 plurality. He resigned to become postmaster of Brooklyn. Prendegast suffered from the bitter fight between the republican factions in Brooklyn.

Chancery Law, who supported Tracy, said today that the election resulted just as he feared