

The Elections in all Parts of the Country.

Tammany's Candidate Wins the New York Mayorality. The State Also Democratic. The Ohio Contest in Doubt. Maryland, Too, is Claimed by Both Sides With Democrats Apparently in the Lead—Fusionists Carry Nebraska by an Increased Vote.

Whatever reason the Democracy of the country, generally, may have for rejoicing over the general result of Tuesday's election we, of Pennsylvania, have but little reason to be proud of the work we did or the assistance we gave in winning a victory that assures Democratic success in 1900.

Here in a State where every branch of the public service is honey-combed with rottenness; where the corruption and profligacy of the party in power is so open and avowed that over a hundred thousand of its own members refuse to vote for its candidates; where every opportunity was offered for Democratic success, a sufficient number of Democrats, wilfully and inexorably remained away from the polls, or idiotically threw their votes away on SWALLOW, to have won a Democratic victory and secured to the people an honest administration of the affairs of the auditor general's office and of the state treasury.

With 182,000 Democratic votes at home and 20,000 more going to the polls and deliberately throwing their votes away, when 125,000 of them by going and voting as they should have done, would have redeemed this boss-ridden, tax-cursed State, from the rule of the robbers that has so long disgraced it, is not a situation or condition for any Democrat to rejoice over or be proud of.

The Responsible Party.

The Democrats in this county who went to the polls on Tuesday and threw away their votes on the Prohibition candidate, along with the 2,000 who stayed at home, have the proud satisfaction of knowing that they have placed Centre county in the position of endorsing the Republican state ticket; the Republican administration, the profligacy and extravagance of the last Legislature, and all the rottenness and infamy and bossism that disgraced the State under the rule of the party in power.

A magnificent race for New York's mayoralty had a sudden and tragic termination. A great commotion has been stricken in the very heart of the battle. The most startling event in the political history of the country was the sudden and tragic death of HENRY GEORGE, who was making a desperate fight for the mayoralty of Greater New York on what was called the Jeffersonian Democratic ticket.

He was buried Sunday afternoon from the Grand Central Palace 30,000 people reverently passed the casket and looked upon the face of the dead philosopher. Dr. LYMAN ARBUTHNOT conducted his services, assisted by Rev. Father EDWARD MCGLYN, and Dr. HEBER NEWTON all warm friends of the deceased. SETH LOW, Mayor STRONG and many of the prominent citizens of New York city were present in addition to his thousands of admirers who believed in his single tax theory and his fight against bossism.

He was born in Philadelphia September 2, 1839, where he attended public school 'till he graduated from the High School in 1852. Then he embarked as an office boy in a crockery store, went to sea, learned the printing trade and shipped as a full fledged sailor round Cape Horn to California where he worked awhile as a gold miner and then started a weekly paper. In '61 he married Miss ANNIE C. FOX and their life of mingled poverty and comfort, vicissitudes and achievements began.

New York, Nov. 3.—Tammany's victory in the first municipal election in greater New York is a sweeping one. The only question remaining to be settled is the one of the plurality by which the entire ticket headed by Robert A. Van Wyck has carried the gigantic municipality. It can scarcely be less than 60,000, and may be larger than that. Van Wyck has polled a vote which falls possibly 40,000 under the combined votes of General Tracy, Republican, and Seth Low, Citizen's Union. The latter was successful to the extent of polling an aggregate vote in excess of the 40,000 pledges implied by the signatures to the petition upon which at the outset offered to join hands with the Republican party organization in a concerted effort to exclude Tammany from power in the greater city to come into being Jan. 1, 1898, with a population the second in magnitude of the great cities of the world.

Following is the grand total of the votes received by the three leading candidates for mayor in greater New York, complete returns having been received from all of the districts: Van Wyck, 235,181; Low, 148,873; Tracy, 101,823. Van Wyck's plurality over Low, 85,308.

The total number of votes cast was not far either way from half a million. The indications are that Van Wyck received 210,000, Low 145,000, Tracy 100,000 and George 15,000. The aggregate is swayed by a few thousand votes cast for Gleason (Independent Democrat), Saniel (Socialist) and Wardell (Prohibitionist).

On the city ticket, with Judge Van Wyck, Bird S. Coler is elected comptroller and Adolph Guggenheimer president of the municipal council. Charles S. Fairchild, who was secretary of the treasury during Cleveland's first presidential term, and whom the Citizens' Union put up for comptroller, did not hold pace with Mr. Low. Ashbel P. Fitch, originally a Republican and afterwards a Democratic member of congress from a Tammany district of this city, was the Republican nominee for comptroller. He is defeated by about the same vote as the head of the ticket. He was nominated with General Tracy in recognition of the services he rendered in the presidential campaign last year, fighting as a gold standard Democrat against the Democrats who had accepted the 16 to 1 platform of the Chicago convention.

Charles W. Dayton, late postmaster of this city, who was nominated for comptroller on the George ticket, polled probably half as many votes again as were given to Mr. George. The legislative branch of the city government is Tammany-Democratic. It is a double headed body, one branch being the municipal council, consisting of the president and 28 members, and the other, the board of aldermen, comprising 60 members. The precise number of Democrats chosen cannot be stated at the present writing. There appears to be a strong probability that the Democrats have won a majority of the county and borough offices along with the municipal places. The vote of Van Wyck in New York county is approximately the same as was cast for Bryan in 1896, which was 135,624. General Tracy polled approximately 50,000, against McKinley's vote of 156,359 in New York county, while Low (Citizen's Union) polled approximately 77,000, and George (Jef. Dem.) 12,000.

In Kings county, which includes the city of Brooklyn, the Bryan vote was 76,882, while Van Wyck's vote was almost the same. Against McKinley's vote of 109,135, General Tracy polled approximately 35,000, while Low's vote is approximately 65,000. In these two counties the straight Republican vote shows a falling off of nearly 175,000, or in excess of the total vote of Seth Low, while the Tammany vote equals if it doesn't slightly exceed, that cast for Bryan.

The polling came within about 50,000 of the entire registration, which, considering the weather conditions under which the election proceeded, was all that could be expected. The day was wet, foggy, "muggy" to a degree. It was such a day as, in the years gone by, when the voters lined up in the streets to await their chance to cast their ballots to the judges inside, was called "gold Democratic weather." Under the altered conditions, the voting being done within doors, this characterization cannot well apply.

There was a general suspension of business, and nearly everybody who was qualified had the opportunity of voting. It was only in the outlying sections that the exercise of the right of franchise was attended with any inconvenience. And at night the whole city was alive to the occasion. Bulletin boards, search lights, newspaper extras, readers on the stages of scores of theaters, told the story of the election. The jubilant had recourse to the discreet fish horns for expression of their joy, while the saloons, closed during the hours while the voting was in progress, did business on a scale that promised to compensate for the period of enforced thirst, noisy and brilliantly illuminated. The enthusiasm in the vicinity of Tammany Hall was particularly great.

Van Wyck is shown to have polled a large vote as both Tracy and Low combined, while the George vote, which a week ago was regarded with more or less apprehension and was expected to be anywhere from 65,000 to 100,000, has fallen to almost infinitesimal proportions. It is estimated, upon the basis of the ballots already counted, that Van Wyck's total vote will be from 146,000 to 148,000 in Manhattan and the Bronx, 73,000 in the borough of Brooklyn, 8,500 in Queens and 1,900 in Richmond, or approximately 231,000 votes in greater New York. Low's vote will not be far from 152,000, Tracy's 100,000 and George's 16,000. The aggregate, 349,000, will not be materially altered either way. Gleason's vote and that of the Socialist and Prohibition nominee for the mayoralty will send the grand total above the half million mark.

OFFICIAL RETURNS OF CENTRE COUNTY FOR 1897.

Table with columns for Boroughs, Townships, President, 1896, State Treasurer, Auditor General, Jury Com., and County Surveyor. Lists candidates and vote counts for various districts.

THE RESULT IN OHIO IS DOUBTFUL.

Senator Hanna Declares That the Legislature Has a Republican Majority, and This, If True, Will Result in His Re-Election to the Senate. Columbus, O., Nov. 3.—The result in Ohio is so close that it may require the ballot count to determine the result, especially on the political complexion of the legislature. The Republicans and the Democrats are both claiming the state and the legislature with such persistence that it will require the official count at least to get one or the other to concede defeat.

Out of the five state senators yet to hear from the Republicans claim three, so that the result on the legislature cannot be determined until all the doubtful counties and districts are heard from. Both sides are watching the count very carefully, especially on the legislative candidates that are in doubt. The change from the result of last year shows that the Democrats have gained in all of the cities largely except in Cleveland. The gains in Cincinnati and Columbus were very large. The Republicans gained in the rural districts, but most of the changes were due to the stay at home vote in the rural districts, which was fully 15 per cent.

A telegram from Cleveland announces that at 1 o'clock this morning Senator Hanna claimed a majority of the legislature on joint ballot. Of the result he said: "I am not surprised that the result of the election has been a victory for the Republican party. I have confidence that the result on the legislature will be a swing of the pendulum back to Democratic victory. It has been a good deal accelerated by Foraker's opposition to Hanna. But for the fact that the Democrats did not understand that a Democratic legislature would not elect McLean, the Democratic majority would be much larger, so that what we have lost by defeat of McLean's possible election we have gained by the disaffection among the Republicans due to Foraker's bitter opposition to Hanna."

IN THE OLD BAY STATE. Boston Goes Republican for the Second Time in Two Years. Boston, Nov. 3.—At the elections yesterday the Republicans swept the state by a substantial majority, electing their entire ticket as well as three-quarters of the members of both branches of the legislature. The apathy which marked the entire campaign extended to the election, although the stormy weather which prevailed all day probably accounted for a considerable portion of the decrease in the vote. The tremendous majority which last year elected Governor Wolcott fell off considerably, while George Fred Williams, the Democratic leader, also suffered, but not nearly as much.

Last year the Republicans, after a vigorous campaign on national issues, rolled up a vote of 258,000, but such was the lack of interest this year that the vote fell to 184,000, a plurality of 85,000 over Williams. The Democrats, pursuing a more vigorous course, received 78,000 votes, as compared with 103,000 last year, while the National Democrats not only came within 100 of their vote of 141,644 last year, but actually made a gain of 2 per cent. in ratio to the vote of the state, and obtaining more than the necessary 3 per cent., will continue to hold a place on the state ticket. For the second time in two years this county, ordinarily strongly Democratic, gave a substantial majority to Roger Wolcott.

A PENNSYLVANIA SURPRISE.

Prohibition Candidate Gets 135,000 Votes and Carries Nine Counties. Philadelphia, Nov. 3.—Returns from one-half the wards of this city indicate the election of Colonel Clayton McMichael (Rep.) for city treasurer and Horatio B. Hackett (Rep.) for register of wills by majorities approximating 75,000. Judges Bregy, Wiltbank, Audenried and Ferguson were unanimously re-elected, they having been endorsed by both parties. The proposition to increase the indebtedness of the city \$12,200,000 for public improvements has been carried by about 20,000. Under the provisions of the constitution the city's debt could not be further increased except by the approving vote of the people. The vote is about 30 per cent under that of last year and will not quite equal the "off year" vote of 1895.

Chairman John M. Garman, of the state Democratic committee, was interviewed in Harrisburg last night. He said: "The returns from Pennsylvania show that the Republican party and its management have been severely rebuked by the people, notwithstanding the small vote. Dr. Swallow has received a highly complimentary vote in many localities. Though many Democrats voiced their protest by voting for Swallow instead of their own ticket, yet the gains shown by Brown and Ritter indicate that the people are not averse to sustaining the Democratic party when the candidates are clean and honest. This election indicates that in 1898 the congressional and gubernatorial elections will probably be favorable to the Democrats."

Returns from the state indicate that Dr. S. C. Swallow, Prohibition candidate for state treasurer, known in politics as "the fighting parson," has received more than 125,000 votes. In the counties of Blair, Clinton, Cumberland, Dauphin, Huntingdon, Lycoming, Juniata, Montour and Northumberland the returns indicate that Swallow defeated Beacom, the regular Republican candidate. In 1895 the Prohibition vote in the state was 20,779 and last year it was 19,274.

The result in Dauphin county caused a jubilation by the friends of Dr. Swallow in Harrisburg. The doctor's friends did not anticipate such a result, and paraded the streets with a band. In that county the Republicans carried everything but state treasurer. The incomplete figures show an apparent plurality for Beacom, the head of the Republican ticket, of 148,000, as against Haywood's plurality of 174,284 in 1895. The indications are that McCauley, the Republican candidate for auditor general, received about 170,000 plurality.

The vote throughout the state shows that General McCauley, the candidate for auditor general, ran several thousand ahead of Beacom, the Republican candidate for state treasurer.

THE RESULT IN NEW JERSEY.

Twenty-four Assemblymen and Four Senators Added to the Party Vote. Trenton, Nov. 3.—The vote in New Jersey yesterday was light. The Democrats made gains in almost every county and the Republicans retain control of the state house of assembly by a narrow majority. Last year there were but four Democrats in the lower house. This year there will be 26. The Republicans will have 34 members. The Democrats also made gains in the senate and instead of three members out of 21 will have seven out of that number. Four of the five Republicans retiring from the senate were succeeded by Democrats.

Democrats Win in Detroit. Detroit, Nov. 3.—Yesterday's municipal election resulted in a decisive victory for the head of the Democratic ticket, Mayor Maybury. The official returns, with but three precincts lacking, give Maybury 2,100 plurality over Black, Republican. William B. Thompson, Democrat, is elected treasurer over Grunow, Republican, by something like 4,000. Robert W. Webb, Democrat, is also elected a justice of the peace. The Republicans elect John A. Schmid city clerk by something over 20,000, and also elect Felix A. Lemkie as justice and five estimators-at-large. The Democrats gain two aldermen, and the new council will stand 21 Republicans to 13 Democrats. Mayor Maybury's majority exceeds what he received in the special election for mayor last spring by 1,600.

KENTUCKY SILVERITES WIN.

The Gold Democratic Vote in the State Very Light. Louisville, Ky., Nov. 3.—A conservative estimate places the majority of Charles F. Weaver, Democrat, for mayor over George D. Todd, the present incumbent, at from 3,000 to 3,500. The entire Democratic ticket is undoubtedly elected with him. There is no doubt about the constitutional amendment carrying in Louisville. Returns from the state are meager and unofficial at this hour. These show that Shackford, Silver-Democratic nominee for clerk of the court of appeals, is leading Bailey, Republican. The National Democratic vote was very light. Trustworthy figures will be late.

GORMAN PROBABLY DEFEATED IN MARYLAND.

From Present Indications the Senior Maryland Senator May Be Re-elected by Three Majorities, But the Republicans Deny the Accuracy of the Figures Reported. Baltimore, Nov. 3.—The Republicans have elected their municipal ticket in Baltimore by majorities ranging from 4,000 to 8,000, but the state ticket is in doubt, and there is some reason for believing that the Democrats have carried the legislature and that United States Senator Gorman may succeed himself.

Official returns from the state are of the most meager and unsatisfactory character, so that even the chairman of the state central committee hesitates to express an unqualified opinion as to the state and legislative tickets. A conservative estimate, based upon partial returns, indicate that the Democrats will have 60 votes on joint ballot, while the Republicans will have 57. The list of delegates and senators elected yesterday by each party will probably be as follows: Republican—Allegheny, 6; Anne Arundel, 4; Baltimore city, 19; Charles, 3; Frederick, 5; Garrett, 3; Harford, 1; Prince George's, 4; Somerset, 3. Total, 48.

Democratic—Baltimore county, 6; Calvert, 3; Caroline, 3; Carroll, 4; Cecil, 4; Dorchester, 4; Harford, 4; Howard, 2; Kent, 2; Montgomery, 4; Queen Anne's, 3; St. Mary's, 3; Talbot, 4; Wicomico, 3; Washington, 4; Worcester, 4. Total, 57.

There are 12 "hold over" senators, of whom 9 are Republicans and 3 Democrats, as follows: Republicans—Dryden of Somerset, Westcott of Kent, Emory of Baltimore county, Dobler and Strobridge of Baltimore city, Randall of Anne Arundel, Day of Howard, Norwood of Frederick and Scott of Washington.

The Democratic "hold overs" are Jackson of Wicomico, Finley of Queen Anne and Hering of Carroll. When these are added to the list of those chosen yesterday the totals will be: Republicans, 57; Democrats, 60.

NEBRASKA FUSIONISTS WIN.

A Greater Fusion Victory Than in the Presidential Year. Lincoln, Neb., Nov. 3. Nebraska yesterday renewed her allegiance to fusion by electing the three candidates on that ticket, by pluralities ranging from 10,000 to 25,000. Nothing like complete returns have been received or will be received before night, but enough are in to measure the result and indicate a greater fusion victory than in the presidential year. From fusion headquarters the following was given out: "We have carried Nebraska for the fusion ticket by a plurality of from 20,000 to 25,000. Together with the magnificent victory for the state ticket we have carried a majority of the county tickets. The cause leading to the result is a determination upon the part of the people of Nebraska to demand better money through the unlimited coinage of gold and silver."

New Advertisements.

AUDITOR'S NOTICE.—The undersigned appointed Auditor in the estate of Fannie M. Adams, late of Mifflinburg, Pa., of D. L. Meek, administrator of said estate will attend to the duties of his position, at his office in Bellefonte, on Saturday, Nov. 7, 1897, at 10 o'clock a. m., when and where all parties interested are invited to be present. THOS. R. ZEIGLER, Auditor 42-43-44

NOTICE TO SPLITTING TOWNSHIP CITIZENS.—The citizens of Spring township, will take notice that the compulsory school law has gone into effect, and all children by order of age 8 and 9 years will be required to attend school according to law. By the undersigned SPRING TWP. SCHOOL BOARD, 42-43-44 R. M. KAUF, Sec.

ADMINISTRATOR'S NOTICE.—Letters testamentary on the estate of Lydia A. Zeigler, late of Miles township, Centre county, Pa., having been granted, the undersigned requests all persons knowing themselves indebted to said estate to make immediate payment of said indebtedness and those indebted to said estate, properly authenticated, for payment. THOS. R. ZEIGLER, Administrator. 42-43-44 Rebersburg, Pa.

ADMINISTRATOR'S NOTICE.—Letters testamentary on the estate of William M. Adams, late of Mifflinburg, Pa., having been granted, the undersigned requests all persons having claims against said estate or hereby notified to present same, properly authenticated, for payment, and those knowing themselves indebted to same to make immediate payment thereof. MERRITT'S ADAMS, Administrator. 42-43-44 Mifflinburg, Pa.

ADMINISTRATOR'S NOTICE.—In the Orphan's Court of Centre county, in the matter of the estate of John Burgess, late of Gregg township, Centre Co., Pa., deceased. Letters of Administration, d. b. n. c. t. a., on the above estate, having been granted to the undersigned, all persons indebted to the said estate are requested to make payment, and those having claims to present the same without delay, to the undersigned. GEO. L. BREW, Administrator. 42-43-44

AUDITOR'S NOTICE.—In the Orphan's Court of Centre county, in the matter of the estate of Dr. S. G. Gutelius, of Millheim borough, deceased. The undersigned, an auditor appointed by the said court to distribute the funds in the hands of Fred E. Gutelius, administrator of said decedent, as appears by his final account, do hereby give notice that on Saturday, the 20th day of November, at 10 o'clock a. m., at his office in Crier's Exchange, Bellefonte, Pa., when and where all parties interested are required to be present and prove their claims or be forever barred from coming in upon the said estate. J. H. WETZEL, Auditor. 42-43-44