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THE ELECTION RETURNS.

Republicans Carry Ohio by About 115,000 Plurality.

HANNA'S RETURN TO THE SENATE CERTAIN.

Herrick Gets Probably the Largest Plurality Ever Given to an Ohio Candidate for Governor.

Tammany Wins in New York City--Massachusetts, New Jersey, Pennsylvania and Iowa are Republican--Democrats Successful in Kentucky and Maryland.

Columbus, Nov. 4.—The democratic state committee is giving out no statements. The republican state committee at 10:30 p. m., through Chairman Dick, announced that the plurality for Herrick over Johnson for governor would exceed any plurality ever given a governor in Ohio.

and Johnson 1,065. The tickets were nearly all straight, indicating a republican victory for the entire ticket by good majorities. Canton, Nov. 4.—Republicans carry Canton by about 2,000. Stark county by 3,500 to 4,000. All republican candidates for legislature are elected.

MYRON T. HERRICK.

and that the republican majority on joint ballot in the legislature for the re-election of Senator Hanna would be over 100. Ohio has exceeded 100,000 plurality only twice. In 1863 John Brough, republican, was elected governor by 105,098, when his democratic opponent, Clement L. Vallandigham, was an exile in Canada and the soldiers were voting outside the state.

MARCUS A. HANNA.

Findlay, Nov. 4.—It is now safe to predict the election of the entire republican county ticket. There are still several precincts to be heard from, but they cannot materially change results. Youngstown, Nov. 4.—Youngstown complete gives Herrick 4,375, Johnson 3,209.

majority of the precincts in Franklin county show the election of the entire republican ticket, including four members of the house, with the exception of Sims, for sheriff, who is defeated by Korb, democrat, by 400 to 500. The republican majorities range from about 3,000 for Herrick to several hundred for Wickham, candidate for recorder.

NEW YORK.

New York, Nov. 4.—After a remarkable campaign in which there was united against him nearly all of the newspapers and practically every minister of religion in the city, George B. McClellan, son of the city war general, was yesterday elected third mayor of Greater New York over Seth Low, fusionist, the present mayor.

Col. McClellan, who is at present a member of congress, made the following statement: "I am deeply grateful to my fellow citizens for their confidence in me. I renew the promises which I made before election. I have no bitterness of feeling for any one. I shall go on to Washington to prepare for the extraordinary session and as soon as the question of Cuban reciprocity is disposed of, I shall turn my attention to the affairs of the city."

The victory, great as it is for McClellan, is of more significance to Mr. Murphy, who made up the democratic ticket and who managed the campaign. Defeat would have meant for him deposition from his post as comptroller of the city.

The campaign was one of the most interesting in the history of New York City. From the day Mayor Low was renominated his supporters urged his re-election on the ground that no partisan question was involved, but that every man should vote to uphold the existing administration because it had given the city a business-like conduct of affairs and because it had done much to stamp out the "red light" evil of the East Side.

Mr. McClellan was attacked by the speakers for the fusionists because, they alleged, he had sold the name his father honored to cloak the designs of evil men. To these statements the democrats responded with the charge that Low's non-partisan claims masked an attempt to secure control of the city in the interest of Gov. Odell; that all of the credit for the good business administration under Low belonged to Grout, who was on the democratic ticket, and that every democrat should cast his ballot for McClellan in view of the important bearing this city's vote would have on the presidential election next year.

Low's principal supporting orator was District Attorney Jerome, who bitterly opposed the mayor's renomination on the ground that he was unpopular, but who after the nominating convention made frequent speeches for the fusion ticket. For McClellan Bourke Cockran returned to political activity and made several speeches. Returns from the assembly districts up-state indicate a few gains by the republicans, the returns showing four assemblymen in districts formerly represented by democrats.

At Binghamton, mayor and entire republican ticket elected. Democrats carry Auburn, except for a few minor offices. At Utica, mayor and whole democratic ticket elected. At Oswego the democrats elect the mayor and a majority of the aldermen. Schenectady elects a democratic mayor. Rochester, Nov. 4.—The republicans elect Cutler, for mayor.

Albany, Nov. 4.—Charles H. Gans, republican, was re-elected mayor of Albany by a plurality considerably larger than that of two years ago, defeating Col. William Gorham Rice, formerly United States civil service commissioner under President Cleveland. The campaign was one of the hottest in recent years, being conducted on exclusively local lines. The entire republican city ticket is elected. Syracuse, Nov. 4.—Alan C. Forbes (republican) elected mayor of Syracuse by about 1,400. Forbes defeated Thomas, democrat. The entire republican ticket, city and county, including four members of assembly, is elected. Elmira, Nov. 4.—W. T. Coleman, republican, defeated Mayor Sheehan, democrat. Entire republican county ticket elected.

By the same returns Comptroller Edward M. Grout and Charles V. Fornes, president of the board of aldermen, running for re-election on the democratic ticket, though elected two years ago as fusionists, defeated their fusion opponents by 66,790 and 64,973 plurality respectively, Grout leading the city ticket.

The sweeping democratic victory was accomplished for the democratic city and borough tickets in four of the five boroughs of the municipality, only Richmond borough, (Staten Island) giving Low a plurality and electing fusion borough officers. William S. Devery, independent candidate for mayor, polled only 2,935 votes in the entire city.

New York state gave a majority of nearly 250,000 in favor of the proposition that the state shall spend \$100,000,000 for improving its canals. The plan is to widen and deepen the Erie canal so that it will accommodate barges of 1,000 tons carrying capacity, and to improve the Oswego and Champlain canals.

NEW JERSEY.

Trenton, Nov. 5.—Revised returns from New Jersey show that the republicans carried Middlesex county for both senator and assemblyman. This will make the senate stand 14 republicans to seven democrats, the same as last year's representation. The gain of three assemblymen by the democrats in Union county is offset by losses in other counties. The representation in the house next year will be the same as last year--33 republicans and 22 democrats.

VIRGINIA.

Richmond, Nov. 4.—The elections in Virginia, which was for members of the assembly, have resulted in a democratic sweep of the state. There were few contests, the field as a rule being left open to the democrats. Two surprises appeared, however, in the defeat of the democratic nominee in Botetourt and Fredericksburg. The vote generally was light, being in Richmond city, for example, only about 25 per cent. of the registration. A fierce fight between democrats, one with and the other without the endorsement of the state committee for the treasurership of Henrico county, was a feature of the election and led to a heavy vote in that county. The indications favor the election of the man without the endorsement.

KENTUCKY.

Louisville, Nov. 5.—Returns which are complete save for a few scattered precincts in remote parts of the state, give John C. W. Beckham, democrat, for governor, a majority of 30,000 over Morris H. Belknap, his republican opponent. The missing precincts are both republican and democratic strongholds, yet the assertion seems warranted that the governor's final and official majority will be not less than 25,000. This is the largest majority given a democrat gubernatorial candidate in 15 years. Returns from the mountainous country comprising the Eleventh district give Belknap a majority of 15,353, with two or three precincts to be heard from. This indicates a falling off in the republican vote, as this district usually returns about 20,000 majority for that party. The republicans are preparing charges of fraud alleged to have been perpetrated in Louisville, which they will present to the grand jury in a few days.

NEBRASKA.

Omaha, Nov. 5.—Returns show that Barnes (republican) for supreme judge will have a majority of at least 8,000 over Judge Sullivan. The republican candidates for state university regents, Allen and Whitmore, are also elected by a good majority.

PENNSYLVANIA.

Philadelphia, Nov. 4.—United States Senator Penrose, chairman of the republican state committee, said last night that owing to the fine weather conditions the vote throughout the state was extremely light. This is especially true of the farming districts, where only 50 per cent. of the normal vote was polled. Senator Penrose said the democrats had suffered even more than the republicans and the republican majority would be as large as usual. In the counties where interest was aroused by the judicial contests the full vote was polled. County Chairman Chase, of Clearfield, wired the state chairman that Judge Gordon had won over Allison O. Smith, his democratic opponent, and that the vote was the largest in the history of the county.

All the candidates on the republican city ticket in Philadelphia were elected yesterday by the usually large republican plurality. Although the vote polled was not heavy, the official figures will show a plurality for the several candidates of probably more than 100,000. This city complete gives Mathews, republican, for state treasurer 153,316; Hill, democrat 26,767; Patton, prohibitionist, 1,154; Smith, socialist 2,765; republican plurality 136,549. Reuben O. Moon, republican, was elected to congress from the Fourth district, to fill the vacancy caused by the death of Robert H. Foerderer, republican. The candidates on the republican state ticket for state treasurer, auditor general and two judges of the superior court carried the city by pluralities as large as that given the local candidates.

The election was one of the quietest held here in years. There were no factional differences in the republican ranks, but the democrats were divided, the bolting faction styling itself "The independence party." The vote of the independence party was not large. Philadelphia, Nov. 5.—Latest estimates from the county districts indicate that the republican state ticket will have majorities ranging from 225,000 to 230,000. William P. Snyder, for auditor general, has run slightly behind William L. Mathews for state treasurer, while Morrison and Henderson, who were chosen superior court judges, polled a vote almost equal to that of Mathews. Pittsburg, Nov. 5.—Allegheny county with 10 districts to hear from gives Mathews, republican, for state treasurer 71,550; Hill, democrat, 20,408. The balance of the state ticket was run closely with the leader.

The county fight between the republicans and the citizens' (republican-democrat fusion) was hotly contested. The citizens were again successful in the cities, but by greatly reduced majorities. The county districts, however, voted the republican ticket heavily and the republicans elect their county ticket by majorities ranging between 1,000 and 1,500.

MASSACHUSETTS.

Boston, Nov. 4.—Although somewhat pushed by the exertions of their opponents, the republicans in this state yesterday re-elected Gov. John L. Bates by practically the same plurality as last year. The rest of the state ticket was also elected.

The early returns showed that Gov. Bates had made slight gains in the small towns and cities, but this was overcome by the democrats, who pulled up a big vote in Boston for Col. William A. Gaston, the democratic candidate for governor. The hard work of the party managers in this city resulted in increasing Col. Gaston's plurality of 13,000 last year to 18,929 this year.

With returns complete from every town and city in the state, the total vote for governor was: Bates, republican, 199,393; Gaston, democrat, 163,344. In addition to electing their state ticket and holding the legislature, the republicans were also successful in retaining control of the governor's council, which will be composed of seven republicans and one democrat. The socialist vote showed a falling off from last year and that party also lost a representative from one of the Plymouth county districts, so that the party will have but two members in the coming legislature.

MARYLAND.

Baltimore, Nov. 5.—At midnight the returns of Tuesday's election received from Baltimore city and the state of Maryland had not all been received. Two missing precincts in the city had been counted by the election judges, but owing to the long vigil of the clerical force in the office of the supervisors of election it was decided to close the office. The figures of the missing precincts are promised tomorrow. They will not materially change the result. In Baltimore city the entire democratic state ticket was elected by about 5,000 plurality.

The returns from all the counties of the state have not been received, but enough returns are on hand to assure an overwhelming democratic majority on joint ballot in the general assembly, which elects successor to United States Senator McComas.

RHODE ISLAND.

Providence, Nov. 5.—Complete returns from the 152 districts of the state re-elect Gov. L. F. C. Garvin by 1,587 plurality, a decrease of 6,151 votes.

The senate, including Lieut. Gov. Elect Utter, will stand 23 to 11 in favor of the republicans, while the lower house will consist of 39 republicans and 33 democrats. The republicans elect the entire state ticket with the exception of governor.

IOWA.

Des Moines, Nov. 5.—Returns keep coming in very slowly, but from towns at hand Gov. Cummins' plurality will be cut from \$3,000 two years ago to \$0,000. The democrats have made decided gains in the legislative districts and for the first time in many years the number of democrats will be over 20 and possibly 30.

COLORADO.

Denver, Nov. 5.—The latest returns from the election in Colorado show that the plurality for Campbell, republican, over Wilson, democrat, for the justice of the supreme court will not be far from 7,000. Wilson carried only 11 of the 69 counties in the state, his only large plurality being in Denver, which he carried by 5,300.

MISSISSIPPI.

Jackson, Nov. 4.—The vote in the state in yesterday's election was light. The democratic ticket headed by James Yardman for governor was elected, there being no opposition. An entirely new legislature was elected, which will elect two United States senators.

CALIFORNIA.

San Francisco, Nov. 5.—The official vote for mayor of San Francisco is as follows: Crocker, republican, 19,621; Lane, democrat, 12,578; Whitney, socialist, 1,094.

Killed His Wife and Suicided.

Norwich, N. Y., Nov. 4.—Calvin E. Wade, a prominent farmer of Chenango county, on Tuesday shot his wife and then killed himself. Wade had been vainly trying to drive a hog through a gate and had chased it about until he was out of breath and out of temper. Finally he ran into the house and got his gun, declaring he would kill the animal. His wife laughed at him. Quick as a flash he whirled about and fired at her. She dropped as if dead. Realizing what he had done, Wade placed the muzzle of the gun to his own head and with the other barrel killed himself. His wife died shortly afterwards.

A Great Fire at Troy, N. Y.

Albany, N. Y., Nov. 4.—Fire which started at 10:30 o'clock last night in the Citizen's steamboat line at Troy, raged for two hours before it was under control and destroyed several large buildings on River street. The fire was finally got under control after the fall of the walls of the southernmost buildings. This carried away the electric light circuits along River street and in view of the danger to life and additional property the power was turned off, leaving most of the city in darkness for an hour. The loss is estimated at \$1,000,000.

Three Men Killed by a Train.

Stuebenville, O., Nov. 4.—While walking along the Pan-Handle track just south of here yesterday three Austrian laborers were run down and killed by a westbound train. The noise of an air compressor prevented the men hearing the train as it rounded the curve behind them.

Mrs. Hendricks Dies.

Indianapolis, Nov. 4.—Mrs. Eliza C. Hendricks, the widow of Vice President Thomas A. Hendricks, died at her home in this city Tuesday. She was stricken with paralysis three weeks ago. Mrs. Hendricks was born in North Bend, O., in 1823.

The countess of Warwick intends to establish agricultural settlements in different parts of England, where women who are expert in horticulture, dairy farming and poultry rearing can work on the co-operative principles.

Electricity is making rapid progress in the land of the Nile. Not only Cairo and Alexandria, but almost every city in the interior is now lighted by electricity. The telephone system of the larger cities is being extended, and electrically propelled boats will soon ply on the Nile.

It is reported that a Hamburg firm has received an order to equip the Chinese emperor's palace at Peking with electricity. For this purpose a dynamo with four steam engines and 16 transformers will be required.

Three canes which at one time belonged to distinguished Americans have been presented to the York (Pa.) Historical society. One was originally the property of Stephen A. Douglas; another was owned by James Buchanan before his election to the presidency, and the third was the property of Roger B. Taney, chief justice of the United States.

The latest craze in New York among the very wealthy is an extravagant style of invitation card. Not long ago the wife of a millionaire ordered 200 of these from a local firm and they cost her just \$10 each.

A power transmission installation is now being erected at Bagelino, in Italy, in which a pressure of 40,000 volts will be used—the first instance in Europe of so high a voltage being employed. The project is designed to distribute power to the town of Brescia, and the neighboring works.

The right or otherwise of a shirt waist man to enter the dining-room of a hotel is about to be settled in a Philadelphia court. One hot day last July De Wolf Norman, a Quaker City man of social note, entered a dining-room minus coat and waistcoat, but wearing a neat shirt waist and belt.

Sorely tried housekeepers in New York and vicinity hope great things from a newly started movement for a servant's guild whose main object will be to thoroughly train acceptable girls for the duties of domestic service. Mrs. Russell Sage has been especially prominent in the movement.

The greatest ocean depth ever discovered was sounded only a short time ago, during the recent cruise of the Albatross in the Pacific. Prof. Agassiz being in charge of the expedition, and near the island of Guam. There the beam trawl, attached to a steel cable, was lowered to the depth of 28,878 feet, five miles, almost at high as Mt. Everest.

An exceedingly interesting communication was made to the Academie des Sciences recently by M. Raphael Dubois, professor of the University of Lyons, who informed the learned body that he had found the means of acclimating the pearl oyster and reproducing pearls on the coast of France.

Dayton, Nov. 4.—Montgomery county makes a clean sweep for Myron T. Herrick, and the legislative ticket by about 4,000 majority. The entire republican ticket is elected by a majority ranging from 2,900 to 4,900.

Limu, Nov. 4.—Fifteen precincts of 37 give Johnson 152 plurality over Herrick. Owing to the redistricting of the precincts comparison cannot be made with previous years. Akron, Nov. 4.—Seventeen precincts in city and county give Herrick 1,738