

CONGRESSMEN CHOSEN

Republicans Retain Control of the National House.

MAJORITY MAY BE DOUBLED

Dominant Party Will Have Majority of at Least Fifty, But Claim More When All the Returns of the Election Are In.

Washington, Nov. 9. — President Roosevelt is assured of the co-operation of a Republican congress. The present Republican majority in that body is 34, and there need be no surprise if this figure is almost doubled, and it is reasonably certain to reach a majority of at least 50. In practically all districts the Republicans have held their own, while in some significant instances the Democrats have lost. Probably the most marked of these cases are the fourth and fifth districts of California (San Francisco), now represented by Representatives Livernash and Winn, Democrats, which reports indicate have been gained by the Republicans. In the 12th Ohio district, Taylor, Rep., is reported to have defeated Badger, the sitting Democratic member, who was a candidate for re-election. The most surprising of all the representatives, however, comes from the fifth and 15th Missouri districts, with strongly Democratic, and the former represented by Mr. Cowherd, chairman of the Democratic congressional campaign committee. The Republicans claim to have carried both districts. In the light of these reports, a Republican majority of 50 in the house is considered a conservative estimate. Returns from the southern states show that they have returned the usual Democratic majorities on congressmen as no other candidates. The states of Alabama, Arkansas, Florida, Georgia, Mississippi, North Carolina, South Carolina and Texas, all send solid Democratic delegations, while those from Kentucky and Virginia probably each will send only one Republican representative, making no change from the present complexion. Tennessee will continue to send two Republican congressmen. There are several solid Republican delegations already reported from northern states, including Iowa (with one possible exception), Kansas, Minnesota, New Hampshire and the two Dakotas. To these must be added the delegations from Maine, Oregon and Vermont, in which state elections were held prior to today.

The latest returns show congressmen have been elected in the different states as follows: Alabama, Dem., 9; Arkansas, Dem., 7; California, Rep., 1; Connecticut, Rep., 5; Florida, Dem., 3; Georgia, Dem., 11; Illinois, Rep., 20, Dem., 3; Indiana, Rep., 9, Dem., 2; Iowa, Rep., 11; Kansas, Rep., 8; Kentucky, Rep., 1, Dem., 9; Louisiana, Dem., 7; Maine, Rep., 4; Maryland, Rep., 3, Dem., 2; Massachusetts, Rep., 11, Dem., 3; Michigan, Rep., 11; Minnesota, Rep., 8; Mississippi, Dem., 8; Missouri, Rep., 1, Dem., 7; Nebraska, Rep., 4; New Hampshire, Rep., 2; New Jersey, Rep., 9, Dem., 11; North Carolina, Dem., 10; North Dakota, Rep., 2, Dem., 2; Ohio, Rep., 16, Dem., 4; Oregon, Rep., 2; Pennsylvania, Rep., 20, Dem., 2; South Carolina, Dem., 7; South Dakota, Rep., 2; Tennessee, Rep., 2, Dem., 8; Texas, Dem., 16; Vermont, Rep., 2; Virginia, Rep., 1, Dem., 9; West Virginia, Dem., 1; Wisconsin, Rep., 8, Dem., 1; Wyoming, Rep., 1. Totals, Rep., 298; Dem., 135.

Missouri In Doubt. St. Louis, Nov. 9.—This morning the results of the election in Missouri and in St. Louis were in doubt. Both sides claimed victory. The Democratic state committee claimed that the state had been carried by a majority of 35,000 and St. Louis by 5,000, and that the legislature will be Democratic by a majority of 40, assuring the re-election of United States Senator Cockrell. On the other hand, State Republican Chairman Niedringhaus was equally assertive that St. Louis has gone Republican by 20,000, and the state majority would reach 5,000. He felt confident that final returns would show at least five Republican congressmen elected.

New Hampshire's Vote. Concord, N. H., Nov. 9.—This state has preserved unbroken its line of Republican national victories, which began with Fremont in 1856, and has given its electoral vote to Roosevelt by approximately 20,000. Congressmen Suloway and Currier are re-elected by pluralities ranging from 7,000 to 9,000, and McLane, Rep., for governor leads Hollis by about 15,000. The legislature will be strong Republican in both branches. Senator Gallinger, chairman of the Republican state committee, claims the election of at least 22 of the 24 senators, and between 280 and 300 of the 393 members of the house.

383,195 IN PENNSYLVANIA

Republicans Also Make Gains in Congressmen.

Philadelphia, Nov. 9.—The Republicans have made an almost complete sweep in Pennsylvania, carrying the state for Roosevelt and Fairbanks by 383,195, a gain of 94,762 over McKinley's plurality, and electing 25 out of 26 state senators and 30 of the 32 congressmen. They have also elected 175 of the 204 members of the house of representatives. This gives them control of both branches of the legislature by a large majority, insuring the election of Governor Pennypacker's appointee, Philander C. Knox, for United States senator, to succeed the late M. S. Quay.

Late returns make the result in the 26th congressional district doubtful, with a probability that Schneebel (Rep.) is elected over Broadhead (Dem.). With Schneebel elected, the next Pennsylvania delegation in the national house of representatives will stand: Republicans, 31; Democrat, 1.

Returns from Berks county also cast doubt upon the result in the 13th congressional district, although it is believed that Congressman Kline (Dem.) is re-elected, though by a greatly reduced plurality. Should Kline be defeated and Schneebel elected, the congressional delegation will be solidly Republican.

John P. Elkins, the Republican, is elected state supreme court judge by a majority almost as great as that cast for the Republican national ticket. The Republicans have also carried nearly all the judicial districts in which elections were held for common pleas judges, and the five counties in which associate judges were chosen.

The following state senators have been elected, those marked with \* having been re-elected:

- First district, \*George A. Vore, Rep.; 2d, \*William H. Keyser, Rep.; 3d, Charles L. Brown, Rep.; 4th, James P. McNichol, Rep.; 5th, \*William C. Sprout, Rep.; 6th, \*Edwin M. Herbst, Dem.; 7th, \*Milton Heldelbaugh, Rep.; 8th, D. P. Gerberich, Rep.; 9th, Oscar E. Thompson, Rep.; 10th, Sterling R. Catlin, Rep.; 11th, \*Robert S. Edmiston, Rep.; 12th, \*Myron Matson, Rep.; 13th, Frederick A. Godcharles, Rep.; 14th, Charles E. Quail, Rep.; 15th, William H. Manbeck, Rep.; 16th, \*Alexander Stewart, Rep.; 17th, Edward A. Irvin, Rep.; 18th, the unexpired term of the late A. E. Patton; 19th, \*Jacob C. Steinman, Rep.; 20th, \*John S. Fisher, Rep.; 21st, \*Cyrus E. Woods, Rep.; 22nd, George W. McNeese, Rep.; 23rd, David A. Wilbert, Rep.; 24th, \*John W. Crawford, Rep.; 25th, Elmer I. Phillips, Rep.; 26th, \*A. E. Sissom, Rep.

NEW JERSEY FOR ROOSEVELT

Republican National and State Tickets Elected by Big Plurality.

Trenton, N. J., Nov. 9.—The result in New Jersey has been a veritable landslide and President Roosevelt's plurality will reach 60,000, compared with the plurality obtained by McKinley four years ago, when the state was carried by the Republicans by 56,889. Edward S. Stokes, the Republican candidate for governor, against whom a vigorous campaign was made by Charles C. Black, the Democratic candidate, on an equal taxation platform, runs behind Roosevelt, but will have a plurality of 40,000. The Republicans have succeeded in defeating William Hughes, the Democratic congressman from the Sixth district, and also claim to have defeated Congressman Allen Denny, who was a candidate for re-election in the Ninth district. Mr. Hughes' successful opponent was Henry C. Allen. The Republican candidate in the Ninth district was Marshall Van Winkle. With the defeat of Hughes and Denny the Democrats will have but one congressman from New Jersey, Allan McDermott, of the Tenth district.

The state legislature will show increased Republican membership, and will be overwhelmingly Republican on joint ballot. This assures the re-election of John Kean to the United States senate. Of the seven candidates for state senate, the Democrats elected one in Hudson county, and the senate will stand as last year, 14 Republicans and seven Democrats. The Republicans have gained assemblymen in Salem, Somerset and Union counties, and possibly in Monmouth county. With the Republicans elected from Monmouth county the assembly will stand 47 Republicans to 15 Democrats. Last year there were 37 Republicans and 25 Democrats.

In Ocean county, where there was a bitter Republican factional fight, Senator Shinn was re-elected by 500 plurality. In Camden Charles H. Ellis, Republican, defeated Joseph E. Nowrey, Democrat, the present incumbent, for mayor by about 1,000 plurality.

New Jersey State Senators. The senators elected were: Atlantic county—Edward S. Lee, Rep., re-elected. Bergen—Edmund W. Wakelee, Rep., re-elected. Cumberland—Bloomfield H. Minch, Rep., re-elected. Hudson—James W. Minturn, Dem. Mercer—Barton B. Hutchinson, Rep. Morris—Thomas J. Hillery, Rep. Ocean—George L. Shinn, Rep., re-elected.

New Jersey Assembly. Atlantic county—T. L. Elvins, Rep. Bergen—John Heck, Clarence Mable, Reps. Burlington—B. D. Shedaker, S. K. Robbins, Reps. Camden—H. S. Scovel, T. Gibbs, S. P. Jones, Reps. Cape May—J. M. E. Hildreth, Rep. Cumberland—L. H. Miller, B. F. Back, Reps. Essex—E. Colby, F. L. Lahlbach, Wm. Pennington, H. D. Birkholz, A.

LEGAL ADVERTISEMENTS.

FARMS FOR SALE.—The estate of JACOB GARRICK, decd., will dispose of two farms in Marion township. The one is known as the "JACOB HARTER FARM" which comprises 230 acres, 100 of which is timberland adjoining which will be offered jointly or apart, to the purchaser. The other is known as the "MC DAULEY FARM" of 126 acres, adjoins the above property. Both farms have good buildings, under splendid cultivation, supplied with spring water, well located and will make either a desirable home or a good investment. For further information inquire of GEO. GARRICK, Bellefonte, Pa. HENRY GARRICK, ZION, Administrators.

AUDITOR'S NOTICE.—In the matter of the Estate of JONATHAN TRUESLER, late of Harris Township, Centre Co. Penn'a. dec'd. The undersigned, an auditor appointed by the Orphan's Court of Centre county, to make distribution of the funds in the hands of the executor, to and among those legally entitled to receive the same, will meet to perform the duties of his appointment on Friday, November 25, 1904, at 10 o'clock in the forenoon, at his offices in Temple Court, in the borough of Bellefonte, Penn'a., at which time and place all parties interested in said estate are requested to be present and prove their claim or to be forever hereafter debarred from coming in upon said fund. HARRY KELLER, Auditor.

AUDITOR'S NOTICE.—ANDREW BROCKENHOFF et al vs The Bellefonte Gas Co. In the Court of Common Pleas of Centre county, sitting in Equity, No. 1 Nov. Term 1904. The undersigned, an auditor appointed by said Court to make distribution of the balance in the hands of Chas M. McCurdy, Receiver, as shown by his final account, will meet the parties interested for a hearing at his office No. 16 North Allegheny street, Bellefonte, Pa., on Monday, Nov. 14, A. D. 1904, at 10 o'clock a. m., when and where all persons interested are requested to appear, prove their respective claims, and present the same for payment or to be forever debarred from coming in on said fund. JAS. A. B. MILLER, Auditor.

HOW PARKER TOOK IT. Congratulated Roosevelt and Took His Defeat Philosophically. Esopus, N. Y., Nov. 9.—Judge Parker conceded the election of President Roosevelt at 8:30 last evening, when he received a bulletin that the Democratic national headquarters had already admitted that every doubtful state had been carried by the Republican national ticket. He appeared to be not at all cast down by the result, although it is known that he greatly deplored his overwhelming defeat in his own state. He received the discouraging news in his study, where he had been smoking with two of his neighbors. The bulletin from Democratic headquarters concerning Judge Parker's defeat was given to the judge by the Associated Press representative. When asked if he had any statement to make, he pulled a telegraph blank toward him and wrote hastily for a moment. Then he said: "I am going to send this telegram to President Roosevelt." The message was dispatched at once. It was as follows: "The President, Washington, D. C.—The people by their votes have emphatically approved your administration and I congratulate you."

The demeanor of Judge Parker as he heard the bulletins read was of cheerful resignation. He wore the air of one who could say if he would: "I will die game," and die game he did. He discussed the returns with his friends and compared the figures with former years. It might have been some other man's defeat for all the concern he seemed to feel.

At 10 o'clock Judge Parker received a telegram from President Roosevelt, as follows: "I thank you for your congratulations."

Judge Parker retired at 11:40 o'clock last night, declining to make any statement beyond that indicated by his telegram to President Roosevelt.

ROOSEVELT'S STATEMENT

Will Not Accept Another Nomination Under Any Circumstances.

Washington, Nov. 9.—President Roosevelt, after the election returns clearly indicated the result, issued the following statement: "I am deeply sensible of the honor done me by the American people in thus expressing their confidence in what I have done and have tried to do. I appreciate to the full the solemn responsibility this confidence imposes upon me, and I shall do all that in my power lies next to forfeit it. On the 4th of March next I shall have served three and one-half years, and this three and one-half years constitutes my first term. The wise custom which limits the president to two terms regards the substance and not the form, under no circumstances will I be a candidate or accept another nomination."

Connecticut Republican. New Haven, Conn., Nov. 9.—President Roosevelt and the entire Republican ticket carried the state by an overwhelming plurality, which was even larger than the most sanguine of the party predicted. President Roosevelt's plurality is 33,000, which is several thousand ahead of McKinley's figures in 1900.

The state ticket was not far behind, and from Henry Roberts, the candidate for governor, down, there was a clean sweep. Congressmen in each of the four districts and the congressman-at-large were all re-elected, and the legislature will remain Republican by a ratio estimated at about 2 1/2 to 1, which is a slight gain over the ratio of two years ago.

Roosevelt Sweeps Illinois. Chicago, Nov. 9.—According to the returns Illinois will give to President Roosevelt the largest plurality ever given to any presidential candidate. He has by the unofficial returns carried Chicago by 97,000, and the county of Cook outside of the city will give him about 9,000 additional, making his plurality in the state 200,000.

The Republican state ticket has been overwhelmingly elected, Deneen for governor running about 15,000 behind the national ticket in Cook county.

Virginia For Parker. Richmond, Va., Nov. 9.—The election in Virginia was absolutely without disturbance so far as has been heard. The Democratic majority on the presidential ticket will be about 25,000. Nine Democratic congressmen out of a total of 10 have been chosen. Sloop, the Republican incumbent in the Ninth district, apparently is re-elected by a majority of about 12,000.

COURT PROCLAMATION.

Whereas, the Honorable J. G. Love, President Judge of the Court of Common Pleas of the 19th Judicial District, consisting of the county of Centre, having issued his precept, bearing date the 31st day of October, 1904, to me directed, for holding a Court of Common Pleas, Orphan's Court of Quarter Sessions of the Peace, Oyer and Terminer and General Jail Delivery, in Bellefonte, for the county of Centre and to commence on the 4th MONDAY OF NOVEMBER, being the 29th day of November, 1904, and to continue two weeks, notice is hereby given to the Coroner, Justices of the Peace, Aldermen and Constables of said county of Centre, that they be then and there in their proper persons, at 10 o'clock in the forenoon of the 29th, with their records, inquisitions, examinations, and in their respective manorances, to do those things which to

their office appertains to be done and those who are bound in recognizances to prosecute against the prisoners that are of shall be in the jail of Centre county, be then and there to prosecute against them as shall be just.

Given under my hand at Bellefonte the 31st day of October, in the year of our Lord 1904, and the one hundred and twenty-eighth year of the independence of the United States. H. S. TAYLOR, Sheriff.

EXECUTOR'S SALE.

Notice is hereby given that the undersigned Executors of the estate of Charles Witmer, late of Benner Township, deceased, will offer at public sale on the premises on THURSDAY, DECEMBER 1, 1904 at 1:30 P. M., a LARGE and VALUABLE FARM and LIME STONE PROPERTY belonging to the decedent, situate on the Buffalo Run, in the Township of Benner, 1 1/2 miles west of Bellefonte, known as the CHARLES WITMER HOME-STEAD FARM, containing in all 219 OR 220 ACRES thereon erected South of the railroad a bank barn, a dwelling house and other outbuildings, and on the lime stone property a two story dwelling house and stable.

On the premises are orchards, gardens, a fine flowing stream and two never failing wells. The soil is fertile and in a high state of cultivation. The farm proper consisting of 142 acres and 177 perches, is one of the most valuable farms in Centre county.

The lime stone property consisting of 75 acres, has running through for 100 rods the celebrated Bellefonte vein of lime stone, which chemical analysis proves to be the highest grade on this particular farm. This lime stone is near the railroad and is unrivaled in position for development by any manufacturer. The same vein of lime stone is worked both to the East and West of this property by the American Lime and Stone Company.

TERMS OF SALE:—Will be one-third down in cash, one-third in one year, and one-third in two years, the deferred payments to bear interest from date of deed, and to be secured by mortgage and on the premises.

The undersigned will also offer for sale a buggy, sleigh and harness.

JOSEPH ALFRED WITMER, SAMUEL CALVIN WITMER, Executors.

PUBLIC SALE REGISTER.

Notice of sales inserted under this heading for \$1 when not exceeding 5 lines. Persons having bills printed at this office receive notice free. As this paper has over 4000 circulation, its value as an advertising medium can be appreciated.

THURSDAY, NOV. 17.—1 1/2 miles west of Julian at 1:30 p. m. Dark Bay station, bay horse, 21 head of cattle, farm implements, etc. S. K. Emerick, auct. C. M. MEYER.

SATURDAY, NOVEMBER 26.—1 mile west of Rurville, on Joseph Idding's farm, large lot of horses, cattle and farm implements. Joseph L. Neff, auct. ORAN POORMAN.

THURSDAY, DEC 1st.—At 1:30 p. m. on premises in Benner Twp. 230 acre farm with lime stone ledge—estate of Chas. Witmer. deed. see advertisement another column.

Some People---Like the very latest and smartest things in Footwear and nothing short of the newest and swellest styles. Other People--- Don't care so much for style, but are better pleased with good, comfortable, durable and easy going Shoes. Most People--- Want both style and comfort combined in reasonably priced, good looking, well wearing Shoes. NOW, READER, It doesn't matter to which of the above classes you belong---your Shoes are here. Come in and we'll certainly take pleasure in showing them to you. Cousins and Queen Quality for women--Banister and Douglas for men. MINGLE'S SHOE STORE

The Best Printing always appeals to the eye; likewise the other kind. But how different the impression made. It is to your interest to get the best. Kindly remember this when in need of Letter Heads, Notes Heads, Bill Heads, Statements, Envelopes, Business Cards, Shipping Tags, Circulars, Posters, Booklets, Wedding Invitations, Programs, etc., and let us know your wants. No matter where you live in the county, telephone or write us. You will always get good service At the Centre Democrat

RAILROAD SCHEDULE.

PENNSYLVANIA RAILROAD AND BRANCHES IN EFFECT ON AND AFTER MAY 30th, 1904

Trains arrive at and depart from Bellefonte as follows: VIA TYRONE--WESTWARD. Leave Bellefonte 9:53 a. m., arrive at Tyrone 11:05 a. m.; at Altoona 1:09 p. m.; at Pittsburgh 2:59 p. m. Leave Bellefonte 1:05 p. m.; arrive at Tyrone 2:10 p. m.; at Altoona 3:10 p. m.; at Pittsburgh 5:05 p. m. Leave Bellefonte 4:44 p. m.; arrive at Tyrone 5:56 p. m.; at Altoona 7:05; at Pittsburgh at 10:50

VIA TYRONE--EASTWARD. Leave Bellefonte 9:53 a. m., arrive at Tyrone 11:05 a. m.; at Altoona 1:09 p. m.; at Philadelphia 5:47 p. m. Leave Bellefonte 1:05 p. m., arrive at Tyrone 2:10 p. m.; at Altoona 3:10 p. m.; at Philadelphia 6:47 p. m. Leave Bellefonte 4:44 p. m., arrive at Tyrone 5:56 p. m.; at Altoona 7:05 p. m.; Philadelphia 10:50 p. m.

VIA LOCK HAVEN--WESTWARD. Leave Bellefonte 1:05 p. m., arrive at Lock Haven 2:10 p. m.; at Williamsport 3:25 p. m.; at Philadelphia 6:47 p. m. Leave Bellefonte 4:44 p. m., arrive at Tyrone 5:56 p. m.; at Altoona 7:05 p. m.; Philadelphia 10:50 p. m.

VIA LOCK HAVEN--EASTWARD. Leave Bellefonte 9:22 a. m., arrive at Lock Haven 10:30, leave Williamsport 12:35 p. m., arrive at Harrisburg 3:20 p. m., at Philadelphia at 6:25 p. m. Leave Bellefonte 1:25 p. m., arrive at Lock Haven 2:10 p. m.; at Williamsport 3:25 p. m.; at Harrisburg 5:58 p. m.; Philadelphia 9:15 p. m. Leave Williamsport 1:30 a. m., arrive Harrisburg 4:15 a. m., arrive at Philadelphia at 7:15 a. m.

HALD EAGLE VALLEY.

WESTWARD. EASTWARD.

Table with columns for stations and times. Includes stations like Tyrone, Altoona, and Harrisburg.

LEWISBURG & TYRONE RAILROAD.

In effect May 24, 1903.

Table with columns for stations and times. Includes stations like Tyrone, Altoona, and Harrisburg.

BELLEFONTE & SNOWSHOE BRANCH.

Time Table in effect on and after Nov. 20, 1904.

Leave Bellefonte 11:35 a. m., and 5:45 p. m. Arrive at Snow Shoe 11:30 a. m. " 7:27 p. m.

Leave Snow Shoe 7:30 a. m. " 2:15 p. m. Arrive at Bellefonte 9:32 p. m. " 5:20 p. m.

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W. W. ATTERBURY, J. R. WOOD Gen'l. Manager Gen'l Pass. Agt.

THE CENTRAL RAILROAD OF PENNA.

Time Table effective Jun. 15, 1904

Table with columns for stations and times. Includes stations like Harrisburg, Altoona, and Philadelphia.

(New York Central & Hudson River R. R.)

11:45 8:30 Jersey Shore 7:40 3:16

12:2 9:10 ART Wmsport Lve 17 H 2:40

12:2 11:30 Lve ATT 6:9 2:23 (Phila. & Reading RR)

7:8 6:50 PHILAD 11:30 1:36

10:4 9:02 NEW YORK 7:70 1:26 (Via Phila.)

p. m. a. m. ATT Lve. p. m. a. m.

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Philadelphia sleeping car attached to east bound train from Williamsport at 11:30 p. m., and west bound from Philadelphia at 11:30 p. m.

J. W. GIBBART, General Supt.

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To take effect July 18, 1904

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F. H. THOMAS, Supt.

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