

DEMOCRATIC GAINS IN NEXT CONGRESS

INDICATIONS POINT TO A CLOSE VOTE IN THE HOUSE.

Slightly-five Republicans and 100 Democrats Elected in Districts Thus Far Heard from, a Net Democratic Gain of 41—Returns Are Slow and Total Vote Cannot Yet Be Approximated.

New York, Nov. 8.—Returns received in the Associated Press office from this city from all over the country up to 12:30 this (Wednesday) morning indicate that eighty-five Republicans and one hundred and nine Democrats have certainly been elected to seats in the national house of representatives.

Washington, Nov. 8.—Chairman Baebcock of the Republican congressional committee, has just made the following statement to the Associated Press:

"While I am satisfied that the Republicans will control the house of representatives in the Fifty-sixth congress, it is impossible at this hour to indicate what our majority in the house will be. Thus far we have no definite returns from Illinois, Wisconsin, Minnesota, Iowa or Kansas, who has elected 15 Republicans certainly and two districts seem to be in doubt. From Michigan the returns seem to indicate a solid Republican delegation. Representative Hawley is elected in Texas. Wisconsin has elected its twenty-fourth Congressmen and Samuel J. Pugh is probably elected in the ninth Kentucky. The election of George M. Davison in the eighth Kentucky is in doubt, with chances seemingly in favor of his election. Advances from Maryland show that we have elected four representatives certainly. Nineteen members of the delegation from New York state and perhaps more will be Republican. I. P. Fischer, of the fourth New York—Brooklyn—is the only member we have elected in Maryland. The election of Cochran in the nineteenth New York and Mahony in the thirty-second—Buffalo—is in doubt. From Pennsylvania we thus far have received some meagre returns, but the indications are that we have sustained some losses there. Kentucky, of the eighth district and Arnold, of the twenty-eighth, seem to have been defeated. Unofficial advices from western states show that we have more than held our own and my conviction is that we shall control the house by a safe majority probably not far from the figures which I gave out last week. The figures referred to by Mr. Baebcock were obtained in his prediction that the Republicans would have a majority over all of about 25.

THE DEMOCRATIC VIEW.

Since early evening Secretary Kerr, of the Democratic central committee, and a small corps of political statisticians have been working on returns received at Democratic congressional headquarters. To the Associated Press Secretary Kerr said at 1 o'clock: "The Republicans have lost control of the house of representatives. We will have from 186 to 190 members and will organize the house of the Fifty-sixth congress. The majority of the opposition will be from 16 to 20 over the Republicans and perhaps more. Our advices indicate that we have gained in the state of Delaware. In Virginia a gain of three in Virginia, Secretary Kerr includes two districts which elected Democratic congressmen in 1916 were unsatisfied by the present house.

ALABAMA.

Mobile, Ala., Nov. 8.—Interest in today's election was slight. The Democrats elect a governor by the usual plurality and capture the nine congressmen.

CALIFORNIA.

San Francisco, Cal., Nov. 8.—Gage, the simplest cure for indigestion.

AS WELL AS THE SAFEST AND CHEAPEST.

The new medical discovery, Stuart's Dyspepsia Tablets, digest the food instead of making the worn out stomach do all the work, give it a much needed rest and a cure of dyspepsia is the natural result.

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MINNESOTA.

St. Paul, Minn., Nov. 8.—Eustis, Rep., for governor, seven Republican congressmen and an overwhelmingly Republican legislature insuring the re-election of Senator Cushman K. Davis as the result of today's balloting. The vote was light.

MISSISSIPPI.

Natchez, Miss., Nov. 8.—The Democrats today elected a solid delegation of seven congressmen. The gubernatorial battle does not occur until one year hence.

Rep. for governor, has 20,000 plurality. Six out of seven congressmen are Republican. The legislature also is Republican.

COLORADO.

Denver, Col., Nov. 8.—The Democratic and fusion forces defeated the Republicans all along the line. Their candidate for governor, C. S. Thomas, has a plurality of 2,000 over Henry R. Wolcott, the Republican candidate. The fusionists also elect their two congressmen.

CONNECTICUT.

Hartford, Nov. 8.—Connecticut today elected a full state ticket in addition to its four representatives in congress, legislature and sheriffs in the eight counties. The four Republican members are re-elected and Lounsbury, Rep., for governor, wins by a reduced plurality. The legislature is Republican, insuring the return of Senator Joseph R. Hawley.

DELAWARE.

Wilmington, Del., Nov. 8.—The Republicans elected five congressmen, electing J. H. Hoeffcker over L. I. Handy by 800 plurality. The legislature is in doubt.

FLORIDA.

Tallahassee, Fla., Nov. 8.—Congressmen Parkman and Davis, Democrats, are re-elected today by undiminished pluralities.

GEORGIA.

Atlanta, Ga., Nov. 8.—Georgia sends a solid delegation of eleven Democrats to congress.

IDAHO.

Boise City, Nov. 8.—The fight between Moss, Rep., and Steunenberg, Fusion, for governor, complicated by a Populist ticket headed by J. H. Anderson, is close. The indications are that Steunenberg is re-elected but that Heyburn, Rep., will pull through for congress.

ILLINOIS.

Chicago, Nov. 8.—On a tight vote the Democrats seem to have carried eight out of twenty-two congressmen, a gain of four.

INDIANA.

Indianapolis, Nov. 8.—Indications early this evening point to a Republican victory on the state ticket of 15,000. Republican control of the legislature and nine out of thirteen congressmen.

IOWA.

Des Moines, Iowa, Nov. 8.—Returns at midnight indicate a solid Republican delegation by pluralities aggregating 5,000 throughout the state.

KANSAS.

Topeka, Nov. 8.—The Republican candidate for governor, W. E. Stanley, had today to fight Governor Leedy, nominated by the Populists and endorsed by the Democrats, also a prohibition and a socialist labor nominee, but he has carried the state by a comfortable majority, estimated at 19 o'clock by 8,000. The Republicans elect 6 out of 8 congressmen, a gain of 4.

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Louisville, Ky., Nov. 8.—Nine Democrats and two Republicans are elected to congress, a gain of two.

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The Ringing The People's Exchange.

of the dinner-bell is joyous music for the hungry man with a good digestion, but it is like a knell to him whose stomach is flabby, toneless and unequal to its work. A word to this poor fellow: Just before your meal take a table-spoonful of

Duffy's Pure Malt Whiskey.

Keep this up for a short time and gastric trouble will disappear; the dinner will be quickly converted into blood, bone and muscle. Duffy's Malt is the only whiskey classed by the Government among medicines.

To be had of all reliable druggists and grocers. Positively refuse substitutes.

Dem., is re-elected and the legislature will be Democratic on joint ballot.

MONTANA.

Butte, Nov. 8.—A. J. Campbell, Dem., has an easy victory for congress. The Democratic state ticket wins.

NEBRASKA.

Lincoln, Nov. 8.—One of the hottest campaigns ever known in Nebraska closed today. The gubernatorial battle of M. L. Haywood, Rep., against William A. Poynter, Populist-fusion candidate, covered every square inch of possible ground. Tonight Republicans claim Poynter's election and three out of six congressmen, a gain of one.

NEVADA.

Carson City, Nov. 8.—Governor Sadler, Silverite, is re-elected and so is Newlands, Silver Democrat, for congress.

NEW HAMPSHIRE.

Concord, N. H., Nov. 8.—Frank W. Rollins, Republican candidate for governor, on a tight vote, has 10,000 plurality. Congressmen Salloway and Clarke, Rep., are re-elected. The legislature is overwhelmingly Republican.

NEW JERSEY.

Newark, N. J., Nov. 8.—Chairman Naphey, of the Republican state committee, at 8:45 p. m. said: "We have carried the state for Voorhees by 11,000. We have elected a majority of the assembly and will elect John Keen United States senator."

NORTH CAROLINA.

Wilmington, N. C., Nov. 8.—Returns are all coming the Democratic way. Majority of Bellamy, Democrat, for congress this district, may reach 6,000. Democratic majority for state ticket will be large and probably six Democratic congressmen elected. Both houses of legislature will be strongly Democratic.

NORTH DAKOTA.

Fargo, N. D., Nov. 8.—North Dakota elects a Republican governor and congressman by 2,000 plurality.

OHIO.

Cleveland, Nov. 8.—Returns in at 9 o'clock indicate that Kinney, Republican for secretary of state, has carried at least ten of the thirteen congressmen by 10,000. This is a gain of 5,000 over the Republican plurality of one year ago.

OREGON.

Portland, Ore., Nov. 8.—At the Oregon state election, held June 6, the Republican state ticket was elected. Governor Geer received 45,104 votes, a majority of 10,254 over King, the fusion candidate, representing Democrats, Populists, and free silver Republicans. The balance of the state ticket received pluralities of from 8,000 to 10,000. In the first congressional district, Tongue (Republican) was chosen by over 2,000 plurality; and in the second, Moody (Republican) by nearly 7,000 plurality.

RHODE ISLAND.

Providence, R. I., Nov. 8.—Representatives Bull and Capron, Rep., are re-elected by increased pluralities.

SOUTH CAROLINA.

Charleston, S. C., Nov. 8.—The Democratic state ticket has no opposition and the Democrats retain the seven congressmen.

TENNESSEE.

Memphis, Tenn., Nov. 8.—McMillin, Dem., for governor, wins by 15,000. The Democrats elect eight congressmen.

HAPPINESS VS. MISERY.

Dr. Chas. F. Tonic Tablets, the great Paralytic, is a guaranteed cure for the Drunken Habit and nervousness and insomniacally caused by over-indulgence.

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LEGAL.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT A meeting of the stockholders of the Mount Vernon Coal Company will be held on the 27th day of December, 1918, at the office of the company, Mears Building, City of Scranton, Pa., at 12 o'clock p. m., for the purpose of authorizing the Directors of the company to make lease of the coal underlying the lands held by them under lease, and also for the purpose of leasing the culm banks and coal banks being upon the lands owned by the company.

SITUATIONS WANTED.

SITUATION WANTED—BY A YOUNG man of good character, as an assistant in office; good penman and can give first class references from former employers. Address D. J. Tribune, office, city.

SITUATION WANTED—AS ENGINEER or fireman, by a soldier just honorably discharged from Ninth regiment, D. W. E. No. 101 Third avenue, Scranton, Pa.

SITUATION WANTED—A WOMAN DESIRES situation take charge of young child or monthly nurse. Address Mrs. C. Hudson, General Delivery, Scranton, Pa.

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MARRIED MAN WANTS POSITION AS teamster or any kind of work; can give recommendations; can speak German. 29 Reese street, A. L. Silke.

SITUATION WANTED—WASHING ironing or any kind of house cleaning by a woman of good character. Address Mrs. C. Hudson, General Delivery, Scranton, Pa.

SITUATION WANTED—BY A MIDDLE-aged woman as housekeeper in small family, 21 Irving avenue, Scranton.

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BANKING.

REPORT OF THE CONDITION OF THE Lockport Trust and Safe Deposit Co. at the close of business November 8, 1918.

Table with financial data: Cash on hand, checks and notes, deposits, loans, etc.

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WANTED—CASE OF BAD HEALTH that R-I-P-A-N-S will not benefit. Send 5 cents to Ripans Chemical Co., New York, for 10 samples and 1,000 testimonials.

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E. L. WALTER, ARCHITECT, OFFICE REAR OF WASHINGTON AVENUE.

LEWIS HANCOCK, JR., ARCHITECT, 425 Spruce St., West, Scranton.

FREDERICK L. BROWN, ARCHITECT, Price Building, 125 Washington avenue, Scranton, Pa.

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D. B. REPOLECK, ATTORNEY-AT-LAW, Rooms 202-204, 9th floor, Mears Building, Washington avenue and Spruce street.

RAILROAD TIME TABLES. PENNSYLVANIA RAILROAD

Schedule in Effect May 29, 1915. Trains Leave Wilkes-Barre as Follows:

7:30 a. m., week days, for Sunbury, Harrisburg, Philadelphia, Baltimore, more, Washington, and for Pittsburgh and the West.

10:15 a. m., week days, for Hazleton, Potsville, Reading, Norristown, Pottsville, Philadelphia, Harrisburg, Baltimore, Washington and Pittsburgh and the West.

3:12 p. m., daily, for Sunbury, Harrisburg, Philadelphia, Baltimore, Washington, and Pittsburgh and the West.

6:00 p. m., week days, for Sunbury, Harrisburg, Philadelphia and Pittsburgh.

J. B. WOOD, Gen'l Pass. Agent. Del. Lucka, and Western.

Effect Monday, June 29, 1918. Trains Leave Scranton as follows: Express for New York and all points East, 4:40, 5:00, 5:10, 5:30 and 10:05 a. m.; 12:55 and 1:31 p. m.

Express for Easton, Trenton, Philadelphia and the South, 5:10, 8:00 and 10:05 a. m.; 12:55 and 1:31 p. m.</