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# TRIUMPH OF REPUBLICANS

Pennsylvania Rolls Up the Usual Handsome Majorities.

#### PLURALITY, 120,000 The insurgent force there only numbered about 300 men entrenched, where-BARNETT'S

Ohio Goes for Nash and the Republican National Administration by from 30,000 to 40,000—Kentucky Carried by the Republicans After a Desperate Fight, Which to take the trenches without great loss of February dated Nov 8 Required the Presence of the Militia at the Polls to Insure a Fair Count-Maryland and Nebraska Go Democratic. Other Returns Show the Usual Off Year Majorities.

Election returns from the various states at hour of going been working hard for several days to to press indicated as follows:

PENNSYLVANIA-Barnett and state ticket elected by 120,ooo majority.

OHIO-Judge Nash, Rep., elected governor by 40,000 plu-

KENTUCKY-Returns indicate the election of Taylor, Rep., and the entire Republican ticket by 10,000 to 15,000.

MARYLAND-Democratic by 10,000 to 15,000. NEBRASKA-Carried by the Fusionists by 5,000 to 10,000.

In Ohio the vote for Jones, Independent, exceeded expectations in all the strong labor centers. It drew heavily from the Republicans in the cities and was fed by the systematic treachery of the Kurtz-Bushnell faction. Notwithstanding this heavy handicap, the worst ever encountered by a majority party in any state, Nash and the McKinley administration base won a handsome indorsement, receiving an estimated piurality of from 30,000 to 40,000.

In Kentucky the militia had to be called out by the governor in order to secure the presence of Republican and Independent Democratic inspectors at the counting of the ballots, as provided by law. In consequence of this vigilance, the contemplated perpetration of frauds by the Gobelites was largely checked and the returns point to Taylor's election by from 10,000 to 15,000. The entire Republican state ticket is

In Nebraska the Fusionists gained by reason of the light Republican vote and claim the state by 10,000 majority. In Maryland the Democrats win everything in sight, in-

cluding control of the legislature. Smith, Dem., for governor, has from 10,000 to 15,000 plurality, due largely to the political treachery of Senator Wellington.

#### VOTE IN THE STATE.

Estimated Pluralities in the Various Counties Compared with the Voto

Philadelphia, Nov. 7.- Estimates from all of the countles in the state indicate Barnett's election by a piurality over sibly in Toledo, in which cities Jones Creasy to be 138,483. In some countles the estimates were necessarily based on meagre information and complete returns may change the figures here, and Toledo were increasing at such a

In 1897, when Swallow, Independent, carried ten counties in the state the plurality of Beacom, Republican, was 129,717 and in 1897 the plurality for Haywood, Republican, was 174,264.

#### Vindication at Pittsburg.

Pittsburg, Nov. 7.-11 p. m.-Barnett, Republican candidate for state treasurer has carried Allegbery county by 20,000 according to Republican Chairman Robertson at II o'clock. The entire Republican state and county tickets are elected by the same majorities. In the city of Pittsburg Barnett's majority is estimated at 19,000.

#### Quiet Day in Philadelphia.

Philadelphia, Nov. 7-The polls closed in this state at 7 p. m. and no returns have yet been received from districts outside of Philadelphia. In this city scattering returns point to the election of the regular Republican state ticket by a greatly reduced plurality owing to the light vote cast up to 8:39 p. m. There had been no reports of any arrest for violation of the election laws.

#### Luzerne Cuts Barnett.

Wilker-Barre, Pa., Nov. 7,-A light vote was polled. Barnett was cut some. Returns from 142 districts out of a total of 288 give Barnett a plurality of \$50 over Creasy. Judge Halsey, Ro

publican, is elected judge. He was in dorsed by the Democrats.

Columbus, O., Nov. 7 .- After 11 p. m. the returns showed that the Democratic gains in Cincinnati and other cities were reduced and that McLean was likely third at Cleveland and posdrew much more heavily from the Democrats than from the Republicans At the same time, the Republican : | gains outside of Cincinnati, Cleveland rate as to indicate a plurality of 30,000 to 40,000 to Judge Nash for governoand the entire Republican state ticket,

including a majority of the legislature. Chairman Dick had, previous to the election, repeatedly claimed the claction of the entire Republican state ticket by not less than 50,000 pturality. So far tonight he has refused to give out any figures, but those around him say that means that he now has no reason to change his first figures. The later returns seem to be growing in favor of the Republicans, especially since the returns indicate that Jones hurt the Democrats much more than Republicans in Cleverand, Toledo and Columbus and other cities, while

the first reports indicated exactly the Judge Nash, Republican andidate, was receiving the congratulations of his friends and neighbors at the Nell House after 11 p. m. He said: "I claim my election now by at least 20,000, but I am too much engaged to give a statement of the causes or to analyze the results to the Dress." The bands and clubs are out

serenading him. At 11.20 Chairman Dick gave out the following: "The returns from Hamilton, Cuyahoga and Lucas counties are as yet too meagre to give definite fig-Enough, however, has been received to indicate the election of Judge Nash by a greater plurality than that of Governor Bushnell two years ago, which was 28,165, thus ensuring the election of the entire Republican state ticket. Both branches

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#### WHEATON TO LAND AT SAN FABIAN

WILL STORM THE FILIPINO TRENCHES ALONG SHORE.

Communication with Him Expected Today-From San Fabian General Wheaton Can Control the Roads of Escape from Tarlac to the Northwest-Three Hundred Insurgents Attack the Fourth Cavalry-A Raft Carried Away to Caliabunan.

Manila, Nov. 7.-4:45 p. m.-General Wheaton's orders were to land at or near San Fabian, a fishing village twenty miles northeast of Dagupan, The insurgent force there only numas at Dagupan, there are some thousands of insurgents and five miles of strong trenches. The Mounts river is blockaded.

General Wheaton is supposed to have landed today though communication with him is not expected until

started and he should have been able

From San Fabian General Wheaton Tarlac to the northeast, making a junction with General Lawton. General MacArthur will begin his advance towards Tarlac tenight. General Lawton will resume his advance tomorrow, though in the face of great difficulties, rain in that district having destroyed all bridges in the vicinity, inthe movement. General Lawton has get rations forward. The Forty-fifth regiment re-inforces him tomorrow, A force of 300 insurgents attacked the Fourth cavalry last night making three futile charges and losing three men, the Americans lost none. The first raft across the ferry at Callabunan was gun. carried away by the swift current. It had sixteen men of the Third cavalry on board with their horses but only one of them was drowned.

#### MAYOR TALLON IN NEW YORK.

Astounded at the Expeditious Manner in Which Vote Was Taken. New York, Nov. 7.-Lord Mayor Tullon, of Dublin, and the Hon, John E. Redmond, M. P., arrived in the city early this evening from Poston for the tion is conducted in New York city. Lord Mayor Tallon expressed a wish Tuesday night in Boston to see how an election is run in a large city. Mr. Redmond, who has on different occasions witnessed the excitement attend-

told the lord mayor that New York was the best place to witness an event of this nature. The lord mayor and Mr. Redmond arrived at the Hoffman house at 6 o'clock tonight. Edward O'Flaherty and William Temple Emmett escorted them to police headquarters and thence to the various newspaper bulletin beards on Park Row, where the elec-

ant upon an election in this country,

tion returns were being exhibited.

In speaking of the election, the lord mayor said he was astounded at the expeditous manner in which an eltion in such a large city as New York was conducted, and said that it reflected great credit on the municipal and police authorities.

#### BRILLIANT WEDDING.

#### Lieut. Randolph Ridgley and Miss Emily Grace Scott Married.

Easton, Fa., Nov 7 .- The most brilliant wedding witnessed in Easton for number of years was that of Lieutenant Randolph Ridgiey, jr., of Augusta, Ga., and Miss Emily Grace Scott, daughter of Judge Henry W. Scott, of plain was strewn with slain Boers. this city, which took place in the First Fresbyterian church at 6 o'clock this evening. Rev. S. F. Haines officiated. The bridegroom was on the revenue cutter McCulloch during the battle of was heard. fanila buy He and the best man. Lieutenant W. P. Scott, brother of the wide, who was a member of Admiral Dewey's personal staft during the in full naval uniform. The spectacle

was a most brilliant one. The ushers were Lieutenant Clarence England, Lieutenant D H. Cox, assistant surgeon D. N. Carpenter, served on the cruiser Kaleigh; Lieu-F. Hottle, Lieutenant Richard Sturdevant and Lieutenant E. S. Beskerek The bridal cake was cut by the sword presented to the bridegroom's lilusrious grandfather by the citizens of Baltimore for gallantry during the

#### ALABAMA HONORS SCHLEY.

Mexican war.

Big Military Display at Birming-

ham. Birmingham, Ala., Nov. 7 .- A big nilitary display was the feature of the celebration here teday in honor of Admiral Schley. The procession moved at 12.30 o'clock and consisted of the greater part of the National guard of Alabama and a good share of that of Mississippl, together with the cadet corps from five colleges in this state Added to these organizations were the Confederate veterans, the veterans of the Spanish war, the Sons of Veterans, the Grand Army and numerous civic organizations. The parade, headed to the admiral's party, moved through the principal streets of the city, the sidewalks of which wer packed with thousands of people. At the state fair grounds Admiral Schley reviewed the parade and took part in the format pening of the fair.

After the opening of the fair the admirui's party held a public reception.

### **BOERS SLAY** ONE KAFFIR

Result of the Bombardment of Ladysmith

#### NEWS BY A NEGRO RUNNER

on Friday.

Smart Action Towards Dewdorp. British Troops Under General Brocklehurst Drive the Boers Back. A Native Eye-Witness States That Boers Decoyed British with White Flags-Lot of Prisoners Captured.

London, Nov. 7.-The following is the text of a dispatch from General Buller from Cape Town, dated Nov. 7, 12.55

"The following dispatch has been reat Estcourt, dated Nov. 6:

'Since Friday there has been a cessation of hostilities. A note was sent can control the reads of escape from that day to General Joubert by General White, at the request of the maver, asking permission for the non-combatants, sick and wounded, to go south. General Joubert refused the request, but agreed to allow them to go to a special came four miles from Lady-The townspeople refused to accept this offer. The sick and wounded and a few of the inhabitants were moved yesterday. A few shots were exchanged yesterday at the outposts. Friday's bombardment was heavy. Shells fell in the hospital and one burst in a hotel during luncheon. No one was injured. The only casualty in the town from the shells thus far is a Kaffir killed.

There was a smart action Friday towards Dewdorp. The troops under General Brockl hurst drove the Boers back a short distance and disabled a

"There was also fighting near Rulwarn. Our less altogether is 8 killed and about 29 wounded. Ninety-eight Dundee wounded have arrived. They were sent here Saturday. All are doing well.

The position here is now believed to be entirely safe. It has been greatly strengthened during the fast twentyfour hours. The people have described the dwellings and are living in bombproof places, safe from shell fire. There are plenty of good stores of all kinds. Capiain Enapp and Lienterant Brabant were killed in Friday's action. The foregoing is an exact copy of a

#### A Dastardly Act.

Durban, Natal, Nov. 5 .- Sunday, 5:55 p. m.-A native eye witness of Thurs-day's battle near Ladysmith, says the Boers were caught on the open ground and raised several white flags. The British then advanced without firing accept the surrender of the Boers. but were received with a volley at close range.

Enraged at this treachery the Lancers, Russars and Dragoons followed by infantry with fixed bayonets charged through and through the enemy and did great execution. A lot prisoners and loot were captured.

Esteourt, Natal, Sunday, Nov. 5, 1:30 p. m.-A reliable native has brought ofirmatory evidence of Priday's fight south of Ladysmith, A reconnaissance in force was made by a British division, the object being to relieve the Colenso column, which had been attacked by the Boers. The British infantry charged the Boers who were strongly posted on Globerskinof hill and drove them down on the plain towards the Tugela river, when the British cavalry, executing a fine flanking movement, charged the Boers, all most immediately hitting them. Colenso, with a company of the Dublin Fusileers. No fighting is reported to have occurred Saturday as no firing

#### Natal Dutch Take Part.

Estcourt, Nov. 5, 10 a. m .- An armored train went over the Tugela memorable battle, and the unbers were bridge and found Chenso intact and also found the road and railroad bridges strong. On Orange Free State force was sighted six miles from Colenso, on the Ludyamith side. was supposed to have been engaged with the British forces from Ladytenant Ridgley McLean; Lieutenant J. smith Thursday. The Hoers suffered heavily. It is rumored that the Nament, siding with the invading Boers.

Cape Town, Nov. 5 (Sunday, 2.15 p. -Advices from the Orange river say it is reported that the Boers have destroyed one of the pless of the Madder river bridge and there are rumors emanating from Hopelown that an attack will be made on the Grange river

#### Col. Baden Powell's Capture.

Cape Town. Nov. 7 .- A desputch from Kuruman dated Friday, Nov. says a despatch rider arrived there from Mafeking that morning encouncing that Colonel Baden Powell had captured a number of mules and torses. Fighting was occurring datty a Mafesting, all, it was added, in favor of the garrison. Natives report that Colonel Plummer's force, from Fort Tull, is working its way from Rhodesia to relieve Mafeking.

#### Crushed in a Vegetable Cellar. Boeneville, Teun., Nov. 7.-The arch o

Reform school today killing Charles W. Kalser, an officer; Eara Mullen, formerly from Pitisburg, Karsas, and V. Ledgerwood. Superintendent L. D. Draice was crushed but will recover. The arch was 50 feet long and 29 feet high and was constructed only a short time ago.

## REGARDING OPEN

VORABLE TO THE IDEA.

Count Cassini States That the Russian Port in China Is Already Open to the World and That American and Russian Interests Are Identical-Germany Also Favors a Live and Let Live Policy in China.

Washington, Nov. 7 .- Count Cassini, the Russian ambassador, who is just back from a visit to St. Petersburg and other European capitals, authorized the statement today that he had returned without any special instructions relating to China and without any mission to perform in that connection, This statement was due to recent reports that he intended to make known to the president and Secretary Hay the desire of the continental powers of Europe that the United States should indicate what port or sphere of influence in China this government desires to enter. The ambassador also stated that Russia's commercial port in China, Tallen Wan, was now open to all nations alike, and he expressed surprise at the renewed agitation of the open door question. He says Russian and American interests in China are the

Count Cassini says there are moves in Europe toward intervening in the South African conflict. During his audience with the emperor at St Petersburg, Count Cassini assured the emperor of the continued friendly relations between this country and Russia, which, he says, were never more satisfactory than they are today. Berlin, Nev. 7.—The foreign office au-

thorized the Associated Press to say regarding the United States govern ment's representations relative to main taining the open-door in China, that Germany has shown, by opening a free port at Klao Chou and by Count Von Buclow's binding declarations, that she favors a live and let live policy in

#### COLUMBIA SHUT OUT.

#### Cornell Victorious by a Score of 29 to 0.

New York, Nov. 7.-Columbia was concunced favorite in the foot ball game with Cornell here today, odds of 5 to 4 being laid on the Blue and White, but the wearers of the Red and White had plenty of backing and the Ithacan rooters got all the cash, as well as all the glory. Cornell won, shutting out the Columbia team by a score of 29 to 0. Fully 35,000 persons witnessed the contest. Of these, 12,000 passed through the several entrances and crowded the stands and bleachers, The remainder were deadheads packed on the hig viaduct and slong the new road on the heights to the westward. When Cornell scored the first touch press censor telegram brought here by down and kicked a goal the Ithacan a Kaffir runner. There is no other sympathizers broke loose and the waving mass of red and white flags and ribbon extended over some forty acres of Northern Gotham. Columbia was very much put out

> by losing the services of Wright at right guard, who was disqualified to: slugging. A few minutes later Captain Wilson was forced to retire and soon afterwards Cornell scored, Walbridge running and dodging for forty yards through Columbia's players and planting the ball behind the line. The second half was full of good plays and hard work, in wa'ch Columumbia was at times unfortunate. Corcell was always the stronger and with

two more touchdowns and subsequent goels, in addition to, a place kick by Young, twenty-three points were added to Cornell's score. At the end of the game Columbia had fafled to tally a point and the contest ended in Cornell's favor with a total of 29 points

#### SAMOAN AGREEMENT.

Signed by Representatives of United States, England and Germany.

Washington, Nov. 7 .- Secretary Hay for the United States, Mr. Tower, for Great Britain and Mr. Mumm Von Schwarzenstein, on the part of Ger-An armored train has nealn left for many, today at the state department signed a convention providing for the adjustment by arbitration of claims of inhabitants of Samoa for damages resulting from the naval and military operations there last spring.

King Oscar II, of Norway and Sweden was specified by the treaty as arbit-

#### DEATH SENTENCE FOR SOLDIERS Three Volunteers Court-Martialed for Assaults Upon Filinios.

Washington, Nov. 7-The war department has received the reports in cases of the three volunteer soldiers court martialed in the Philippines and sentenced to death for assaults upon natives.

While no information as to the nature of General Otis' endorsement has been made public, it is understood that he has approved the sentence of the court, as otherwise the papers would not have come to Washington. It is possible, however, that the approval may be accompanied with a recommendation for a reduction of the sen-

Mr. Cleveland Ordered to Move On. Princeton, N. J., Nov. 7.-As ex-Presint Cleveland was leaving the polls on Mercer street this morning, he stopped a moment to speak to one of his friends, chereupon un over officious pofrom Trenton, detailed at the polls, not knowing who Mr. Cleveland was, ordered the ex-president to move outside the chalk line. Mr. Cleveland smiled, tepped into his carriage and was driven

#### DEATHS OF A DAY.

Easten, Md., Nov. 7.-Former Judge Jeome B. Bennet, of this city, fell dead in he voting booth at this place this morammediately after marking his bal-He was 75 years of age and a lifeor Democrat, having been a promin worker in the party since early manhood.

# DOOR IN CHINA LOOKS LIKE A VICTORY

All of the Republican Candidates Will Probably Have Small Pluralities.

### VOTE WAS REMARKABLY SMALL

Only a Trifle Over One-Half of the Regular Vote of the County Was Polled-The Vote from 122 of the 154 Districts of the County Has Been Received and Compiled and Shows That the Candidates Are Bunched-Districts to Be Heard from will Give Pluralities to the Repubcan Candidates.

Returns from 122 of the 154 districts of the county show the following result:

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State Treasurer.	
Barnett, R.:	
Creasy, D	7384
Supreme Court.	
Brown, R	7305
Mestrezat, D	7100
Superior Court.	
Mitchell, R	7326
Reilly, D	7063
County Commissioners.	
Morris, R	7624
Penman, R	7533
Durkin, D	8081
Regan, D	7437
County Auditors.	
Johns, R	7549
Kiefer, R	7360
Costello, D	7936
Aten, D	7400

The thirty-two districts to be heard from taken as a whole will poll more Republican than Democratic votes.

#### Vosburg Hopeful.

T 1 o'clock this morning Repub-A lican County Chairman A. A. Vesburg gave the following to

"At this hour the figures show a

Democratic lend averaging about 800, but as the districts yet to be heard from are for the most part Republican, we are quite confident that the full returns will show the Republican candidates elected by small major-

#### Fitzsimmons' Claims.

"We feel confident that the entire Democratic ticket has been elected by mojorities ranging from 500 to 900. The Democratic districts showed a better vote than these in which the Benublicans count for their majorities. We had an executent organization and a host of volunteer workers. The young men of the party in particular distinguished themselves,"

#### Result of Election.

T WILL REQUIRE a careful compliation of the votes cast in all the districts of the county to determine who the successful can'ti- trifle more than half the normal vote dates of yesterday's battle are.

Returns from 122 of the 154 districts of the county indicate that Republican candidates, state and county, will pull through by small pluralities. The vote of the following districts is not included in the summary of the vote given at the head of this column:

Archbaid-First ward, Second district. Benton township. Blakely-Third word. Carbondate township-Northeast and Northwest districts.

Covington township. cough-Third ward. Fell township-First, Second and Fourth

Gouldsbore borough Jefferson township Lackawanna township-Northeast dis-

La Plume borough. Lehigh township. Madison township. North Abington. Old Forge-First, Second and Fourth

Ransom-First district. Roaring Brook township. Scott township. Scranton-Third ward, Second district, Scranton-Sixth ward, Third district,

South Abington township-Third dis-

COLONEL F. J. FITZSIMMONS. the Democratic county chairman, dictated the following to The Tribune fust before his leaving headoungters at 1 o'clock:

#### The vote cast in the county will probable not exceed 18,000, which is only a

Winten borough-l'irst and Third

Vandling Inrough.

Seen at Headquarters. T to o'clock jast night, when the crowd could be expected to be

biggest, there were two chairs for every man congregated in the assembly room of the Central Republican club, where the Republicans had headquarters established and where the re-

turns were being received and tabus It was dult distressingly dult. None of the candidates were there at that hour, and many of the regular habitues of the headquarters on election night were conspicuous by their absence

Occupying adjoining seats in the front row of spectators' chairs ex-Mayor John H. Fellows, Wade M. Finn, John G. McAskle and Mayor James Moir, Alderman John T. Howe and ex-City Assessor Walter B. Christ-

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WEATHER FORECAST. Washington, Nov. 7 .- Forecast for

Wednesday: Eastern Pennsylva-nia-Fair Wednesday, variable nia-Fair Wodresday, variable cloudy Thursday; light variable