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New York, New Jersey, Massachusetts and Maine Go Democratic.

New York .-- The recult of the most hotly contested presidential campaign since the Civil War shows a sweeping victory for the Democratic ticket. The verdict returned by a majority of the 15,000,000 voters of the country means that Woodrow Wilson, Democratic governor of New Jersey, will be the next president of the United States and Thomas R. Marshall, Democratic governor of Indiana, will be the next vice-president.

The three-cornered presidential contest brought to the polls an unprece dented number of voters. Reports from every section of the country shows a nation-wide recording-breaking vote.

The total number of electoral votes is 531, and the returns indicate that Wilson and Marshall have many more than the 266 votes necessary to win. Reports indicate that the electoral vote of the Democratic candidates will pass the 400 mark.

South Still Solid.

The so-called "solid South," Alay bama, Arkansas, Florida, Louisiana, Mississippi, North Carolina, South Carolina, Tennessee, Texas and Vir-

ginia, which have uniformly cast their WOODROW WILSON. Photo @ by American Press Association.

ingly close, the returns from more than 1000 precincts embracing 185,000 votes giving each of the three leading presidential candidates more than 60,-000 votes.

President Taft's lead in Philadelphia districts was offset by the heavy vote polled by Roosevelt and Wilson in other parts of the state.

Many surprises were shown in the returns. The New York state assembly seemed to be overwhelmingly Democratic, In Illinois, Indications were that Judge Dunne, the Democratic candidate for governor, had won notwithstanding the heavy Reosevelt victory. Former Speaker Cannon seemed to have been defeated for reelection to congress in Illinois.

In addition to Roosevelt's apparently certain victory in Illinois, the confident claims of the Roosevelt managers that lows, Michigan and Kansas would fall into the Roosevelt column seemed verified by the partially complete returns. The returns from California, while meager, Indicated a Wilson victory. The uncertainty regarding Vermont was settled by the announcement of the complete vote, which gave Taft a majority of 924 votes.

The Providence, R. L. Journal, conceded that state to Wilson, and with the vote close in New Hampshire, It seemed probable that New England's entire vote, with the exception of Vermont, had gone over to the Democratic column.

Democrats Control House and Senate. President Wilson will be supported by a congress that will be Democratic in both branches, thus insuring the passage of a revision of the tariff under Democratic auspices without a possibility of the factional opposition which prevalled in the present congress.

The House will be overwhelmingly Democratic. The returns indicate that there will be a Democratic majority of 119 votes. This will insure the election of a speaker, control of committees, and dictation of legislation during the two years beginning March 4.

The Democrats according to the returns will have a majority of at least four in the senate with a prospect of several doubtful seats being filled by Democrats,

T. R. Has Lead in Kansas.

Topeka, Kan.-Returns indicate that the Progressive national ticket and the Republican state ticket had been victorious in Kausas. Progressive leaders claimed the state for Roosevelt by a plurality of from 10,000 to 15,000, but the Democrats maintained that the complete vote would place Wilson in the lead. W. R. Stubbs (Rep.) was leading William H. Thompson (Dem.) in the race for United States senator.

Michigan Conceded to Roosevelt. Detroit .-- Returns from 145 out of 2115 state precincts show Taft 12,347, Roosevelt 20,330, Wilson 16,066.

This does not include the incompiste count in many Detroit precincts. It is conceded that Roosevelt will carry the state.

Roosevelt Second in Maryland. Baltimore .- Woodrow Wilson carried Maryland by from 20,000 to 25,000 plurality, estimated from figures received. Roosevelt ran second.

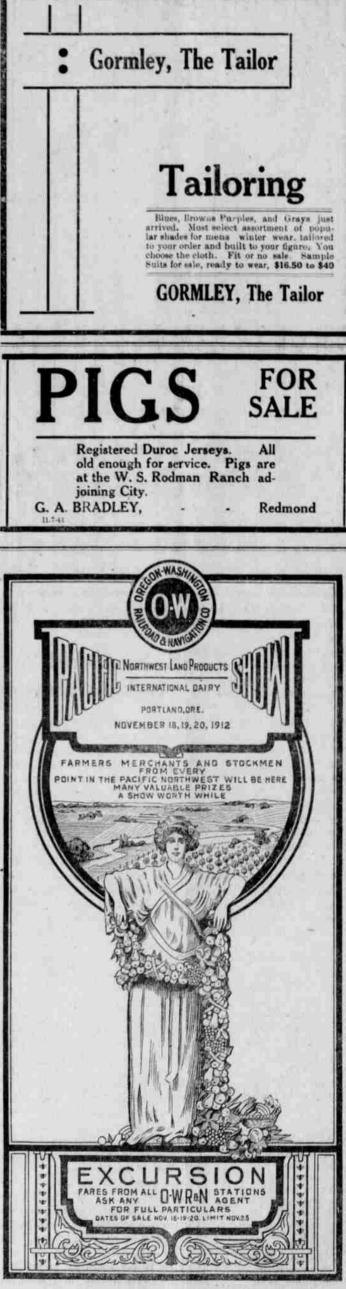
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six elections, is still solidly Democrat-

carried New York state by a plurality tricts outside of New York City. of between 100,000 and 150,000. Rethe vote was heavy, the efforts of the 35,000 votes. three gubernatorial candidates to or was elected by a large plurality.

Wilson Carries Many Doubtful States the Progressive party.

Wilson seems to have carried most of the doubtful states. Early returns In addition to giving Wilson and Marthe states of Connecticut, Deinware, Kentucky, Maine, Maryland, New Jersey, Massachusetta, New York, West rality of 23,571. Virginia, Indiana and Missouri were Democratic. As returns from the well began to come in Montana, New lined up in the Democratic column.

Returns from San Francisco and Los Angeles made it probable that California might join the Wilson-Marshall column.

electoral votes would go to Wilson. The early returns gave an apparent ing to a man in the front row, returns came In.

The vote in Utah as reflected in the back, "John Williams, he can reach you." early dispatches gave indications that The vote in Pennsylvania was amaz well be loose."

Ic, Wilson and Marshall polling the Wilson Distances Taft and Roosevelt is Third; Sulzer is Elected.

New York .--- Woodrow Wilson was few exceptions in the past 25 years the choice of the state of New York have gone Democratic, have given for president by a plurality estimated at about 200,000, from returns receiv-New York state's 45 electoral votes ed from nearly every election district will be cast for Wilson and Marshall. in the greater city of New York and The indications are that Wilson has from all except 500 of the 3093 dis-

President Taft led Colonel Roose ports from all parts of the state show welt in the same districts by about

Representative William Sulzer was bring out the votors being rewarded elected governor with a plurality eswith success. Congressman Sulzer, timated at about 175,000 over Job E. the Democratic candidate for govern- Hedges, the Republican nominee, who in turn led Oscar Straus, candidate of

Taft Loses His Home State.

Cincinnati.-Returns from 100 preshall the "solid South," indicated that cinots out of 5211 in Obio gave Governor Wilson 74,146, Taft 50,575, Roosevelt 34,069, giving Wilson a plu-

Figuring the proportionate gain of Governor Wilson in each 100 precincts tabulated, it was estimated that the Mexico, Idaho, Oregon and California Democratic candidate would receive a plurality in the state of from 100,-000 to 110,000 votes.

So It Might,

It was a Welsh minister who described the devil to a little congrega Rhode Island became a doubtful tion in a remote Welsh valley. Said the state on the early returns, and, based minister; "The devil is bound round on the later voice reported, it seemed the middle with chains and round the not wholly improbable that its five arms with chains and round the legs with chains. But John Jones," pointvictory to Taft in New Hampshire, but the Taft plurality dwindled as the returns cause in

sariy dispatches gave indications that that state would be carried for Taft. And then a man in the gallery called out, "Why, the dang thing might as

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