



THEODORE ROOSEVELT

TEDDY IMPRESSED WITH HONOR DONE HIM

Will Strive to Merit Trust Reposed in Him--Will Not
be a Candidate Again

WASHINGTON, Nov. 8.—President Roosevelt tonight, 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 tried to do. I appreciate to the fullest extent the solemn responsibility this confidence imposes upon me, and I shall do all that in my power lies not to forfeit it. On the fourth 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, and under no circumstances will I be a candidate for or accept another nomination."

PARKER SENDS CONGRATULATIONS.
ESOPUS, N. Y., Nov. 8, 8:30 p. m.—To President Roosevelt, Washington, D. C.: "The people, by their vote, have emphatically approved your administration. I heartily congratulate you."
ALTON B. PARKER.

ROOSEVELT'S REPLY.
WASHINGTON, D. C., Nov. 8.—The president has replied to Judge Parker's telegram as follows: "Alton B. Parker: I thank you for your congratulations."
THEODORE ROOSEVELT.

CORTELYOU SENDS CONGRATULATIONS.
NEW YORK, Nov. 8.—Chairman Cortelyou of the republican national committee sent the following telegram to President Roosevelt tonight: "New York, Nov. 8.—To the President, Washington D. C.—The country has given an overwhelming vote, showing confidence in you and your administration. My associates of the republican national committee join me in heartfelt congratulations."
"Sign'd) Geo. B. Cortelyou."

"ACCEPT CONGRATULATIONS"
NEW YORK, Nov. 8.—The following telegrams were exchanged between the two chairmen of the National Committee: "Indianapolis, Nov. 8.—Hon. George B. Cortelyou, New York: Accept my congratulations. T. T. Taggart."
NEW YORK, Nov. 8.—Hon. T. T. Taggart, Indianapolis, Ind.: I appreciate your congratulations. George B. Cortelyou."

AN OVERWHELMING REPUBLICAN VICTORY

Roosevelt and Fairbanks Will Have 325 Electoral Votes==New York's Vote Was a Surprise

Oregon Rolls Up the Greatest Republican Majority in the History of State

With a sweep that was beyond expectation and which eclipses almost all political records, Theodore Roosevelt has been elected president of the United States. His vote in the electoral college will be at least 325 as against Parker's 151. Even this may be changed by switching 18 votes from Missouri to Roosevelt's side.

There has not been a single doubtful state recorded on the list against him. The popular vote shows a much larger majority in his favor than was that given McKinley in 1900.

Even the old Democratic solid south was shaken and West Virginia, which some Democratic prophets predicted would be carried by the Democrats, went Republican. So strong was the president's influence that at least a reduced majority for the Democratic ticket in that stronghold of Democracy, Missouri will be shown and Republicans assert that the president will carry the state. Until complete returns are received it will be in doubt.

When at a late hour last night it was reported that Missouri was in doubt and some of the Republican managers were admitting that they had hopes of success, it was hardly credited by the majority of the Republicans, and was laughed at by Democrats. But late returns seem to indicate that these claims may be well grounded, and in the absence of full and complete figures of the vote the assertion that the muddy-water state had forsaken its Democratic allegiance on National issues is coming to be accepted as a probability. Should the official count bear out the Republican claims of today, Mr. Roosevelt's vote in the electoral college will be 343, a plurality of 210. Colorado is still claimed by both parties.

Beginning with the tremendous majority of 400,000 in Pennsylvania, the Republican pluralities are decisive in nearly every state carried for their ticket, and it seems probable that Roosevelt has received the greatest popular vote ever given a Presidential candidate. Returns thus far received indicate that he will receive a popular plurality of about 1,500,000, against 840,790 for McKinley over Bryan.

PARKER'S HOME FOR ROOSEVELT.

NEW YORK, Nov. 9.—Parker's home district went for Roosevelt. Returns show that the vote polled in Ulster county, Poughkeepsie township, was 173 for Roosevelt and 159 for Parker.

OYSTER BAY IS LOYAL.

MINEROLA, Long Island, Nov. 9.—Oyster Bay, Roosevelt's own town, gave him about 600 majority. The Fifth district of Oyster Bay gave him a majority of 144 over Parker. This is the district in which the president resides.



AFTER THE NOVEMBER CYCLONE.

The Electoral Vote.	
FOR ROOSEVELT.	
California	10
Colorado	5
Connecticut	7
Delaware	3
Idaho	3
Illinois	27
Indiana	16
Iowa	13
Kansas	10
Maine	6
Maryland	8
Massachusetts	16
Michigan	14
Minnesota	11
Missouri	18
Montana	3
Nebraska	8
Nevada	3
New Hampshire	4
New Jersey	12
New York	39
North Dakota	4
Ohio	23
Oregon	5
Pennsylvania	34
Rhode Island	4
South Dakota	4
Utah	4
Vermont	3
Washington	5
West Virginia	7
Wisconsin	13
Wyoming	3
Total	343
FOR PARKER.	
Alabama	11
Arkansas	9
Florida	9
Georgia	13
Kentucky	13
Louisiana	10
Mississippi	10
North Carolina	12
South Carolina	9
Tennessee	12
Texas	18
Virginia	12
Total	153

MAJORITY IN CONGRESS

Bryan's Senatorial Ambitions Are Blasted—The Washington State Election

MAJORITY OF 100 IN HOUSE.

CHICAGO, Nov. 9.—Dispatches to the Associated Press show the Republicans have elected 230 Congressmen and the Democrats 138. Of the remaining 18 districts, 7 are now represented by Republicans and 11 by Democrats. It is possible that the Republicans will have a majority of about 100 in the next House of Representatives.

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 that 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. It is possible the Republican majority in the Senate will show little if any change in the voting strength. Of the 90 members of that body, 57 are Republicans and 33 Democrats.

MISSOURI REPUBLICAN.

KANSAS CITY, Mo. Nov. 9.—The Journal's return up to 4:15 indicate that part of the Republican ticket is elected, though Folk, Dem., for Governor, probably is safe.

NEBRASKA GAINS.

OMAHA, Neb. Nov. 9.—The only part of the Republican ticket in Nebraska left in doubt is that of Governor. The vote for Roosevelt is unprecedented and some estimates place his plurality at as high as 75,000, and there seems little doubt that it will reach at least 60,000. Bryan's chances of being elected U. S. Senator have gone glimmering.

WASHINGTON STATE.

SEATTLE, Wash. Nov. 9.—Complete returns from one-fourth of all the precincts in the state and incomplete returns from the others at 11 o'clock today show that Roosevelt electors have carried this state by between 35,000 and 40,000 votes. Albert E. Mend, Republican, of Bellingham is elected Governor over George Turner, Democrat of Spokane, by between 8000 and 10,000 votes.

Oregon by Counties		
COUNTIES	Roosevelt	Parker
Baker (incomplete)	1611	803
Benton	1007	439
Clackamas	2524	628
*Clatsop		
Columbia		
Coos	2073	819
Crook		
Curry		
Douglas	3044	738
Gilliam	424	194
Grant		
Harney		
**Jackson	900	
Josephine (F.S.T.)	980	498
Klamath (incomplete)	86	139
Lake		
Lane	287	908
Lincoln		
Linn	2323	1211
Malheur		
Marion	3828	1016
Morrow		
Polk	1364	516
*Sherman		
Tillamook		
Umatilla	3619	979
Union	1633	709
Wallowa		
Wasco	1770	454
Washington	3086	468
Wheeler		
**Yamhill	1000	

OREGON 41,000 G. O. P.

Benton, Coos, Curry, Gilliam, Tillamook and Yamhill Counties For Prohibition

PORTLAND, Nov. 9.—It wouldn't have taken much more to make Oregon's vote unanimous for Roosevelt, and a broad smile overspreads the face of Oregon today.

Over 41,000 plurality for Roosevelt is the tale of the one-sided battle in this state. Although the total vote cast was little more than four-fifths of that polled in June, the Republican plurality is nearly twice as great. In many parts of the state Democratic votes were as scarce as hen's teeth.

"Have you heard of a single precinct in the state that gave a majority for Parker?" asked Senator Fulton this morning of Frank C. Baker. "So far as I know there wasn't one," replied the chairman of the Republican State Central committee. "It was more than a landslide; it was a volcanic eruption."

All over the state Democrats worked and voted for Roosevelt's election. Democratic strongholds that have been unassailable in previous campaigns capitulated almost without a struggle. There has been a noticeable lack of enthusiasm for the party's nominee, and it is probable that a large proportion of the voters who failed to go to the polls were Democrats.

CORTELYOU WIRE CONGRATULATIONS.
All day long Republicans have been pouring into the party headquarters to congratulate one another and Chairman Baker upon the sweeping victory. Telegrams and telephone messages have brought the felicitations of hundreds of others. "Congratulations are coming from every quarter," said Mr. Baker. "Chairman Cortelyou of the national committee telegraphed me, congratulating the state organization upon the energy displayed in the campaign and upon the magnificent victory in Oregon, and assuring me that the result is most gratifying both to the national committee and to the president. Telegrams of congratulation are coming from all parts of the state. Congressman Williamson and Herrman have wired us this morning, and many others have done the same." Continued on page 3.



CHARLES W. FAIRBANKS

WILL INTEREST EASTERN CAPITAL

Railway Magnate Goes East to Finance Building of Transcontinental Trunk Line

"I have examined the various surveys between Coos Bay and Roseburg, and I am convinced that the most feasible route lies along the Coquille river to Myrtle Point, thence up the Middle Fork, through Camas Valley to Roseburg—This route gives an excellent grade and there is not a place that it exceeds two and two-tenths per cent."—Extract from interview with PAUL MOHR.

Paul Mohr, the prominent railway magnate, who has been looking over Coos county during the past month stated in an interview with a PLAINDEALER reporter just before departing from Roseburg Tuesday, that he had examined the various routes between Coos Bay and Roseburg and thought that the most feasible one was along the Coquille river by Coquille City and Myrtle Point and Camas valley.

This route gives a very good grade and nowhere along the entire line is the grade more than two and two tenths per cent. The route is in the shape of an elongated S and is sixty miles in length.

Elijah Smith, President of the Southern Oregon Company, has been working on the project since his arrival from Boston some time ago.

Mr. Mohr said that the present road, from Marshfield to Myrtle Point, which is in the hands of receiver (W. S. Chandler) and being run in the interests of the Spreckles people of San Francisco, and the Belt line would all work in harmony.

When asked about a transcontinental line to Ogden, Mr. Mohr was quite reticent but would not deny that it was the intention of the company to extend the line to east of the Rockies.

That the line will be run into the central States is undoubtedly the case as the lumber interests of this section would not profit by the completion of a line to Roseburg as lumber is cheaper in Roseburg today than it is in Coos county.

It cannot be doubted that the Spreckles and Southern Oregon interests would be greatly benefited by even a line to Roseburg as both companies have extensive coal holdings in this county but the Southern Oregon Company would be greatly benefited by a line which would give them access to inland points.

Mr. Mohr left Tuesday for New York where he will endeavor to interest additional Eastern capital in this project. Mr. Smith accompanied him as far as Portland.

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