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WAS A CLEAN SWEEP

Republican Majorities Seem Phenomenal.

GROWING LARGER ALL THE TIME

Chances for His Election as Governor of California—Sutro Elected Mayor of San Francisco.

WASHINGTON, Nov. 7.—The loss of Kansas, New Jersey and South Carolina reduces the present democratic total in the senate from 44 to 41. The present republican strength in the senate of 38 promises to be increased by senators from New Jersey, Kansas, Montana, Washington and Wyoming, the last three being vacancies. The republicans are likely to lose Nebraska. This makes a gain of five and a loss of one, or a net gain of four, raising the republican total to 42. The populists now have three senators. The returns indicate for them in South Carolina and Nebraska, making their total five. Senators Jones and Stewart, of Nevada, have of late affiliated with the populists, so the populist strength may be increased and the republicans decreased by two. An estimate of the next senate by Chairman Babcock gives the republicans 44 out of 88 senators. He counts upon Peffer's cooperation to organize.

The Next Senate.

WASHINGTON, Nov. 7.—Chairman Babcock, of the republican congressional committee, claims the republicans will organize the next United States senate. His information is that the Tennessee legislature will send a republican to succeed Harris. Babcock also had a dispatch stating, Denny, republican, in the seventh Kentucky district, is elected by 225. This is Ashland district, formerly represented by Breckinridge.

A dispatch from Chairman Holman, of the South Carolina state committee, and Congressman Settle says: "We have carried the state if we can hold it." Senator Faulkner, chairman of the democratic congressional committee, concedes the house to the republicans by 66 to 74 plurality. The senate will not be republican, he says, unless that party carries Tennessee, which is still uncertain, or unless Senator Peffer votes with the republicans.

NEW YORK, Nov. 7.—Returns indicate the republicans will gain a United States senator in each of the following states: Montana, Washington, Wyoming, Kansas, New Jersey and West Virginia.

The Next House.

WASHINGTON, Nov. 7.—The republican congressional committee has given out an estimate claiming that in the 54th congress the republicans will have a majority of the delegations of 30 states, the democrats 12, and the populists 1, with Maryland divided evenly, giving the republicans more than a two-thirds majority by states should the next presidential election be thrown into the house.

The Figures Still Growing.

NEW YORK, Nov. 7.—A survey of the returns this morning confirms the hasty estimates and partial returns of last night in the West, Northwest and of the Pacific coast. The republican landslide is overwhelming, and republican gains in the Southwest are of such magnitude as to suggest almost a revolution. Ohio has given the largest republican majority in its history. It is thought the official returns will show a plurality of 140,000 to 150,000. Wisconsin has elected a republican state ticket and nine out of ten congressmen. In Illinois the democrats are crushingly defeated, the state going republican by from 40,000 to 50,000 plurality. The congressional election is almost solidly republican. Indiana is republican by from 20,000 to 25,000 plurality.

Admiral Gherardi Retired.

WASHINGTON, Nov. 7.—Secretary Herbert has issued a formal order retiring Admiral Gherardi, senior admiral of the navy, and commandant at the navy yard, on the 10th inst. The following details are also made: Superintendent of naval academy, Captain Philip Cooper, now in command of the United States ship San Francisco. Cooper is

one of the youngest captains. The secretary expects to detail Admiral Walker to the lighthouse board to succeed Admiral Greer, who will shortly retire. Commodore L. H. Pythian has been detailed as superintendent of the naval observatory, to relieve Captain McNair. Captain McNair to be on the examining and retiring board. Captain Allan V. Reed to command Portsmouth navy yard. Captain H. M. Shepard to command the San Francisco, Captain H. F. Picking to command the Minnesota. Commander C. S. Norton to command the South Atlantic station.

California.

SAN FRANCISCO, Nov. 7.—Returns received in this city up to 8 a. m. do not materially change figures sent out at 3 o'clock. Budd, democrat, for governor, still leads by nearly 7,000 votes in San Francisco. Chairman Gould, of the democratic state central committee, estimates his plurality will be over 12,000, which will be sufficient to elect him. All indications point to a smaller vote for Estee, rep., in the interior than was expected. Republican managers concede the city to Budd, but are hopeful that the country vote will be large enough to overcome Budd's plurality. Budd's associates in the state fight appear to have been sacrificed in his interests. In this city they are behind the head of the ticket, and the interior returns indicate a similar condition. It is apparent that the republicans have elected six or seven congressmen, Maguire in the fourth district being the only democrat who will represent California in the next congress. He leads his republican opponent, Shannon, by about 4,000 votes. Returns indicate that the next legislature will be republican by a big majority.

At 11 o'clock this morning Chairman Cornwall, of the republican state central committee, was seen at headquarters, and when asked to give an opinion as to the outlook in the state, said that the returns were coming in so slowly and were so conflicting that it would be impossible to give anything like a definite statement until tonight or tomorrow morning. The count in this city had reached such a stage, however, that the indication favored the election of Budd, dem., for governor. Mr. Cornwall was of the opinion that the remainder of the democratic state ticket would be defeated. He said the legislature would be certainly republican, thus insuring the return of a republican successor to Senator Perkins. The republican chairman was also equally certain of the election of six out of seven congressmen in the state. He said that the principal fight had been made on the election of the republican candidate for congress, and he considered altogether that the state had done its duty to the republicans.

Half of the city vote counted by noon gives Budd 6,500 plurality. Temple, dem., and Henshaw, rep., for supreme justices, are several thousand ahead in this city.

Seventy-three complete precincts in the first congressional district give Barman, rep. 3593, Geary dem. 3219, Grigsby pop. district give Johnson rep. 4680, Caminetti dem. 3449, Cornell pop. 2312.

The populists claim the A. P. A. movement put them in bad shape. Around headquarters talk is going on that Webster will get 10,000 votes in this city, but if the A. P. A. had not put in an oar it would be twice as much. The populists concede that the next legislature will be republican.

In the mayoralty count in this city, Sutro pop., is forging ahead, and it is estimated he will have a plurality of between 10,000 and 15,000.

Eighty-three complete precincts in a total of 242 in the third congressional district, give Hilborn rep. 4029, English dem. 3900, Vance pop. 2056.

One hundred and twelve complete precincts in a total of 292 in the sixth congressional district, gave McLacklan rep. 6079, Patton dem. 4300, Bowman pop. 3730.

One hundred and seven complete precincts in a total of 479 in the seventh congressional district, give Bowers rep. 4573, Alford dem. 3284, Gilbert pop. 2841.

Port Arthur's Peril.

LONDON, Nov. 7.—A Shanghai dispatch says it is rumored the Ping Yang squadron is in Port Arthur. The Chinese report that the Japanese are rapidly advancing in the rear of Port Arthur, and that a strong Japanese fleet is

outside the harbor. It is probable Port Arthur and the Chinese fleet will fall into the hands of the enemy. Chinese deserters are arriving in New Chang in large numbers panic stricken. A Japanese flying squadron is reported to be 100 miles off New Chwang.

CAUTIOUSNESS OF ELEPHANTS.

The Animal's Acuteness in Locating Hidden Dangers.

One elephant, which the officer commanding six-eleven battery of the Royal artillery lent to assist in extricating some camels which were being engulfed in the quicksands, showed an amount of sagacity which was positively marvelous. It was with the utmost difficulty, says a foreign exchange, that we could get him to go near enough to attach a drag rope to one camel I wanted to rescue. In spite of our being about fifty yards from the bank of the river, he evinced the greatest anxiety, while his movements were made with extreme caution.

Despite coaxing, persuasive remonstrance, and, at last, a shower of heavy blows dealt upon his head by the exasperated mahout, this elephant stubbornly refused to go where he was wanted, but, with his trunk showed out in front of him, kept feeling his way with his ponderous feet, placing them before him slowly, deliberately and methodically, treading all the while with the velvety softness of a cat and taking only one step at a time. Then suddenly he would break out into a suppressed kind of shriek and retreat backward in great haste.

When the animal had nearly completed a circuit of the ground with the same caution and deliberation, he advanced to within ten yards of the poor camel, but not another inch would he move, though several men were walking between him and the camel without any signs of the ground giving way.

The flesh under the nails looks red, because the nails are almost transparent, and thus the color of the tissue beneath is visible.

An Old Song.

When giants lived in ancient times,
Sing heigh, my boy, sing ho!
In good old England, or foreign climes,
Sing heigh, my boy, sing ho!
They carried things with a high old hand,
Nor strong, nor weak, could before them stand,
And they killed whom they pleased throughout
The land.

Sing heigh, my boy, sing ho!
But the giants didn't have things their own way when Jack-the-Giant-killer arrived on the scene. You remember the story. Recollect, too, that every age has its giant-killer. We have our giants in the form of all sorts of dread diseases, supposed to be incurable. Our Jack is in the form of Dr. Pierce, who has proven the expression "incurable diseases" to be a fallacy. Can you imagine more potent weapons to assist a woman in killing the giant-disease, than Dr. Pierce's Favorite Prescription? It's the only guaranteed remedy for all functional disturbances, painful disorders, and chronic weakness of womanhood. In female complaints of every kind, if it fails to benefit or cure, you have your money back. It's simply a question of the company you prefer—the Giant or Jack!

What Japan Will Accept.

LONDON, Nov. 7.—The Telegraph says Japan will demand as terms of peace cessation to her of the island of Formosa, and the payment of an indemnity of £30,000,000 or £40,000,000.

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Japanese Attack Port Arthur.

SHANGHAI, Nov. 7.—Foreigners who have arrived at Choo Foo from Port Arthur say the Japanese attacked the latter place by land and sea. The Chinese fleet lies inside the harbor.

La Grippe.

During the prevalence of the grippe the past seasons it was a noticeable fact that those who depended upon Dr. King's New Discovery, not only had a speedy recovery, but escaped all of the troublesome after effects of the malady. This remedy seems to have a peculiar power in effecting rapid cures not only in cases of la grippe, but in all diseases of throat, chest and lungs, and has cured cases of asthma and hay fever of long standing. Try it and be convinced. It won't disappoint. Free trial bottles at Snipes & Kinersly's drug store.

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