

WILLIAMSON & SCOLL, EDITORS.

The great contest is over, and Garfield is elected. We are glad if the majority is so decided that there will be no ground for dispute.

THANKSGIVING PROCLAMATION.

At no period in the history since the United States became a nation has this people had so abundant reason for joy and gratitude at the favor of Almighty God, or been subject to so profound an obligation to give thanks for his loving kindness and humbly to implore his continued care and protection.

In witness whereof, I have hereunto set my hand and caused the seal of the United States to be affixed. Done at the city of Washington, this first day of November, in the year of our Lord, one thousand eight hundred and eighty, and of the independence of the United States the one hundred and fifth.

R. B. HAYES.

The slowness with which election returns come is a matter of surprise and regret. As far as can be ascertained the general result is as follows: Hancock receives the electoral vote of the "Solid South" (138), Delaware (3), New Jersey (9), Nevada (3), California (6). Garfield receives all the rest with the exception of New York (35) and Oregon (3) which are still undecided.

The Republican organ at Pendleton with its characteristic brilliancy and astuteness accounts for the falling off of the Republican vote in this state and county. It attributes the increased majority of the democrats in this county to the lack of "interest in our national affairs" exhibited by the republicans.

Use Oriental Hair Tonic for preserving the hair.

We quote the following dispatches from the Oregonian:

CHICAGO, Nov. 4.—The probable Republican victory in North Carolina is believed here to be quite positive. The Republicans of that State may cause surprise by their work.

EDGEFIELD, Nov. 4.—One negro killed and eleven wounded in an election riot. MEMPHIS, Tenn., Nov. 4.—The Republicans gain two Congressmen in Tennessee and elect the Governor. Moon is probably elected here to Congress by 1,000 majority.

How is it possible that this condition of affairs could be true when the Oregonian has been insisting that no Republican could vote in the South?

Surely the Oregonian has been editorially lying all through the campaign or its dispatches lie.—Albany Democrat.

The following counties give republican majorities: Benton 45; Coos 75; Douglas 154; Polk 54; Yamhill 116; Washington 302; Tillamook 60; Columbia 84; Clackamas 294; Marion 668; Clatsop 120; Multnomah 492. Total 2464. Democratic majorities: Jackson 322; Lake (est.) 150; Josephine (est.) 80; Lane 79; Linn 274; Umatilla 325; Union 226; Baker 256. Total 1917. Republican majority, 547.

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BAKER CITY, Nov. 4, via Umatilla, Nov 7.—Baker county gives Hancock 212 majority. Two precincts to hear from will not change the result but a few votes.

JACKSONVILLE, Nov. 6.—Jackson county official gives Hancock 322 majority.

CONCORD, Nov. 7.—Returns from all but three precincts in the state show a total presidential vote of 86,177 as follows: Garfield, 43,787; Hancock, 40,707; scattering 683.

WILMINGTON, Nov. 6.—The official count shows the vote of Delaware on the electoral ticket to be, Hancock 15,183, Garfield 14,150.

WASHINGTON, Nov. 6.—The election in Virginia is very close. Half the State gives the Democrats 4,000 majority. There are several strong Republican counties to hear from.

The following is the vote of Umatilla county by precincts so far as known and the majorities of the respective parties so far as the returns have been received.

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The Catholics have presented Garfield with a gold headed cane voted him at the Columbus Cathedral and he made a graphic response, saying: "I accept this all the more gladly because it comes across one of the lines that divide us religiously."

The Democrats will have the Senate, and later advice indicates a majority of two in the House, but this is not conceded yet.

The Atlanta Constitution commenting upon the election says: "It would appear that the line of sectionalism has been sharply drawn by the voters of the north, but there is nothing depressing in this. We are willing the north should draw the sectional line in politics if the south be permitted to draw the line with respect to the progress and improvements of those conditions and forces which make a people happy in their fields, their workshops and their homes."

A member of the extensive firm of "Williamson, Steen & Co." has something to say on division. His letter will be found on the first page. We hope that every voter in the proposed counties of Wise and Coal will give it a careful perusal.

A periodical cessation from toil seems necessary to man's well being. The Christian world believes in a Sabbath as a day of rest. Many countries make a proper observance of this day compulsory. Our own State laws prohibits the carrying on of business on Sunday.

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Some of our leading democrats in this city propose to emigrate to South America now that Garfield is elected. There is a place where all vote solid for the democratic ticket and they had better all emigrate to that place. It is the place that Ingersoll does not believe in.—Pendleton Tribune.

PENDLETON ITEMS.

PENDLETON, Nov. 10, 1880.

Editors Letter.

On last Saturday morning, a motion came on to be heard in the Circuit Court, for the setting aside the verdict of the jury in the Edward Murphy murder trial. The ground on which the motion was based, was that the jury were allowed to converse with persons on political subjects after being chosen and before the verdict, also, that one of the jurors drank spirituous liquor during the same time.

Much excitement prevails over the question of who shall be city officers. The Republicans say they are opposed to drawing party lines and we wish they had thought of that "little" matter sooner.

The latest dispatches indicate that the Democratic managers purpose contesting New York, on the ground that they have proof of more fraudulent Republican votes having been cast, than Garfield's claimed majority.

The Portland Standard has come off from the late campaign with flying colors. Multnomah, which has been the banner republican county, has been outgrown in its majority of June last, in a most striking degree.

NOTICE.

Notice is hereby given that the following named settler has filed notice of his intention to make final proof in support of his claim, and secure final entry thereon at the expiration of thirty days from the date of this notice, viz:

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Another sample of the bad taste of that journal. It always crawls up in sight of the defeated, and crows as loudly as its weakness permits. Of course, though in its locals, no one suspects it of perpetrating original matter, and our readers have doubtless already seen this sentiment. It is not the plagiarizing we object to, so much as the execrable taste displayed in it.

A student of the University of California was found to have the small pox. Other cases cause consternation in the city. Fifty cases are said to have occurred in four days. Vaccination is popular thereabouts. There is no small pox among the Chinese.

NEWS ITEMS.

President Hayes thinks that the Pacific Coast is solid Republican, but the Chinese question gave it to the Democrats, and that the Garfield-Morey letter aided it very materially.

The English Channel squadron is sent to the coast of Ireland. The agitators say the banner they now raise will not be put down without a gigantic struggle.

The Chicago Times shows how speculators in pork, after losing three million dollars, went in for all the pork this side of the Atlantic and cleared \$7,000,000 by it.

Thomas Hughes, of England, was welcomed by 3,000 people in the Cooper Institute, New York, and General Wm. Curtis presided. Hughes read a paper on co-operation.

There are startling rumors in New York City about what the Democratic Committee will do, as it is said they intend to prove fraud on the part of the Republicans in New York State.

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GEORGE CARMICHAEL. D. S. No. 1759, before Register & Receiver at LaGrande, Oregon, on November 24th, 1880, for the S 1/2 of SE 1/4 of Sec 33, T 5 N, R 35 E, W 4, and names the following as his witnesses, viz: Andrew Wise, Z. F. Fawcett, Lawrence Hutchinson and John McLean, all of Weston, Umatilla county, Oregon.

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