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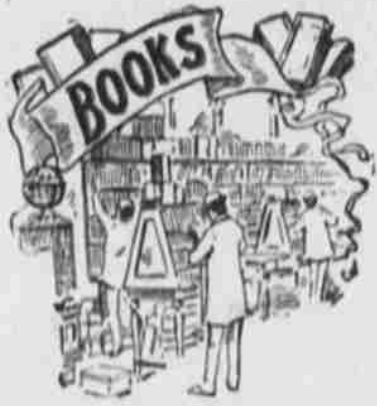
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## THE REPUBLICANS ARE VICTORIOUS

### Colonel Roosevelt Defeats Van Wyck for Governor of the Empire State by 20,000.

## CALIFORNIA AND WASHINGTON

### The Results in Those States Are Close, but the Fusionists Probably Have Been Snowed Under.

## COMPLEXION OF NEXT NATIONAL HOUSE

### Both Republicans and Democrats Claim They Will Have a Majority, but the Latter Likely Will Get Control-- Iowa, Rhode Island, Connecticut, Pennsylvania and Ohio Are in Line--Big Republican Gains in Many States.

WASHINGTON, Nov. 9.—1 p.m.—Chairman Hancock, of the republican congressional committee, made the following statement to the Associated Press: "While I am satisfied that the republicans will control the house in the fifty-sixth congress, it is impossible at this hour to indicate what the majority in the house will be.

"We have no definite news from Illinois, Wisconsin, Minnesota, Texas, or Kansas. Ohio elected 15 republicans certainly, and two districts are in doubt. From Michigan the returns indicate a solid republican delegation. Representative Hawley is elected in Texas. Congressman Boreing is re-elected in the Eleventh Kentucky, and S. J. Pugh is probably elected in the Ninth Kentucky. The election of George M. Davidson in the Eighth Kentucky is in doubt, with the chances seemingly in favor of his election.

"Advices from Maryland show that we have certainly elected four republicans. Nineteen democrats of the delegation from New York state, and perhaps more, will be republican. Fisher, of the Fourth New York district, is the only member we have elected in Greater New York, and Mahany, in the Thirty-second, is in doubt. From Pennsylvania we have received mesager returns, but indications are we have sustained some losses there. Unofficial advices from western states show that we have more than held our own."

Secretary Kerr, of the democratic congressional committee, said at 1 o'clock: "The republicans have lost control of the house. We will have from 16 to 19 members and will organize the house of the fifty-sixth congress. The majority will be from 15 to 25 over the republicans, and perhaps more. Official advices indicate democratic gains in some counties, as follows:

"Alabama, 2; Illinois, 3; Iowa, 1; Kentucky, 3; Maryland, 2; Massachusetts, 2; Missouri, 2; New Jersey, 2; New York, 6; North Carolina, 2; Pennsylvania, 6; Virginia, 3; West Virginia, 12.

"One of the districts of Delaware is doubtful, with the chances in favor of the democrats.

"In figuring a gain of three in Virginia Secretary Kerr includes two districts which elected democratic congressmen in 1896 who were unseated by the present house.

**HOUSE WILL BE DEMOCRATIC.**

NEW YORK, Nov. 8.—Returns from all over the country up to 12:30 indicate 83 republicans and 109 democrats are certainly elected to the national house of representatives. The same districts two years ago returned to the lower house 105 republicans and 89 democrats. Based solely on the estimates of the republican committee, says: "The state ticket is elected by about 7000. I have this upon returns received to this hour."

Chairman Walter, of the republican committee, says: "I claim the election of the state ticket, but am not prepared to give out estimates."

**IDAHO.**

BOISE, Nov. 8.—Six precincts give Messer for governor, 89; Stuenkel, 89; Anderson, 21. Five congressional precincts give Heyburn 75, Wilson 55, Gunn 88.

**BOISE.**

BOISE, Nov. 8.—Little will be known before tomorrow. Owing to the women vote and the realignment of the silver parties, there is nothing with which to compare.

**NEW YORK.**

NEW YORK, Nov. 8.—If the missing districts in the city and state maintain the same ratio as reported, Roosevelt's plurality will exceed 20,000. The Evening World and the Daily News, democratic opponents of Roosevelt's election.

mittes, said: "We received few returns, they are favorable, but see no reason to change our previous estimates."

PORTLAND, Nov. 8.—One hundred and sixteen precincts in 15 counties of Washington give Jones, republican, 579; Cushman, 579; Lewis, 545; Jones, fusion, 498. If the same ratio is maintained the republican congressmen will have a majority close to 9000.

SEATTLE, Nov. 8.—The Post-Intelligencer claims the republican state ticket is elected by at least 2500, and that the legislature will be republican on joint ballot.

TACOMA, Nov. 8.—Returns received by the Ledger from all over the state indicate a great republican landslide. The indications at 1 a. m. are that Cushman and W. L. Jones, republicans, are elected to congress by at least 2500 plurality. The legislature will be republican and elect a republican senator to succeed Senator Wilson.

MARYLAND.  
BALTIMORE, Nov. 8.—Full and semi-official returns from the balance of the state make it reasonably certain that Maryland has returned for republican two democratic congressmen. This is a democratic gain of two. The successful candidates are: Smith, democrat, First district; Baker, republican, Second district; Weaver, republican, Third; Denny, democrat, Fourth; Mudd, republican, Fifth; Peare, republican, Sixth.

The entire delegation, with the exception of Mudd and Baker, is new timber, and is looked upon as favoring the gold standard.

KENTUCKY.  
LOUISVILLE, Nov. 8.—The democrats carried nine, possibly 10, out of the 11 congressional districts of the state, a gain of two, or perhaps, three.

MONTANA.  
HELENA, Nov. 8.—Late returns make sure the election of Campbell, democrat, for congress. The legislature will be democratic and elect a successor to Lee Mantle.

HELENA, Nov. 8.—Forty precincts in the largest cities give Campbell, democrat, for congress, as many as both other candidates combined.

OHIO.  
COLUMBUS, O., Nov. 8.—Chairman Blacker, of the democratic state committee, concedes the state to the republicans by 60,000 plurality. The Ohio congressional delegation remains the same, as follows: First, Shattuck, republican; Second, Bromwell, republican; Third, Brenner, democrat; Fourth, Gordon, democrat; Fifth, Mediam, democrat; Sixth, Brown, republican; Seventh, Weaver, republican; Eighth, Lybrand, republican; Ninth, Southard, republican; Tenth, Morgan, republican; Eleventh, Grosvenor, republican; Twelfth, Lentz, democrat; Thirteenth, Horton, democrat; Fourteenth, Kerr, republican; Fifteenth, Van Voorhes, republican; Sixteenth, Danford, republican; Seventeenth, McDowell, democrat; Eighteenth, Taylor, republican; Nineteenth, Dick, republican; Twentieth, Phillips, republican; Twenty-first, Burton, republican.

CLEVELAND, Nov. 8.—Returns in at 9 o'clock indicate Kinney, for secretary of state, republican, carried this city by 7000, and the county by 10,000. This is a gain of 5000 over last year.

COLUMBUS, Nov. 8.—The republican committee has a dispatch from George H. Cox, of Cincinnati, that Hamilton county gives a republican plurality of 14,500. Bushnell's plurality was 1500 last year, so this is a republican gain of 13,000 in one county. The vote of both parties is less than that of last year, but early reports show that the democratic losses greatly exceed those of the republicans.

COLORADO.  
DENVER, Nov. 8.—The indications are that Thomas, fusion, is elected over Woot, republican, by 25,000 to 40,000.

NEVADA.  
RENO, Nov. 8.—Indications point to the election of McMillan, republican, for governor; and Newlands, silver, for congress.

CARSON, Nov. 8.—The vote for governor in two precincts of Ormsby county is Sadler, silver, 100; McMillan, republican, 34. The election of all county officers is conceded to the silver party.

LOUISIANA.  
NEW ORLEANS, Nov. 8.—The democrats made a clean sweep. The following congressmen are elected: First, Meyer; Second, Broussard; Fourth, Breazeale; Fifth, Baird; Sixth, Robertson.

DELAWARE.  
WILMINGTON, Del., Nov. 8.—Partial returns from the state indicate that the republicans have elected their state congressional and legislative tickets. This estimate, if verified, indicates the election of a republican successor to United States Senator Gray and a gain of one congressman.

ALABAMA.  
BIRMINGHAM, Nov. 8.—A solid democratic congressional delegation is elected from Alabama.

CALIFORNIA.  
SAN FRANCISCO, Nov. 8.—The republican state central committee claims Gage is elected governor by 30,000 plurality.

Of 11,964 votes counted in San Francisco Gage gets 6,189 and Maguire 5775. If the ratio is maintained Gage will carry the city by 478.

Ten precincts from seven counties give Gage 140, Maguire 134. The same precincts gave McKinley 119, Bryan 132.

In 18 precincts in 12 counties of California outside of San Francisco Gage has 22 and Maguire 21.

Scattered returns from precincts of Stanislaus and Monterey counties indicate that Gage, republican, for governor, is polling a larger proportionate vote than that cast for McKinley.

Complete returns from the Twenty-eighth legislative district give Gage, republican, for governor, 135, Maguire, democratic, 124. Returns from precincts in Fresno and San Diego counties indicate that the Maguire vote is less than that cast for Bryan.

NEBRASKA.  
LINCOLN, Nov. 8.—Scattered precinct returns to midnight indicate a split in surprise in Nebraska, as they forecast the almost certain election of Hayward, republican, for governor, by a plurality of not less than 2000. This will be a reversal of the verdict of 1896 by nearly 15,000. The most surprising feature is the strength displayed by the republican legislative candidates, a few returns, received showing them to be even ahead of Hayward.

Chairman Slaughter of the republican state committee said: "We have elected the entire republican ticket by not less than 5000, and possibly the plurality may exceed 6000. We will have a majority in the legislature on joint ballot and will elect a republican United States senator to succeed Senator Allen. We have elected three congressmen, and probably four, of the six."

MASSACHUSETTS.  
BOSTON, Nov. 8.—The republicans have again carried Massachusetts and elected Wolcott governor for the fourth time, as well as the entire state ticket by a safe majority. Wolcott's plurality over Bruce is about 70,000.

Nearly all interest is confined to the Fifth, Eighth, Ninth, and Tenth congressional districts. The republicans lost two, if not three, of these districts.

The legislature will be but little changed from the present list. All 13 congressmen are elected.

KANSAS.  
TOPEKA, Nov. 8.—At midnight Chairman Albaum, of the republican state committee, claims the state for Stanley, republican, for governor by 5,000, and Chairman Riddle, of the fusion committee, claims the state for Leedy, fusion, by 11,000.

Scattered returns from the state show that Leedy, fusionist, is gaining in the city districts, and Stanley in the country, which will elect the latter if the gains continue.

INDIANA.  
INDIANAPOLIS, Nov. 8.—At 1 o'clock Chairman Martin, of the democratic state committee, said that returns were not sufficiently complete to determine as to the state.

The republicans probably elected in the Sixth, Eighth, Tenth, Eleventh and First districts. The democrats claim the Second, Third, Fourth, Fifth, Seventh, Ninth, Twelfth and Thirteenth districts. The legislature is still in doubt.

INDIANAPOLIS, Nov. 8.—Scattered returns from six precincts in Indianapolis and Marion county indicate that the democrats have carried the city and county.

NEW JERSEY.  
TRENTON, Nov. 8.—New Jersey has been carried by the republicans. Voorhes, republican, is elected by about 12,000 plurality. Both houses of the legislature will be republican. This will insure the election of a republican to succeed Smith in the United States senate.

NEWARK, Nov. 8.—Chairman Murphy, of the republican state committee, at 9:45 p. m., said: "We have carried the state for Voorhes by 11,000. We have elected a majority of the assembly and will elect John Keen United States senator."

MICHIGAN.  
DETROIT, Nov. 8.—Governor Pingree held his own notably well. At 10 o'clock the republican state committee claimed his election by 50,000 to 90,000. The balance of the republican state ticket is elected. The vote of congressmen is close in half of the twelve districts, the others returning republicans. The legislature will have a republican majority.

DETROIT, Nov. 8.—Ninety-three out of the 130 precincts in the state give Pingree, republican, for governor, 11,282; Whitling, democrat, 844.

DETROIT, Nov. 8.—Scattered returns and estimated returns from the state at present seem to indicate Pingree's election by 5000 and upwards.