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# THE ELECTIONS

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### NEW YORK.

NEW YORK, Nov. 3.—Midnight—The election in this city to-day was conducted quietly and earnestly. Of the 226,000 voters who registered, 200,000 went to the polls. The general feeling that the contest on the governorship would be close caused the returns from this city to be eagerly looked for. It was generally admitted that if Hill could leave this county with 45,000 majority over Davenport his election is assured.

The only members of the Republican state committee at headquarters to-night are Capt. Cole and Hackett. Cole retired early, exhausted. Hackett explained to the REPUBLICAN correspondent this morning that bad weather in the interior of the state resulted disastrously to the Republicans by keeping thousands throughout the state from voting. No other reason is assigned for Davenport's defeat. The Republican state committee do not give up, but are despaired. The Mail-Express advices say that Hill is elected by from 10,000 to 15,000 majority. The Herald and Sun say Hill is elected.

NEW YORK, Nov. 4.—Intense local interest was manifested in the contest in sheriff. The returns began early to show that the issue would be between Hugh J. Grant, the Tammany candidate, and John W. Jacobus, Republican, Andrew J. White, the County Democracy candidate, being decisively in the rear. The ticket was the last canvassed, and at midnight the result is in doubt. M. C. Murphy, a County Democrat, is elected in the fifth senate district, after a bitter contest with ex-Senator Michael Norton; Reilly (Dem.) in the sixth, Daly (Dem.) in the seventh. Dunham (Dem.) defeats Senator Gibbs (Rep.) in the fifth district, while the ninth is in doubt, Traphagen (Dem.) in the eleventh, and Plunkett (Dem.) in the twelfth. At this time the returns for assemblymen are insufficient to give the relative Democratic and Republican representation from this city.

The headquarters of every political organization in the city were crowded with people who were anxious to learn the latest news from the various election districts. The County Democrats gathered in Chickering Hall, the Tammany Hall braves at the big wigwam, the Irving Hall Democrats at their hall in Irving place, and the Republicans in the Grand Opera House. In each of these places the returns were read as fast as they were received. The largest crowds assembled at Tammany Hall and the Grand Opera House. When the dispatch announcing that Hill had carried New York city by such a majority as to make his election almost certain was read at Tammany Hall the greatest enthusiasm prevailed. The shouting and hurrahing could be heard for blocks distant. T. J. Campbell is elected to succeed S. S. Cox in Congress from the eighth district. Hugh J. Grant (Tammany) is elected sheriff. He will have at least 7,000 more votes than Jacobus (Rep.), and more than 10,000 over White (County Democracy.)

Whitney, the regular Democratic nominee for mayor of Brooklyn, is elected. His vote thus far in the count equals the combined vote for the Republican and Citizens' League candidates.

TROY, Nov. 3.—Hill's plurality in Rensselaer county is about 5,000. A. Comstock (Rep.) is elected senator without opposition. Michael F. Collins (Dem.) is elected to the assembly in the first district.

NEW YORK, Nov. 3.—Total city vote is now in, as follows: Davenport, 75,446; Hill, 125,714; Carr, 76,880; Jones, 121,299; Hill over Davenport, 48,268; Jones over Carr, 44,419.

NEW YORK, Nov. 3.—Richmond county complete gives Davenport, 3,015; Hill, 4,319; Bascom, 25.

NEW YORK, Nov. 3.—The vote in the fifth senatorial district, with one election district missing and Richmond county to be heard from, is: Murphy (County Democracy), 13,634; Norton (Tammany), 8,186.

NEW YORK, Nov. 3.—Norman A. Lawler (Dem.) was elected in the second assembly district.

SYRACUSE, N. Y., Nov. 3.—This city complete gives Davenport 1,633 majority.

GENESEO, N. Y., Nov. 3.—In Livingston county Davenport will have 1,000 majority. Wadsworth is 500 ahead. Robinson (Rep.), for assembly, is elected by over 1,000 majority, and Walker (Rep.), for senator, by 350.

BINGHAMTON, N. Y., Nov. 3.—This city, in which resides the Democratic candidate for lieutenant governor, gives Hill, for governor, a plurality of 10; a net Democratic gain over last year of 9.

POUGHKEEPSIE, N. Y., Nov. 3.—Twenty-three districts in Dutchess county give Davenport 355 majority. Democratic gain 200. Poughkeepsie city complete gives Davenport 147 majority. Democratic gain 88.

HUDSON, N. Y., Nov. 3.—Hill's majority in this city is 5, a Democratic loss of 75. Returns come in slowly on account of scratching on the local ticket. Hogeboom (Rep.) for senator in the fifteenth district has 200 majority in this city. His majority in the county is between 1,200 and 1,500. Davenport's majority is estimated at 500.

Johnstown, Fulton county complete gives Davenport 2,222, Hill 1,578.

PLATTSBURG, N. Y., Nov. 3.—Davenport's majority in Clinton county is about 1,600, a Republican gain of over 700.

ALBANY, N. Y., Nov. 3.—The indications are that Albany county will give 2,500 Democratic majority. Out of four assemblymen the Democrats elect two, Chase in the third district, and Hardin in the fourth district. The Republicans elect Slingerland in the first district, and O'Brien in the second district.

TROY, Nov. 3.—Rensselaer county will give from 500 to 1,000 majority for Hill. The Republicans elect Demers and Dickson to the assembly, and the Democrats elect Collins. Comstock (Rep.) is elected to the senate. The indications are that Carr does not run ahead of his ticket.

NEW YORK, Nov. 3.—The local contest to-day was for sheriff. Tammany had a candidate (Grant); the County Democracy named White, and the Republicans presented Jacobus; 109 out of 712 election districts give Jacobus 8,136; White, 8,193; Grant, 9,017.

OSWEGO, Nov. 3.—H. C. Howe (Rep.), in the first district, and D. E. Ainsworth (Rep), in the second district, have been elected to the assembly. G. B. Sloan (Rep.) has been elected senator.

ALBANY, N. Y., Nov. 3.—Herkimer county—Davenport's approximate majority, 600; Budling (Rep.), for assembly, 400; Smith (Rep.), for senate, 500.

UTICA, N. Y., Nov. 3.—Benjamin Hall (Rep.) is elected to the assembly in the first Oneida district. Senator Coggeshall (Rep. is re-elected in the Oneida district by 1,200 majority.

BUFFALO, Nov. 3.—Davenport's plurality in Erie county is estimated at 300, a gain of over 1,500. McMillen is elected senator.

BATAVIA, Nov. 3.—Davenport's plurality in Genessee county is estimated by Chairman Redfield at about 700, a Democratic gain of 298. Walker (Rep.) is elected to the senate.

COOPERSTOWN, Nov. 3.—It is estimated by Chairman Truant that Otsego county gives Hill 100 majority, a Democratic loss of 336. Henry (Dem.) was elected in the first assembly district, and Arnold (Rep.) in the second.

DORR'S FERRY, Nov. 3.—Charles P. McClellan (Dem.) is elected to the assembly by 302 majority in the first Westchester district.

BUFFALO, Nov. 3.—The Democrats concede Erie county by 1,500 majority. The Republican committee estimate a majority of 2,000 for Davenport. Last year Blaine had a plurality of 1,490.

MALONE, Nov. 3.—Upon a close estimate, with several districts to hear from, Franklin county gives 1,050 majority for Davenport. There are Republican gains everywhere.

### VIRGINIA.

PETERSBURG, Nov. 3.—The bourbon state ticket is elected by a majority claimed at between 12,000 and 15,000. The bourbons have captured the legislature by a large majority. On joint ballot Gen. Mahone concedes an overwhelming bourbon victory. The result was accomplished by the unscrupulous use of the election machinery by gross frauds in certain counties of the state, and successful appeals to old war sentiment of ex-confederates. Lee, with his cavalry and confederate battle flag, has triumphed over Wise and prayers for a progressive, educated, and prosperous new Virginia. C. M. OGDEN.

PETERSBURG, VA., Nov. 3.—In reply to an inquiry from the mayor of Lancaster, Ohio, and other northern friends, Gen. Mahone has sent the following telegram:

TO H. C. DARNELS, Mayor of Lancaster, Ohio.—I am grateful for the concern felt for our struggle here for Republican principles, honest methods, human rights, and American unity. It is with sincere apprehension for the future safety of Republican government, the peace of the nation, and the welfare of the country that I realize that the Democrats have carried the state and legislative tickets. Only, however, by lawless proceedings and an unscrupulous use of the election machinery—all in their hands and under their absolute control—as provided, and to this very end, by the late usurping Democratic legislature. MAHONE.

ALEXANDRIA, VA., Nov. 4.—The following has been sent to Col. Lamont:

ALEXANDRIA, VA., Nov. 4.—COL. D. S. LAMONT, Executive Mansion, Washington.—The state goes safely by 20,000 and the legislature Democratic. COURTLAND H. SMITH.

RICHMOND, Nov. 4.—Three hundred and twenty-nine voting precincts, including Richmond, show a net Democratic gain of 7,612. Calculating the remainder of the state by the same ratio of gain, Lee's majority will approximate 25,000. Indications at 1 o'clock this morning are that the Democrats will have two-thirds of the senate and sixty out of the hundred members of the house of delegates. Hon. John S. Wise concedes a Democratic victory.

RICHMOND, Nov. 3.—Official returns from all precincts in Richmond give Fitzhugh Lee 7,716; Wise, 5,224; Lee's majority, 2,492, a net Democratic gain of 600. Two hundred and twenty voting precincts outside of Richmond show net Democratic gains of 6,468.

LYNCHBURG, Nov. 3.—It has just been announced at Democratic headquarters that Lee has carried every county in the southwest of the state, and that Lee's majority in the state will foot up over twenty thousand and that the legislature is safe for the Democrats.

CHARLOTTESVILLE, Nov. 3.—The election passed off quietly. Charlottesville gives a Democratic majority of 255. There are large Democratic gains in the county. The entire Democratic ticket is elected. There are large Democratic gains in Orange, Madison, and Greene counties.

ALEXANDRIA, Nov. 3.—Reports received at Democratic headquarters here indicate the election of Democratic members of the legislature in Fairfax, Culpeper, Orange, Norfolk, and Portsmouth. Winchester gives a Democratic majority of 19, the first time in many years. The indications are that Lee's majority will largely exceed that of Cleveland in the state.

WINCHESTER, Nov. 3.—In Frederick county 9 districts heard from show a Democratic gain of 43 over the presidential vote.

NORFOLK, Nov. 3.—Portsmouth gives Lee 335 majority, a gain of 567 over Cleveland's vote, and elects the Democratic delegate by about the same majority.

PETERSBURG, Nov. 3.—A dispatch to the Republican headquarters from Lynchburg says: "Lee has 350 majority and the candidate for the legislature the same; a Republican gain of 400 over 1884. At Hampton the Republicans gain 96. At Gordonsville the Republicans gain 38.

DANVILLE, VA., Nov. 3.—Danville gives the Democratic ticket 440 majority, a gain of 300. North Danville gives 134 majority, a gain of 38. Full returns are not in from this (Pittsylvania) county, but Democratic gains are reported.

WINCHESTER, VA., Nov. 3.—In Frederick county the Democratic majority will be about 1,000.

PETERSBURG, VA., Nov. 3.—A dispatch from Norfolk to Gen. Mahone says: "The enemy claim 300 majority. A gross miscount, and two precincts besides were shut out in the fourth ward." A Fort Monroe telegram says: "Elizabeth City and county gives Wise 850 majority."

STAUNTON, VA., Nov. 3.—Ten precincts in Augusta county give Lee 400 majority, a Republican gain of 69. Alleghany county gives 200 Republican majority.

ALEXANDRIA, Nov. 3.—The Gazette says: Returns from all parts of the state show Democratic gains and indicate Lee's majority will reach 20,000. Already five or six accessions have been made to the Democratic side of the house of delegates and no losses are reported. Chairman Barbour, from dispatches received by him, is confident the Democratic majority will reach 20,000, and in this view Gen. Lee, who is here concurs. Mr. Barbour things the majority in the legislature will be fully as large as last year, when they had two-thirds. Southampton, Mahone's own county, gives a Democratic majority of 200, and so it is all over the state, unexpected gains.

PETERSBURG, VA., Nov. 3.—To Gen. Mahone from Portsmouth, Va.: "The city gone Democratic by 600 majority. Norfolk 300 Democratic. Big chance for a contest." At this hour, 11 p. m., Gen. Mahone sums up the situation as follows: "The Democrats have carried the state and legislative ticket by the unscrupulous use of the election machinery over which they have absolute control and which was provided by their usurping legislature expressly with the end in view."

HARRISONBURG, Oct. 3.—The largest vote ever cast in this county was cast to-day. Ten out of twenty-four precincts give the Democratic state ticket 31 majority and the legislative ticket 44 majority. The county is Democratic by 50 to 75 majority. Rockbridge and Shenandoah, doubtful counties, have certainly gone Democratic.

PETERSBURG, Nov. 3.—Greenville county gives Wise 600 majority.

WINCHESTER, Nov. 3.—Winchester gives Lee 15 majority, a Democratic gain of 98 over the presidential vote last year.

STAUNTON, Nov. 3.—Staunton and three adjoining precincts give Lee 158 majority, a Republican gain of 42.

PETERSBURG, Nov. 3.—The Republicans carry this city by 600 majority. A dispatch to Gen. Mahone says Sussex county is solid for the Republicans. The following has just been received: "RICHMOND, VA.—GEN. MAHONE: Very quiet, orderly election in Richmond. Large vote. About 250 of our vote left out in Jackson ward, but I think we have held our own. JOHN S. WISE."

ALEXANDRIA, Nov. 3.—Alexandria gives Lee 604 majority. Massey runs behind the ticket 94 votes. The Democrats carry every ward in the city. Stuart, for the house of delegates, has 561 majority and is elected.

LYNCHBURG, Nov. 3.—This city gives Lee a majority of 380, a gain over the presidential election of last fall of 215.

PETERSBURG, Nov. 3.—The following have been received:

NORFOLK, VA.—To Gen. Mahone.—"Lee has 306 majority in Norfolk by false counts and freeze-out in the fourth ward."

At Republican headquarters here Gen. Lee's majority is estimated at from 10,000 to 12,000.

### MARYLAND.

BALTIMORE, Nov. 3.—The election in Maryland to-day is for the choice of a comptroller of the state, clerk of the court of appeals, all the members of the house of delegates, and nineteen members of the senate. In the city of Baltimore clerks of the court and, throughout the state, county officers will be chosen. The election is proceeding very quietly, and thus far less excitement is manifested than at the mayoralty election last week. The contest is between the friends and enemies of Senator Gorman.

A difficulty occured this afternoon in the fourth ward in which John Hebrew, colored, was shot through the body, and there is but little prospect of his recovery. He solicited another colored man to vote the Democrat ticket when he was assaulted by others of his race, and "Sheep" Brown shot him. Brown has not been arrested.

ROCKVILLE, Nov. 3.—Montgomery county elects full Democratic county ticket and state ticket by 700 majority, an increase of 150 over Cleveland's.

BALTIMORE, Nov. 3.—Midnight.—The election passed off quietly, and resulted in a sweeping victory for the regular Democratic ticket in this city. The returns are not all in at midnight, as the length of the ticket necessitates a slow count. As far as heard from, not a single fusionist candidate is elected. The state returns are coming in very slowly, but the indications point to Democratic success in nearly all of the counties, which insures a working majority in both branches of the state legislature.

BALTIMORE, Nov. 4.—1:45 a. m.—Partial returns received up to this hour from all sections of the state indicate considerable Democratic gains thoughout the eastern section, while western Maryland, always Republican, is about holding the regular vote. The Democratic majority on the state ticket is estimated now at 12,000 to 15,000.

### MASSACHUSETTS.

BOSTON, Nov. 3.—The Journal (Rep.) claims that Gov. Robinson is re-elected by a plurality of 25,000 votes.

The late returns have caused many surprises in the election of members of the senate and house in particular. Lynn has been carried by the Republicans for the first time in five years, and also elected four out of five Republican representatives.

In the Lowell senatorial district Lilley defeats Marden—a Democratic triumph—and Naphen (Dem.) has been elected to the senate from the South Boston district, another surprise. Alger (Dem.) defeats Chamberlain in the Cambridge senatorial district, which is considered a great victory by the Democrats. Morse (Rep.) defeats Hart (Dem.) in the first Norfolk district. The plurality of Robinson, for governor, will probably reach over 20,000. Fall River, despite the labor vote, was carried by Robinson.

Boston's vote for state treasurer is: Cross, 22,856; Beard, 18,281.

Corrected vote of the city of Boston: Prince, 22,991; Robinson, 18,478; Lothrop, 282; Sumner, 192. The total vote of Worcester county is: Robinson, 14,588; Prince, 10,542; Lothrop, 1,103; Sumner, 143. The Republicans elect all their county officers, all their senators, and 22 of the 30 representatives. The vote is the smallest since 1881.

BOSTON, Nov. 3.—John H. Gould (Rep.) is elected senator in the second Norfolk district. The Norfolk county representative delegation stands 10 Republicans, 2 Independents, and 1 Democrat. Norris (Rep.) is re-elected in the cape district. For councilor from the fourth district Logan (Dem.) is elected over Whitcomb (Rep.) by 2,493 plurality. Cambridge gives Robinson 3,783, Prince 2,777, Latherop 105, and Sumner 10. Waltham—Robinson 1,085, Prince 628. Newton—Robinson 1,345, Prince 487. Barnstable county elects five Republican representatives and one Democrat. In the third Middlesex senatorial district, Alger (Dem.) is elected over Chamberlain (Rep.) by 674 plurality.

BOSTON, Nov. 3.—The city of Boston elects 19 Republicans, 24 Democrats, 1 Independent-Democrat, and 2 Independents to the legislature.

Last year's vote throughout the state was Robinson (Rep.), 159,345; Endicott (Dem.), 111,060; McCaffrey (Nat.), 24,363.

### NEW JERSEY.

PRINCETON, N. J., Nov. 3.—Princeton township gives Mayor J. W. Wright (Dem.) for assembly 121 majority over his Republican opponent.

PHILADELPHIA, Nov. 3.—Returns from the Cumberland county, N. J., first assembly district in full figures gives Lawrence (Rep.), 1,145; Mulford (Dem.), 1,003; Foster (Pro.), 890. The indications are that Banks (Rep.) is re-elected over Westcott (Dem.) in the second assembly district.

PERTH AMBOY, N. J., Nov. 3.—John F. Tenbroeck was elected a member of assembly by the Republicans of the first district of Middlesex county by a majority of about 100.

CAPE MAY, N. J., Nov. 3.—Cape May city, Haines (Rep.), for senate, 194; Ludlam (Dem.), 180; Tomlin (Rep.), for assembly, 144; Hildreth (Dem.), 280. Mercer county—the following were elected to the assembly, Ossenberg (Rep.) by 156 majority; Toyon (Rep.) by 589 majority, and Hutchinson (Rep.) by 230 majority.

TRENTON, N. J., Nov. 3.—Thomas L. Titus (Dem.) is elected to the assembly from the second district of Warren county by 660 majority. Wm. M. Baird (Dem.) is elected to the assembly from the first district by 500 majority.

BRIDGETON, Nov. 3.—Warren county—In the first assembly district Dr. Baird (Dem.) is elected by a small majority, and in the second district Thomas Titus (Dem.) is elected by 300 majority.

WOODBURY, Nov. 3.—Roe (Rep.), for the assembly, is elected by about 400 majority.

SALEM, Nov. 3.—Salem county gives Whitaker (Rep.), for assembly, 280 majority over Lippincott (Dem.) Pierce (Pro.) received about 400 votes.

ATLANTIC CITY, Nov. 3.—The returns so far received indicate the election of Beckwith (Dem.) for the assembly.

PATERSON, Nov. 3.—Passaic county—Griggs (Rep.), for senator, is elected by at least 800 majority. Sheele (Rep.), Bolton (Rep.), Low (Rep.), and Gourlay (Dem.) were elected to the assembly by large majorities.

MOUNTTOWN, Nov. 3.—Morris county—In the first district John Norwood (Rep.) is re-elected to the assembly. In the second district Willis (Rep.) is elected, and in the third Drake (Dem.) is re-elected.

### NEW HAMPSHIRE.

NASHUA, Nov. 3.—The municipal election held to-day resulted in the election of the Democratic candidate for mayor, James H. Tolles. The Democrats elect two members of the board of assessors, Rohie and Morse. The Republicans elect Kimball, Whitney, and Tolles. The city government is Republican on joint ballot, the council standing: Republicans, 6; Democrats, 4. The board of education stands: Republicans, 3; Democrats, 1.

### ILLINOIS.

CHICAGO, Nov. 3.—The election in this city and county to-day is for a justice of the supreme court of Illinois to fill the vacancy caused by the death of Justice T. Lyle Dickey, a judge of the superior court of Cook county. The Republicans nominated Benjamin D. Magruder for the supreme court, and the Democrats have concurred in the nomination. The Republicans present Gwynn Garnet for superior court judge and the Democrats Wm. J. Hynes. Both parties have presented their own candidates for commissioners, and owing to the failure of a portion of the Republican press to support all the Republican nominees a split ticket has been printed and is being offered to voters to-day, containing the names of a portion of the nominees of each party. The contest over the election of county commissioners is provoked by the condition of the county finances, and the declaration that the present management has been reckless and extravagant. The chief contest to-day, however, is over the adoption or rejection of new election law framed at the last session of the Illinois legislature. The new law provides for small voting precincts, and is framed very closely after the New York law. The Republicans and the independent movement favor the new law, while the Democrats are opposing its adoption.

CHICAGO, Nov. 3.—"Beyond all doubt the city election law is carried," said the Daily News transparency at 10:30 o'clock. The popular interest here is almost entirely centered in the fate of the new election law, the Democrats having indorsed the Republican nominee for judge. Fifty-seven precincts gave 5,870 votes for and 2,290 against the election law.

For commissioners the Democrats are ahead except in the case of Lang, who ran away ahead of his ticket. On account of a large amount of scratching returns come in slowly.

AN ILLINOIS CONGRESSMAN ELECTED.

CHICAGO, Nov. 3.—The Inter Ocean's Elgin, Ill., special says: The special election for congressman for the fifth district, to fill the vacancy caused by the death of Reuben Elwood, was very quiet. Hopkins, the Republican candidate, is ahead. Bishop, the nominee of the Democrats received a light vote.

### PENNSYLVANIA.

PHILADELPHIA, Nov. 3.—Fifty-seven out of the sixty-seven counties in this state, including Philadelphia, give Quay (Rep.) for state treasurer 28,951 majority, a net Republican gain of 7,727, while Quay loses 7,733 in the city his gains in the counties outside of Philadelphia foot up 15,460. The counties yet to be heard from gave in 1883 a Democratic majority of 1,240. But the Republican gains are so uniform throughout the state that this majority will probably be wiped out. Quay's majority will stand about 29,000.

PHILADELPHIA, Nov. 3.—Following is the complete vote of Philadelphia county state treasurer: Matthew S. Quay (Rep.), 78,201; Conrad B. Day (Dem.), 64,030; N. C. Whitney (Gb.-L.), 174; Barr Spangler (Pro.), 1,481. Judge court of common pleas—Craig Biddle (Rep. and Dem.), 139,303; Wm. Moore (Gb.-L.), 1,374. Sheriff—William Ellwood Rowan (Rep.), 76,883; Dallas Sanders (Dem.), 64,889; Stephen M. Nash (Gbk. Labor), 258; J. R. Greer (Pro.), 1,024. City treasurer—Frank T. Bell (Rep.), 82,312; Simon R. Snyder (Dem.), 61,044; Austin W. Moses (Gbk. Labor), 193; Samuel B. Garrigues (Pro.), 1,056. Register of wills—William B. Kinzey (Rep.), 82,639; S. Edwin Megargee (Dem.), 60,323; Henry Reed (Gbk. Labor), 195; S. Fell (Pro.), 1,023.

PITTSBURG, Nov. 4.—At 1 o'clock this morning careful estimates place Quay's majority for state treasurer in Allegheny county at 9,000. The entire Republican county ticket is elected.

TITUSVILLE, Nov. 3.—The weather was very inclement here to-day and the vote was very light. Quay (Rep.), for state treasurer, gets a majority over Day in this city of 125, which is a gain of 112 over Blaine. The county vote is light, and few returns will be in to-night, owing to the stormy weather, but Quay will hold the average majority given to Republican candidates in this section, and probably increase it.

Juniata county—Day 200 majority, a Democratic gain of 66.

Lancaster county—Quay 5,700 majority, a Democratic gain of 673.

Northampton county—Day 2,000 majority, a Republican gain of 1,095.

Mercer county—Quay 700 majority, a Republican gain of 448.

Butler county—Quay 250 majority, a Democratic gain of 85.

Lycoming county—Day 800 majority, a Republican gain of 190.

Wayne county—Day 150 majority, a Republican gain of 405.

Berks county—Day 3,558 majority, a Republican gain of 2,530.

The vote was the lightest for years. There was light scratching. Day's majority in Reading was 193; Ermentrout (Dem.), for judge, falls nearly 2,000 behind his ticket; Gavin Gobin, his Republican opponent, carries the city of Reading by 250.

Lancaster city—Quay, 576 majority, a Republican gain of 596.

Forest county—Quay, 150 majority, a Republican gain of 85.

McKean county—Quay, 215 majority, a Republican gain of 50.

Dauphin county—Quay, 1,300 majority, a Democratic gain of 402. Quay runs behind the county ticket, and the city of Harrisburg will not give him over 200 majority.

PITTSBURG, Nov. 3.—The election to-day was the quietest known here for many years. No interest seemed to be taken and scarcely half the vote was polled. In many districts the worker was conspicuously absent and voters were compelled to select their own tickets from cigar boxes placed on unguarded stands outside the polls. To-night there is very little excitement on the streets. The returns up to 10 o'clock indicate about 8,000 majority in Allegheny county for Quay, Republican candidate for state treasurer. The entire Republican county ticket is also elected.

### CONNECTICUT.

HARTFORD, CONN., Nov. 3.—Eighty-six towns, including Hartford, New Britain, Norfolk, Bridgeport, and Stamford, elect 61 Republicans and 69 Democrats to the legislature, a Democratic gain of 16.

HARTFORD, Nov. 3.—The election in this state was for members of the legislature only. Returns at the Courant office at 11 o'clock from all but four towns in the state show the complexion of the next house to be as follows: Republicans, 129; Democrats, 112; Independents, 2. The missing towns will not materially change the result. The town of Marlboro is a tie on representatives. Last year these towns stood: Republicans, 160; Democrats, 84. Senatorial elections took place in 12 odd-numbered districts. Each party elects 6. Of the 12 senators holding over 7 are Republicans and 5 Democrats, making the next senate stand 13 Republicans and 11 Democrats. Last year it was seventeen Republicans and seven Democrats. This gives the Republicans about 2,000 majority. Arnold (Rep.) has 500 plurality in the second assembly district, and L. S. Henery (Dem.), in the first district, has about 50 plurality.

### IOWA.

DES MOINES, IOWA, Nov. 3.—Fifty precincts of Iowa give a Republican gain of 790.

DES MOINES, IOWA, Nov. 3.—Sixty precincts in Iowa give net Republican gain of 542.

DUBUQUE, Nov. 2.—N. Knight (Dem.) is elected senator in Dubuque county by estimated 2,000 majority. Lincham and Baldwin, both Democrats, are elected representatives.

Seventy precincts in Iowa give net Republican gain of 643; eighty-four precincts give Larabee 10,138; Whiting, 10,224.

DES MOINES, Nov. 3.—One hundred and ninety precincts of Iowa give a net Republican gain of 1,659. This includes two wards in the city of Davenport.

### NEBRASKA.

LINCOLN, Nov. 3.—One ward in this city and five outside precincts are all that have been heard from complete. These, with other partial reports, indicate the election of the Republican state ticket by about the same majority as last year in proportion to the vote. The Republican majority is now estimated at about 18,000.

LINCOLN, Nov. 3.—Returns come in more rapidly now. Thirty-eight precincts outside of the city bear but the estimate of 18,000 Republican majority. The Prohibition vote will reach 6,000 in the state.

### MISSISSIPPI.

JACKSON, MISS., Nov. 3.—The election today passed off quietly. The indications are that the vote was unusually light. Jackson polled 350 votes and registers 1,600. The negroes, generally, were not voting. The light vote is to be accounted for from the fact that there was no ticket in the field except the regular Democratic state ticket. In a few counties where local disaffections existed the vote is divided, and a few Independents may be elected to the legislature and to county offices.

### KANSAS.

EMPORIA, KAN., Nov. 3.—The election of county officers passed off quietly. Throughout the county, as far is known, a light vote was polled. The indications point to the election of the entire Republican ticket. Peoria—S. H. Kinkie (Rep.) carried this city to-day by over 200 majority, a change since last mayor's election of 1,100 votes.

FORT SCOTT, KAN., Nov. 3.—Enough complete returns have been received to show the Republican county ticket is all elected by a majority of 700, except the candidate for sheriff, whose majority is about 500.

## THE NEWS IN THIS CITY.

### Intense Excitement Over the Election in New York and Virginia.

This city is always interested in elections, no matter how unimportant, and the elections of yesterday commanded the attention of all. During the day the telegraph offices were surrounded by large crowds, and business in the departments was practically suspended. Carriers were bringing dispatches all day, and the contents of each "special" were circulated to all the rooms, and discussed at length. The Cabinet officers in the city received the telegrams of the various news and telegraph companies, and the chief officials remained at their offices at night discussing the returns. Although the interest was great, but little betting was done, and then even money was hard to find. In the morning $100 to $80 was offered on Davenport's election, while 2 to 1 was not hard to find on Lee's success. In the afternoon, when returns began to come in, the odds were changed slightly, and there was but little desire for speculation.

It was not until dark that any public demonstration of interest was manifested. At night crowds gathered around the newspaper and telegraph offices, and read with eagerness the returns, which were meager at first. A telegram from Mississippi, announcing the success of the Democrats in municipal elections, was cheered as loudly as was a Republican victory in Massachusetts.

The main interest was centered on New York, Virginia, and Maryland, and there were many, both Democrats and Republicans, who expected a repetition of the result in Ohio. The determined fight made by Wise in Virginia was commended on all sides, while, aside from the success of the gubernatorial and state ticket in New York, many politicians speculated on its effect on the administration.

The early dispatches from New York, Virginia, and Maryland were numerous, but gave but little that was news, or could be made the basis of an estimate as to the probable result. These returns seemed to give the Democratic brethren a great deal to be happy over, and they stood in front of bulletin boards and cheered lustily. The hotel corridors were crowded all the evening, and frequent dispatches were displayed.

The Columbia Democratic Club had a suite of parlors at the Metropolitan Hotel, and sent numerous bulletins to the crowds below, after their peculiar fashion. They had as guests Treasurer Jordan, Auditors Chenowith, Williams, and McCorvile.

The crowds on the streets were quiet, and while a good deal of harmless yelling was indulged in, but little disorder was observed.

## CIVIL SERVICE CHANGES.

The following fourth class postmasters have been appointed: In Maryland—Sassafras, Kent county, Wm. T. Johnson; Nanticoke, Wicomico county, Henry T. Messeck; Crumpton, Queen Anne county, H. Clay Henrix. In Virginia—Spring Grove, Surrey county, Thos. H. Burt; Ivano, James City county, D. W. Marston.

Chas. T. Davis, of this city, a special agent of the bureau of labor, has resigned after completing his investigations in England.

Henry B. Martin, of Indiana, has been appointed a special agent of the general land office at $5 a day to examine surveys.

The report that Marshal McMichael's resignation has been accepted, and that the office is now vacant, is denied at the White House. Marshal McMichael is now in Philadelphia, but will return in a day or two, and will continue until the President appoints his successor, which will be done very shortly.

Owing to the completion of certain work ten employes of the engraving division of the bureau of engraving and printing have been dismissed.

The following-named presidential postmasters were appointed yesterday: Tranquilino Lalaudo, at Las Vegas, N. M., vice F. Romero, resigned; Mrs. Armand Quinlan, at Monticello, N. Y., vice Richard Oakley, resigned, and L. A. Rostalck, at Lowville, N. Y., vice Lewis Scott, resigned.

### The Adulterations in Japan.

In compliance with instructions from the Secretary of the State, Consul Patton, at Osaka and Hiogo, Japan, reports to the department that the days when teas were adulterated by the use of leaves of various plants similar in form and appearance have passed. No such methods are resorted to now by either producer, broker, or intermediate party, and hence Mr. Patton says the necessity of transmitting specimens of such leaves for the use of appraisers in the custom house is obviated. The character and quality of teas exported to the United States during the present season have been much superior to those of any former season, and as would naturally be expected prices have correspondingly advanced. The improvement, Mr. Patton says, is due in large measure to the efforts of the central government of Japan which realized the fact that, if the tea trade was to be established as one of the leading industries of the country and become remunerative to the producer and dealer, all attempts to palm off adulterated teas must be discontinued and strictly forbidden. Hence official notification was promulgated through the department of agriculture and commerce to the several provincial governors, and by them communicated to the people, prescribing regulations for the establishment of tea guilds with a view of correcting all abuses and providing a course for the future government of the trade. The regulations, a translation of which is inclosed, are elaborate and, regarding the matter of adulteration, are severe.

### How Manchester Streets Are Swept.

Consul L. J. Hale, at Manchester, in a report to the Secretary of State, describes a newly-invented street sweeper which is about to be put in operation by the authorities of that city; and which, Mr. Hale thinks, will create a revolution in one of the chief departments of sanitation of great cities. It not only sweeps the pavement, but gathers up the sweepings and removes them. With the new machine, two men and two horses will be able to do the work which now devolves upon seven or eight men and two horses. The business thoroughfares of a great city may be cleaned at almost any time of day, and the whole machine is complete in itself, and interferes no more with traffic than the passing of any other large vehicle. Mr. Hale says the streets of Manchester are of the cleanest in the world. They are now swept as are those in most American cities, by machinery, and the sweepings are gathered up into heaps and shoveled into carts for removal. The cost of this work during the year ending March 31, 1885, was $91,577, and 570,114,760 yards of pavement were swept. The whole work is in the charge of the health department of the corporation, and no part of it is done by contract. Nothing, Mr. Hale says, which he can recall of American cities is comparable to the constant and uniform cleanliness of the streets of Manchester; that is to say, at all times of the day and in all of the streets—in the lanes and alleys, as well as in the nobler thoroughfares.

### The Cholera at Shanghai.

Vice Consul General Seidmore, at Shanghai, reports, under date of Sept. 19, that during the last week in August the deaths from cholera in the English and American settlements were ninety-six among the Chinese. The returns for September had not been sent in, but it was thought the death rate had not decreased. The deaths among foreigners had not exceeded ten. In old Shanghai and its suburbs the cases of cholera were exceedingly numerous, but the statistics were not obtainable. The walled city of Shanghai, Mr. Seidmore says, is the filthiest city he ever visited, and old residents of China had told him it is considered to be at the head of the list of Chinese cities so far as vile smells and filth are concerned. A few days before writing Mr. Seidmore made a tour of inspection through the old city, and he embodies in his report a highly realistic description of the sights and smells which everywhere greeted him.

### A Woman Severely Scalded.

Ada Shepherd, colored, was severely scalded last night by another colored woman named Mary Sears. Both live in Prather's alley. It could not be learned whether the act was done purposely or not.

### National Horse Show.

NEW YORK, Nov. 3.—The third annual exhibition of the National Horse Show Association was opened to-day at Madison Square Garden under favorable auspices. There was a large attendance of visitors and there were many exhibits. For 4-year-old stallions, A. J. Cassatt, of Bowerland College, Pa., took first prize, $200. The second prize, $100, was awarded to Harris & Brown, of Owen Sound, Canada. The prize for ponies, mares and geldings, not exceeding thirteen hands, first prize, $50, to Clarence Seagrist, of this city, and the second prize, $30 to Peter Dodder, of this city. For 3-year-old trotting stallions, first prize of $100 was given to C. A. Hamilton, of Burlington, N. Y., and the second prize, $50, to A. B. Wallace, of this city.

### Price of Sugar Reduced.

SAN FRANCISCO, Nov. 3.—The California sugar refinery to-day made a reduction of 1¼ cents per pound on sugars.

## ASSOCIATED CHARITIES.

### ANNUAL MEETING OF THE LOCAL ORGANIZATION.

### Facts and Figures of a Year's Work Among the Unfortunate—Pertinent Observations Upon the Direction of True Philanthropy — New Officers Elected.

The fourth annual meeting of the Associated Charities of this District was held in the Congregational Church last evening, and was well attended. Commissioner W. B. Webb presided; L. S. Emery, secretary. The exercises were commenced with a voluntary on the organ by Prof. Bischoff, followed with prayer by Rev. Geo. O. Little.

Col. Webb delivered the opening address. He referred to the organization, which made a commissioner ex officio president of the society, and, while thinking it strange, was glad to be with them. It gave him an opportunity to meet those engaged in this noble work and become acquainted with the wants and needs of the people of the District. He then spoke of the sick, suffering, and distressed, and declared that relieving cases of this description was the noblest calling man and woman could be engaged in. The work met his hearty sanction, and would receive his support. There were many ways of doing good, but he believed the highest and best was in relieving the needy. L. S. Emery, general secretary, presented his annual report, which was quite voluminous. It cited individual cases of a peculiar character, which had been investigated, and developed objects of charity where want would scarcely have been imagined. The report also pointed out the manner in which the Associated Charities performed its work; not recommending alms-giving, but urging applicants to embrace labor as an honorable way to livelihood and assisting them to procure it. The result of the year's work was most satisfactory and encouraging to the society.

Those asking alms numbered 935, wanting work, 700; furnished alms, 223; families aided in obtaining work, 120; worked in woodyard, 62; aided to leave the city, 36; sent to homes, 19; sent to hospital, 4; tramps dealt with, 96. The amount received from all sources was $1,615.65. Amount on hand at commencement of the year, $93.63. Total, $1,709.28. Amount turned over to the treasurer during the year, $1,713.35.

Allusion was made to the kitchen garden, kindergarten, and work in the woodyard. In the two former good progress had been made, and the latter furnished employment for many men, who were repaid for their labor in fuel, clothes, food, and place to sleep, but no alms. In conclu