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LORD COLERIDGE ILL. The Chief Justice Suddenly Stricken at Court.

LONDON, Nov. 6.—[Special]—Much excitement was created in the Queen's bench division of the high court of justice to-day by the sudden illness of Lord Coleridge, Lord Chief Justice of England.

His lordship had heard a case in his private room, and though he had complained of feeling ill during the hearing, he was able to give a decision in the matter. Directly afterward he was seized with an apoplectic or paralytic stroke.

The nearest doctor was in chambers and, close to law courts, and he was hastily summoned to attend his lordship.

Other messengers were dispatched to Lord Coleridge's residence, and Lady Coleridge proceeded instantly to court to render what assistance she could to her stricken husband.

His lordship was placed upon an improvised couch in an ante room. Other doctors were summoned, and are now in attendance upon him. They declare his condition critical.

This afternoon the doctors announced his lordship able to be removed, and he was taken to his home in a carriage.

Later—the doctors announce that Lord Coleridge's ailment is gastritis, and that he is in no danger. He will probably resume work next week.

One Man Burned to Death, and a Loss of 100,000 Sustained.

DENVER, Col., Nov. 6.—[Special]—Fire broke out in the rear of M. L. Todd's lumber yard on Ninth and Larimer streets at 11 o'clock last night. The flames had spread nearly all over the yard before water could be turned on, and quickly passed to the St. Elmo Hotel, Meyers' liquor store and O'Leary's drug store, while a number of small residences just across the alley were given up to the flames. The entire block between Ninth and Tenth streets and Larimer and Market were burned.

One unknown man was burned to death in the hotel. It is reported that another man and two children were caught in the same building and destroyed. The cause of the fire is not known. The loss will probably not ever \$100,000.

Nashville Races.

NASHVILLE, Tenn., Nov. 6.—[Special]—Three thousand persons attended the races at West Side Park to-day, and a good day's sport was provided. The weather was beautiful and the track fast. First race, nine-sixteenths of a mile—Joe Woolman won, Carrie A. second, Corinne Kinney third; time .57. Second race, eleven sixteenths of a mile—Folen won, Miss Mary second, Little Cretie third; time 1:10. Third race, fifteen sixteenths of a mile—Neva won, Lida L. second, Dyer third; time 1:33 1/2. Fourth race, seven furlongs—Cashier won, Jazi second, Dilemma third; time 1:30. Fifth race, five furlongs—Miss Howling won, Onlight second, Corinne Kinney third; time 1:24.

Races at Elizabeth.

ELIZABETH, N. J., Nov. 6.—[Special]—First race, three-fourths of a mile—Bellwood won, Dr. Hasbrouck second, G. W. Cook third; time, 1:15 1/2. Second race, one mile and one-eighth—Riley won, Nevada second, Eurus third; time, 1:54 1/2. Third race, three-fourths of a mile—Early Blossom won, Judge Post second, Zed third; time, 1:16 1/2. Fourth race, five-eighths of a mile, selling—Carrie C. won, Mamie B. second, Elmstone third; time, 1:03 1/2. Fifth race, three-fourths of a mile, selling—Houson won, Waterson second, Gracie M. third; time, 1:16 1/2.

Stanley in America.

NEW YORK, Nov. 6.—[Special]—The Teutonic, with Henry M. Stanley and party on board, arrived this morning.

DEMOCRAT TO SUCCEED EVARTS.

Breckenridge is Elected and Ingalls Will Retire.

Virginia Sends a Solid Delegation Beyond a Doubt—Illinois Legislature a Tie—Democrats Gain Two Congressmen in New Hampshire—McKinley Says a Majority of 227 Against Him is a Victory for Protection—Hatch is a Candidate for the Speakership.

RICHMOND, Va., Nov. 7.—[Special]—1 a. m.—Fuller returns from throughout the State confirm the previous estimates that all the Democratic Congressmen have been elected. A canvass of the vote as returned shows Democratic gains amounting to 11,612, while the Republican gains amount to but 1,306, showing a net Democratic gain of 10,306, as compared with the election of 1888.

EPES' ELECTION.

He Carries His District by 3,600 Majority.

PETERSBURG, Va., Nov. 6.—[Special]—F. R. Lassiter, chairman of the Democratic committee of the Fourth Congressional district, is in receipt of telegrams from each county in the district, which shows Mr. Epes' majority in the district to be a little over 3,600.

Mr. Epes arrived in the city to-night.

ARKANSAS.

Breckenridge, Heretofore Doubtful, is Elected.

LITTLE ROCK, Ark., Nov. 5.—[Special]—Official, unofficial and estimated returns from the Second district give the following majorities for Breckenridge: Pope county, 1,000; Arkansas 317; Whirrer, all but one township, 697, which will be reduced to about 625; Cleveland 65; Cleburne 309; with two townships to hear from, Van Buren 400.

All the counties show heavy Democratic gains over the vote for Fizer for Governor in September. Jefferson gives Langley 3,600, against 4,300 for Fizer, and Faulkner 50 majority, against 500 for Fizer. The Democrats claim Breckenridge's election by a handsome majority. In September all the counties in this district gave Fizer, Rep., Union Labor, 2,300 majority.

So far as heard from Langley's counties show reduced majorities.

DELAWARE.

WILMINGTON, Del., Nov. 5.—[Special]—The election has been close in this city, and there have been such charges and counter charges of unfair dealing that the result in this county cannot yet be definitely stated on the face of the returns. New Castle county has gone Republican by twenty-five to 150 on the Legislative ticket, but the Democrats are still claiming the election of the whole State ticket. Kent county, complete, gives a Democratic majority ranging from 257 to 428. Sussex county, with one district to hear from, gives an average Democratic majority of 500. The missing district will increase this to 600 or more, so that on the face of the returns Robert J. Reynolds, Dem., for Governor, and John W. Caisey, Dem., for Congress, are elected by about 700 majority, and the Legislature will be two-thirds Democratic. There is an uncertainty as to whether the returns of certain districts, where fraud is charged, will be accepted by the board of canvassers of Sussex and New Castle counties, the former of which is Republican and the latter Democratic, so that the outcome may depend upon the official count.

ILLINOIS.

It Looks Like a Tie Vote in the Legislature.

CHICAGO, Ill., Nov. 6.—[Special]—The Tribune, Rep., finds the result in the State Legislature to be as follows:

Senate—Republicans, 27; Democrats, 24. House—Republicans, 75; Democrats, 76; F. M. B. A., 2. Joint assembly—Republicans, 102; Democrats, 100; F. M. B. A., 2.

This would make a tie vote on a joint ballot if the Farmers' Alliance men should vote with the Democrats, or give a majority of four should they vote with the Republicans.

CHICAGO, Nov. 6.—[Special]—Chairman Jones of the Republican State Central Committee, according to the Daily News, concedes the Legislature to the Democrats, but claims the election of the Republican State ticket by majorities from 6,000 to 8,000.

The Democratic Central Committee is unwilling to concede the claims of Jones in regard to the State ticket so long as the returns come in from Southern Illinois counties showing heavy Democratic gains.

Official returns from 27 counties out of 102 in the State, show a net gain of over 60,000 for the Democratic State ticket. Senator Farwell says, in regard to the Legislature: "According to the latest and most reliable news I can get from Chairman Jones, I will not be the next Senator from Illinois; John M. Palmer will."

When asked if he had given up hope, he said: "Oh, no; I won't give up hope till the thing is entirely settled; but by the way it stands now it seems as if the Republicans were knocked out. I understand from headquarters that Jones claims we have 101 and the Democrats 103."

KANKAKEE, Ill., Nov. 6.—[Special]

Indications now point to the election of H. W. Snow, Dem., as Congressman from the Ninth district, over L. E. Payson, Rep. The Republicans in the district concede Snow's election. This is a big victory for the Democrats, as Payson carried the district by 2,000 majority in 1888.

IOWA

Sends Six Republicans and Five Democrats.

DES MOINES, Iowa, Nov. 6.—[Special]—Nearly complete official returns of the secretary of State, with a few counties partly estimated, show that McFarland, Republican, has a plurality of 2,183.

The remainder of the State ticket is probably divided, as McFarland leads the ticket.

The latest Congressional returns are Henderson, Republican, in Third district, elected by a majority of 272, and Flick, in the Eighth district, by a majority of 323.

The State delegation in Congress will stand six Republicans and five Democrats.

INGALLS TO RETIRE.

The Opposition in Kansas Will Have a Majority.

TOPEKA, Kan., Nov. 6.—[Special]—At midnight the Republican central committee conceded the election of the entire Farmers' Alliance ticket, with the possible exception of Wellets, candidate for Governor, who may be defeated by Humphrey by a small majority.

The committee concedes the opposition to Ingalls in the Legislature will have a majority. The election of six opposition Congressmen is assured.

KENTUCKY.

Wilson Elected in the Eleventh Kentucky District.

LOUISVILLE, Nov. 6.—[Special]—There is very little change in the election situation. The latest reports show that Congressman John H. Wilson, Rep., has been re-elected in the Eleventh district by 2,000 majority. J. W. Kendall, Dem., has a majority of 24 in nine counties, and there was 1,175 Democratic majority at the last election in the remainder of the district. The one not certainly elected are Breckenridge, McCree, Dickerson, Payton, Montgomery, Caruth, Ellis, Goodnight and Stone.

MICHIGAN.

DETROIT, Mich., Nov. 6.—[Special]—It is thought the whole Democratic state ticket is elected by from 6,000 to 10,000 plurality. The legislature is also Democratic, the Senate by about 3 majority, and the House by some 15 on a fusion vote with the patrons of industry.

MINNESOTA.

ST. PAUL, Nov. 6.—[Special]—The latest figures from the Fifth Congressional district indicate the possible election of Halvason, Alliance, over Comstock, Rep., and Whitman, Dem.

MINNEAPOLIS, Minn., Nov. 6.—[Special]—Returns from sixty-six counties give Merriam, Rep., for Governor, 74,069 votes; Wilson, Dem., 70,243; and Owen, Alliance, 48,214, a plurality of 3,825 for Merriam, with fifteen counties to be heard from. It looks as if Merriam was elected. The Fifth Congressional district is still in doubt. Castle's, Dem., plurality over Snider, Rep., in the Fourth district, is 3,939. Lind's, Rep., plurality over Baker in the Second, is about 1,000. Harries, Dem., has 1,757 plurality over Dunnell, Rep., in the First district. O. M. Hall, Dem., has a safe majority over D. S. Hall, Rep., in the Third district. The Alliance will probably hold the balance of power in the State Legislature.

ST. PAUL, Minn., Nov. 6.—[Special]—Independent Alliance information from eighteen counties in South Dakota shows Louckes, Ind., for Governor, to have 3,000 plurality over Meelert, Rep., and Taylor, Dem. The same returns indicate the election of ninety-two Alliance members of the Legislature. The Republicans, however, claim to have elected their State and Congressional tickets.

MINNEAPOLIS, Nov. 6.—[Special]—The Journal's Fargo, N. D., special says: Incomplete returns indicate that the Legislature will have sixty Republicans out of ninety-three members, balance being divided between Democrats and Independents. Johnson, Rep., for Congress, claims 6,000 majority, but it may not go over 3,000. Burke, Rep., for Governor, will have 4,000 majority.

MONTANA.

HELENA, Mont., Nov. 6.—[Special]—Returns are coming slowly from remote precincts. The Republican committee claim that Carter will have a small majority, but Dixon's election is generally conceded by 200 to 400. The Democrats claim two majority in the State Senate.

NEBRASKA.

LINCOLN, Neb., Nov. 9.—[Special]—Official reports from two-thirds of the counties in the State would indicate the election of Powers for Governor by a small plurality.

OMAHA, Neb., Nov. 6.—[Special]—The returns are still meagre, but indicate the election of Boyd, Democrat, for Governor by a small plurality. The Alliance candidates are looming up strong in interest, and the Republican candidate is alternating between first and second places in country towns. Complete returns may possibly elect either

of the candidates, but the large Democrat gains in Omaha and the eastern end of the State gives Boyd the best chances. The Democrats gain one Congressman, (McKeighn) surely, and probably another, Bryan. The election of Dorsey, Republican in the Third district, is not yet certain.

Boyd, Dem., is elected Governor by 4,000 to 5,000 plurality. Most of the Republican State ticket below Governor is elected. The Farmers' Alliance have the Legislature, two Congressmen and most of the county offices.

NEW HAMPSHIRE.

The Democrats Gain Two Congressmen From the State.

COXCORD, N. H., Nov. 6.—[Special]—The Republicans concede the election of Daniel, Democrat, in the Second Congressional district, by a plurality of 59 or 60. This gives the Democrats two Congressmen from this State.

Both parties claim the Legislature. The Republicans say they have chosen 13, and possibly 15, Senators and will have a good working majority in the House. The Democrats give the Republicans 12 Senators and claim 11, and say there is no choice in one Senatorial district. They continue to claim the House, and a majority of the legislature on joint ballot. The legislature is very close, and neither party will have more than 3 to 5 majority on joint ballot.

NEW YORK'S LEGISLATURE

Is Democratic on Joint Ballot by a Majority of One.

NEW YORK, Nov. 6.—[Special]—The Associated Press reports show the election of sixty-eight Democratic assemblymen in New York State and sixty Republican. As the Democrats have thirteen Senators against nineteen Republicans, the former will thus have on joint ballot eighty-one votes against the latter's seventy-nine, which insures the election of a Democratic successor to Senator Evarts. More over the Democrats claim two assembly districts credited to the Republicans, namely, Dutchess county and Montgomery county.

DEFEATED BY 227.

McKinley Says it is a Victory for Protection.

CANTON, O., Nov. 6.—[Special]—Unless the official count in Stark and Holmes changes, McKinley is defeated by 227, a Republican gain of 2,700 in the district.

The official count in Stark and Holmes counties is now going on. Holmes county is estimated at 1,980 for Warwick; Stark 760 for McKinley. Medina, official, is 1,288 for McKinley, and Wayne 395 for Warwick. McKinley said this afternoon to an Associated Press reporter that, while conceding his probable defeat by a small majority, he is greatly satisfied with the result. He said the issue was between protective tariff and tariff for revenue only, clear and distinct, and nothing else entered into the canvass.

His bill was the center of the assault. The result he regards as a signal victory.

A Democratic majority of over 2,900 in this district last year was reduced to about 200 this year. He carried his own ward, city and county by large majorities, showing unprecedented gains.

WASHINGTON.

SEATTLE, Wash., Nov. 6.—[Special]—Returns and estimates from all the counties in the State to the Post-Intelligencer give Wilson, Republican, for Congress, a plurality of 6,000. The city of Olympia, for State capital, has 17,000 majority. The Republicans elect 31 State Senators, and Democrats 3; one county is tied. The House will have 73 Republicans and 15 Democrats.

DEMOCRATIC GAINS IN COLORADO.

DENVER, Col., Nov. 6.—[Special]—Unofficial returns from the state give the following majorities: Townsend 3,685, and Routt 3,644. The Republicans will elect the remainder of the state ticket with the exception of Treasurer, Superintendent of Public Instruction and Attorney General. The legislature on joint ballot will stand: Republicans 49, Democrats 26, Democratic gain of 14. This insured re-election of Teller to the United States Senate.

Blount for Speaker.

MACON, Ga., Nov. 6.—[Special]—In the Daily Telegraph to-morrow Congressman James H. Blount, of the Sixth Georgia district, will be announced as a candidate for Speaker of the next House of Representatives.

Hatch a Candidate for Speaker.

ST. LOUIS, Nov. 5.—[Special]—To a reporter, who interviewed him to-day, Congressman W. B. Hatch announced his candidacy for the Speakership of the House.

Another candidate.

NASHVILLE, Nov. 6.—[Special]—The American editorially presents the claim of Benton McMillin to the Speakership of the House in the Fifty-second Congress.

Withdrawing From a Trust.

LOUISVILLE, Ky., Nov. 6.—White, Dunkerson & Co., warehousemen, have withdrawn from the tobacco combination effected here a few days ago for the control of Louisville and Cincinnati markets. They do a heavy business. A similar combination has been formed to control the Maysville and Paducah markets, where considerable leaf tobacco is sold every year.

STARVING HERSELF.

A Young Woman, Deserted by Her Lover, Wishes to Die.

BOSTON, Nov. 6.—[Special]—A young Polish woman is lying in Boston on account of the faithlessness of her lover. For two weeks past she has refused to take any nourishment. She says she is determined to starve herself to death. She is Evelina Kinciswicz. When she came from Poland two years ago she had just turned 20 years. She found employment at several places. Her father was a farmer and sheep raiser in Poland. One day a young man rode out from Warsaw and met Evelina. This had been prearranged by the parents. His father was a wool dealer and hers a wool grower. They were friends, and fixed up a scheme to unite the families. The young people were agreeable. Their course of true love ran smoothly until three years ago. Then the lover decided to try his fortune in America. He settled in a little town in Illinois and began to study medicine, working in a store a part of the year to secure enough money to pay for his education, his father sending more or less as the condition of his business warranted.

A year after her lover left Warsaw Evelina decided to leave, too. She longed to see him, and the only way she could do so was to come to Boston, where some of her father's friends were, and secure work, as her parents were unable to support her away from them. She had rather a vague idea of distances in the United States. At any rate, she would be nearer her lover, than if she stayed in Warsaw. So she came, and for two years she lived in the hope that some day they would be married.

The couple corresponded constantly. Last June Evelina received a final letter from her lover. When she read it in the dining room she fell to the floor in a dead faint. The letter was the death blow to the young woman's hopes. For six weeks the girl kept at work, although her friends could see that she was gradually pining away. Then she gave up, and was compelled to take to her bed, where night after night she prayed that death might release her from her sufferings.

The release did not come, however, and two weeks ago she announced to her attendant that she was going to starve herself to death. Since then her physician has been unable to induce her to take food, and slowly her life is ebbing away.

FRANCE AND ENGLAND.

The French Chamber of Deputies on International Affairs.

PARIS, Nov. 6.—[Special]—In the Chamber of Deputies to-day, during the debate on foreign estimates, Del Case, of Right, renewed his attack on the African Government confederation with England. He advocated an alliance with Russia on the ground that the interests of France were identical with those of Russia.

Ribot, minister of foreign affairs, declared that France was peaceably inclined, and threatened nobody. At the same time she did not conceal the fact that she was placing her armies in a position in which they would be ready for every emergency.

With reference to British occupation of Egypt, he asked if any one could suggest a practical means of obtaining immediate evacuation of that country. France, he said, must wait for England to fulfill her promise.

Referring to the Newfoundland dispute, he said that the matter was a subject of renewed negotiations, which were now proceeding as actively as possible.

PETERSBURG.

Several Bonackers Buy Lots at the Land Sale Yesterday.

PETERSBURG, Va., Nov. 6.—[Special]—The sale of the West End Land Improvement Company lots here to-day, was very largely attended, and 115 lots were sold at prices ranging from \$10 to \$800 each.

The first lot sold was knocked out to C. O'Leary, of Roanoke, at \$600. The other Roanoke purchasers were Messrs. Alderson, Spindle, Greider, Jordan, Mahoney, Stoll, Hathaway, Kidd, Roberts, Batheman, Powell, Dr. Gale, Simmons and Woodson.

The aggregate amount for which the lots were sold is \$28,000.

Bidders were in attendance from Roanoke, Lynchburg, Bedford City, Richmond and Petersburg.

THE DUCHESS OF MARLBOROUGH.

Heavy Judgements Entered Against Her Yesterday.

NEW YORK, Nov. 6.—[Special]—Heavy judgments were to-day entered against the Duchess of Marlborough, on default for debts contracted at Birmingham, England.

They aggregate \$676,121, and are for money loaned her at that place.

Her creditors are Lloyds Bank (Limited) \$160, Robert Harding Milward \$162,000 and John Jaffrey \$49,000 who secured a judgment for these amounts besides costs and interest from September 26, when the money was borrowed. Summons were served personally upon the Duchess, but she did not appear.

Failure of an Insurance Company.

MILWAUKEE, Nov. 6.—[Special]—The Manufacturers' Mutual Insurance Company has been placed in the hands of a receiver, and will be wound up. The assets are about \$30,000; liabilities, actual and contingent, about \$56,000.

A Knitting Factory Fails.

DECATUR, Ill., Nov. 6.—[Special]—Alexander & Co., proprietors of Alexander Knitting factory, have failed for \$84,000. The assets, they claim, are \$75,000.

A \$250,000 FIRE IN BUFFALO.

The Flames Started at 2 a. m. in a Large Grain Elevator

From an Explosion that Waked Hundreds The Elevator and 350,000 Bushels of Wheat Destroyed, and Four Freight Cars Buried by the Explosion.

BUFFALO, N. Y., Nov. 6.—[Special]—At 2 o'clock this morning fire was discovered in C. J. Wells' elevator, corner of Ohio and Indiana street.

The flames started in the eastern end of the elevator from an explosion loud enough to wake up hundreds of people who live in the boarding houses and tenements in the vicinity. In the shortest time possible various boats which lay along the sides of the elevator had been gotten out of the way, and none suffered. At twenty minutes after the flames had started the walls began to fall in on all sides. On the north were four Lackawanna freight cars loaded.

These were buried in the debris. Mugridge's bakery, on the corner of Elk and Illinois streets, was on fire but is saved.

The heat was intense, driving the firemen away from the Ohio street side of the burning elevator. Every few minutes pieces of corrugated iron, the covering of the elevator, would become detached from the structure and come sailing down, several times narrowly missing groups of firemen.

After a hopeless task to try to save Wells' elevator, the main efforts of the firemen, except for keeping the flames in Wells' elevator down as much as possible, were directed towards preventing the flames getting into the big Wilkinson elevator. At one time it was feared the heat would blow out the top of the Wilkinson elevator. When the flames from Wells' were at their height, the heat was very intense, so much so that it caused the Park Side Marine elevator across the river opposite Wells' to blow out a large portion of its stored in it, falling out in the river.

Looking down Ohio street an interesting scene was witnessed.

The smoke, mingled with myriads of sparks, filled the air, the engines panting here and there, the firemen wading in flooded streets, bareheaded women running from house to house, carrying the few valuables to safer places.

Every once in a while the flames from the burning buildings shot up in the air and displayed the white, upturned faces of the watchers.

Wells' at this time was a mass of flames within. The tower was soon gone and the grain liberated from the bins pouring out of the lower windows and doors.

The elevator will hold about 350,000 bushels. There were about 200,000 bushels in it. At 3:40 o'clock the fire had worked its way into the rear of a four story maki house, connected with Wells'. At 4 o'clock the fire was under control.

The flames were confined to Wells' elevator, which was entirely destroyed. The total loss is figured at \$250,000, of which \$100,000 on the building and \$150,000 on grain. Total insurance on building, \$80,000; grain fully insured.

SHOT IN THE STREET.

ex-Mayor of Cedar Keys Killed by a Chief of Police.

MONTGOMERY, Ala., Nov. 5.—[Special]—W. W. Cottrell, ex-mayor of Cedar Keys, Fla., has been on a spree in this city, and yesterday was arrested by the police.

This morning it was reported to Chief of Police Gerald that Cottrell had threatened to kill him on sight, and all connected with his arrest. About 11 o'clock Cottrell drove up to police headquarters, and as he left the carriage Gerald shot him with a double-barrel shot-gun, both loads. He was shot in the head and breast, and instantly killed. The body is at the undertaker's, and will be sent to his home in Lowndes county, about twenty-five miles from this city.

MONTGOMERY, Ala., Nov. 6.—[Special]—The preliminary trial of Chief of Police Gerald for killing Cottrell has been postponed until tomorrow. Gerald is in charge of the sheriff.

A CONVICTS SUICIDE.

He Hangs Himself in Prison With a Stout Cord.

SING SING, Nov. 6.—[Special]—Jacob Gensheimer, aged 25 years, a convict in Sing Sing, committed suicide by hanging himself from the centre of his cell with a stout cord some time last night. This morning, as John Dorsey was passing cell 243, he noticed a man hanging from the ceiling, and quickly summoned Principal Keeper Connaughton, who, with the assistance of several other keepers, cut the body down.

Yesterday was a holiday at the prison and all the inmates were locked in their cells. It is thought that Gensheimer became despondent. He was a baker by trade, but was employed in the prison as an operator in the clothing department.

New York Refused a Reconsent.

WASHINGTON, Nov. 6.—[Special]—Secretary Noble, to-day, finally rejected the application of the New York City authorities for a reconent of the population of that city. Briefly stated, the reasons for the rejection are, a cause of action.

The Weather To-day.

Forecast: For Virginia fair, stationary temperature, easterly winds.