

A GREAT VICTORY.

**McKinley and Roosevelt Sweep the Country
By A Tremendous Majority.**

NEXT CONGRESS LARGELY REPUBLICAN.

**Bryanism Buried Beneath An Avalanch Of Republican Ballots And
Prosperity Continues to Smile Upon Our Land.**

RESULTS IN ALL THE STATES.

Total For McKinley **295**
Total For Bryan **139**

M'KINLEY.

STATES.	ELECTORAL VOTES.	PLURALITIES.
California.....	9	25,000
Connecticut.....	6	30,000
Delaware.....	3	3,000
Illinois.....	24	100,000
Indiana.....	15	30,000
Idaho.....	3	2,800
Iowa.....	13	100,000
Kansas.....	10	25,000
Maine.....	6	25,000
Maryland.....	8	14,000
Massachusetts.....	15	85,000
Michigan.....	14	88,000
Minnesota.....	9	50,000
New Hampshire.....	4	20,000
New Jersey.....	10	52,000
New York.....	36	150,000
Nebraska.....	8	5,000
North Dakota.....	3	10,000
Ohio.....	23	75,000
Oregon.....	4	15,000
Pennsylvania.....	32	300,000
Rhode Island.....	4	18,000
South Dakota.....	4	10,000
Utah.....	3	4,000
Vermont.....	4	35,000
Washington.....	4	5,000
West Virginia.....	6	17,000
Wisconsin.....	12	110,000
Wyoming.....	3	3,000

BRYAN.

STATES.	ELECTORAL VOTES.	PLURALITIES.	STATES.	ELECTORAL VOTES.	PLURALITIES.
Alabama.....	11	40,000	Arkansas.....	8	55,000
Colorado.....	4	30,000	Florida.....	4	22,000
Georgia.....	13	40,000	Louisiana.....	8	30,000
Mississippi.....	9	40,000	Missouri.....	17	30,000
Montana.....	3	13,000	Nevada.....	3	1,500
North Carolina.....	11	30,000	South Carolina.....	9	30,000
Tennessee.....	12	19,000	Texas.....	15	175,000
Virginia.....	12	30,000			

KENTUCKY'S 13 VOTES ARE STILL IN DOUBT.

HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES.

The next House of Representatives will consist of 198 Republicans, 148 Democrats and 6 Fusionists ---Five Districts are still in doubt.

Mr. Croker and his bulldogs will go to Europe to spend the Winter.

The People preferred so-called Imperialism to Bryanism and Anarchism.

They say they will reorganize the Democratic party without delay. Who will be its matchless leader.

James K. Arkansaw Jones has shown himself a bigger political fool than Sam Jones declared him to be.

Bryan, Jones, Richardson and Croker ought to go to some first-class guessing school before the next election. Before they undertake to prophesy again they ought to consult Mr. Hanna.

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Hanna's Message.

Cleveland, O., Nov. 7.—The following message was sent by Chairman Hanna to President McKinley: "The continued confidence of the American people as expressed at the polls yesterday is a tribute to your personality and matchless administration. God bless and keep you for the patriotic purposes to which you have dedicated your life's work. M. A. HANNA."

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OFFICIAL VOTE OF TAZEVELL COUNTY.

Splendid Majority For McKinley And Walker.

PRECINCTS	BRYAN	M'KINLEY	RHEA	WALKER
Tazewell	159	308	179	302
Gratton	18	23	18	41
N. Tazewell	97	194	103	192
Tiptop	41	153	42	156
Dry Fork	39	53	43	51
Midway	18	100	26	102
Liberty Hill	37	125	46	122
Gap Store	21	125	25	119
Pounding Mill	26	128	26	131
Thompson Valley	44	34	45	33
Freestone	22	20	25	20
Cove Creek	28	51	31	51
Benbow	69	27	71	26
Falls Mill	75	32	79	32
Graham	106	185	113	180
Pocahontas No. 1	69	108	76	107
Pocahontas No. 2	55	130	68	138
Pocahontas No. 3	12	91	11	92
Bluestone	51	41	57	60
Lockhart's Chapel	38	130	57	135
Crockett's Cove	17	57	17	73
Abbe Valley	36	63	43	55
Burke's Garden	78	44	83	41
Poor Valley	22	63	22	63
Richlands	64	206	71	209
Cedar Bluff	70	106	82	95
Total	1312	2663	1458	2676

M'KINLEY'S MAJORITY OVER BRYAN, 1351. WALKER'S MAJORITY OVER RHEA, 1218.

The result of election in Tazewell county was a magnificent triumph for the Republicans. There never was such a large majority given at a national election in the county before. We hear but one report as to the conduct of the election at the different precincts, and that was that things were fairly done. At Tazewell precinct one thing was done that was not proper and that was the change of the polling place from the court house, where the elections had been held for many years, to the town hall. The town hall is on the second floor of a building and the entrance is very inconvenient. The Republicans protested against the change of the polling place, but their protest was not considered. They then went to work, and they piled up the largest Republican majority ever secured at this precinct at a national election.

At most of the precincts the Republican judges of election were permitted to mark ballots for voters when called upon by the voters to perform that duty. To that extent the Democratic Machine failed to control matters in the county. They had been forced to select Democratic judges who were honest men. The Republicans at Tazewell precinct were loud in their praise of the manly conduct of A. J. May, Jr., who refused to mark the ballots of voters who called upon another judge. Mr. May had been selected to mark the ballots. The writer of this was present when a voter presented himself and requested that Mr. Will White should mark his ballot. Mr. G. W. Doak, one of the Democratic judges (and Democratic county chairman) insisted that Mr. May should mark the voter's ballot; but Mr. May said no, I will not mark the ballot of any man who insists upon another judge performing that duty. We were then led to exclaim: "An honest man's the noblest work of God." Many Republicans had not hesitated to call upon Mr. May to assist them, the writer of this being among the number.

The Republicans made gains at nearly all the precincts in the county. All did so well that we feel like sounding the praises of all the brave men who stood up for the cause at each precinct in the county. Richlands gave the biggest majority and is entitled to the banner on that line. Tiptop, according to the vote cast, and several other precincts were right up with Richlands.

We congratulate the Republicans of Tazewell county upon their devotion to their party and the magnificent majority they gained over the foe.

NINTH DISTRICT.

Majorities Claimed for Rhea.

Bristol City	773
Blair	60
Dickenson	101
Giles	564
Lee	14
Pulaski	36
Wythe	151
Washington	400
Russell	773
Scott	250
Total	3122

Majorities for Walker.

Tazewell	1218
Wise	347
Smyth	130
Total	1695

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EDITORIAL PARAGRAPHS.

What's the matter with Hanna?

In Bryan they trusted, and with Bryan they busted. Some trusts will bust.

We have filed our claim for the title of Duke of Tazewell with Emperor William I.

We wonder if Col. Bryan would not like to show his patriotism by volunteering to go to the Philippines to help uphold the flag, since the dear people have decreed that it shall be done. Perhaps he might get as far toward the Orient as San Francisco.

The Chinese puzzle ballot was used throughout Virginia last Tuesday. The Democratic Congressmen, who have secured the returns by the use of such a disgraceful ballot, ought to have a fac simile of that ballot attached to the certificate of election signed by the Governor of Virginia.

The workmen of Tazewell county seemed to agree with us in the opinion that the laboring man who voted for Bryan was a fool. We never meant to say that the laboring men who voted for Bryan were idiots, for the Constitution does not allow idiots to vote. Only idiots tried to make our editorial paragraph have that meaning.

Some of our Democratic friends still seem to be greatly disturbed about the Constitution, and the Declaration of Independence. They need have no fears. That noble patriot, William McKinley will not only preserve the Constitution and Declaration of Independence but protect all the good people of the country from anarchy and mob violence.

At the election of 1898 Rhea got 1293 votes in Tazewell county and Walker got 2169. This year Rhea got 165 more votes than he did in 1898 and Walker got 507 more than he did in 1898. This increase is much greater for General Walker than for Mr. Rhea. If the election could have been as honestly administered at the polls in all the counties as it was in Tazewell, Walker's majority would have been very large.

The Chinese puzzle ballot was very effectively used at Lynchburg, the home of Senator Daniel and Congressman Otay. More than one thousand ballots were thrown out as defective at the election in that city last Tuesday. There should have been a large majority in the city for McKinley, but a majority of over four hundred was given to Bryan. When Senator Daniel calls on the President again, for some official favor, he ought to carry with him and present to Mr. McKinley a statement of how things were done at Lynchburg.