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EYES ON NEW YORK

Glorious Weather Brings Out Big Vote.

ODDS AGAINST COLER

Large Amounts Wagered That Odell Will Win.

CITY IS BETTING MAD

MANY ARRESTS FOR ILLEGAL VOTING EARLY IN DAY.

Next to Governor, Greatest Interest is in the Fifth Judicial Dis-

trict Election. Special from a Staff Correspondent.

NEW YORK, November 4.-Glorious

polled in Greater New York. Telegrams received at noon at the democratic and republican state committee headquarters said that a very heavy vote was

being polled up the state. That news cheered the republicans a great deal. At the national republican congressional committee headquarters Mr. Babcock, Mr. Hull and Mr. Overstreet were as

smiling as a basket of chips. Last night was a busy night around the Hoffman House, the Fifth Avenue and the Waldorf. The whole town seemed to have

the betting fever. At the Hoffman two or three bookmakers improvised betting rings and the crowd climbed over each other to put up their

The biggest bet laid was \$30,000 at 5 to 3 between George Wheelock and Jacob Field, Mr. Field taking the Coler end. Then Mr. Field came up to the Waldorf to get some more good republican money.

pretty loud for awhile Gates flushed up and said: "Look here, Jake, you put up or shut up.

to \$60,000 on a republican house and Governor Odell."

Mr. Field did not put up. At the Hoffman House the bets were called out as they were made. There were several \$10,000 bets, a half dozen \$5,000 bets, and \$600 and \$400

wagers without end. The money was put up and deposited in feature of the scene was the apparent confidence of each party to the wagers. The Coler men were eager to get their money up, and the Odell men just as eager to give them odds of 2 to 1. the hotel safe in many cases. A striking them odds of 2 to 1. N. O. M.

FINE WEATHER, BIG VOTE.

Many Arrests for Illegal Voting in Greater New York. By Associated Press.

NEW YORK, November 4.-Election day in Greater New York dawned with the early in large numbers. In a number of carrying the state by a large plurality. assembly districts 25 per cent of the registered vote had been cast at 8:30 o'clock, and the leaders in some districts predicted that the entire vote would be cast by noon. About forty arrests for illegal voting were reported before 8 o'clock. In one assembly

district there was great excitement. Rival leaders came to blows near an election booth and policemen conducting several prisoners to a station house were attacked by a mob. In the struggle one of the prisoners escaped. Nobody was badly hurt.
Police Commissioner Partridge surprised the community and especially the political leaders at work in the various precincts by suddenly shifting 800 policemen from their regular beats to parts of the city strange to them.

Election Deputies Centralized.

In addition to this a state superintendent of election for the metropolitan district had 600 deputies on guard in various election districts. Where these men were to be placed was kept secret until today, the superintendent saying it would defeat his purpose to make the facts known before elec-

Several voting machines are in use An entire state ticket is being voted for. including a justice of the court of appeals and a legislature which will elect a successor to United States Senator Platt. The election also includes the first voting for ngressmen under the new arrangements of districts, based on the census of 1900.

Shooting in Brooklyn.

Shooting occurred at one polling place in Brooklyn soon after voting began. One man was wounded and a deputy sheriff was locked up charged with the shooting. The police say the disturbance was caused by intoxicated men.

By noon more than two-thirds of the registered vote had been cast, and in many districts fully 85 per cent of the balloting had been completed. The deputies of the state superintendent of elections continued to make arrests, and the number increased to 132 before noon, including five attaches of a hospital and a democratic captain of an

Both sides at noon were confident of bringing out their full party vote even in the so-called "silk-stocking" districts. The districts where disturbances occurred were

In Westchester county, the northern outskirts of the city, a light vote was polled during the early forenoon, though an especial effort was being made in the suburbs, where many rich New York business men live, to get them to the polls. The hundreds of men employed on the estates of the Rockefellers and other millionaires were marched to the polls by their superintend-

Fine Weather Up State.

Reports from all over the state today. with very few exceptions, showed that fine weather prevailed everywhere, and that a large vote was cast both in the cities and the rural districts. Statements made during the campaign that the country vote would be lighter than usual were not borne out by the early dispatches, which declared that the polling was being done rapidly

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paign, reported clear, pleasant weather there and in adjacent counties, and similar news came from Newburgh, Utica, Syra-cuse, Rochester, Watertown, Albany, Schennectady, Troy and Poughkeepsie.

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Interest in Fifth Judicial District. After the governorship, interest in the state centered in the contest for a supreme court justiceship in the fifth judicial district, where Attorney General Davies, regular republican, is opposed by Watson M. Rogers, a leading republican lawyer of the district, who is running on an independent ticket, and is indorsed by the democrats. A dispatch from Little Falls, which is in the district, said that Davies was running behind his ticket, and another dispatch from Oswego said that there was consid-erable splitting of tickets, presumably on

the justiceship.

Another point watched rather closely was the voting for judge of the court of appeals. Judge Gray, who is now a member of the court and who is a democrat, having been indorsed for re-election by a number of re-publican lawyers in New York county and throughout the state. Justice Werner is Mr. Gray's opponent, he having been nominated by the republicans at the Saratoga convention. Both candidates for governor voted early, Mr. Coler in Brooklyn and Mr. Odell in Newburgh.

OHIO.

Ideal Weather Brings Out Heavy Vote Early in Day.

CLEVELAND, Ohio, November 4.-Ideal election weather prevailed in this city today, and as a result the voting during the early hours of the morning was extremely heavy. A very large proportion of the ballots deposited were scratched. The election officers predict, therefore, that the returns tonight will come in very slowly.

CINCINNATI, November 4.-The weather is hazy, but not unpleasant otherwise. The early vote is unusually light, the interest in the election not being sufficient to call out a great number at the early hours. Up to this hour there has been no disturbance of weather prevails and a big vote is being

DAYTON, Ohio, November 4.—A spirited congressional campaign resulted in lively voting at the opening of the polls here today. The early indications are for perfect weather

YOUNGSTOWN, Ohio, November 4.-Weather clear and cool. The early morning vote indicated a good-sized vote would be cast. Interest is principally centered in the congressional election, this being the home of the republican candidate for the eighteenth Ohio district, James Kennedy. COLUMBUS, Ohio, November 4.-Elec tion day dawned clear and crisp, with vot-ers out early. There was a large amount

of scratching on the county ticket and the returns will be late tonight. CANTON, Ohio, November 4.—Election day weather is ideal. Voting was heavy the first hour, with indications for a good vote. Registration exceeds that of last

ZANESVILLE, Ohio, November 4.—Elec-tion day dawned fair and pleasant. Little interest is shown and vote will be unusual-

Plenty of Money Wagered.

I was in the Waldorf when Mr. Field came in, and he rounded up John W. Gates, the Chicago millionaire. Mr. Field talked

NORWALK, Ohio, November 4.—Weather early today threatened rain, but the sun now ideal. Average vote is being polled. One-fifth of the entire vote was in before

PIQUA, Ohio, November 4.-There was much activity at the polls early this morning, a drum corps having made a tour of I will bet you \$500,000 to \$300,000, or \$100,000 the city to arouse the voters. The weather is fine.

AKRON, Ohio, November 4.-The vote in the early hours of morning was unusually large for an "off year." The only interest taken is in the county ticket, owing to the heavy republican plurality in this, the nineteenth congressional district, repreented in Congress by Gen. Chas. H. Dick. Weather perfect.

COLUMBUS, Ohio, November 4.-Favora-Reports show that in some localities Rev. H. S. Bigelow, the democratic candidates for secretary of state and who is regarded as the personal friend of Mayor Johnson f Cleveland, is being scratched.

No disturbances have been reported of a serious character. The election generally is reported as dull, as well as quiet, with the exception of Cleveland, Columbus, Dayton and some points in the close districts. Nothing today has occurred to indicate any weather perfect, and the voters were out change in the predictions of republicans

TLLINOIS.

Drizzling Rain and Split Tickets Features of Chicago.

By Associated Press. CHICAGO, November 4.-Notwithstanding a drizzling rain, early conditions indicated a heavy vote all over the city. The chief interest centered in Representative Lorimer's district, where every effort was made to get out a record vote. The election commissioners were busy soon after the polls opened with matters brought to them for adjudication.

There was much evidence of split tickets reported by watchers throughout the city, especially on candidates for county offices. The polls will close at 4 o'clock.

Both republicans and democrats were surprised at the heavy vote cast early in the day, and conservative est mates of both sides place the probable total vote in the borhood of 300,000. There was much

scratching. interest in the county ticket centered in the Healy-Barrett fight for theshrievalty. In many wards votes for any other republi-can candidates were offered for Barrett ballots, and indications are that the demo-cratic candidate with the "labor man" put up by the democrats will lead the ticket. No disturbances of any serious nature had

occurred up to noon. RHODE ISLAND.

Every Indication of an Unusually Large Vote Being Cast.

PROVIDENCE, R. I., November 4.-Favored with bright, crisp weather, election day in this state gave every promise that a very large percentage of the registered voters would turn out.

In most of the cities the polls opened between 6 and 7, and activity was noticeable all along the line.

PROVIDENCE, R. I., November 4.—The balloting continued brisk during the forenoon with an unusual degree of interest in the municipal elections in Providence, Woonsocket and in Newport on account of the keen rivalry on local issues. From the majority of the country districts reports of heavy voting were received, with conditions pointing to an even contest between Gov. C. D. Kimball, republican, and L. F. C. Gar-vin. the democratic candidate. A canvass of the state as to the possible make-up of the general assembly seems to indicate success for the republicans in the senate, but that the house will be about evenly divided The democrats will concede the re-election of only one of the two republican con-

DELAWARE.

Legislature That Will Elect Two Senators of Main Interest.

DOVER, Del., November 4.-Clear, warm weather greeted the voters in this state. The fight for congress is almost completely overshadowed by the hot battle for members of the legislature, who will have the selection of two United States senators. In some sections the regular republicans and The roads were in good condition, and that helped in getting out the farmer vote. Buffalo, which is in Erie county, one of the notably so in Wilmington, where the demo-

crats have indorsed several regular repubican legislative candidates.

DOVER, Del., November 4.-The election opened vigorously in this state and reports show that there was a disposition on the part of voters to vote early. The great bulk of the registered vote will be polled. While it is almost sure that Henry A. Houston, democrat, will be elected a member of Congress, by reason of the fact that the republican vote will be divided between Congressman L. Heisler Ball, regular re-publican, and Wm. Michael Byrne, union republican, the complexion of the legisla-ture which will have the selection of two United States Senators is a matter of great uncertainty.

WISCONSIN.

Great Interest Centered in the Outcome in Milwaukee.

MILWAUKEE, Wis., November 4.-Polls opened at 6 a. m. and will close at 8 p. m. The weather was cloudy today with a light shower early. Interest centers in the outcome in this city, and the lieutenants of all the candidates were busy in getting the voters to the polls. A big vote was cast before 7 o'clock. Owing to party differences much scratching is being done.

LACROSSE, Wis., November 4.-For the first time in the history of Wisconsin women entered the polling places and cast their ballots today. Under a law passed at the last session of the legislature women were given the right to vote on school questions, and for the candidates for school officers. Hence they are voting today for the state superintendent of schools, the county superntendent of schools, and on an amendmen changing the term of office for school superintendent. Much interest has been man! fested in the election by club women, but it has gone little farther than these circles.

RACINE, Wis., November 4.—The wo-men's vote on the constitutional amendment will, it is said, be the largest ever cast in southern Wisconsin.

OSHKOSH, Wis., November 4.—Early indications point to a heavy vote. Three hundred and fifty women will cast their ballots. The weather is threatening. WEST SUPERIOR, Wis., November 4.-Before 8 o'clock 10 per cent of the full vote expected in many of the precincts had been cast. Among those voting early were a number of women, mostly school teachers.

Several of the latter who had not registered went to the trouble of swearing in their MILWAUKEE, November 4.-Specials from all parts of the state indicate that the election in Wisconsin is passing off The weather generally is threatening, but little rain is falling. In Milwaukee it is expected that women will cast 2,000

votes.

MISSOURI. Threatening Weather Failed to Damp-

The usual off-year vote is being

en Ardor of Voters. ST. LOUIS, Mo., November 4.-In spite of the weather, which was cloudy and threatening early today, the polls were crowded with expectant voters long before opening The interest felt in certain issues that are being fought out along party lines is sure to bring out a heavy vote on state, congressional and county tickets.

ST. LOUIS November 4 -- Balloti ceeding throughout the state under leaden skies, while in some sections it is raining. A light vote in the rural districts will cost the democrats some losses, but in all probability not enough to prevent them from 15,000 to 20,000 over the republicans. is the claim at democratic headquarters and is also conceded at republican headquarters. The only report of irregularity throughout the state up to 11 o'clock was in a telegram from Carro'lton, Mo., to re-publican headquarters saying the democrats were buying republican votes.

MASSACHUSETTS.

Early Reports Showed the Vote to Be Up to the Average.

BOSTON, November 4.-With clear skies and a warm atmosphere, the expectation of the party managers that Massachusetts would poll a large vote seemed likely to be fulfilled. The polls opened at 6 o'clock. Early reports from various sections showed that the vote at the opening was generally up to the average, and by 9 o'clock there were prospects that the total would be high. Boston, with a very heavy registration and congressional contests in three districts in the city, as well as a deep interest in the local option issue, is expected to cast a heavy vote.

BOSTON, November 4.-Reports from all sections of the state up to noon indicated that the vote was exceeding expectations, save in one or two instances. There were indications that Bates, the head of the re-publican ticket, was being cut, and that Gaston the democratic candidate for governor, was running ahead of his ticket.

The new state law compelling factories to give their employes two full hours for voting after the opening of the polls contributed to the increased vote. In Boston the polling progressed quietly, with one arrest for attempting to vote ille-

INDIANA.

Comparatively Light Vote and Interest Only Normal.

FORT WAYNE, Ind., November 4.-The polls opened here at 6 o'clock. A large early vote was cast, though interest is only nominal. The weather is mild and nearly fair. This county is heavily democratic, but the situation is complicated by the

prospect of a large socialist vote. TERRE HAUTE, Ind., November 4.-The day is cloudy and warm, with evidence of clearing weather. The early vote light in some precincts and heavy in others. EVANSVILLE, Ind., November 4.— Weather cloudy, threatening. Voting has started slowly. Both sides will make a

All is quiet. INDIANAPOLIS, Ind., November Election day opened slightly cloudy, but with promise of sunshine as the day progressed. The early vote was fairly heavy. especially in the central part of the On the south side the republicans claimed they were holding their own with the dem crats. On the north side the vote is usually cast in the afternoon and both parties say they will get out the usual vote for an off year. The local interest centers in the leg-

effort to get out full voting strength.

Heavy Early Vote of Philadelphia and Pittsburg. PHILADELPHIA, November 4.-Many

voters were waiting to cast their ballots when the polling places opened at 7 o'clock this morning. Contrary to expectations, there was apparently more interest taken in the election in this city than had been expected by either of the leading parties. The republican workers are straining every effort to get out a big vote in Philadel phia in order to offset a possible heavy Pattison majority in the state outside of this city. There is no opposition to the six republican congressional candidates in this city, and only two contests of moment for dislative candidates. The weather is clea and pleasant.

PITTSBURG, Pa., November 4.-Local factional fights lent additional interest to After voting at his home at Beaver Sena-

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islative ticket. Returns Will Be Displayed This Even-PENNSYLVANIA.

> made by The Evening Star for displaying election returns this evening. The news of the vote in the various states will be received

Situation as Viewed by Special Correspondents.

NEBRASKA FUSIONISTS

SAID TO HAVE GAINED PER-CEPTIBLY THE LAST WEEK.

Republicans May Get Two Congressmen and Appellate Judge in the Blue Grass State.

Special Dispatch to The Evening Star.

CLEVELAND, Ohio, November 4 .- The campaign in Ohio closed last night with meetings of both parties held in various parts of the state. The party leaders have left the state headquarters to take care of themselves and have hustled home to vote. Gen. Dick still sticks to his claim that Ohio will give a republican plurality of 70,000, while there are some who think 100,-000 none too high. The figures that come nearest to a correct guess, however, place the plurality for Laylin, republican candidate for secretary of state, at 40,000.

The congressional delegation will stand sixteen republican to five democrats, according to present indications. In Cleveland the day has been one of great excitement, especially among the betting fraternity. Bets at 4 to 3 are being freely taken that the majority of the democratic county icket will be elected.

Odds favor the republicans on certain of the candidates and wagers of five to one on Burton and Bledler, republicans, for Congress in the Cuyahoga districts, remain un-Mayor Johnson, through his son Loftin, is

said to be covering a lot of republican money. Loftin was out in his famous red automobile till late last night taking any good bets that were in sight.

Both Hanna and Johnson figured in the campaign till the last minute, Hanna mak-ing four speeches yesterday and Johnson Both had enormous crowds at every place visited.

Special Dispatch to The Evening Star. COLUMBUS, Ohio, November 4.-The closing hours of the campaign have brought no new developments except an attempt on the part of the liquor interests to defeat Horace Ankenny, republican candidate for dairy and food commissioner. Their opposition is based upon his support of all temperance measures while a member of the legislature. A new law adds inquisitorial duties as re-

gards special saloon taxes, to the office and for that reason it is believed that the sa-lcon interests want him defeated. They can hardly control 25,000 votes, however, and it will probably take more than that to put Ankenny in danger. There are in operation many popular

guessing contests as to the total vote, and these develope the fact that the popular notion is that a very light vote will be polled. The candidate who gets 400,000 will be sure to be elected. The republicans in this district are more hopeful of carrying it. Even bets on the result were made today, all offers from either side being quickly taken. The district is fairly doubtful. There is no reason

for changing the estimate of 70,000 repub-lican plurality on the head of the ticket. FUSIONISTS ARE GAINING.

Mercer May Pull Through in Omaha District, but Not Certain.

Special Dispatch to The Evening Star. OMAHA, Neb., November 4.-During the past week and up to the last minute the fusionists have been gaining steadily, until the betters here today are demanding even money on the contest, where previous to this the odds have been heavily in favor of the republican congressional and state tickets.

The second or metropolitan district is slightly in favor of Dave Mercer today, the odds being 100 to 80 in his favor. It still remains that the first congressional district is the only one safe. The election of Burkett, the republican nominee there, is conceded by both parties.

BLISS BY 35,000 AT LEAST. Republicans Will Carry Michigan; Corliss May Be Defeated.

Special Dispatch to The Evening Star. DETROIT, Mich., November 4 .- The situation in Michigan is practically unchanged. The entire republican state ticket will undoubtedly be elected by a majority ranging from 85,000 to 45,000. Governor Bliss will run behind his ticket owing to the strong fight being waged against "ripperism" and his alleged friendliness toward the Michigan

Central railroad. The entire congressional delegation will indoubtedly be republican, with perhaps the exception of the member from the first district, where a bitter fight continues to be waged against Representative John B. Cor-liss, who, if he should be elected, will get

through by a very narrow margin.

The certainty of the state being republican has concentrated the attention of the entire state on the fight being waged in the city of Detroit for the mayoralty. Both sides claim they will win, and each claims that it will get about 1,000 majority.

OUTLOOK IN WISCONSIN.

Brighter for Republicans, Although There is an Element of Doubt. Special Dispetch to The Evening Star

MILWAUKEE, Wis., November 4.-The campaign closes with the outlook improving from a republican viewpoint, although shadows of doubt continue to momenta-

NEWS OF THE ELECTIONS.

ing in Front of The Star Building. Complete arrangements have been

Election in Doubt. from The Star's special correspon- in the state. Not for years has Utah been dents throughout the country, also so stirred by politics. Republicans and by the Postal and Western Union day the campaign opened, and the state has Telegraph Companies and by the been visited by a political enthusiasm which Associated Press. This information reflects credit upon the powers of both great thanks to Capt. McLean, U. S. N., formerly will be thrown on a huge screen in leadership of ex-Senator Frank Cannon and front of The Star building by a Senator Rawlins have put up a vallant fight, the election today, and an unusually large early vote was polled. A heavy fog prevalled in Pittsburg and Allegheny, but the weather throughout western Pennsylvania was reported clear and cool.

After voting at his home at Beaver Sena-

rily darken the sky. The democrats are though it is hinted that ex-Senator Cannor also anxious, giving evidence that their confidence of a few weeks past has been

The wagering favors Gov. La Follette, republican candidate for governor, whose supporters are giving odds. Mayor Rose closed his campaign with a speech in the hall of the exposition building to an audience that was somewhat larger than that which assembled to hear La Foilette on Saturday night. It was a thoroughly drummed up affair to offset the big republican gathering, and it will have an effect in this county at least. Gov. La Foliette closed with an ad-dress to the voters of Waukesha county, at Waukesha, last evening.

Estimates as to the result are all in the air, and can fairly be characterized as mere guesswork. The oldest politicians are at sea; but behind all the doubt there is a feeling that the republicans will carry the state by 30,000 plurality and elect ten and possibly eleven congressmen.

The latest from the sixth district, which has been almost conceded to the democrats, is that William H. Froehlich, the repub-lican candidate, has made a wonderful canvass and may be elected. The fight will be close in the fourth, fifth and tenth districts also.

FIGHTING HARD IN KENTUCKY. Republicans May Get Two Congressmen and Appelate Judge.

Special Dispatch to The Evening Star. LOUISVILLE, Ky., November 4.-The campaign in Kentucky closed last night without any unusual incident, and the present indications are that the vote will be light. Nothing has occurred to change the forecast already sent to The Evening Star. While the democrats have been claiming this (fifth) district, the republicans are more than ever confident they will re-elect Irwin to Congress and Durelle to the court of appeals.

While Irwin is not as strong as Durelle, it is probable that the united labor candidate for Congress will draw enough from the democrats to make up the difference. Sherley, the democratic candidate bolted Bryan in 1896, and this is not relished by

the Bryanites in the party.

The fight was continued in the eighth congressional district yesterday, W. Lawson Sumral, the republican candidate, and Senator-elect McCreary speaking at Richmond, the home of the latter. Reports from there today say Madison county will go republican. If this prediction is well founded Gli-bert, the democratic candidate, is in danger. The republicans are still hopeful of re-electing Representative Moss and Chief Justice Guffey, their candidate for the court of appeals, in the second appelate district. The polls open at 6 a.m. and close at

QUIET IN VIRGINIA.

Little Interest Manifest and Unusually Light Vote.

Special Dispatch to The Evening Star. RICHMOND, Va., November 4.- The election here today is the quietest ever known. Up to 1 o'clock less than 25 per cent of the registered vote has been polled. Peo ple are taking ro interest whatever in the outcome. Less than 100 negroes have voted in the entire city.

Reports from various parts of the state are to the effect that the election is quiet and the vote unusually small. Negroes are taking no interest whatever in the contest, and negroes are for more apathetic

OUTLOOK IN CALIFORNIA. Careful Review of Situation Gives

State to the Republicans.

Special Dispatch to The Evening Star. SAN FRANCISCO, Cal., November 4 .- A careful review of the political situation in California early today indicates the election of the entire republican ticket, including the eight representatives. From all appearances now, Pardee, republican, will have a plurality in San Francisco over

Lane, democrat. An internal dissension broke out yesterday, with the result that the labor union party will vote against Lane because of the belief that Lane democrats were knifing Livernash and Wynn, the labor union can

didates for Congress. Reports from the southern part of the state say there is neither enthusiasm nor excitement, and the vote will go strictly or party lines. This means a republican majority from south of the mountains of about 8,000. North of the mountains and outside of San Francisco the republicans will have majority of about 10,000. If Pardee equals the last governorship

vote in San Francisco—and it looks as if he would exceed it, his plurality in the state will be about 20,000. The union labor vote in San Francisco is 14,000 out of a registration of 71,000. The total vote of the city will probably reach 62,000. The normal republican vote is 32,000 in governorship and presidential elections. The labor vote will draw about two from the democrats to one from the republicans.
Dr. Pardee issued a statement late last

night in which he said that assurances re ceived from every county in the state made him certain of election, with an increased majority over that given to Gage four years ago. Gage had a plurality of 20,000. Kahi says his election is certain, and Loud also predicts his own election. Coombs, in the second district, wires that he is safe. His was the most doubtful district in the state.

WEST VIRGINIA'S BATTLE.

Democrats Claim to Have Dayton Beaten in Second District. Special Dispatch to The Evening Star.

WHEELING, W. Va., November 4.-There is little change in the situation except in the second district. The campaign was closed Saturday. In the second the democratic nominee, John T. McGraw, wound up last night with three big meetings. He claims he has Dayton beaten by 1,100.

The poll of the state as taken by the republicans gives them a decided majority in every district, but the stay-at-home vote threatening a new civil war. has made them fearful. It now looks as if the republicans are reasonably certain of electing three representatives and have the best of it in the two other districts. They now claim the following majorities: First, Dovener, 3,000; second, Dayton, 1,800; third, Gaines, 1,500; fourth, Woodyard, Woodyard and Dayton, the democrats as

sert, are undoubtedly beaten. The situa-tion is so close that it is impossible to fore-cast the result in these two districts. The total vote will poll 20 per cent below the THE BATTLE IN UTAH. State Stirred by Politics and Result of

Special Dispatch to The Evening Star SALT LAKE CITY, Utah, November 4. The campaign closed in Utah last night with political meetings in every city and hamlet democrats alike have been active from the political parties. The democrats under the cause of the large stake—a senatorship and the avowed candidate of the democracy, al- of Babb, whom he fetched away with him. I gressional districts.

will figure largely before the new legislature as a candidate. The republicans have nothing to fear by

way of comparison in their campaign. They have been aided by speakers of national reputation, and have canvassed the state from one end to the other.

Because of the prosperous times they

have had to contend, as in other sections of the country, with apathy. Added to this, the democrats have succeeded in working up an intense anti-Mormon feeling, which resolves itself into a serious condition in Salt Lake county, the largest and most important section of the state. Here the feeing against the church is intense, and in the past has seriously affected elections. How far and to what extent it will hurt the republicant the year served to fee the republicans this year cannot be fore told. Political conditions in Utah change in a night.

Both parties claim the state. An unusually large registration is taken by the republicans as a sign of success, and Chairman Cannon is equally positive that it augurs well for the democracy. The republicans, with the exception of the

split in Salt Lake county on account of the church, have had much the better of the battle. With "Stand by the President" as their slogan, they have carried the fight into the enemy's camp and won many votes
Utah is for Roosevelt, and the mention of his name works wonders among the farmers. Then the republicans have been fortunate in pointing out the prosperity of the country under republican rule, and the irrigation law, which will reclaim thousands of acres of Utah's arid land, is used as an argument of what the party has done for the state. Senator Rawlins' speech in the last session of Congress on the Philippines, in which he scored the soldiers, is being used to good advantage, and the republican organs are printing extracts of it every day. It is believed by the republicans that this argument alone will win the soldier

The democrats have been crying tariff reform and "down with the trusts." The coal strike was used with telling effect in the country districts as an argument against the trusts, which the democrats claim is synonymous with republicanism. Since its settlement by the President there has been citizen. a reaction, and during the last days of the campaign the republicans worked the sub-

ject for all it was worth. Whatever dissatisfection exists in republican ranks, and there is considerable, has been due to the avowed candidacy of Reed Smoot of Provo for the Senate. Smoot is an apostle of the Mormon Church, and occupies a high ecclesiastical position in that church. He is a comparatively young man of modest attainments intellectually, but a successful business man. The democrats claim the church is behind Smoot's candidacy and is seeking to have a representative in Congress for no good number. They in Congress for no good number of the party, such as Hanna, Lodge, Platt, Moody, Root and others, who have, they say, condoned and belittled the trust evils and apologized for the rapacity and greed of the great combines. This, say in Congress for no good number of the most enter the public speeches of some of the most enter the public speeches of some of the most enter the public speeches of some of the most enter the public speeches of some of the most enter the public speeches of some of the most enter the public speeches of some of the most enter the public speeches of some of the most enter the public speeches of some of the most enter the public speeches of some of the most enter the public speeches of some of the most enter the public speeches of some of the most enter the public speeches of some of the most enter the public speeches of some of the most enter the public speeches of some of the most enter the public speeches of some of the most enter the public speeches of some of the party, such as Hanna, Lodge, Platt, Moody, Root and others, who have, they say, condoned and belittled the trust evils and apologized for the rapacity and the speeches of some of the public speeches of the pu claim the church is behind Smoot's candidacy and is seeking to have a representative in Congress for no good purpose. They claim (and with much force) that there must be a division of church and state, and this is the keynote of the whole situation. The republicans have paid little attention to it on every hand, that the church should keep out of politics, and that it would be unfortunate to send such a high church dignitary to the Senate of the United States. But they dare not give public expression of their views, because it would have the effect of losing many votes among the Mormons, many of whom are Mormons first and democrats afterward.

WOUNDED BY WRECK.

Wild Train Jumps Track, Injuring Three Men. CLEVELAND, Ohio, November 4.-As result of a freight wreck on the Erie road

in the southern part of the city early to-

day three men were badly injured, two of them probably fatally. The injured are: Thomas O'Connell, 154 Eagle street, Youngstown, Ohio, internal injuries, three ribs broken, may die; Michael O'Connell, Caldwell street, Youngstown, Ohio, hip dislocated, head cut, may

die, and Edgar Sairman, 940 West Rayen street, Youngstown, Ohio, ear cut off, head injured, will recover.

The heavy train of thirty-eight cars got beyond the control of the trainmen and ran away down a steep grade. At the Ution street crossing of the Cleveland and Pittsburg road the engine jumped the track followed by twelve cars, all being piled in a huge mass of wreckage. The injured men were stealing a ride from Youngstown to Cleveland. The trainmen jumped and were

FOUR DROWNED BY COLLISION. Steamer Admiral Sampson Runs Into

uninjured.

fugitive.

Schooner Charley Bucki. BOSTON, November 4.-The United Fruit Company's steamer, Admiral Sampson, which arrived here today, reports that she collided with the three-masted schooner Charley Bucki, bound from Eddyville, N. Y., for Boston, about ten miles off the Cape Cod lightship at 2 o'clock this morning. The schooner was sunk and Capt. Freeman Huntley of Jonesport, Me., Mate Ulmer Huntley and two seamen of the Bucki were

REVOLUTION CRUSHED.

Government Forces in Venezuela Defeat the Troops of Matos.

NEW YORK, November 4.- The Venezuelan consul general here has received the following cablegram: "CARACAS. November 3.-Revolution totally crushed by final victory. Matos a

"(Signed) TORRES CARDENAS, "Secretary to the President." HEAVY FIRING ALL NIGHT.

Fouchardists Have Conflict With Populace at Port au Prince. PORT AU PRINCE, Haiti, November 4 .-A troop of 1,200 Fouchardists, which entered the capital yesterday, returning from

the campaign against General Firmin, had a conflict with the civil authorities. There was heavy firing during all the night. Seven persons were killed and many were wounded. The situation is grave,

FLOUR RATES ADVANCED. From 'Frisco to Central and South

American Ports. SAN FRANCISCO, November 4.- The Paeffic Mail Steamship Company has announced an advance in rates on flour from this port to Central and South American ports, effective with the departure of the next steamer for the south, which sails on Saturday of this week.

The increase amounts to \$1 a ton, and is believed to be in accordance with an agreement between the Pacific mail and the Kosmos line, which latter is expected to announce a similar advance in the near future.

ENGLAND GRATEFUL.

Thanks Capt. McLean for Rescuing a British Subject in Venezuela. Through the Department of State the

British government has formally returned commanding the Cincinnati, for the good offices extended by him to a British citizen, one Charles Babb, who had been forcidistant from Barcelona, went inland to the rebel headquarters and secured the release

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LINOIS AND INDIANA

Democrats Hope for Landslide in Former State.

INDEPENDENTS ACTIVE

REPUBLICANS MAY GET 14 OR 15 REPRESENTATIVES.

Hoosierdom, It is Believed, Will Give Another Substantial Plurality for Republican Ticket.

Special Dispatch to The Evening Star.

CHICAGO, Ill., November 4.-The wish may be parent of the thought, but many astute democratic politicians are predicting a democratic landslide today. They assert that the independent voters whom the republican poll takers have found so shy and uncommunicative, are almost to a man in favor of the democratic slogan, "Revise the tariff, break up the trusts."

They declare that these independents were first disgusted by the helplessness shown by the administration in dealing with the coal trust, and say that, while they give all due credit to the President for his efforts to end the strike, what he did do was not done in his official capacity as chief execucitizen. They say the independent voters believe

President Roosevelt should have sought to enforce the Sherman act against the operators of the anthracite region instead of humbling his great office and subjecting himself to insult at their hands as he did. But, above all, they quote most often the these democrats of radical view, explains why the republicans have failed to line up the independents and get them to enthuse for the ticket. Independents a Mighty Power.

national elections, which accounts for the tremendous majorities McKinley received here. A great part of these independents, the dmocrats say, were included in the 60,000 or more voters who falled to register and still a larger part will vote the democratic ticket. cratic ticket.

If they do, the democrats will carry not only all the doubtful congressional districts, numbering at least seven, but will wipe out some of the big majorities in others represented by such leaders of the

The independents are a mighty power in

this state. The most of them in recent

years have voted the republican ticket in

Illinois delegation as Foss, Marsh, Prince and Warner. This would give the democrats sixteen or eighteen members in Congress, and is undoubtedly entirely too optimistic from the democratic viewpoint. The more conservative democrats would not be surprised at

a landslide in view of the peculiar conditions of the campaign, but they do not expect it and are satisfied to claim a bare majority of the delegation, or thirteen members.

Southern Illinois Democrats. The whole southern end of the state, it is new conceded by the republicans, is likely to go democratic. This includes four doubtful and two democratic districts. To the impartial one it looks at this time as though the republicans would get fourteen or fifteen congressmen. There is little doubt that they will elect a majority of the mem-bers of state legislature, as under the last redistricting plan the democrats would have

to carry the state by at least 30,000 to control the legislature.
As usual charges of fraud and corruption were rife the day before election. Lorimer and his allies were openly charged by the lemocrats and independent republicans with oouring \$50,000 into the sixth district in their efforts to avert the impending defeat of the boss. He is making a special effort to get the support of the more disreputable ele-ment of the democratic voters in the tough

city precincts of his district, and, according to all reports, his barrel is having the de-The "Bath House John" and "Hinky-Dink" stripe of democrats are openly working for him, and it is charged he is paying \$5 a man for those democrats who wear his

badge at the polls.

RESULT IN INDIANA. Believed Republicans Will Carry State by Substantial Plurality. Special Dispatch to The Evening Star.

INDIANAPOLIS, Ind., November 4 .-From reports received from both public and private sources it is evident that Indiana will give another substantial plurality for the republican ticket. Making an estimate on the statements emanating from unbiased sources, it is safe to calculate the plurality at not less than 16,000. Although the democratic leaders were hopeful of securing control in the several doubtful districts which they had claimed as their own, the increase which they had confidently expected has failed to make its appearance in numbers sufficiently large to overcome

the normal republican majority.

Throughout yesterday there was much doubt as to the outcome of the election in the first district, but it was evident by noon that James A. Heminway, the republican candidate for re-election, had been success-ful. The republicans, however, were in turn district, where Chairman Goodrich of the republican state committee had expected to elect C. C. Gilhams as representative. The plurality of Representative Robinson, democratic candidate, according to the ports, was practically unchanged. In the second district, where the republi-

cans had expected to elect John C. Chenay, they met with another disappointment, as the reports from the polls showed that Rep-resentative Miers, the democratic candidate for re-election, was likely successful. The third and fourth districts again showed democratic pluralities, but the fifth, sixth, seventh, eighth, ninth, tenth and eleventh, as well as the thirteenth, gave every evidence of republican success.

State Officials Figuring.

In the thirteenth district it was believed

that Representative Brick's plurality would

be somewhat cut down, but in the seventh district, where Jacob P. Dunn, democratic candidate, has been fighting Representative Overstreet, there was evidence of a republican gain. State officials are today making various state officials are today making various estimates of the total plurality by which the republican ticket will be elected. These estimates run from 15,000 to 25,000. Senator Beverldge announces confidently that the state will be republican by at least 30,000. There is a display about the democratic headquarters of restlessness and an atmos-

phere of inactivity bordering upon gloomi-ness prevails. Chairman O'Brien had very little to say as the reports reached his desk, but remarked from time to time that he had feared the democratic vote would not come out in its full strength. He practi-cally admits the victory of the republican ticket as a whole, but he still entertains hope of scoring gains in several of the con-