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## REPUBLICANS

### CELEBRATE

State Library.  
Big Caucus Meeting at the Asheville Opera House Last Night.

Many Speakers Discuss Tuesday's Great Victory.

Pritchard, Pearson, Moody, McNamee and Settle.

Col. Lusk, Maj. Rollins, Tom Rollins and Others of the Faith.

MR. PEARSON MAKES AN OFFER TO MR. CRAWFORD—MANY CONGRATULATORY AND COMPLIMENTARY WORDS FOR THE NEW CONGRESSMAN FROM THE NINTH.

A great crowd attended the ratification meeting held at the opera house last night by the republicans. The thermometer suddenly dropped to the freezing point late in the afternoon but bad weather could not chill the ardor of the men of the victorious party. Every seat in the building had an enthusiastic republican in it before 8 o'clock. A number of ladies were present, and on the stage with the speakers prominent men representing every county in the district, and the First regiment band.

Mr. Thomas S. Rollins who, when he arose, was greeted with a shower of applause, which his magnificent work during the campaign has well merited. Introduced Colonel Lusk as chairman of the meeting. The colonel said that he had thought on Monday that the speaking was over but it seemed to just commencing as the result of the wonderful victory of the republican party throughout the country and particularly in Western North Carolina. He said the republicans could not claim all the credit, as they received important aid and most welcome aid from some of the democrats. He tendered those democrats the thanks of the republican party and invited them to come over for good and all into the republican camp. He says that he will try to be the first to extend to each one who does come the right hand of fellowship.

Colonel Lusk then introduced Senator Pritchard, who said that it is not the republicans alone who are rejoicing. Most of the democrats of North Carolina who are not in politics are more or less openly rejoicing at McKinley's election, therefore there are none to mourn, and everything is lovely and the goose hangs high.

"The greatest cause for rejoicing, as it seems to me, is that we have sent glad tidings to the boys in blue in the Philippines. No sweeter message ever fell on mortal ears than that which the cable flashed beneath the waves of the Pacific to our troops in the far off islands announcing that McKinley was elected again, and that those who had traduced the honor of our flag and our army have been rebuked by the people with the most overwhelming majorities the country has ever known. My only regret is that the electoral vote of North Carolina will not be cast on the right side, as it would have been had the election been honest in the eastern counties.

"Besides my desire that Moody should be elected, I had two particular reasons for wishing to see William T. Crawford repudiated, as he has been by the people of the district. First, because he tried to hold a seat in congress to which he was not entitled, and from which that accomplished statesman and gallant gentleman, Richmond Pearson, at length ousted him, upholding the rights of republicanism in one southern county.

"Second. Because in attacking our army and belittling its achievements in our late war, he attacked also the fair name of the county of Madison, which it is my pride to call my home."

The senator closed with the admonition to go home and work to make the majority in the district even bigger two years hence.

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## STATEMENT

### BY BRYAN

The Result of the Election Surprises Him But He is Still Able to be Out.

Will Remain in Politics as Long as He Lives.

Utters His First Rallying Cry for Campaign of 1904.

A Parting Tear for the Latest Deceased Paramount Issue.

NO CLUE TO WHAT WILL SUCCEED IF, THOUGH PLUTOCRACY IS EVIDENTLY STILL OUT OF FAVOR—BRYAN IS IN GOOD HEALTH.

Lincoln, Neb., Nov. 8.—Bryan sent the following telegram to McKinley today: "William McKinley, President, Canton, Ohio: At the close of another presidential campaign it is my lot to congratulate you upon your second victory." Bryan denied that he would be a candidate for senator from Nebraska, and also denied the report that he would remove to Texas.

This evening Bryan in a statement said in part: "The result was a surprise to me and the magnitude of the republican victory a surprise to our opponents as well as to those who voted our ticket. It is impossible to analyze the returns until they are more complete, but speaking generally we seem to have gained in the large cities and to have lost in the small cities and in the country. The republicans were able to secure a majority for all their votes, and this was a considerable advantage. We have no way of knowing at this time how much money was spent for the purchase of voters and colonization. But while this would account for some republican gains they could not account for the widespread increase in the republican vote. The prosperity argument was probably the most potent one used by the republicans. The appeal to stand by the president while the war is on had a great deal of influence among those who did not realize that the war against the doctrine of self-government in the Philippines must rest upon us in this country. We are defeated but not discouraged. The fight must go on and the republican policies will be repudiated by the people when the tendency of those policies is fully understood. The contest between plutocracy and democracy cannot end until one or the other is completely triumphant."

In answer to inquiries concerning himself he said that he emerged from the campaign in perfect health. He and all those associated with him in the fight did their best. He had no fault to find and no reproaches to make. He would continue to take an active part in politics as long as he lived.

### PRESIDENT RETURNS TO WASHINGTON

Greeted by Crowds at the Depot—  
Congratulations by Cab's

Washington, Nov. 8.—President McKinley and his party arrived at 8:10 this morning. Several hundred people had assembled at the Pennsylvania depot to bid the president welcome and a large number of police were on hand to prevent a crush.

Secretary Hitchcock, General Corbin and other officials gathered about the platform of the president's private car and were the first to welcome and congratulate him. The crowd outside broke into hearty cheers when the president made his appearance with Mrs. McKinley. After hasty greetings the party was driven to the white house, where the president had breakfast and then returned to his duties.

The trip beyond Pittsburgh was at night and uneventful, although knots of people gathered at the stations throughout the night to see the train go by.

MCKINLEY CONGRATULATED.  
Washington, Nov. 8.—Among the telegrams of congratulation received by the president are the following:

Paris, Nov. 8.—His Excellency, Monsieur McKinley, President of the United States: I beg you to accept my most sincere congratulations on your re-election to the supreme office that you have filled with such lustre and during which the bonds of friendship between our two countries have, to my great delight, been drawn still closer.

"EMILE LOUBET."  
"Manila, Nov. 8.—To the President: Sincere congratulations. The most important step in bringing peace and prosperity to these islands has been taken."  
"COMMISSIONER."  
"Guatemala, Nov. 8.—Mr. McKinley: I sincerely felicitate you."  
"M. ESTRADA C., Presidente."

## CHINESE TERRITORY ANNEXED BY RUSSIA

East Arsenal Near Tien Tsin Included—Report From Conger.

Tien Tsin, Nov. 8.—General Linevitch, commander of the Russian troops, has officially notified the foreign consuls through the Russian consul that the land on the river side opposite the British and German settlements has been annexed to Russia by right of conquest.

Unless all the foreign owners of property immediately deposit documents proving ownership no claim will be entertained. Much railroad property, as well as the east arsenal, is included in the territory annexed by Russia.

The consuls will protest against the annexation.

FROM CONGER.  
Washington, Nov. 8.—Additional reports from Conger today record the progress of efforts being made to bring the foreign ministers into an agreement as to the basis of negotiations with China. The department still declines to make public any details. There is reticence over the matter of international agreement, the purpose being to avoid presenting differences to the notice of the Chinese plenipotentiaries who might use them to advantage.

However the statement is reiterated that progress is being made towards a satisfactory conclusion. No advice has yet been received here confirming the report that Russia has annexed territory in Chi Li province.

### SIR WILLIAM FRED LAURIE'S ELECTION AS PREMIER.

After Initial Dealings, a Firmer Tone Through the Market.

London, Nov. 8.—The editorials in the papers here today express warm approval of the re-election of Sir William Laurier, the premier of the Dominion of Canada, and the return of the liberal government to power. The Fall Mall Gazette voices the general tone of the comment in saying:

"Sir William Laurier is the living embodiment of the spirit required in Canada. It looks as if he might have as long a spell of power as Sir John Macdonald. Not only is this French Canadian, but enthusiastic British imperialist statesman one of the most inspiring, most useful personalities in the empire, but the election attempts to turn race feeling to his disadvantage, have served the severe defeat."

### IS THIS OOM PAUL'S WEALTH?

Two and a Half Millions of Gold Received in New York.

New York, Nov. 8.—2,500,000 dollars of South African gold consigned to the National City bank, which arrived on the steamship Kaiserin Maria Teresa, was taken to the assay office today. The gold was packed in fifty boxes marked "P. P. K." This renewed the reports that the gold was that of President Paul Kruger of the Transvaal. When the boxes were opened they were found to contain gold bars, every one of which was a United States assay office bar. If the gold really represented "Kruger gold" there had been substitution in London of United States bars for the original gold.

### BLIZZARD WEATHER.

Richmond, Va., Nov. 8.—The thermometer is five degrees below the freezing point throughout western Virginia, and a severe snow storm is raging.

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## BRYAN'S STATE FOR M'KINLEY

### Republicans Claim Seven Thousand Majority for National Ticket.

Only Seven Counties yet to be Heard From.

The Gubernatorial Election in Kentucky Very Close.

Contest Expected in Twelfth Ohio Congressional District.

COUNTER CHARGES OF FRAUD ARE MADE—BECKHAM FALLS BEHIND THE PRESIDENTIAL VOTE OF HIS PARTY.

Omaha, Nov. 8.—The chairman of the republican state committee declares tonight that McKinley carried the state by 7,000 and that the state ticket is elected by 3,000 and the republicans have 83 out of 119 counties. Bryan received about 5,000 plurality. Beckham, democratic candidate for governor, appears to have about 300 plurality, but every indication points to a contest in the courts over the gubernatorial official count, which begins tomorrow. Charges and counter-charges of fraud are made by both sides.

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Columbus, Ohio, Nov. 8.—The official count in the Twelfth congressional district of Ohio gives Tompkins, republican, eight plurality over Leake, democrat. The latter will contest on the ground of bribery and illegal voting.

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### TAYLOR SPEAKS OF CONDITIONS IN KENTUCKY

Takes Gloomy View of the Situation in that State.

Indianapolis, Nov. 8.—Taylor, the deposed governor of Kentucky, takes a gloomy view of the situation in his state. He said today that if Beckham were elected he felt as if he was banished from the state and that the people there do not recognize the enormity of the offense that the democratic party has committed against personal liberty and the rights of the people. When asked if the republican court of appeals would have any effect determinative in his return to Kentucky, Taylor refused to say.

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