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DEMOCRATS NOT IN IT

THEY WERE YESTERDAY BUR-IED BENEATH A POLITI-CAL LANDSLIDE.

BADLY BEATEN IN MARYLAND

WHILE BOTH SIDES ARE CLAIM-ING THE VICTORY IN KENTUCKY.

Tammany Wins in New York

But New York State Goes Republican By 45,000 Majority -- New Jersey is Close but the Democrats Have Probally Carried it by a Small Majority -- The Usual Republican Majority in Ohio Reduced -- Virginia and Mississippi Still Democratic--Iowa Goes Republican as Usual.

WASHINGTON, D. C., Nov. 6 .- 2 A. M. -The Republicans have carried New York, Pennsylvania, Ohio, Maryland, Massachusetts, Iowa, Nebraska, Kansas. The Tammany ticket wins in New

The Democrats have carried New Jersey, Virginia and Mississippi.

Both parties claim Kentucky. No reliable news yet from Utah.

Owing to the unusual conditions prevailing in a number of the States and the uncertainty regarding the outcome intense interest existed at the capitol in the results of the elections. Particularly was this the case with respect to the elections in New York, Kentucky, Maryland, New Jersey and Ohio and the returns from these States were awaited with the greatest interest. Great crowds gethered in front of the newspaper gathered in front of the newspaper offices to-night and remained until the returns showed definite results at the storm centres. Others more fortunate visited the various social and political clubs where special arrangements had been made for obtaining the latest in-

President Cleveland did not make his appearance at the White House at all today, but remained at his country home at Woodley. Private Secretary Thurber was on hand at the executive mansion, however, during the day and evening, and received the bulletins that came over the energial wire from the telegraph office. the special wire from the telegraph office.

These were read by such of the cabinet officers as gathered during the evening, and dispatches of special significance were telephoned to the President at Woodley. Three of the eight cabinet officers, Messrs. Harmon, Lamont and Carlisle, had gone to their respective States to vote.

LANDSLIDE IN MARYLAND. Not a Leg Left for the Democratic

Party to Stand on. BALTIMORE, Nov. 5.- Returns from both the city and State are slow in coming to hand, and up to midnight not a single county in the State, nor a ward in the city has been completely counted. There are enough returns, however, to indicate that there has been a landslide in Maryland and that the Democratic ticket is underneath it, by majorities

ranging from 6,000 upwards. There seems to be no room for doubt that the Republicans have elected their entire State and city ticket, and that they will have a working majority in the next Legislature which will choose a successor to United States Senator Gibson. Even Howard county, the home of Senator Gorman, has apparently reversed its normal Democratic majority of 500 and gives Lowndes (Republican) for Governor a majority of at least that number of votes. Baltimore city goes for the Republican ticket, both State and municipal, by majorities ranging from 6,000 to 8,000, and both branches of the city council will proba-bly be Republican for the first time in many years. In fact there is not a leg left for the Democratic party to stand on in what has long been considered one of the safest Democratic States in the

Telegrams from the chairman of the county committees to the Associated Press indicates that Waslin county has gone Republican by 1,200 votes, a gain of 900; that Caroline county will give him a majority of 50, a Republican gain of more than 500; that Alleghany county, the home of the Republican candidate. gives him 4,500, a Republican gain of Thus it is in all parts of the State, and not even the most sanguine of Democrats claim at midnight to have carried anything worth carrying.

Republican by 6,000 to 8,000.

BALTIMORE, Nov. 5 .- The Sun (Anti-Democratic) claims that Lowndes (Republican) has carried the State by from 6,000 to 8,000, and the entire Republican city ticket is elected.

The News (Independent Democrat) has issued an extra in which it claims that Lowndes, Republican, has carried the city by 15,000 and is elected.

The Democrats Give it up.

Washington, Nov. 5.—A Star bulletin from Baltimore says the Democratic State Committee concedes the election of Lowndes, for Governor and Hooper (Republican) for Mayor of Baltimore.

KENTUCKY IS DOUBTFUL.

Both Parties are Claiming to Have Carried the State.

LEXINGTON, Ky., Nov. 5.—Polls closed

to say that Democrats won. Hardin will pull through in Fayette county and Lexington with small plurality. C. J. Brouston, Democratic nominee for the Senate, had no opposition outside of the State ticket. It is believed that J. B. Simrall, Democrat, won over Thomas Foreman, by 500. The woman's ticket for woman's Board of Education, on which are four ladies, has probably beaten the Democratic ticket, composed of men by 300.

Immense Republican Gain. LOUISVILLE, Ky., Nov. 5.—Four years ago this, Jefferson county, gave a Democratic majority for governor of 5,171. Returns up to 9 o'clock from one third of the precincts in the city and county give Bradley 2,000 majority.

There is a dearth of news at the headquarters of the Democrats and Republicans. Reports are so meagre that Chairman Norman would say nothing more than he believed Hardin was elected He would not say by what majority nor why he was so impressed. At the Republican headquarters things are about

Republicans Gain in Louisville. FRANKFORT, Ky., Nov. 5.—Republicans elected school trustees by 150 or 200 majority. The city will probably give Bradley 300 majority. The full vote in the State is close.

Several wards in Louisville city show Republican gains.

Hardin gets the Party Vote. LOUISVILLE, Ky., Nov. 5 .-- On both sides the leaders are claiming the victory in this city, the Democrats by a small majority and the Republicans by a ma-jority ranging up to 8,000. It seems that the citizens ticket did not cut much of a figure as the old parties will get in by nearly the average vote.

The anti-election claim that Hardin would be scratched because of his attitude on the money question, has failed to materialize. Scattering returns show that Hardin will get the party vote.

But Bradley Leads Hardin.

Luisville, Ky., Nov. 5-The Post Democratic) in its extra issue dated 11 'clock, says:

At this writing the returns are coming in scattering from all parts of the State. It appears that Hardin leads the Democratic ticket, but it also appears that Bradley leads Hardin, or, if not, Hardin's majority is so small, as to amount to a virtual defeat. Outside of Louisville Bradley carries the city of Jefferson by

A Small Majority For Hardin.

LOUISVILLE, Ky., Nov. 5 .- Returns up to midnight from 95 counties and towns, mostly incomplete give Hardin 32,155, Bradley 28,536. Hardin's majority 3,-619. Other returns received give Bradley 5 majority aggregating 2,396, leaving a net majority of 1,223 for Hardin.

The Largest Ever Polled. Franklin county-Hardin, 2,183; Bradley, 1,725.

TAMMANY CARRIES NEW YORK. But the State Has Gone Republican by a Large Majority.

New York, Nov. 5. - New York State has been carried by the Republicans by pluralities ranging from 48,000 to 55,000 compared with a plurality of 24,484 for the head of the ticket two years ago. Returns from more than one half of the election districts outside of the cities of New York and Brooklyn, or "above the Harlem," show a net Republican gain of 13,814, compared with the vote of two years ago. Maintaining the same average, the gains will reach 23,000 outside of greater New York. In the two cites below the Harlem, the Democratic plurality of 60,343, two years ago, has been reduced about 12,000, giving the State to the head of the Republican ticket by fifty thousand plurality in round num-

In 1893 Palmer (Republican) for Secretary of State had a plurality of 84,-827 in New York State, above the Harlem river, while Meyer (Democrat) had a plurality in New York and King's county of 60,343, giving the Republican candidate a plurality of 24,484 on the total State vote. This year Palmer (Republican) has carried the State above the Harlem, based upon returns from 1,751 e'ection districts out of a total of 3,383, or more than one half of the outside election districts, by probably 100, 000 plurality. King (Democrat) has carried New York and Kings county by a plurality of nearly 50,000, giving the head of the Republican ticket a safe plurality of 50,000, in the State at large. The two branches of the Legislature remain as before under the direction of the Republicans. The election throughout the State was orderly and rapidly conducted, and the results were quickly

At midnight returns from 2,220 election districts out of 3,383 above the Harlem, or two-thirds of the State outside of New York and Kings county, gave Palmer (Republican) for Secretary of State, 285,802; King, Democrat, 182, 786, showing a Republican plurality of 103,016, a Republican gain of 19,332,

compared with the vote of 1893. New York Republican by 45,000.

New York, Nov. 5 -The Mail and Express says: The Republican State ticket will have from 35,000 to 45,000 majority. The returns indicate the higher figures. Erie county will give 5,000 Republican majority.

The World says the State is Republican by 45,000 majority; 1,125 election districts out of 1,392 in the city of New York give Palmer 76,388; King, 110,787.

Lexington, Ky., Nov. 5.—Polls closed without the full vote being polled in the city. Both sides claiming victory. Safe ernor in New Jersey has only carried

Essex county by 1,000 plurality. This, if true, assured the election of McGill.

The World says that Tammany has elected 11 out of 12 Senators, and 11 essemblymen out of 35.

A World bulletin says that both branches of the New York legislature will be heavily Republican.

Amos Cummings Elected. NEW YORK, Nov. 5 .- The election of Amos Cummings, Democrat, to Congress from the Tenth district, is conceded by the Republicans. Last year the district went Republican. Cummings' plurality is estimated at 4,000.

NEW JERSEY GOES DEMOCRATIC McGill Claims the Election by Over 6,000 Majority.

NEW YORK, Nov. 5 .- New Jersey returns received up to 10 p. m. indicate the majority for McGill of about 6,000. The districts still to be heard from are normally Republican.

McGill Ahead of His Ticket. JERSEY CITY, Nov. 5 .- The total vote cast in the city by all the parties to day was 28,481. This is abnormolly heavy as the registration was but 31,047. Incomplete returns from twenty voting districts in the city show that McGill is

running ahead of his ticket. The Democratic State Committee claims to have carried Newark by 10, 000. They claim to have elected six out of the eleven assemblymen from Essex. The Republicans claim Essex by 2,500 and to have elected five assemblymen. It will give McGill over 5,000. The Democrats are in high feather and claim the

Griggs Claims 10,000 Majority. NEWARK, N. J., Nov. 5.—Chairman Franklin Murphy, of the Republican State Committee, claims the State by 10 000 majority for Griggs.

The Republican county committee of Essex county claims the county by 2,000, and also claims seven of the Republican assemblymen. Hudson county's vote indicates a majority for McGill of not less than 3,800. It may reach 5,000.

The Legislature Republican. New York, Nov. 5.-New Jersey Republicans claim to have elected forty out of sixty assemblymen. The Senate is already Republican.

REPUBLICANS WIN IN OHIO. But the Majority is Reduced Some

Fifty Thousand.

COLUMBUS, Ohio, Nov. 5-The Repub lican State Committee claim that the plurality of Gen. Bushnell will exceed that of 80,000 for Gov. McKinley in 1893, with which year's vote they are comparing returns. There are some at their headquarters who say that com-plete returns will show a Republican plu-rality almost equal to that of last year— FRANKFORT, Ky., Nov. 5.—The largest vote ever polled. Republicans elect a full board, council and school trustees. State Committee saw fit to make a consult of the servative statement to those wanting to bet on over one hundred thousand. Chairman Kurtz gave out the following:

Returns received at 10 o'clock indicate that the Republicans have carried the State by a plurality not less than that given two years ago and elected a decisive majority of the members of the next General Assembly. Chairman Kurtz will not claim over

90,000 at the most. Others go higher. Chairman Kurtz does not estimate the Republicans will have two-thirds of the Legislature, but he says the Republican majority in both branches will be so large that the usual interest is not taken in asserting the exact number of Republicans and Democrats on joint ballot for United States Senator. At Democratic headquarters at 10 p

m., an announcement was made that Ohio had gone Republican by a decisive majority in the Legislature as well as a large plurality on the State ticket. As both parties had the same finan-

cial platform the silver question was not an issue in the campaign. The tariff was the only national issue between the two parties, the Democratic wool growers and others voting with the Republicans. The Populists cast about 40,000 votes, the Prohibitionists about 20,000, and the Socialists about 2,000. Neither the fourth nor fifth party nor the A. P. A. affected the re-

Ex-Congressman Charles Anderson, chairman of the Democratic Committee, after midnight gave out the following We concede the State to the Republicans by 60,000 plurality and both branches of the Legislature by a large majority. The Populist vote of over 60,000 for Coxey for Governor hurt us. The hard times were fresh in the mind of the peo-

Republican Majority in Ohio 60,000. COLUMBUS, Ohio, Nov. 5 .- At 9 o'clock it was thought that the tidal wave of the past two years had continued in Ohio, although no estimates could be given. The Democretic State committee, in comparing the vote with that of last year, when the Republican plurality was 137,000, shows Democratic gains but not enough for them to claim any close result on the State ticket or more than one-third of the members of the Legislature. The Republicans in comparing with that for McKinley and Neal for Governor two years ago are claiming at 9 o'clock they will approximate the plurality of 80,000 received by McKinley and have two-thirds of the Legislature. At their headquarters they say they will poll a much larger vote than in 1893, and that the Democrats polled a much larger vote than that year. The total vote will be about 850,000, the largest ever cast in the State. The Republicans say their plurality will not fall below sixty thousand.

Republicans Gain in Cincinnati. CINCINNATI, Ohio, Nov. 5 .- The vote

of the city of Cincinnati was unusually large. One hundred and ten precincts of the 246 in the city gave Bushnell 18,428, Cambell 14,256. This indicates a gain upon two years ago for the Republi-It is estimated from these returns that the Republican plurality in Hamilton county will run from 11,00 to 13,000 and that the entire Republican ticket will be elected by a plurality of 100,000. In the county ticket, Hagerty (Demo-crat), for Auditor, who ran ahead of his ticket, is defeated by from 4,000 to

THE OLD DOMINION ALLRIGHT Legislature Will Stand Democrats 114 and Anti-Democrats 26.

RICHMOND, Va.. Nov. 5.—The anti-Democrats elect Senators in the Winchester, Manchester, Roanoke and Pat rick districts, and gain members of the -House in Louise, Rockingham, Botetourt, Roanoke, Montgomery, Wise, Northumberland, Stafford and probably in Augusta, Halifax, Washington and Pittsyl vania. The Senate will contain 34 Democrats and 6 anti-Democrats, and the House about 80 Democrats and 20 anti-

Returns show that the vote in this city was about 50 per cent. less than last year. The Democratic candidates for the House Cabell, Harwood, Murphy, Bryant and Reddy were elected by overwhelming majorities. The opposition polled an insignificant vote.

Legislature Heavily Democratic. RICHMOND, Va., Nov. 5.—The Democrats have elected about three-fourths of the Legislature. They lose Botetourt, Mecklenburg, Stafford and King George counties and lose one member in Hali

Democrats Split up in Factions.

WINCHESTER, Va., Nov. 5.—The Senatorial situation here was complex, the Democrats being split into warring factions headed respectively by Clarke H. Purcell and M. L. Walton, the father of the Walton election law. Both claimed to be the regular nominee of the gemo-crats for Senator. J. G. McCune had the undivided support of the Repub-

Returns are somewhat slow and many precincts will not be heard from until to-morrow. Out of 18 pretincts nine heard from give Purcell, Democrat, 800 Walton, Democrat, 205, and McCune, Republican, 504. McCune carried this city by 14. At a late hour to night Mc-Cune is practically sure of election. Both Democrats and Republicans concede this.

A Light Vote Was Polled.

PETERSBURG, Va., Nov. 5.-An extremely light vote was cast in this city, the regular Democratic ticket having no opposition to speak of. Petersburg elected two members of the House of Delegates. The total vote was 587: McRae (Democrat), 508; Ivey (Democrat), 493; Peyser (Populist), 29. Last year in the Congressional election this city cast 2,529 votes, and at the presidential election 3,605.

Returns from Church Road, Va. show the following for the House of Delegates: Gilliam, 95; Clarke, 65; defaced tickets, 18. Total, 178.

Election Passed off Quietly. LYNCHBURG, Va, Nov. 5-The election passed quietly, but little interest

being manifested; out of a registered vote of 4,500 only 1,448 was polled as follows: For State Senate, Adam Clement, Democratic, 896; J. S. Dillard, Honest Elections candidate, 552; for House of

Delegates, Randolph Harrison, Democratic, no opposition, 1,084. A BIG MAJORITY IN IOWA.

The Republicans Claim to Have Carried the State by 80,000 Majority.

DES MOINES, Iowa, Nov. 5 .- The Republicans gains over two years ago are now running nearly 24 to a precinct. This will give Drake, Republican for Governor, a plurality of over 80,000 if the present rate of gain is continued. Republican State Central claims the

State by 80,000 or over. The committee claims the Legislature by two-thirds majority. The present indications are that the Populists will make large gains all over the State, making their total vote 50,000, the largest ever polled in the State.

Republican Gains in Utah,

SALT LAKE, Nov. 5 .- Returns slow. Nothing yet received from city precincts. Returns from 22 precincts from outside show net Republican gains of 51 of the vote for Governor. No reliable reports on Legislative ticket. Roberts, Democrat, for Congress. is running ahead of

Republicans Carry Illinois. CHICAGO, Nov. 5-The Republicans carry the election by pluralities of about

30,000 on the entire ticket. Greenhalge's Majority 65,000. Boston, Mass., Nov. 5.-Returns now indicate that the majority of Greenhalge

will be about 65,000 in the State. Mississipp. Goes Democratic. JACKSON, Miss., Nov. 5 .- The Democratic majority for State offices is estima-

ted at 50,000. Republicans Carry Detroit.

DETROIT, Mich., Nov. 5 - Detroit has elected the entire Republican city ticket and has added two aldermen to the Republican majority in the common counil. Mayor Pingree ran ahead of the balance of the city ticket by 1,500 and upwards. His majority over Goldwater (dem.), according to the official returns, is 10,550, which exceeds Goldwater's total vote over 200. Schmid, clerk; Littlefield, treasurer, and the rest of the Republican ticket are elected.

STRAIGHT HEATS

JOHN R. GENTRY EASILY BEAT PATCHEN AT REIDSVILLE YESTERDAY.

THE TRACK IN BAD CONDITION

The Time was, Therefore, About Five Seconds Slow--Notwithstanding the Inclement Weather a Large Crowd Witnessed the Race-Six Entries in the 2:20 Class .- Three Minutes Race Postponed Till To-Day-Baronette Sets the Track Record of 2:1- 1-4.

REIDSVILLE, N. C, Nov. 5. Lowering clouds, a misty, milky at-mosphere and a cold wind served to keep hundreds away from the races to day, but despite all this a good crowd was present and the racing excellent.

pecial to the News and Observer.

Owing to the recent heavy rains the track was slow, the back stretch in particular being heavy. Mr. Curry, Patchen's driver, rated the course as being at least five seconds slow.

Following is a summary of the races by heats:

First race, 2:20 class, purse \$300. Panstone 1, 2, 2, 1, 2; Billy Ackerson 4, 6, 6, 6; Maggie Campbell 3, 3, 3, 3, 3, 3; Miss Thompson 2, 4, 5, 4; Billy Wilkes 6, 5, 4, 5; Clipper 5, 1, 1, 2.

Time, first heat 2:23; second heat 2:21 1-4; third heat 2:21 1-4; fourth heat

2:23 3-4. fifth heat, 2:25 1-2. Second race, Patchen and Gentry purse \$2,000; Gentry drew the pole.

Gentry 1, 1, 1; Patchen 2, 2, 2. Time first heat 2:10; second, heat 2:09; third heat 2:09. The three minute race was postponed

until to-morrow. Defender, a beautiful young colt, owner, James Williamson, of Alamance, paced a quarter of a mile in 36 seconds. Baronette, from the Alamance farm, set the track record, trotting one mile in 2:16 1 4.

MARRIAGE AT ROCKY MOUNT. The Rocky Mount Fair This Week -- No Hoo-Chee-Koo-Chee Allowed. Special to the News and Observer.

ROCKY MOUNT, N. C., NOV. 5. In the Methodist church to-day at high noon, Mr. Edgar W. Smith and Miss Emma Armstrong were united in marriage by Rev. G. A. Ogelsby. The bridal party marched up the aisles to the strains of Mendelsohn's wedding march, beautifully rendered by Miss Bessie Worthington. Mr. Smith is one of Rocky Mount's leading tobacconists, and is President of the Board of Trade. Ho was a former Danville man, having of the young people are deservedly popular, as the numerous handsome pres en's a test.

The following were the dants: Miss May Hendren, of Newbern, with Mr. W. A. Smith, of dants: Miss Richmond; Miss Mary Berger with Mr. J. L. Arrington; Miss Mattie Pierce with Mr. M. C. Berger, Greensboro; Miss Martha Knight, of interest in the proceedings, and it is Mildred, with Mr. S. P. Smith; Miss Lucy Arrington, with Mr. J. C. Braswell; Miss Mannie Fitz, of Washington. D. C., with Mr. B. W. Arrington. Messrs. Vernon Howell and David Ramsey Davis, were ushers. After the ceremony Mr. and Mrs. Smith left for Atlanta.

Numerous fakirs have arrived in town for the approaching fair. The "Hoochee-Koochee" people have been informed by Secretary Wilkinson that they must give a show for women and children, as well as men, or they "must vermoose the ranch.

Miss Nellie Grifton is at home to attend the fair

TOO MANY HEALTH OFFICERS. But Neither One Will Be Paid Till the Matter is Settled.

Special to the News and Observer. WINSTON, N. C., Nov. 5.

On the first Monday in September the Forsyth county fathers elected Dr. E. F. Strickland county physician. On the same day the County Health Board met and re-elected Dr. R. D. Dalton Both physicians have since been filling the office by visiting the sick at the jail and county home. The County Commissioners, at a meeting this month, passed an order that they will pay no more bills to physicians until one or the other shall have established his claim to the office. The County Superintendent of health order says also that neither of them shall visit the county home or the jail or do any other county practice unless sent for.

Editor Goslen has let the contract for a handsome three story brick building to be erected on Main street for his paper, the Winston Republican. hopes to occupy the building by the first of the year.

Hotel at Hot Springs Burned.

Special to the News and Observer.

ASHEVILLE, N. C., Nov. 5. Loretta Hall boarding house, at Hot Springs, twenty-five rooms, was burned yesterday. The guests lost everything; some furniture was saved. Five thousand dollars insurance on the building, which was owned by the Southern Improvement Company, and conducted by Mrs. H. W. Swain.

ORANGE, Va., Nov. 5.-Charles C. Taliafer, Democrat, was elected over R. Jones, Populist, by a handsome majorTOBACCO FACTORY BURNED.

Over 20,000 Pounds of Plug and Leaf Totally Destroyed.

Winston, N. C., Nov. 5.—At Dalton, last night, fire destroyed a large tobacco factory containing 30,000 pounds of manufactured and leaf tobacco. The postoffice, storehouse and six smaller buildings were also consumed. The origin of the fire is unknown. Losses are heavy with but little insurance.

All of the property destroyed belonged to the heirs of the late R. D. Dalton. In the tobacco factory there were more than twenty thousand pounds of manufactured tobacco, besides several thousand pounds of leaf. There were very few goods in the store. The origin of the fire not learned, neither is the amount of

The old family residence of Mr. Dalton was saved from destruction.

PITTSBURG'S GREAT DAY.

It Receives Mr. Carnegie's Million

Dollar Library. PITTSBURG, Nov. 5.—This was Pitts burg's great day. The proud city not only received the magnificent gift of a million dollar library, music hall and art gallery from the equally proud donator, Mr. Carnegie, but the pleasing announcement that Mr. Carnegie would endow the art gallery with one million dollars, and also proposed erecting for the greater Pittsburg free libraries at Duquesne, Carnegie and Homestead. The dedicatory exercises took place in the music hall of the building which was

packed to the walls. THE GREAT NORTHERN STRIKE.

It May Become General Among the A. R. U. Men.

MINNEAPOLIS, Minn., Nov. 5 .- There are some threatening aspects in the Great Northern strike situation which lead to the belief that a strike may become general among the A R. U men on this system by to-morrow. The discharge of engineer Wm. Best, the hero of the Hinckley fire, at West Su-perior is very distasteful to the men. Best was President of the A. R. U. at that point and a member of the committee. It is charged that he was dis-

charged for these reasons. A Devils Lake, N. D., special to the Journal, says: The strike went into effect at 2 o'clock this morning. No trains

are running. The Strike Only Partial.

SPOKANE, Wyoming, Nov. 5.—The strike on the Great Northern is only partial at this place. The south bound passenger train went through on time, and the officials claim that all trains are moving on regular time. At the car shops at Hilliard, a part of the employees went

lived here for the past three years. Both | CONSTITUTIONAL CONVENTION. It Re-Assembled Yesterday After Four

Days' Adjournment. COLUMBIA, S. C., Nov. 5.—The Constitutional Convention re-assembled tonight, after four days' adjournment, with barely a quorum present. Since the suffrage question has been practically finally decided, members take but little said that a great many of t em will not

come back at all. The discussion of the remaining sections of the suffrage article was begun to-night. The convention, by a vote of 62 to 27, just seven more than a quorum voting, killed the provis-ion requiring that managers of elections shall be equally divided between the two parties casting the highest number of votes at a preceding election. There was little or no debate on the subject before the vote as taken. Another effort was made to get in weman's suffrage in municipal elections where the question of issuing bonds is at stake, but it failed

as all other similar propositions had done. On a vote being taken on a motion to strike out the \$300 property qualification for voting on a bond issue in municipalities no quorum was shown and the convention adjourned.

Marriage at Reidsville.

Special to the News and Observer.

REIDSVILLE, N. C., Nov. 5. Mrs. Cora May Morris, of this city, was to-day united in marriage to Mr. Chas. Wood Bingham, a prominent banker of Mount Morris, New York. The marriage was private, attended only by the near friends of the family. The happy pair boarded the Southern vestibule for an extended trip.

Wrecked Near Cape Lookout.

Special to the News and Observer. BEAUFORT, N. C., Nov. 5. The tug Jones leaves Wilmington tonight to assist the large, three-mast schooner, Hattie C. Luce, from Boston, which is wrecked east of Cape Lookout. The wind and sea are high.

Silver Democrats in Tennessee.

NASHVILLE, Tenn., Nov. 5 .- Tennessee Committeeman James M. Head, of the National Bi-metallic League, has issued a call for a meeting of all bi metallist Democrats of this State to meet in this city on the 16th for organization within the Democratic party according to the plan adopted by the League at Washington.

Money for the Conscience Fund.

WASHINGTON, Nov. 5-Commissioner Miller of the Internal Revenue Bureau to-day received through a New York banking house a check for \$750, which the sender asked to have placed to the credit of the conscience fund.