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SUMMARY.

...said in a special the other...
 ...the sackville affair would...
 ...explained.—Our election...
 ...unusual interest in Canada—...
 ...of the Supreme court holds...
 ...not be cast on the installment...
 ...several times Monday night the...
 ...to charge the mobs around the...
 ...House in New York city.—The...
 ...Republican carpenters hired...
 ...workmen to go into the country...
 ...to prevent their voting.—Tis...
 ...A. T. Stewart died in debt.—...
 ...preparations have been made by the...
 ...press for gathering the election...
 ...An explosion in a Pennsylvania...
 ...men.—A London dispatch...
 ...Newman is out of danger.—...
 ...mills at Gambia, Me., were...
 ...Monday, killing 2 men.—...
 ...number of Government employes...
 ...went home to vote.—Mr. ...
 ...says until the Irish question is...
 ...England will know no peace.—39...
 ...and 4 deaths from yellow fever at...
 ...Monday.—Three negroes in...
 ...made a dastardly assault on two...

EDITORIAL BRIEFS.

...county will be represented...
 ...legislature.
 ...of Durham, you did your...
 ...your whole duty.
 ...GREEN has been made a mar...
 ...the cause of Democracy.
 ...Democrats of Durham,
 ...you feel good this evening?
 ...as necessary now as ever for
 ...white men of this town to stand
 ...for their self preservation.
 ...CAROLINA is no longer a
 ...State. She is Democratic
 ...the backbone for all time to

...down some more Pinker...
 ...next time and we will
 ...you what we can do in the
 ...democratic way.

...wish to say to certain men
 ...are under suspicion, and
 ...better be careful of the so...
 ...trines they teach their col...
 ...friends.

...much honor and praise can...
 ...given our heroic leader, C. B.
 ...for the noble work done by
 ...in the late campaign, for the
 ...of Durham.

...TENDER to Mr. C. B. Green our
 ...sympathy for the great loss
 ...suffered last night, and in behalf
 ...citizens of Durham we tender
 ...the sympathy of the entire

...the vote of New York city
 ...Cleveland, 133,157; Blaine, 90,
 ...Kings county gave Cleveland
 ...State 53,514. The total vote
 ...State was, Cleveland 563,048;
 ...Blaine 292,001.

...men of Durham, do not
 ...until you discover and bring to
 ...punishment the in...
 ...soundrels who fired the
 ...of Mr. Green and tried to
 ...his good wife and innocent

...New York Herald of yester...
 ...the announcement that Dr.
 ...would preach upon the
 ...of its hindrances had
 ...of bringing together an
 ...congregation yesterday

...He preached from Exo...
 ...xxvii. 1. He preached as
 ...had spent the week in
 ...thunderbolts and was amus...
 ...of on Sunday morning by
 ...them about "promiscuous
 ...He can say more eccentric
 ...in fifteen minutes than any
 ...man living, and when he talks
 ...he is a sort of incarnate
 ...storm, with a couple of bliz...
 ...thrown in for spice.

TOWN TALK.

—Bye-by, little billie.
 —Durham county redeemed.
 —Hurrah for the white men of North Carolina.
 —Hurrah for the Democrats of Durham county.
 —How is the Third party vote for "a showing" for prohibition?
 —Wasn't yesterday a bad day on the little billies? Three left in one day.

—James T. Davis is Constable. Hurrah! What a disgrace Durham escaped.

—Yes, sir, we are sticking to Cleveland yet, although reports are a little bilious.

—North Carolina is safe from the clutches of demagogue Dockery and his mongrel gang.

—The telegraph operators were at work all night receiving election news for THE PLANT bulletin.

—What became of the Third party vote in Durham that was to astonish the natives on election day?

—Let the "Professor" go back to his Forge, and whine the "Whang Doodle mourneth," through his nose

—Riggsbee, Jenkins & Co., will go into liquidation in December to be succeeded by W. H. Rowland and the people.

—If Walker didn't get Republican boodle for assisting them he got mighty poor pay for his work, didn't he?

—Crowds have gathered about THE PLANT's bulletin all day, eager to get definite news from the national election.

—Up go two of our roosters, for Durham county and North Carolina. We have several more in reserve for Cleveland, which we hope to bring out in a day or two.

White Men, Listen!
 Did you see the color line drawn by the negro yesterday? Where are you?

Wasn't The Plant Right?
 Now, in all candor, hadn't Brer Stephens better taken the advice of THE PLANT and quit? For the managers of the great rising party really all seem to have voted the Republican ticket and left our Third party friends with the bag to hold, just as THE PLANT said they would.

Quiet, Friends.
 Let wrangling and rioting be the policy of our adversaries, but THE PLANT hopes that our fellow Democrats will be patient and forbearing. The public is excited now, but a few days will calm down the situation wonderfully. Till then discipline yourselves. We are victorious—the State and county are both Democratic. We can afford to be forbearing and patient.

A Thief Caught.
 A negro named John W. Robinson, an employe of R. Blacknall & Son, has been suspected some days of monkeying with the money drawer of that establishment and appropriating to his own use a portion of the receipts. A trap was set for him last night and he walked into it this morning. The evidence against him is positive and a cell in the penitentiary awaits him.

They Do Say
 That one of the Third party bosses got awful "hot under the collar" yesterday over the "treatment" of the Republicans, as he was pleased to style it. By the way, how close kin was the Third party to the Republican party? The Republican foamed at the mouth if you antagonized the Third party and vice versa the Third party got "riled" if you "trod upon" the Republican. "My, my."

Ain't This True.
 The negro, if he would, is not allowed to vote the Democratic ticket, for fear of serious bodily harm, if not actual death at the hands of the colored people. Not content with this, if a white man dare be active and works prominently in the interest of the Democratic party he is liable to have his helpless wife and children turned homeless into the street at dead of night, by the burning torch. White men, in name of God, how can you do otherwise than stand by your white neighbor!

DURHAM COUNTY REDEEMED

Democratic From One End to the Other.

Majorities from 100 to 300—Good-by Riggsbee, Jenkins & Co., and 3 P's., Too.

We have not yet received the official vote of all the precincts in the county, but enough is known to say that the entire Democratic ticket is elected by majorities ranging from one hundred to three hundred. We hope to be able to give a tabulated statement of the vote in our issue to-morrow.

The Third party vote in the entire county will hardly exceed one hundred and twenty-five.

Below we give the vote for Congressman from all the precincts, except Stagville and Mangum's Store:

- North Durham, Bunn, 576; Nichols, 364.
- South Durham, Bunn, 341; Nichols, 548.
- Bragtown, Bunn, 87; Nichols, 69.
- Barbee's Store, Bunn, 86; Nichols, 89.
- Evans' Store, Bunn, 77; Nichols, 30.
- Patterson's Mill, Bunn, 88; Nichols, 93.
- Vickers' Store, Bunn, 84; Nichols, 71.
- Red Mountain, Bunn, 85; Nichols, 57.
- Cox's Store, Bunn, 63; Nichols, 44.
- Garrard's Shop, Bunn, 66; Nichols, 30.
- Cedar Fork, Bunn, 57; Nichols, 46.

Horses Needed for the Hose Co.

We would speak a few earnest words to our town authorities this afternoon in reference to providing speedy means for getting hose carriages to fires. The necessity for this has been pointed out by the Hose Co. They have asked for horses and they have been refused. We believe that the authorities feel kindly towards our noble firemen and that the refusal was based upon economy in the administration of the town affairs, but we would remind the authorities that extreme economy sometimes degenerates into parsimony and that parsimony is a hurtful business, both in public and private affairs.

It is important at all times to have the department to reach fires as early as possible and now that it has demonstrated that there are persons in the community so deep in villainy as to apply the torch to the home of our respected citizens, the importance of making our fire department as efficient as possible is magnified a thousand fold. Let money nor anything else stand in the way of supplying our firemen with all needed facilities for contending with the flames.

We would suggest that the commissioners call a meeting at once and make arrangements for furnishing horses for the Hose Company. With horses the department will reach fires quicker and the firemen will be in better condition to work than they will if they have to exhaust much of their strength in pulling the carriages. This is a matter of very great importance to the community and it should have immediate attention.

The Plant Was Right About It.

Do you remember, after the campaign opened how disheartened the Democrats of Durham county appeared to be, and it was an open secret that Democrats despaired of carrying the county? But THE PLANT, early in the campaign, declared that every Democrat on the ticket would be elected. Were we right then? Let the returns answer. How nobly the Democrats of Durham county have discharged their duty.

PRESIDENTIAL ELECTION.

THE RESULT IS STILL IN DOUBT.

The Telegrams are Discouraging but The Plant is Hopeful That Cleveland will Get There.

NEW YORK.
 1,038 election districts in New York State, outside of New York city and King's county, Cleveland 205,457, Harrison, 253,818, Fisk, 11,984. Same districts in 1884 gave Cleveland 189,024, Blaine, 226,518; St. John, 11,236.

The Commercial Advertiser says: Late returns indicate the election of Harrison and Morton. Hill elected Governor by about 10,000.

Mail & Express claim New York State for Harrison by over 10,000.

The Evening Telegram says Harrison carries this State, but that California and Wisconsin are close and in doubt. It places Harrison's plurality in this State about 10,000, and Hill's at 17,000. Says Indiana is Democratic.

The Evening Graphic says Harrison's plurality in the State is about 9,000. The Evening Sun places it at 10,000. The Evening News makes it 4,450.

The Evening Post says returns received this a. m. leaves no reasonable doubt of the election of the Republican Presidential ticket. Very little has been received from the country districts, but there is no reason to think at this writing that the State will give Democratic plurality. Indiana in doubt.

MICHIGAN.
 Republicans claim Michigan for Harrison by a plurality ranging from 13,000 to 18,000.

New York World extra gives up hope for Cleveland.

CALIFORNIA.
 The Republican chairman telegraphs that Harrison carries California by 8,000 majority.

WEST VIRGINIA.
 Four precincts in Wheeling and Ohio county show Democratic gain of 66. Republicans claim Atkinson elected to Congress from first district.

MISSOURI.
 Eighteen precincts and towns and one county outside of St. Louis give Cleveland, 11,210; Harrison, 16,736.

INDIANA.
 560 precincts in Indiana out of 1,773 give Cleveland 77,296; Harrison 83,517. The same precincts in 1884 gave Blaine 79,541; Cleveland 74,090.

COLORADO.
 Returns, from 34 counties in Colorado out of 43 give Harrison nearly 12,000 majority, and Cooper, Republican for Governor, from 8,000 to 10,000 majority.

VIRGINIA.
 Two-thirds of the State heard from gives Democratic loss of 2,500. The Democrats expect gains in the portions of the State not heard from and claim the State by 3,500 to 4,500 majority.

NORTH CAROLINA.
 Returns from one-fourth of precincts in North Carolina show Cleveland's gain of 938. The Democrats are increasing their vote in the East. The legislature is certainly Democratic, both Houses.

Plant Photographs.

Maj. S. M. Finger, our Superintendent of Public Instruction, passed down the road to-day.

Mr. R. H. Wright, of Lynchburg, arrived on the noon train to-day. He says Virginia is safe for the Democrats.

Capt. E. J. Parrish attended a meeting of the stockholders of the Durham and Northern Railroad at Raleigh, to-day.

Mr. Geo. W. Watts went down to Raleigh to-day to attend a meeting of the stockholders of the Durham & Northern Railroad.

Prof. T. J. Simmons, of the Graded School Faculty, who has been sick several days, left to-day on a vacation of two weeks to Wake Forest. We hope the Professor will soon regain his health.

OUR FOWLE!

"THE OLD NORTH STATE FOREVER."

Estimated Majority for Cleveland and the State Ticket From 20,000 to 25,000.

RALEIGH, Nov. 7.—3 p. m.—There are about eleven hundred precincts in North Carolina and up to this hour return are in from 330. These show a gain of 545 for Cleveland, who runs somewhat ahead of Fowle, so far.

It is now certain that the Democratic State ticket is elected by a majority of from twenty to twenty-five thousand, and that the Democrats will get a majority in both Houses of the Legislature.

The Constitutional amendment is overwhelmingly carried.

The Third party vote will hardly be twenty-five hundred in the State.

Democrats are making some gains in the east and carry Halifax county.

As to Congressmen, nothing is yet known as to the First District, which remains in doubt. As to the Second District, the meagre returns show that Simmons is making a heavy run, but Mabson gets a light vote and this gives Cheatham an advantage. The Fifth District at this hour appears to be Republican. Other Districts are all Democratic by good majorities. Bunn makes a grand run in this District and Republicans concede his election.

Wake is yet doubtful, but the Democrats believe that they will elect nearly all if not all their ticket. There is most profound interest in the result of the New York vote. Telegrams here indicate Cleveland's defeat, but there is yet doubt. Republicans are very quiet.

WAYNE COUNTY DEMOCRATIC.
 GOLDSBORO, Nov. 7.—2 a. m.—Wayne county elects the entire Democratic ticket by handsome majorities.

CARTERET COUNTY.
 From a private telegram we learn that Chadwick, the Democratic nominee for the House in Carteret county is elected by five hundred majority.

ORANGE COUNTY.
 Chapel Hill—Cleveland, 270; Harrison, 306; Fowle, 264; Dockery, 308; Walker 6. For Congress, Bunn, 277; Nichols, 299. For the Senate, J. A. Long, 266; T. H. Hughes, 266; Reade, 309; J. A. Check, 308. For the House, Nichols, 250; T. M. Check, 260; Lloyd, 333; Vickers, 310; Burkhead, 6.

Don't Despair too Soon.
 Four years ago, not until Friday noon did the good news of Cleveland's election cheer the hearts of the great Democratic party of this Union. It has scarcely been twenty-four hours since the polling places over the country were closed. At this writing the State and county appear to be Democratic beyond question. It may be that as regards the national election the best news is being reserved for the last. At least let us hope so. Remember four years ago.

Who's Got a House.
 Listen! a poor white man has been turned out of his house or "given his orders" because he voted the straight Democratic ticket on yesterday. Who can house him? Send your name to THE PLANT.

THE WORK OF DEMONS!

THE INDIGNATION OF THE PEOPLE OF DURHAM.

The Residence of the Chairman of the Democratic County Executive Committee Fired This Morning.

It is a source of regret to us to have to announce that there are devils in this community so deep in infamy as to perpetrate the dastardly and fiendish crime of applying the torch to the home of one of our citizens. The residence of Mr. C. B. Green, Chairman of the Democratic County Executive Committee, was discovered on fire this morning about 2 o'clock and there is but little, if any, doubt that it was the work of an incendiary.

The fire originated in the rear of the house and traces were found of kerosene oil, which was used to make more certain the devilish work of the villain. The fire department responded promptly to the alarm, getting to the scene as quickly as possible without the aid of horses, and succeeded in extinguishing the flames before the house was entirely destroyed. The greater part of the furniture was removed.

The probable cause of the work of these demons appears in an article on the editorial page of this issue.

Our citizens are justly indignant at this occurrence and every effort will be used to ferret out the perpetrators.

Telegraph and Telephone.
 We are informed that the room on the second floor of the Wright building, recently occupied by the Young Men's Democratic Club, will be used as telegraph office and telephone exchange. It is expected that the work of putting in the telephone exchange will begin next week.

BUSINESS NOTICES.

If you wish to purchase or rent property of any kind, call on R. L. Rogers, Secretary and Treasurer Durham Land and Security Co., Wright building, second floor.

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