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RESULTS OF THE ELECTIONS.

Tammany Wins in New York—Tom Johnson Again Mayor—Republicans Win in Kentucky—Delaware Partly Dry.

New York, Nov. 6.—The Tammany ticket in New York county, headed by Thomas F. Foley, was elected by one of the smallest pluralities in years.

The returns today with several districts missing, give Foley a plurality over Imbsen of approximately 27,000.

Gerard defeated Bruce, fusion candidate for the supreme court by 25,000.

In Maryland the complete returns indicate that ex Governor Smith wins in the Democratic Senatorial primaries. Conservative estimates based on very meagre information, indicates that Crothers, Democrat, for Governor will carry the State and city by from 6,000 to 8,000.

In Mississippi the Election of Noel, Democratic candidate for Governor is assured as he has no opposition.

Guild was re-elected governor of Massachusetts by 100,000 republican majority.

In New York state the republicans were victorious in the cities of Albany, Rochester, Syracuse, Utica, and Oswego. Newburg elected a Democratic mayor for the first time in eighteen years. Elmira, Rome and Binghamton also elected Democratic mayors.

Wilmington Del., Nov. 6.—The complete returns give license 11,635 against 7,349 for local option, and the returns indicate that Newcastle county outside of Wilmington also voted for license. Kent and Sussex counties gave a vote against license.

Providence, R. I., Nov. 6.—The latest returns from the state election show that James H. Higgins, democrat, has been re-elected governor by about 1,400 votes, defeating Frederick H. Jackson, republican.

Trenton, N. J., Nov. 6.—Frank S. Katzenbach, Jr., Democratic candidate for Governor of New Jersey, tonight conceded the election of John Franklin Fort, his Republican opponent.

Louisville, Ky., Nov. 6.—Returns are coming in slowly from all parts of the state, but from present indications it looks as if the republicans will make a clean sweep of Louisville and the state.

In the event that Wilson is elected over Hager, it is confidently predicted that a determined effort will be made by the Hager faction to prevent Beckham's election to the United States senate, his policy in the Louisville cases and his stand for temperance being generally regarded as an evidence of willingness on his part to jeopardize the success of his party for his personal ambitions.

There will be a decreased democratic majority.

Latest returns indicate Wilson's election by 10,000.

Cleveland, O., Nov. 6.—The most conservative of the men who back Burton in his spectacular battle put Mayor Johnson's plurality at 9,313, which is less than the figure by which he won his third term over Boyd two years ago.

With Mayor Johnson, it is conceded, a majority of the council is elected, giving him a majority of the city legislative body which will make him dictator of the traction situation that also figured in the contest. It is not thought that later returns will alter the figures of plurality of Mayor Johnson or cut down his majority in the council.

Cincinnati, Ohio, Nov. 6.—Leopold Markbreit, republican, has been elected. Markbreit received 47,000 votes out a total of 80,000.

Philadelphia, Pa., Nov. 6.—John O. Sheatz, of Philadelphia, republican, was elected state treasurer over John G. Harman, of Columbia county, democrat, at yesterday's election by a large plurality. This was the only state office voted for and a light vote was polled.

Toledo, Ohio, Nov. 6.—Brand Whitlock was re-elected mayor yesterday and carried with him the entire independent city ticket except police clerk, for which office L. E. Krieger, republican, won.

Columbus, O., Nov. 6.—"The lid" received an awful jolt in this city. C. A. Bond, republican candidate for mayor, representing the traction and brewery interests was elected by a plurality of 5,092, carrying the entire republican ticket with him. George W. Rightmire, for vice president had a plurality of 11,402 over his opponent. Samuel G. Osborne for police judge had the lowest plurality of 3,391. Although elected on an "open town" platform, Mayor-elect Bond, in an open statement, declares he will enforce the saloon closing laws.

Salt Lake, Utah, Nov. 6.—The election of the entire "American" ticket with John S. Bransford for mayor is conceded by all parties. It is believed the Mormon vote was pretty evenly divided between the democratic and republican parties with a scattering for the socialists.

The anti-Mormon party probably will have the largest plurality ever given in this city. Bransford has 8,500 plurality over Plummer and Morris, whose strength is evenly divided. The Americans will control the council. They have been in power for the last two years.

Finest Thread Made in Georgia.

The finest thread in the world is now twisted on spindles driven by the falling water of a river in the South. Numbers as high as 150 are spun at this plant, which is located on the Chattahoochee river, one mile north of Columbus. It is from the valley of the Nile, and the finest cotton of the sea island variety, that makes the thread turned out by this mill. The plant uses Egyptian and sea island cotton exclusively, because of the length and strength of the staple.

No. 120 is considered a very fine thread, but not long ago with the increase of the mill's capacity to 25,000 spindles, the spinning of numbers as high as 150 was begun. No other thread like this is made in the Southern States, and as a matter of fact, no finer is manufactured in the world.—St. Louis Post-Dispatch.

Ten Carloads of Hogs Burn.

Louisville, Ky., Nov. 5.—The plant of the Bourbon stock yards, located at Johnson and Min streets, burned this evening. From the stock yards the flames spread to the plant of the Vissman Packing Company. The loss on the stock of the plant is estimated at \$250,000.

Ten carloads of hogs were burned, but the employees managed to save most of cattle, several of them receiving minor injuries while so engaged. The loss on the Vissman plant is estimated at \$75,000.

Farmers Hold Tobacco.

Rocky Mount, N. C., Nov. 4.—Mr. J. O. W. Gravely, Lecturer and Secretary of the North Carolina Tobacco Grower's Association, makes this statement:

"I advise all tobacco growers who can do so to hold their tobacco until the money market is settled. They have all to gain and nothing to lose by pursuing course."

He Fought at Gettysburg.

David Parker, of Fayette, N. Y., who lost a foot at Gettysburg, writes: "Electric Bitters have done me more good than any medicine I ever took. For several years I had stomach trouble, and paid out much money for medicine to little purpose, until I began taking Electric Bitters. I would not take \$500 for what they have done for me." Grand tonic for the aged and for female weaknesses. Great alternative and body builder; best of all for lame back and weak kidneys. Guaranteed by Hood Bros. druggists. 50c.

DRUNKARD'S AWFUL DEED.

Rum-Soaked Man Kills Woman Who Gave Him Birth and Remorse Brings Suicide.

One of the most awful tragedies that ever occurred in North Carolina took place Friday night in Gulledd township, Anson county, when Ellis Hightower, a drunkard and a noted whiskey dealer, shot and killed his mother, and later cut his throat with a razor when he realized the enormity of his crime.

The idea of a man, soaked with whiskey, shooting his mother down like a dog, will cause every one who reads of the tragedy to shudder, especially when it is learned that only a few moments before the awful deed that mother had poured out her love for her boy, as in this case.

Ellis Hightower, a well-known white man, went to home of his mother Friday, about 12 miles from Wadesboro. He had been drinking hard and was in a semi-delirious condition. About nine o'clock he and his mother and sister were sitting on the porch, and his mother was telling him how she loved him, doubtless pleading with him to drink no more.

Presently he dropped off into sleep, and his mother spoke to arouse him. Starting up, he demanded, "Who are you?" and fired a .38 calibre ball through her heart. Gasping, "Ellis, you have killed me," the woman who gave him birth fell dead.

Hightower sat by her side until the physician came, having in the meantime thrown his pistol away. Saturday morning he went to his own home, where he had a wife and four little children, cut his throat with a razor, dying in a few hours.

What makes this sickening tragedy all the more horrible is that Hightower loved his mother and in his right mind would have died before he would have harmed a hair on her head. But drunk, he knew not what he did. He was 34 years years old and had been a hard drinker and had dealt in whiskey extensively.

Ellis Hightower was a brother of F. M. Hightower, who is now in the saloon business at Wadesboro and who has made arrangements to go to Wilmington when the prohibition law goes into effect in Anson.—Lexington Dispatch, Oct. 30.

Long Whiskers For Unsuccessful Candidates.

A Philadelphia dispatch says that John Carmichael shaved Tuesday for the first time in 48 years.

When Douglas ran for President, Carmichael vowed that he would not shave until he was 80 years old if his candidate was defeated. Today was his birthday. On his return home after being denuded of his long beard, his own dog flew at him, mistaking him for a tramp.

There is one man something like this in North Carolina. He lives in Harnett county. His whiskers have been growing since Bryan was first named for President and he says he will not shave until Bryan is elected. The Philadelphia man had a limit while the North Carolinian has not.—Statesville Landmark.

Another Big Ocean Palace.

New York, Nov. 4.—The Mauritania has been scheduled to sail from Liverpool for this country on November 16. This is the same day that the Lusitania is to leave New York and the ships will pass each other in mid-ocean. The Mauritania is 300 tons larger than the Lusitania and is therefore the largest ship in the world.

Appendicitis

is due in a large measure to abuse of the bowels, by employing drastic purgatives. To avoid all danger, use only Dr. King's New Life Pills, the safe, gentle cleansers and invigorators. Guaranteed for headache, biliousness, malaria and jaundice, at Hood Bros. drug store, 25c

THOSE SLUGGING MATCHES.

Disgraceful Acts of Brutal Fighting Among A. & M. Students—Black Eyes and Noses Tell the Tale.

Broken noses, blackened eyes and minor bruises are incidents in the officially endorsed fights en masse in the open at the A. and M. College between the Freshmen class and the Sophomore class which now occur daily, President Winston having given his permission for the class fights, while Lieutenant J. S. E. Young, the commandant, is present to see that no undue advantage is taken.

Twice these class fights have taken place, and at the second of these yesterday there were a hundred and thirty cadets engaged, sixty-five Freshmen and sixty-five Sophomores. The two opposing forces formed in lines on the A. and M. Athletic Field, and then rushed at each other. As they closed in there was indiscriminate fighting, jostling, punching, a regular Donnybrook Fair event barring the shillelaha, but fists were used freely. After the first rush single encounters went on, and when a man was down Lieutenant Young or some of the junior and senior men, some of whom were in uniform, would rush in and stop the scrapping on the ground.

The fight in force yesterday lasted for twelve minutes and was a hard fought one, though the cadets, injured and uninjured, emerged from it in good spirits and with cheers, neither side having conquered, the contest being an even one. As one of the results the noses of two men, Anthony, of Shelby, and Wilson, are broken, while there is a report that two other noses are in the same shape, while there are some black eyes and scratched faces also in evidence. The manly art of "fighting in the open" has brought with it injuries which are not enjoyed by the injured, but the men who engaged in the scrapping did so of their own accord, and some of them are in the hospital as a result.

These free-for-all encounters, countenanced by President Winston and the college, came as a result of the desire to put a stop to hazing of any kind. Recently Cadet Hewlett, a new man, was badly handled and his head shaved by sophomores, presumably, and President Winston addressed the cadets about this affair in which he denounced the method of hazing of one man by a number, and commanded an open, fair encounter without animosity; that it would be much better for the boys to line up in the old-fashioned way, and going at each other to settle the matter, in place of a number hurrying around in the dark to do some act of meanness. In speaking of the matter of the first encounter he afterwards stated that the juniors and seniors were present to see that fair play went on and that Commandant Young was present to see that things did not go too rough.

As the result of President Winston's talk the sophomores on Wednesday sent a note to Commandant Young, signed K. K. K., requesting him at dinner to give notice to the freshmen that they were invited to meet the sophomores after dinner on the athletic field. The sophomores were there, the freshmen came and the contest waged vigorously as line rushed into line, in the mix-up legs and arms and heads and bodies getting all together, the struggling mass of young gentlemen raising the dust mightily. Cheering the contestants were some 250 cadets who looked on with shouts of delight, while as each combatant had his dose he cried "enough" and was out of it.

Yesterday the challenge came from the freshmen to the sophomores for the second encounter, in which injuries were the feature. In order to equalize the forces Lieutenant Young reduced the freshmen to sixty-five and there were sixty-five sophomores in line. The sophs. were on the field when, with shouting and

cheering and yelling, the freshmen charged in force, the fray beginning at 12 minutes to 2. The opposing forces fought in a cloud of dust, and there was tumble after tumble. The indiscriminate combat soon changed to the man to man fight, the ending at 2 o'clock, when the battle ceased and cheering over a drawn fight the forces left the field, some to seek the attention of physicians, others to themselves remedy bruises and scratches.—News and Observer November 1st.

General News.

The five whaling vessels which were supposed to have been lost have turned up safe with thirty-six whales.

Alex Johnson, a negro, was lynched at Cameron, Tex., Monday, for attempting assault on a white woman.

Isaac D. Surratt, son of Mrs. Mary E. Surratt who was hanged for alleged complicity in the assassination of President Lincoln, died in Baltimore on Sunday.

Exporters at New Orleans are experiencing difficulty in securing cotton from the interior as th farmers want the cash and refuse to take certified checks.

Fearing that the bank would have a run on it, James R. Boyd, cashier of the bank of Huntsville, Ala., committed suicide Monday, by firing a bullet through his brain.

The four-masted schooner Arthur Sewall, which left New York four months ago and was supposed to have been lost, has been reported as entering the straits for Seattle.

In order to save their cash, National Banks all over the country are refusing to cash pension vouchers and other government paper calling for money; the sub-treasuries will cash them.

President Roosevelt traveled 225 miles from Washington to Oyster Bay to vote Tuesday, the only feature of the trip being cheering crowds and a warm welcome on the part of his neighbors.

As the result of trouble at the polls in Louisville, Ky., Tuesday, Clyde Campbell was killed, his father, W. R. Campbell, was shot and two policemen were wounded. The Campbells were Republicans and resisted arrest.

Official announcement is made that the Steel Trust has secured a controlling interest in the Tennessee Coal and Iron Company, and that it helps two big New York trust companies which hold the Tennessee company's securities.

The American Tobacco Company has ordered practically all its cigarette factories in Baltimore closed, throwing about 600 employes out of employment, the action supposed to be retaliatory for the Government's action in seizing cigarettes for export at Norfolk.

Large numbers of Jews are to emigrate from Russia and other European countries to the United States; a special hotel will be conducted for them while they await passage at Berlin and special arrangements will be made for them on the North German-Lloyd steamships.

The arrival at New York of the first treasure ship laden with gold for the relief of the present stringency was the feature of the financial situation Tuesday. The Kron Princess Cecile, soon after 10 o'clock, docked and unloaded \$7,700,000 in the yellow metal which will go to strengthen New York bank reserves. The new Cunard liner Lusitania will follow closely in her wake with \$10,000,000, and \$14,000,000 more will follow during the remainder of the week or early next week. The additional withdrawals of 575,000 pounds from the Bank of England for the United States and 25,000 pounds from Canada brings up the total gold engagements on the present movement to about \$36,600,000.

CONVENTION OF DISCIPLES.

Meeting at Belhaven The Greatest Ever Held in the State.

Belhaven, N. C., Nov. 4.—The sixty third annual convention of the Church of Christ or Disciples, of North Carolina, held here, closed Thursday night. This was the greatest convention ever held by this brotherhood in the State. The attendance was the largest, reaching from 800 to 1,000 at the night sessions. The report of W. G. Walker, corresponding secretary, was highly satisfactory. It shows about 1,500 additions to the church, and almost \$10,000 raised for all purposes in State missions. But the climax was almost reached on Thursday afternoon, when the entire bonded indebtedness, an amount of \$10,000, was raised in thirty minutes.

When the nominating committee reported the selection of the old board, who had made possible the most excellent work, for re-election, they were elected, with scarcely a dissenting voice. The officers are A. B. Cunningham, of Washington, president; George Hackney, Wilson, vice president; W. G. Walker, Washington, corresponding secretary; L. O. Moseley, Kinston, recording secretary, and J. S. Basnight, New Berne, treasurer.

Five Deaths by Violence in One Night

Birmingham, Ala., Nov. 5.—Violent death in several forms reaped a harvest in the city and suburbs here. The list of dead totals five.

They include: Samuel Tate, slain by his wife. James H. Clouths, killed by Mrs. Edith Allen, his boarding house mistress.

David Winn, special deputy, killed by dropping his revolver from his pocket on the floor.

John Sharpe, engineer on the Louisville & Nashville Railroad, crushed to death in his locomotive cab.

Sim Scott, negro, railroad porter, run down and killed by terminal street car.

Courtin' was too Scatterin'.

Miss Jane S., aged seventy-one, farmer and spinster, through long years of industry and managing for herself, has acquired good property and is regarded as one of the best citizens of our country. She is a good friend of mine, and one day I was teasing her about never having married, when she came back at me with: "Well, I'd have you to know it wasn't because I didn't have my share of chances. When I was a young gal I moved about a lot—lived awhile at Union, then to Greenville and awhile at Spartanburg, and fact is, I got my courtin' so scattered it never come to nutthin'—that's why.—Taylor Trotwood Magazine.

Roosevelt Favors State Prohibition.

Guthrie, Okla., Nov. 5.—That President Roosevelt is greatly pleased with the state-wide prohibition feature of the Oklahoma constitution and that it will constitute one of the strongest reasons for his approving the constitution is the statement made by Judge Harper S. Cunningham, who has just returned from Washington. He states he was assured personally by President Roosevelt of this fact.

A Hard Debt To Pay.

"I owe a debt of gratitude that can never be paid off," writes G. S. Clark, of Westfield, Iowa, "for my rescue from death, by Dr. King's New Discovery. Both lungs were so seriously affected that death seemed imminent, when I commenced taking New Discovery. The ominous dry, hacking cough quit before the first bottle was used, and two more bottles made a complete cure." Nothing has ever equaled New Discovery for coughs, colds and all throat and lung complaints. Guaranteed by Hood Bros. druggists. 50c and \$1.00. Trial bottle free.