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## THE CAPITOL FIRE.

Examination of Walls, Need of New Location For Supreme Court.

WASHINGTON, November 7.—An impression is gaining that the foundation walls of the Capitol in the vicinity of last night's explosion have been damaged. If so, some terrible accident is liable to occur at any moment. Mr. Wood, assistant architect of the Capitol, is not inclined to credit the belief, although, as he says, he has not yet been able to make the thorough examination that is necessary.

It is very important that the examination should be made at once, and the walls, if ascertained to be in the least degree weakened, should be put in proper condition. In a very short time Congress will resume its sittings, and thousands of people will be daily and hourly tramping over every part of the Capitol. A collapse of the walls might mean the wreck of the magnificent structure, which is the pride of the country and the admiration of the world.

It has not transpired today whether responsible authority is engaged in the effort to locate the blame for the explosion. A prompt and searching inquiry should be instituted and prosecuted to a satisfactory conclusion. It is the common belief that with the exercise of proper precaution the disaster could have been averted. It must have been an immense accumulation of gas to have caused such damage, and it must have been a comparatively long time gathering.

The disaster will have the effect to renew the agitation of the expediency of providing a separate building for the Supreme Court. There never was any good reason for quartering the Supreme Court in the Capitol, except that it has always been there. The court has been long anxious to move out of the Capitol. It is very much cramped for space, and the justices have always argued for ample and separate accommodations not only as befitting the dignity of the tribunal, but as tending to meet greater facilities of its business. It is said the President is very much in favor of the idea and is contemplating including a recommendation in accordance therewith in his annual message.

The library of the Supreme Court, which, next to the congressional library, is the most valuable collection of books in Washington, escaped with little damage, although it was in the very centre of disturbance, the wrecked elevator shaft and upheaved stone floors being at the library entrance. It is estimated that the loss in the library will be covered by \$15,000. The books escaped intact, the loss being confined to singed woodwork.

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## William in Damascus.

DAMASCUS, November 7.—Emperor William and Empress Augusta Victoria of Germany arrived here this evening from Beirut, after an interesting journey over the Lebanon mountains. The city was illuminated and gaily decorated in honor of their arrival and they had an enthusiastic reception from the populace. The royal visitors are the guests of the military governor.

## Texas May be Flooding.

NEW YORK, Nov. 7.—Advice received in this city today by James E. Ward & Co., agents of the Ward Line, indicate that, perhaps, instead of having sunk in 1,800 feet of water, the armored cruiser *Maria Teresa* remained afloat after she was abandoned by her crew, and went ashore on Cat Island, about fifty miles west of the place where Lieutenant-Commander Harris says she was abandoned. The news came in a dispatch from agents of the Ward Line at Nassau, New Providence, stating that a large steamship, with two funnels, and resembling a warship had been seen ashore on Cat Island.

The wind, according to Commander Harris' report of the *Teresa* disaster, was blowing from the northeast when the ship was abandoned, and the current was setting to the westward. These two forces combined would have driven the *Teresa*, if she remained afloat, toward Cat Island, from the place where Commander Harris says she was abandoned, west of San Salvador, in the Bahamas. It is said in this connection that no one has yet been found who saw the *Teresa* afloat. She was laboring heavily, but still afloat when abandoned.

## May Appeal to the Powers.

MADRID, November 7.—El Liberal leading article today says the Spanish government should conclude negotiations for peace with the utmost rapidity to avoid Germany, Russia or any other country making in the question, which could not mean fresh disasters to Spain. The article has created a sensation. Premier Sagasta this afternoon said it is by no means certain that Spain will send a memorandum to the powers on the subject of the United States peace commission.

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## A Great Day For the Old North State.

### Tremendous Majority Against Russell, Butler and Their Rule.

### Peace was Within Her Borders. Negroism Gone For Good. New York State Goes For Roosevelt. Other Returns.

According to advices received at a late hour, North Carolina has been carried by the Democratic party by not less than 25,000 majority. It may go to 40,000. Seven Democratic Superior Court Judges are elected. The Legislature in both branches will be two thirds Democratic, enough to impeach Governor Russell and remove him from his high office if desired, eight Democratic Congressmen are elected, perhaps ten, and a great majority of the counties have thrown off fusion rule.

Negroism as an issue in North Carolina will be a past issue. It has been decided. The negro will resume his proper sphere in the political economy. The change in Craven will be gradual. New Hanover threw off the negro in one supreme effort. The Legislature will be expected to relieve Craven county of the black cloud.

Butler is also a past issue. He will be relegated in time to private life, but it cannot be said that he will adorn even that station. Sheriff Hahn of Craven will not chain any more white and black prisoners together. New Berne will not have use for its present mayor but for a short time longer. The present board of aldermen will be only a reminiscence.

The people of North Carolina can today mark up the price of their real estate ten per cent over what it would have sold for yesterday. They can go to work now and compete with sister states in progress and civilization. A new era has begun.

The reports from other States are few. In New York it is conceded that Roosevelt has been elected over Van Wyck by 45,000. Texas and other Southern States elected Democratic Congressmen. Gains are reported in other sections.

Raleigh, November 8.—Telegrams received from different parts of the State show big vote, immense Democratic gains. Democrats will press on the work to great and glorious victory.

Wilmington, November 8.—New Hanover Democratic and district probably elects Democratic Senator.

Wilson, November 8.—Wilson city official vote gives 497 Democratic majority. The county elects Judge Conner and the entire ticket by a safe majority.

Wilmington, November 8.—J. D. Bellamy elected to Congress by large majority. Looks like Democratic landslide.

Estimated Rockingham county, legislative and congressional ticket Democratic by 4,000. Kinston for Congress.

New Hanover, Pitt, Anson, Lincoln, Franklin, Iredell, Davidson, Richmond, Harnett, Wayne, Caswell, Cleveland, Alamance and Wayne counties are declared to be Democratic. Green, Graham and Washington counties declared by Fusionists. Robeson, usually in 1897 goes a Fusion and party of this year will be Democratic. Wayne county, usually in 1897 goes a Fusion and party of this year will be Democratic. Wayne county, usually in 1897 goes a Fusion and party of this year will be Democratic.

to 11:30 p.m. only adds to Democratic gains in every county. Republicans concede overwhelming Democratic victory for State ticket. The following is the result of Congressional ticket at this time. 1st district, Small, 4th Atwater, 5th Kitchin, 6th Bellamy, 7th Klattz, 8th Crawford, all Democrats. 2nd district conceded to White, republican, 3rd and 8th in doubt, being claimed by both parties. State legislative ticket is certainly three fourths Democratic in both houses.

Columbia, S. C., Nov. 8.—Democratic State ticket elected without opposition. There was a light vote.

Jacksonville, Fla., Nov. 8.—Whole Democratic ticket elected. Republicans and populists will not elect altogether over 5 members to the legislature, if that many.

New York, Nov. 8.—State of New Jersey elected republican governor by from 5,000 to 10,000 majority and a republican legislature.

New York, Nov. 8.—Evening Journal concedes the election of Roosevelt for Governor of New York.

Columbus, O., Nov. 8.—4th district, Gordon, Democrat, elected, 5th district Melkinson, Democrat, re-elected, 6th district Brown, republican, re-elected, 10th Morgan, republican, elected, 11th Grosvener, republican, re-elected, 17th McDowell, Democrat, elected.

Atlanta, Ga., November 8.—Fifth district, Livingstone, Democrat, elected, no opposition, 8th district, Bartlett elected no opposition; 11th district, Branley, Democrat elected by 5,000 majority. Atlanta vote in all districts very light in most of the districts on account of no opposition to Democratic candidates.

Providence, R. I., November 8.—Congressmen Capron and Gull, republicans, re-elected by 4,000 majority.

Richmond, Va., November 8.—Returns show the re-election of eight Democrats and a gain of one in 10 districts.

Baltimore, November 8.—The Baltimore Sun says Deany, Democrat 4th district is elected, Smith, Democrat, first almost certainly elected, 2nd and 5th in doubt. Wichter in 3rd elected by less than 100.

Hartford, Connecticut, November 8.—The Times concedes the election of Lounsbury Republican by 15,000 to 20,000. The four congressmen are Republicans and a reduced Republican majority of legislature elected.

Columbia, S. C. November 8.—23 precincts in this State so far reported only about 3,000 votes. State Democratic ticket will be elected. No opposition. Congressmen from the seven districts will be elected. George Washington Murray, Republican opposing Elliott, Democrat in 1st, district is the only Republican candidate that is making any show. Elliott is leading.

North Dakota, November 8.—Returns from State say that Republican State ticket will have 400 majority. Legislature Republican by probably 20.

Austin, Texas, Nov. 8.—Returns from Texas indicate that Democrats carry all thirteen congressional districts except 8th. This leaves Texas delegation politically unchanged.

Richmond, Nov. 8.—Further returns 10th district show heavy Democratic gains election of Quarles Democrat seem assured.

Gen Walker in 9th district by 1,000. Virginia delegation solidly Democratic gain of two.

Granville county carried by Populists. Democrats claim Cleveland county by four hundred majority.

All reports indicate sweeping victory Weather the all over State and advices received up to 7:15 p.m. point to the heaviest vote cast in years.

It is absolutely only a question of how many thousand majority.

Columbus, Ohio, Nov. 8.—Reports from State indicate light vote. Democrats claim Congressional gains and close result on State ticket. Republicans equally confident.

Boston, Nov. 8.—Fifty towns so far give Wolcott 8,832, Bruce 3,460. Last year Wolcott 8,103, Williams 2,460, not Republican gains 455.

Cincinnati, Nov. 8.—Congress first district, Ohio, Shattuc, republican, elected; second district, Ohio, Broome, republican, elected.

Raleigh, Nov. 8.—Chairman of Democratic State committee claims a majority in both branches of State Legislature and eight Congressmen. Expects judicial ticket to be elected by 25,000 majority.

Boston, Nov. 8.—Wolcott undoubtedly elected by small reduced majority. Republicans also elect 10 out of 13 Congressmen. Legislatures show usual republican majority in both branches.

Atlanta, Ga., November 8.—Seventh district, Madrox Democrat outdistanced Populist opponent by tremendous majority. Eighth district, Howard Democrat defeat Nease, Populist.

Richmond Va., November 8.—Virginia very quiet and small vote. Ten Congressmen to be elected, contest mainly in 9th and 10th districts not represented by republicans, all other districts confidently claimed by Democrats. Scattering returns from 10th district, including city of Staunton show Democratic gains and indicate election of Quarles, Democrat. The district went republican 1896 by 147 majority.

Raleigh, November 8.—Advices received up to 10 p.m. indicate Democratic landslide for State ticket with eight Congressmen. This however is based on estimated results as nothing official has been received. New Hanover, estimated at 900 to 1,000 Democratic on Judicial and Senatorial ticket. No disturbance reported.

Galveston Texas, Nov. 8.—Tribune, independent claims entire state ticket elected usual majority legislature union insuring election Calhoun, Democrat, to Senate. Democrats sure of 11 congressmen.

New Orleans, Nov. 8.—Reports received assure the election of six Democratic congressmen from Louisiana.

New Haven, Nov. 8.—Connecticut elects Republican state ticket, three congressmen and probably two, Republicans claim the state.

New York, Nov. 8.—World concedes the election of Roosevelt by 45,000 plurality.

Birmingham, Ala., Nov. 8.—Returns indicate the election of every Democratic Congressman in State. The vote was overwhelming gain.

Raleigh, Nov. 8.—Advices received up

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