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THOMAS MARSHALL SWEEPS INDIANA

The Entire Democratic State Ticket Has Been Elected

ALSO TEN CONGRESSMEN

ELECTION RETURNS

J. A. M. Adair Re-Elected by About 6,000 Majority

TAFT IS WINNER

Adams County and Old Indiana Green Spot of the World

Columbus, Ohio, Nov. 4.—(Special 4 p. m.)—Judson Harmon has been elected governor of Ohio, his majority being less than 1,000. Taft has carried the state by a small majority.

Indianapolis, Ind., Nov. 4.—(Special 4 p. m.)—The republican state committee at noon conceded the election of the entire state ticket. Goodrich alone says a part of the ticket may be saved, but not probable.

Indianapolis, Ind., Nov. 4.—(Special 3:30 p. m.)—Charles A. Korbly has defeated Overstreet for congress in this district. Foster, democrat, in the first district has won by 100. Barnard has defeated Miller in the thirteenth and Boehm, democrat defeated Foster in the Evansville district, making a total of eleven democratic congressmen out of thirteen in Indiana. The Republicans have conceded that the legislature is easily democratic on joint ballot.

Indianapolis, Indiana, Nov. 4.—(Special to Daily Democrat 11 a. m.)—Official returns received here today are verifying the rushed results of last night. Tom Marshall for governor, has carried the state by over 20,000, and Taft has carried it by from 5,000 to 7,000. The entire state democratic ticket is elected by safe majorities, ranging from 10,000 to 15,000. The legislative ticket on joint ballot is democratic by a good majority and a movement has already been started to place John W. Kern in Hemenway's place as United States senator. The democrats have elected eight of the thirteen congressmen and are claiming two more, Boehm in the first and Morrison in the ninth.

The wreck of the Fairbanks machine in this state seems to be complete. Hemenway and Watson are both out of the running and when today's re-

ports here were received at the republican and democratic headquarters, where the western union and the telephone company vied with each other in giving the first reports and they certainly did their work nicely. The Western Union furnished the usual complete service and the operators remained on duty until two o'clock, handing out the dispatches. The telephone service was a most satisfactory one the reports coming in early. The Citizens' company here worked with the American Telegraph and Telephone company, the Central Union and the United company. The Citizens' also earned the thanks of their many customers by the splendid service in securing the Adams county vote. With one precinct out at two o'clock this afternoon, East Jeerson, it was estimated that Adair will carry the county by the magnificent majority of more than nineteen hundred, as is shown on the table. Bryan's figure will be in the region of 1,650, and Marshall and the county ticket are humping along very close. So far as the democrats of Indiana are concerned it was a great victory, one that pleases every worker and which puts this county and state back in line where it used to belong.

Well, its all over again, and the republicans are wearing a smile of victory, though in this locality the smile has not assumed the usual proportions, in fact there are some who cannot see anything to smile about. The story of Bryan's defeat is quickly and easily told. Tammany turned traitor and sold Bryan out, in an effort to elect Chanler. However, they failed in that, as Hughes was elected governor of New York by a large majority and Taft's plurality will exceed that of Roosevelt four years ago. With New York went the New England and Eastern states and most of those usually classed as republican. The result in Ohio, while doubtful favors Taft, while in Indiana it will require the official count to give actual result. Of all the states in the nation, Indiana will probably cause the most interest. The election of Marshall as governor and the entire state ticket is practically conceded and Bryan has given Taft a close chase. In addition to this the legislature will be democratic on joint ballot and will elect a United States senator to succeed Mr. Hemenway. The democrats have elected Governor Johnson in Minnesota, also the state ticket in Rhode Island, Michigan and several western states. The magnificent plurality given to Congressman John A. M. Adair assuring his re-election by about 5,000, brings joy to the heart of every democrat and many republicans in the eighth district. Taking it all in all the democrats of this community have considerable to feel good about, though the regret over Bryan's defeat is sincere and genuine, for that he is a favorite here is shown by the old-time majority given him.

Indianapolis, Nov. 3.—Indiana at midnight is believed to have gone for Taft by a plurality of about 10,000. The Democrats are reasonably certain of electing Marshall as governor and securing control of the legislature on joint ballot, thus insuring the election of a Democratic United States senator to succeed James A. Hemenway. Marion county, the largest in the state, and which President Roosevelt carried four years ago by 12,767 plurality, has given Marshall a plurality over Watson of more than 4,000, and in the state at large he is leading by a small vote. In a majority of the counties the Republican pluralities of four years ago seem from partial returns to be entirely wiped out.

IN ADAMS COUNTY.

Adams county the Green spot, greener than it has been for twelve years, too. It was great, the way the returns did come in, with gains, everywhere over the county, not only over four years ago, but over eight years ago as well, and rubbing close to that record breaker of 1896. The first precinct to report was West Union with the vote for president and governor. Several others came in between 7:30 and ten o'clock and then North Preble sent in the first full report of the evening. As stated each precinct showed wonderful gains and even with the reports from New York and the east causing the boys a nauseous feeling in the region of the stomach they were cheered by these splendid returns and were in good shape for the even better news that Indiana was swinging into line for Marshall and probably for Bryan. The

men who believe in decent politics. So bitter and intense became the fight at the last that, while Mr. Bryan may have lost out in Indiana, my friends so rallied to me as to render my success possible. If the later returns confirm the present indications, I can only say that I will devote myself to giving the people of Indiana an honest business administration of affairs, looking always to the interest of the people of the state, and thus serving, as I see it, the best interests of the Democratic party. However, the results may be, life will be too short, and ability too weak to fittingly repay all those who have believed in me.

THE VOTE FOR CONGRESS.

(Unofficial.)

Adair, Hawkins,	
Adams	1,890
Delaware	75
Jay	1,111
Madison	1,900
Randolph	350
Wells	1,425
	6,401
Adair's estimated plurality,	6,051.

WABASH TOWNSHIP.

The vote for township officers in Wabash township shows the following vote:

For trustee—Thornhill—North Wabash 96, Ceylon 84, A Geneva 88, B Geneva 93, total 361. Reichelderfer—North Wabash 34, Ceylon 29, A Geneva 71, B Geneva 142, total 276. Thornhill's majority 85.

Assessor—Mann—North Wabash 85, Ceylon 35, A Geneva 74, B Geneva 104, total 298. Love—North Wabash 45, Ceylon 71, A Geneva 77, B Geneva 117, total 310. Love's majority 12.

INDIANA STATE TICKET.

Governor.....Thomas R. Marshall
Lieut. Governor.....Frank J. Hall
Secretary of State.....James F. Cox
Auditor.....Marion Bailey
Treasurer.....John Isenberger
Attorney General.....Walter J. Lotz
Supt. Public Instruction.....R. J. Ale
State Statistician.....Patrick J. Kelleher
Judge Supreme Court.....Moses B. Dalrey
Judge Appellate Court.....Edw. W. Felt
Reporter Supreme Court.....Bert New

JACKSON CLAIMS INDIANA.

At two o'clock this morning T. M. Gallogly received a message from State Chairman Stokes Jackson stating that the Democrats had carried the state by a safe majority and asking that a close watch be kept, verify the count and report the official vote as soon as possible.

BUTLER ELECTED TRUSTEE.

For trustee of Washington township, Samuel Butler, republican, defeated John Lose, Democrat, the vote being: Decatur, 1st ward A—Lose 99; Butler 101.
Decatur, 1st ward B—Lose 61; Butler 101.
Decatur, 2nd ward A—Lose 142; Butler 108.
Decatur, 2nd ward B—Lose 39; Butler 95.
Decatur, 3rd ward A—Lose 112; Butler 109.
Decatur, 3rd ward B—Lose 89; Butler 146.
E. Washington—Lose 82; Butler 87.
W. Washington—Lose 106; Butler 89.
Butler's plurality 106.

Fort Wayne, Nov. 4.—(Special)—This county returned an old fashioned democratic majority in yesterday's election. Schefman for treasurer received the highest vote, winning by 4,770. Marshall carried the county by 4,538, Bryan by 3,700, Fleming by 3,871 (official) and Reichelderfer for sheriff, lowest man on the ticket was elected by 2,49. Cline, the democratic nominee for congress, was elected by over 2,000. It sounds like old times around here.

Indianapolis, Ind., Nov. 4.—(Special)—State Chairman Stokes Jackson announced at two o'clock this afternoon that Marshall's majority will reach the 20,000 mark and that the vote for president is so close that it will require the official count to decide it.

FLEMING HAS LARGE MAJORITY.

The official vote in Allen county gives Stephen Fleming, candidate for joint senator, a majority of 3,871 over Judge Vesey. Fleming's majority in this county will exceed 1,300 giving

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MET AWFUL DEATH

William Ault, Formerly of Decatur, Struck by Engine at Fort Wayne

THE WIFE A VICTIM

Mr. Ault Died Few Moments After Accident—Brother of J. Ault of this City

Oblivious of the pending danger, unconscious of the fact that he was walking into the jaws of death, William Ault, until four years ago, a resident of Decatur and brother of James Ault, who resides here, walked upon the Nickelplate railroad track last night, accompanied by his wife, and they were both struck by a switch engine, the former dying, while enroute to the hospital in an ambulance. Mr. Ault was employed at the electric works, and he and wife were returning home from church, when they were struck by the engine which ushered Mr. Ault into eternity and severely if not fatally injured his wife, who now lies at the St. Joseph hospital suffering from a broken leg and internal injuries. The decedent was fifty-nine years of age, and for many years was a resident of Decatur. His business capacity was carpentering which avocation he long followed. Before leaving here four years ago he became a member of the Ben Hur lodge and many members of this order will probably attend the funeral services to be held Saturday. Besides the grief-stricken and suffering widow, two sons and a stepdaughter survive, beside a multitude of other relatives, to mourn the loss. The Journal-Gazette has the following to say about the tragedy:

While on their way home from the city, passing across the Nickel Plate bridge over the St. Marys river, shortly before 11 o'clock last night a party of three persons was struck by a Nickel Plate switch train and one man was killed and two women were injured. William Ault, aged sixty, residing at 750 St. Marys avenue, died on the way to St. Joseph's hospital in an ambulance. Mrs. William Ault had a leg broken and sustained internal injuries.

WILL MEET SOON

Adams County Sunday School Convention to Be Held at Berne

ON NOVEMBER 16TH

Rev. Halpenny, General Secretary of State, Will Be Present

Every Sunday school in Adams county should be represented at the county convention at Berne this year on Nov. 16 and 17. An excellent program has been prepared and every one interested in the cause of the Sunday school should not fail to be present if possible. Begin now to prepare and arrange your work so you can attend all of the sessions. There will be four sessions. At the first session on Monday evening Rev. E. W. Halpenny, general secretary of the state Sunday School Association will be the principal speaker. An excellent and practical program will be carried out during the day sessions on Tuesday. Some of the best speakers in Adams county will speak during the day as well as the general secretary. On Tuesday evening, Rev. Paul Mayer, of Naperville, Ill., will give a stirring missionary address, which if you hear it, we believe you will never forget. Come, bring your friends. Everybody welcome. Free entertainment to all out of town visitors.

JESSE RUPP, Pres.

SALMON FISHING FOR 1908.

Pack on Frazer and Skeena Rivers Shows Excess.

Washington, November 3.—Now that the salmon fisheries in British Columbia have closed for the season of 1908, Consul General West, of Vancouver, has reported that the total catch for the season for the so-called salmon was 338,000 cases, and the excess of the pack for the year was largely confined to the canneries on the Frazer and Skeena rivers, there being a noticeable falling off in the pack on Rivers inlet. The fisheries inspector for the province reports that the salmon reaching the spawning ground this season are at least three times the number for several years. The laws and regulations in connection with fisheries in the province are receiving close attention because of the fears that with the unrestricted fishing heretofore prevailing the industry will become crippled, if not entirely ruined in a few years.

PAID HIS POLL TAX.

Frank Everett Who Lives at Washington, D. C., Was Here.

Frank Everett, who calls Decatur his home, and who is employed in a printing office at Washington, D. C., was in the city yesterday to vote. He appeared at the precinct in which he was eligible to cast his ballot and it was at this time that he was asked to pay his poll tax. Mr. Stultz succeeded in collecting the tax before he was allowed to vote. The challengers at the polls yesterday saw to it that every man who entered the booth was eligible and thus did away with any floaters getting in the ring. Politics was indeed warm all day of the election, but it passed into history without the usual unpleasantness.

BIG I. O. O. F. DOINGS

Grand Encampment and Grand Lodge I. O. O. F. to Meet

DEDICATION OF HOME

Is Also on the Program—A Great Time Will Be Enjoyed

The grand encampment and the grand lodge of Odd Fellows and the dedication of the new Odd Fellows' building will be held in Indianapolis November 17, 18 and 19. The grand encampment will begin in the grand lodge hall Tuesday, November 17, at 9 a. m., and 1:30 p. m., and at 7:30 p. m. the subordinate degrees will be exemplified in Tomlinson hall. The grand lodge will assemble in the grand lodge hall at 9 a. m. on Wednesday, November 18, and will continue through Thursday. At 3:30 p. m. on Wednesday, November 18, will begin the dedicatory ceremonies of the new building. At 7:30 p. m., there will be a torchlight parade and at 9 p. m. in Tomlinson hall, Grand Sire John Nolen will deliver an address. Special rates on steam and interurban roads have been secured, that on the steam roads being one and one-half fare for the round trip, and the interurban companies will give rates for special cars. This will probably be the largest gathering ever held in Indianapolis. In the advance report prepared by Grand Secretary W. H. Leedy is given statistics that indicate that the order is in a prosperous condition in the state. There are 749 subordinate lodges in the state, with a total membership, June 30, of 76,294. The total accessions during the six months ending June 30 were 3,738; abatements, 2,363; total net increase, 1,375; total growth for the year, 1,751.

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State.	Taft.		Bryan.	
	Electoral Votes.	Plurality.	Electoral Votes.	Plurality.
Alabama	11	40,000		
Arkansas	9	20,000		
California	10	45,000		
*Colorado				
Connecticut	7	40,000		
Delaware	3	3,500		
Florida			5	20,000
Georgia			13	40,000
Idaho	3	2,000		
Illinois	27	150,000		
Indiana	15	10,000		
Iowa	13	40,000		
Kansas		22,000		
Kentucky			13	10,000
Louisiana			9	40,000
Maine	6	31,500		
Maryland	8	5,000		
Massachusetts	16	120,000		
Michigan	14	75,000		
Minnesota	11	80,000		
Mississippi			10	50,000
Missouri			18	35,000
Montana		2,000		
Nebraska			8	6,000
Nevada			3	2,000
New Hampshire	4	25,000		
New Jersey	12	35,000		
New York	39	175,000		
North Carolina			12	30,000
North Dakota	4	30,000		
Ohio	23	100,000		
Oklahoma			7	40,000
Oregon		35,000		
Pennsylvania	34	350,000		
Rhode Island	4	10,000		
South Carolina			9	50,000
South Dakota	4	35,000		
Tennessee			12	15,000
Texas			18	150,000
Utah	3	10,000		
Vermont	4	27,000		
Virginia			12	15,000
Washington	5	50,000		
West Virginia	7	30,000		
Wisconsin	13	75,000		
*Wyoming				
Totals	306		168	
Majorities	138			
*Doubtful.				