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THE COUNTY ELECTION.

We promised last week to give to-day the full official vote in the County, but as the Commissioners of Election have not finished counting at the time of going to press, we will have to approximate at the result.

Chamberlain received, according to our calculation, about 3836 and Green 2005, showing an Independent gain of over 300 since 1870. We think the following County Ticket is elected:

- Sheriff: E. I. Cain (Reg' and Peo's.)
Probate Judge: A. B. Knowlton (People's)
School Commissioner: Rev. Thos. Phillips (People's)
County Commissioner: J. P. Mays (Regular)
F. B. Johnson (Regular)
F. W. Fairy (People's)
Legislature: S. L. Duncan (Reg' and Peo's.)
Paul Jones (People's)
W. H. Reedish (Regular)
Shed Morgan (Regular)
Aaron Simons (Regular)
Coroner: J. H. Fordham (Reg' and Peo's.)
Judge Knowlton, we believe, was complimented with the handsomest majority.

GOOD RESULTS.

One of the most pleasing features of the present campaign has been the progress in the direction of the harmony of the races, in spite of the continued alienation of a majority of the colored people.

The fact has now been established that color and party are no longer obstacles to combinations for the public good.

Both in Charleston and Orangeburg, if not elsewhere, men have been elected to office by a union of Conservatives and Republicans, which is certainly a wholesome sign, both for the present and future.

THOUGHTS ON THE ELECTION.

It is our duty always to strike for the right, less mindful of the temporary result, than of the justice and final triumph of the cause. Upon this principle we entered into the present campaign, as well as that of 1870, and even beyond the question of right, we think we have ample cause for satisfaction, and even of rejoicing at the developments.

The task which loomed up before us of overcoming a Radical majority of over 33000, was not one calculated to inspire hope and confidence, and yet what has been the actual fruit of the campaign?

The colored majority in the State is 31,674.

In 1870, Scott, without making a speech that we know of, went into power with 33,534 majority. In this campaign Chamberlain speaks from mountain to seaboard, and is complimented for his eloquence and argumentative ability, by a reduction of this majority to probably 11000.

By these facts and statistics we are drawn to the gratifying and natural conclusion, that, in the short space of four years, over 10,000 colored men have burst the fetters of political slavery, and ranged themselves under the banner of freedom, good government and conciliation.

THE NEXT LEGISLATURE.

We cull from the Charleston News and Courier the following figures, indicative of the probable complexion of the next Legislature:

Table with 2 columns: House of Representatives and Senate. Rows include Regular Republicans, Conservatives, and Independent Republicans with their respective counts.

If the figures of the News and Courier are correct, we should certainly feel satisfied with this achievement.

OUR VICTORIES AND DANGERS

The elections on Tuesday have resulted in an almost unbroken series of Democratic victories. Never probably has the country known such a sudden and complete revolution of political sentiment. The secret of this change has been a subject of speculation.

We would however warn the party that it may be easier to gain power than to hold it. Let the Democratic party, prove by wise moderate and liberal legislation, that it is the true party of freedom, and the victory of to-day will be perpetuated, and peace and good will be once more established.

THE DEMOCRATIC VICTORIES—A POLITICAL REVOLUTION!

The Next Congress. Of the 291 members of the present Congress the Republicans have 200 and the Democrats 91—a clear Republican majority of 109. At the elections already held this year the Democrats have overcome this overwhelming majority, and by a very moderate estimate will have, after March 4, 1875, a majority of 53.—News and Courier.

We feel very much as if we had been kicked all the way from Boston to New Orleans.—Union-Herald.

What the Northern Papers Say about it.

General Grant, who led the Republican party into power two years ago with the largest majority, perhaps ever given to a president, may feel this morning, as he reads the returns of the November elections, that he has been like the Prodigal Son, and has squandered a precious political inheritance.

From the New York Sun.

If the greatest party ever known in this country is to be saved from utter destruction two years hence, and if it is not to pass from history disgraced as well as defeated, the leaders and managers must make a thorough change in their policy. It would be still wiser to change many of the leaders themselves.

From the New York Tribune.

The verdict of the country against Grantism is delivered. There were only two great questions before the people at this election. One was whether the administration deserves the public confidence, and the other was whether it ought to be perpetuated. They have both been answered in the negative, so loudly that even the President must hear the verdict.

From the New York World.

The suffering whites of the South, so long plundered in their property by Radical thieves and harried in their persons by Federal emissaries, may lift up their heads to greet the rising of a better day for them as well as for the nation at large. The poor negro, even he who cast away his ballot, refusing to vote because voting had brought him thus far no higher wages may take his share in the general joy, for with the advent of the Democracy to the control of the nation will come the real 'year of jubilee,' when he shall no longer be made the parish of Radicalism, but enjoy his rightful liberties without becoming the pest of the nation.

From the New York Republic Adm.

When old Massachusetts deserts the Republican cause, defeating Governor Talbot, and electing three or four Opposition Congressmen by heavy majorities—Mr Butler being left at home, and the old district of Mr. Dawes captured by an out-and-out Democrat—it would seem almost as useless to deplore defeat in other States as to indulge in explanations over the election of Mr. Tilden as Governor of New York. The heaviest calamity to the Republican party—and we only hope it may not prove a national misfortune—is the reversal, by yesterday's results, of the majority and control of the next House of Representatives in Congress.

E. W. M. Mackay is probably elected over Buttz in the 1st Congressional District.

The governor yesterday pardoned B. L. Duffus, of Charleston, and commuted the sentence of his brother, Jas A. Duffus, jr., to five years imprisonment.

[COMMUNICATED.]

(Continued from last week.) If "A. B." will go to Trinity on the third Lord's day in November he will then and there see what I will do with that "unlimited measure of testimony" which he says was filed upon me.

In reference to the comparison of churches to different currencies, "A. B." tries to make it appear that I was present when that comparison was made. If he will only read my article carefully he will find these words—"I did not hear this myself, but others say they did"—and my informants will certify to it. May I advise you, when you write, to present matters in their true light?

"A. B." charges me with egotism and vanity, and represents me as rushing into controversy without counting the cost. If simply repeating what my friends have said, concerning my sermon, is an evidence of egotism and vanity, then it follows naturally, that I am like A. B., an egotist. He is fond of repeating what his friends say about his dental work, and doubtless indulges frequently in praise of his skillful operations. Do I mistake?

If A. B. will read a baptist book entitled—"Bringing in Sheaves," he will have a nice specimen of Baptist egotism and will learn (I hope) to "sweep before his own doors before offering to sweep before the doors of others," as the old adage has it. And if he will read just one little paragraph in my article he will see that I do not claim, either directly or indirectly, to have "done what the greatest minds of the age have failed to do," as he says. That paragraph reads thus—"I make no claims to great originality of thought, but have culled the most precious jewels to be found on this subject, and connecting them with my own moulding, and now it remains to be seen whether they are worth any thing or not."

I have not rushed into controversy, but have simply defended the faith of the apostles, martyrs, confessors and reformers, and I am not at all fearful as regards the final result. A. B. seeks to give moral tone to his article by referring to the old latin proverb, which he imagines serves a good purpose, but unfortunately for him it neither beautifies nor gives weight to his uncharitable production. He has uncorked the vials of his wrath, labored to eclipse the Pedobaptists, to present me in a false light, to show himself a champion in controversy, and after all his exertions, has simply produced a mass of gross perversions. He has truly made "a ridiculous mas," of my argument founded on the shortness of John's ministry and the vast number baptized by him. And it shows how a man, although claiming intelligence and christian faith, can pervert the truth. This argument I would like to give in full, but as my article is growing lengthy, I must forbear.

S. T. HALLMAN.

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