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Views Expressed by Several Prominent Citizens.

THE CAUSES OF THE UPHEAVAL.

A Most Extraordinary Political Revolution, says Ex-Secretary—as Gov. Waite Sees It.

INDIANAPOLIS, Ind., Nov. 7.—In response to a request by the Associated Press for an expression of his views regarding the result of yesterday's election, ex-President Harrison said: "It was the most extraordinary political revolution the country has ever witnessed. Whatever there was to lose being the vote of confidence given in 1892 to the Democratic party (it was given) has been recalled, and a vote of utter and final repudiation substituted. The force of the Democratic party was derived from the moment power was given to it in the affairs of the national affairs. Its popularity in the platform. Its success where it is weakest took the place to be its strongest.

"For thirty years party expediency has been substituted by the leaders for party principles and expediency has nearly taken as their watchword governmental contracts. Every successive concession of popular prejudice was followed as it was the gulf stream. No passion was too wild or violent for a Democratic mouth. Classes were treated and influence to outrages and disorder. In our state convention anarchy and in another a socialism that was next to anarchism was given a test. Property, especially money and interest, was invested and assaulted in new divisions, and in another trade were scarcely middles. The old Democratic doctrine that invested the levying of customs duties to the limit of an adequate revenue was abandoned. A cautiously to be made good by bond issue or by internal taxes was preferred to the sentimental proposition that adequate customs duties would give. The silver question was dealt with in the most vacillating and irresponsible manner."

"Mr. Cleveland described the situation precisely when he said in his letter to Mr. Wilson, 'They (the Democrats) are now cast under the question this their party lack in ability to manage the government.'

"A vast majority of the people believe in protective tariff—never so many and never so strongly as now. They differ as to rates and schedules, but not as to the principle. They believe in reciprocity as the first method of getting foreign markets. They believe in a progressive and American money. The workingmen voted their prejudices in 1892; this year they voted their patriotism and their love of home.

"The enormous falling off in the Democratic vote everywhere is not less emphatic in its meaning than the majority. The great victory scarcely by the returns in New York city seems to have been mentioned in the thanksgiving proclamation—perhaps it would if it had come earlier. It gives the assurance as much needed that there is an adequate representative power in the most ring-ridden community, that this popular overwhelming vote is selected tool—the machine of great cities.

"The issue? Trust the people.

"The only? Exercise of offices they have exercised in us with the highest fidelity and patriotism.

"About Hawaii—well language fails me. I am proud of her."

DEMOCRATS RESPONSIBLE, SAYS WAITE.

DENVER, Colo., Nov. 7.—Governor Waite attended the duties of his party early today.

"In my mind," said he, "it proves conclusively that the money power has controlled this election from beginning to end and that the Democratic party is most responsible from the fact that they voted the Republicans ticket instead of their own. I made up my mind several years ago that there was only one way to rescue the country from the conditions now existing and for which the money power is responsible and that was to fight them tooth and nail. Consequently I have never made any terms of compromise or agreement of their course and methods, that the money-lending power which they have exercised over all legislation be overthrown. I believe that the influence of Wall street must be removed from Congress.

"The result in Colorado can be accounted for from the fact that the Democrats have almost to a man voted the Republican ticket. I believe in the end there is absolutely no difference to the financial policy of the Democratic and Republican parties.

"Colorado Democrats individually voted the Republican ticket on account of orders received from Washington. It was the same in New York. While the Democrats there may not have received explicit orders, there is no doubt but that their conduct was influenced largely by a secret understanding existing between the leaders. The purpose was to perpetuate and continue the gold standard, of which Wall street has been contending so earnestly.

"When asked if he thought the Populist party will ever regain power, the governor replied:

"I believe it will, but it may not be for some time. I do not know exactly how it will be done. I think we will have to do it right over their heads, however. I advocate this being done in a peaceful manner, if possible, a peaceful revolution. Of course I believe the ballot is the proper method to be employed. But this has not proved effective in this state."

The governor said that the women's influence in the cities, where it is strongest, was exerted against him. "I am sorry," he said, "that I seemed to think for themselves and not to be controlled by the money power as the men are."

SPRINGER REVIEWS THE BATTLE.

CHICAGO, Nov. 7.—Congressman William Springer wires the Associated Press as follows:

"Springfield, Ill., Nov. 7.—Your request for my opinion on the result of the election in Illinois and the country received. There were many causes which contributed to the defeat of the Democratic party. The dissatisfaction among Democrats caused by the delay in passing a tariff bill and the action of the Senate in the first instance [illegible] Wood have been [illegible] Democratic party. The enormous corruption fund used in Chicago and other cities [illegible] Democratic voters [illegible] Democrats [illegible] Republicans [illegible] Democrats [illegible] Democrats [illegible] Democrats