

The total registration of the city is:

First Precinct.....	1388
Second Precinct.....	2790
Third Precinct.....	1201
Fourth Precinct.....	875
Fifth Precinct.....	1661

Total registration.... 7917

The following is the number of votes cast at 2:30, except that of the Fourth Precinct, which was counted at 3:20 p.m.:

First Precinct.....	1117
Second Precinct.....	1730
Third Precinct.....	964
Fourth Precinct.....	758
Fifth Precinct.....	1275

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At 4:30 p.m. the total vote was:

First Precinct.....	1179
Second Precinct.....	1865
Third Precinct.....	1025
Fourth Precinct.....	778
Fifth Precinct.....	1336

Total..... 6180

The "Liberals" have cut down the People's vote by arbitrary and unjust processes and increased their own by the most glaring partiality in their favor. They, in consequence, claim a majority.

The great contest for the municipal control of Salt Lake City for the next two years is practically over. At the time the polls closed, it was conceded that the ballot boxes contained about 700 average majority of "Liberal" votes, obtained through the action of the registrars in striking from the lists the names of upwards of 300 People's voters, and the rushing in and voting of several hundred new comers whose names had been placed on the registration lists by various means.

The "Liberal" party had left no stone unturned to steal the election. In addition to cutting down the People's vote by striking off the names of those legally entitled to register and vote, and engaging in such frauds as the registration train and "Liberal" committee "slip" business, they had made preparations for further work, if it should be deemed necessary for their ends. As evidence of this fact, the following appeared in the "Liberal" organ of February 11th:

It was a sort of open secret around town that the Fort Douglas garrison were under arms all day with thirty rounds of ammunition to each man, under orders from Washington, and ready for anything that came up in the way of trouble down town.

Everyone knows that the use of force was farthest from the desires or interests of the People's Party. Their record is that they have submitted to the grossest acts of injustice and have not raised a hand or weapon in their defense except by legal methods. There was no disturbance to be feared from them at the election, and whatever might occur of an individual nature, the civil authorities were considered competent to deal with. But there had been a plot to defeat the People at the polls, and, if it should be necessary to use force to make that plot successful, it would be done; therefore the call for the Fort Douglas garrison to be held under arms all day. Did the Governor think that it was necessary to have the troops "under orders from

Washington and ready for anything," to preserve the peace?

Yesterday attention was cited to the fact that many of the names of People's voters were marked off the list, some under the rulling of the registrars, and some without any notice whatever; and that the "contingents" from the surrounding States and Territories were casting their ballots for the "Liberal" party candidates. In consideration of all the circumstances, it was no surprise to learn of "Liberal" victory, though an opposite result had been hoped for. The polls closed promptly at 5:58 and it was 9 o'clock when the Fourth Precinct—the first to report—returns came in. These gave

the people 178 majority in that precinct. Next came the Third Precinct, with 354 majority for the People. Then came the Fifth Precinct, where the "Liberal" majority exceeded that of both of the precincts which the People had carried. The Second Precinct also came in with a heavy "Liberal" majority, and the First followed with a smaller number in the same list.

Of the candidates, Mr. Scott polled the full "Liberal" strength. All of the other general candidates ran behind him, Registrar Clute coming in 368 behind the head of the ticket, and getting 440 majority over Mr. Rumel. Here are the full returns as obtained from the various precincts:

VOTING PRECINCTS.	Mayor.		Recorder		Marshal.		Treasurer		Assessor and Collector.	
	CLAWSON, Peo.	SCOTT, Lib.	WELLS, Peo.	HYAMS, Lib.	MCLEAN, Peo.	YOUNG, Lib.	CARLSON, Peo.	WALDEN, Lib.	RUMEL, Peo.	CLUTE, Lib.
First Precinct.....	561	638	582	615	561	637	573	624	594	614
Second Precinct.....	636	1258	657	1196	639	1253	649	1241	676	1212
Third Precinct.....	705	365	727	339	712	358	717	334	742	318
Fourth Precinct.....	475	307	496	285	469	313	491	295	504	277
Fifth Precinct.....	375	992	399	967	375	984	397	968	411	946
Total.....	2752	3560	2861	3402	2756	3545	2827	3482	2927	3347

COUNCILMEN AND JUSTICES.	First Precinct.	Second Precinct.	Third Precinct.	Fourth Precinct.	Fifth Precinct.	Total.
CITY COUNCIL.						
First Precinct—						
Fuller.....People...	577	642	716	488	384	2807
Siddoway.....“.....	566	645	711	481	383	2786
Groesbeck.....“.....	574	645	713	494	385	2801
Parsons.....Liberal...	630	1227	358	296	982	3513
Pendleton.....“.....	635	1251	351	305	983	3533
Spafford.....“.....	624	1284	351	291	971	3485
Second Precinct—						
Glaquo.....People...	568	644	711	482	383	2788
Thomas.....“.....	571	645	714	485	387	2803
Robinson.....“.....	571	641	713	484	384	2793
Anderson.....Liberal	683	1254	361	298	982	3528
Pickard.....“.....	634	1253	359	302	982	3530
Heath.....“.....	628	1248	357	296	981	3512
Third Precinct—						
Hardy.....People...	571	645	712	488	385	2801
Hyde.....“.....	573	644	707	482	387	2793
Folland.....“.....	569	643	705	482	388	2782
Pembroke.....Liberal...	630	1255	365	298	980	3528
Wolstenholme.....“.....	629	1253	365	296	980	3523
Armstrong.....“.....	630	1251	353	299	982	3515
Fourth Precinct—						
Young.....People...	571	642	712	482	385	2793
Tuddenham.....“.....	569	644	710	483	389	2795
Smith.....“.....	568	646	714	486	385	2799
Noble.....Liberal...	634	1254	360	304	982	3534
Cohn.....“.....	630	1250	358	295	980	3513
Hall.....“.....	632	1247	358	299	984	3520
Fifth Precinct—						
Clayton.....People...	572	640	714	481	385	2792
Midgley.....“.....	567	633	711	484	386	2781
Mitchell.....“.....	566	642	709	485	375	2777
Karrick.....Liberal...	633	1252	361	301	984	3531
Lynn.....“.....	632	1253	358	299	983	3524
James.....“.....	633	1252	360	297	983	3525
JUSTICES.						
First Precinct...Eardley...People						
Second “ “Hull.....“.....	571	643	711	483	385	2793
Third “ “Pack.....“.....	563	643	708	484	385	2783
Fourth “ “Pyper.....“.....	569	646	716	487	389	2805
Fifth “ “Naylor.....“.....	571	643	715	486	388	2803
First Precinct...Laney...Liberal						
Second “ “Bradley.....“.....	626	1250	360	298	981	3515
Third “ “Kahler.....“.....	630	1250	361	299	983	3528
Fourth “ “Kesler.....“.....	631	1245	352	296	980	3512
Fifth “ “Gee.....“.....	626	1246	358	296	978	3501