

THE POLITICAL FIGHT.

THE CONSERVATIVES NET A GAIN OF TWENTY-SIX SEATS.

LONDON, Nov. 27.—The Conservative reaction still continues, and it now looks, if the counties do not give Liberal majorities out of gratitude for the franchise, that the Conservatives will have a sweeping majority. The first of the county elections took place to-day, but the result will not be known until to-morrow. The net result of the metropolitan polling is 30 Tories and 17 Liberals, out of the total of 47 seats in the House of Commons. One-fourth of the whole House of Commons has been elected, but the indications of the general result are regarded as decisive, as the boroughs that have voted represent every variety of urban constituency, and every corner of the kingdom. The set of the current is all one way. Wherever a borough is doubtful, the Tories have carried it. Wherever a Liberal majority was obtainable, it has been greatly reduced. The few Liberal gains seem only eddies in the stream. The pitiful majorities of Mr. Bright over Lord Randolph Churchill, and of Sir Charles Dilke over an unknown opponent have spread not less dismay among the Liberals than the actual defeats of Mr. Childers and Mr. Shaw Lefevre. The catastrophe of defeat is now deemed inevitable. Another eddy in the stream is the

DEFEAT OF JOHN BRIGHT'S BROTHER in Southwest Manchester by Lord Frederick Hamilton, a son of the late Duke of Abercorn, particularly as Jacob Bright has held his seat for many years past and regarded it much as his brother does his Birmingham constituency. In St. George's in the East, London, Mr. Ritchie, Conservative, has been elected, principally by the votes of the numerous sugar operatives in that locality, he being a firm advocate of retaliation against countries which discriminate against British goods. The Marquis of Lorne was very badly defeated in Hampstead, his opponent, Mr. Holland, Conservative, receiving 2,785 votes against his 1,816 only. In Westminster another Conservative victory is shown, Mr. Ashmead Bartlett-Cox, husband of the Baroness Bartlett-Cox, defeating the Liberal, Mr. Beasley, by no less than 1,260 out of a total vote of 5,732. In East Finsbury there was another Tory gain, but by a small majority, Mr. Bigwood being elected by 20 over the labor candidate. In East Marylebone Sir Charles Baresford, Conservative, is elected, the old borough of Marylebone, which formerly returned two Liberals, under the new divisions electing one Conservative. It is in Manchester, however, that the change in political opinion is most felt, five out of the six divisions returning Conservatives, whereas under the old regime three Liberals were invariably elected for the borough. In the eastern division Mr. A. J. Halfour, Lord Salisbury's nephew, was returned; in the southwest Lord Frederick Hamilton defeated Mr. Jacob Bright, and in the northeast Mr. Ferguson was able, by the aid of the Irish vote, to defeat Mr. Bannister, a former Home Ruler. Rochdale and Huddersfield returned the same Liberal and Conservative members, both Mr. Potter and Sir Thomas Basset being re-elected. The Conservatives gain a seat in Halifax, where Mr. Stanfield, the former Liberal member, and Mr. Shaw, Conservative, were elected. Rotherhithe, formerly included in the old borough of Greenwich, as expected, elected a Conservative, Mr. Hamilton, with 3,327 votes against 2,800 for Mr. Parkhurst, the Home Kule candidate. In Oxford, Sir William Harcourt's old constituency, where he received so severe a beating accepting office under Mr. Gladstone, his old opponent, Mr. Hall, the brewer, heads the poll. Mr. Passmore Edwards, editor of the Radical Echo, has been defeated in Salisbury, while Nottingham returns three Liberals.

THE RESULTS IN IRELAND. In South Kildare Mr. Leahy was returned without opposition, as also were Messrs. Nolan and Foley, in North and West Galway; Mr. Sheehy in South Galway and Mr. Justin McCarthy in Longford. It is needless to say all the foregoing are Nationalists. In West County Down Lord Arthur Hill, Conservative, was returned unopposed. In Balway city Mr. T. P. O'Connor was elected by a large majority over Mr. Rallett, Conservative, who only received 164 votes, but elects to sit for Liverpool, consequently a new election will be needed. Belfast has elected Conservatives; in the south division Mr. Johnston by 2,630; in the west Mr. Rallett by 37 over Mr. Seton, Nationalist; and in the north Mr. Ewart by 2,785. In Londonderry Mr. C. E. Lewis, independent Conservative, is elected by 29 majority over Mr. Justin McCarthy, Jr. As far as at present received, the returns show that 118 Conservatives, 117 Liberals and 14 Nationalists have been returned. The Conservatives threaten for a new election in Chelsea on the ground of personal intimidation by Sir Charles Dilke, who was elected on Tuesday. In Armagh Blain, in Mayo Bolton, and in Meath Dorothy, all Nationalists, were elected without opposition.

THE BALANCE OF POWER. The prospects now are against a strong Conservative majority in Parliament. The predictions of the Carlton club members, based on reports of their agents, show that they are hopeful of only twenty-five majority over the Liberals, thus leaving the balance of power in the hands of the Parnellites.

DUBLIN MUNICIPAL ELECTIONS. DUBLIN, Nov. 26.—In the municipal elections yesterday the Nationalists won five wards, four of which had been previously held by Conservatives.

THE ST. JOHN ELECTIONS. ST. JOHN, N.B., Nov. 24.—The election in St. John city to-day for a successor to Sir Leonard Riley resulted in the return of Mr. Barker, Conservative, the vote standing Barker 1,770, Skinner (Liberal) 1,638; Barker's majority 132. At the county election one month ago Everett's majority in the city was 414. The difference in the majorities is accounted for by the fact that the vote is about a thousand less than at the recent elections.

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