DISTRICT RETURNS CANVASSED.

Some Slight Changes in the Returns as First Reported to Clerk T. C. Moffat.

HIGGINS' MAJORITY IS 28

On the Recount for Union Commissionership, Which Was Completed Wednesday.

The recount of the votes in Union district for county commissioner was completed yesterday by the county board of commissioners, sitting as a board of canvassers. Before the contested ballots were counted, the score stood 32 in favor of Commissioner Higgins, and the counting of the twenty-six additional ballots only reduced his majority to 28. Attorney Pendleton excepted to the action of the board, and it will meet this morning to hear the attorney on this subject. It is not likely, however, that the Bearly people will pursue the matter much farther.

The official compilation of the returns for district offices has been completed by Clerk Moffat, and there are many slight changes, owing to errors made by the election officers in making their transmission of the returns to the clerk on the night of the election. The following majorities are shown by the official compilation:

County Commissioner.

District.	Commissioner.	Maj.
Washington	C. A. Danner, (R.)	149
Madison	H. P. McGregor, (R.)	221
Clay	Wm. Gutman, (R.)	277
Union	B. F. Higgins, (R.)	28
Centre	J. J. Byrne, (D.)	95
Webster	Charles Moore, (R.)	79
Ritchie	Adolph Fritz, (R.)	257
Richland	W. B. North, (R.)	36
Liberty	E. E. Bowman, (R.)	87
Triadelphia	Nelson Cecil, (D.)	51

School Commissioner.

District.	Commissioner.	Maj.
Washington	W. W. Spargo, (R.)*	191
Washington	W. Williams, (R.)†	210
Washington	C. Hoffman, (D.)‡	31
Madison	A. O. Maxwell, (R.)	344
Clay	W. H. Exley, (R.)*	295
Clay	E. A. Hildreth, (R.)†	323
Union	W. J. Nesbitt, (R.)	14
Centre	W. A. Stoetzer, (D.)	89
Webster	W. R. Dudley, (R.)*	121
Webster	C. F. Schultze, (R.)†	114
Ritchie	W. W. McConnell, (R.)*	204
Ritchie	E. L. Armbrecht, (R.)†	303
Ritchie	John Wright, sr., (R.)‡	110
Richland	J. Z. Moore, (D.)	18
Liberty	M. L. Lewis, (R.)	95
Triadelphia	J. F. Shirk, (R.)	77

Justice of the Peace.

Districts	Justices	Maj.
Washington	C. O. Roemer, (R.)	157
Washington	M. L. Srolowitz, (R.)	167
Madison	L. Pfaffenbach, (R.)	387
Madison	H. C. Peterman, (R.)	490
Clay	W. A. Gibson, (R.)	397
Clay	W. H. Caldwell, (R.)	342
Union	M. J. Fitzpatrick, (R.)	167
Union	J. A. Dunning, (R.)	129
Centre	Wm. Manion, (D.)	21
Centre	Hugh Dawson, (D.)	50
Webster	J. W. Schultze, (R.)	102
Webster	C. S. Greer, (R.)	77
Ritchie	A. J. Schultze, (R.)	366
Ritchie	James Allen, (R.)	358
Richland	Robert Costain, (D.)	23
Richland	W. A. McColloch, (R.)	—
Liberty	N. E. Murray, (R.)	107
Liberty	John Gardner, (R.)	99
Triadelphia	W. H. Williams, (R.)	75
Triadelphia	J. B. Moore, (R.)	89

Constables.

District.	Names.	Maj.
Washington	G. W. McKinley, (R.)	198
Washington	W. H. Gill, (R.)	181
Madison	D. G. Brown, (R.)	293
Madison	Edward Bond, (R.)	376
Clay	H. B. Keenan, (R.)	313
Clay	Frank Darby, (R.)	312
Union	Henry Thomas, (R.)	46
Union	J. F. Thompson, (R.)	89
Centre	J. McDermott, (D.)	40
Centre	Andrew Long, (D.)	61
Webster	Wm. Weiser, (R.)	114
Webster	Wm. Griffin, (R.)	99
Ritchie	John Klein, (R.)	369
Ritchie	O. H. Marple, (R.)	365
Richland	M. McNeil, (D.)	18
Richland	S. Wallace, (D.)	19
Liberty	W. R. Hanna, (R.)	89
Liberty	B. F. Biggs, (R.)	119
Triadelphia	J. A. Barr, (R.)	43
Triadelphia	Ship. Smith, (D.)	3

*Long term. †Short term. ‡Country.

The complete and official returns on district contests are as follows:

Washington.

WASH.	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	To.
County Com.									
Stanke, D.	91	123	97	76	116	85	98	85	771
Danner, R.	102	150	132	112	113	149	69	122	950
S. C. (country)									
Hoffman, D.							96		96
Hilton, R.							65		65
S. C., (city)									
Frazier, D.	93	115	95	72	115	88		92	670
Spargo, R.	101	140	122	114	112	147		115	861
Jus. of Peace.									
Young, D.	91	114	91	67	112	86	96	89	746
Phillips, D.	92	111	92	72	115	88	96	90	759
Roemer, R.	102	138	137	119	117	147	65	118	943
Srolowitz, R.	102	137	136	112	113	144	65	117	926
Constables.									
Wilcox, D.	90	115	91	68	110	86	95	89	744
Wells, D.	91	116	93	70	114	85	96	89	754
McKinley, R.	104	138	137	117	115	148	65	118	942
Gill, R.	102	137	135	116	115	147	65	118	935
S. C., (short)									
Pracht, D.	92	115	91	70	114	90		89	661
Williams, R.	102	138	138	116	114	144		119	871

Madison.

MADISON.	1	2	3	4	5	6	To
County Commis.							
Robinson, D.	63	76	90	80	84	88	481
McGregor, R.	125	127	154	141	123	132	802
School Commis.							
Naylor, D.	64	77	95	79	75	84	474
Maxwell, R.	124	125	153	144	135	137	818
Justice of Peace.							
Faris, D.	57	74	86	78	74	81	450
Brosius, D.	57	73	84	77	75	78	444
Pfanffenbach, R.	131	128	162	144	144	137	
Peterman, R.	132	129	165	145	131	142	844
Constables.							
Demain, D.	58	74	85	77	73	78	445
Cunningham, D.	58	73	85	79	75	84	454
Brown, R.	131	129	161	145	133	139	838
Bond, R.	131	128	160	143	131	137	830

Clay.

CLAY.	1	2	3	4	5	6	To
County Commis.							
Dusch, D.	116	71	79	99	110	108	583
Gutman, R.	113	247	166	119	118	97	860
School Com. (l. t.)							
Pollock, D.	98	67	76	106	115	109	574
Exley, R.	131	251	169	111	112	95	869
School Com. (s. t.)							
Wilson, D.	92	67	76	106	117	109	561
Hildreth, R.	138	251	169	119	112	95	884
Justice of Peace.							
Gillespy, D.	96	68	75	96	120	109	563
Reilly, D.	100	65	70	97	111	106	549
Gibson, R.	129	250	166	121	110	95	871
Caldwell, R.	130	253	177	122	114	95	891
Constables.							
Auth, D.	96	67	77	98	114	108	560
Halpin, D.	95	66	76	99	114	109	559
Keenan, R.	130	252	164	121	112	95	872
Darby, R.	135	251	165	120	109	95	872

Union.

UNION.	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	To
County Com.								
Bearley, D.	64	106	88	169	138	165	123	845
Higgins, R.	115	206	163	143	60	78	103	873
School Com.								
Brandfass, D.	78	123	168	159	111	144	116	829
Nesbitt, R.	96	188	131	144	86	96	112	853
Jps. of Peace.								
Gompers, D.	71	111	98	177	113	144	117	831
Marion, D.	71	103	84	140	166	143	108	757
Fitzpatrick, R.	105	207	148	152	80	97	109	898
Dunning, R.	100	198	143	145	85	95	117	883
Constables.								
Love, D.	79	117	101	169	112	145	114	828
Burnett, D.	74	108	99	156	113	145	112	794
Thomas, R.	95	198	141	148	84	95	112	874
Thompson, R.	99	197	145	147	84	95	116	883

Centre.

CENTRE.	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	To
County Comm.								
Byrne, D.	92	96	107	103	138	124	93	752
Hare, R.	117	106	88	54	108	99	83	657
School Comm.								
Stoetzer, D.	98	95	109	163	127	121	91	744
Huggins, R.	113	103	86	52	118	101	87	655
Jus. of Peace.								
Manion, D.	92	92	101	102	121	117	89	714
Dawson, D.	99	90	105	104	127	122	91	738
Rogers, R.	131	107	92	54	116	104	86	690
Larue, R.	122	109	91	54	123	104	85	688
Constables.								
McDermott, D.	98	90	102	103	124	124	91	742
Long, D.	103	91	101	100	121	121	92	729
Morris, R.	124	109	97	59	125	103	85	702
Neidert, R.	121	108	88	54	110	98	86	665

Webster.

WEBSTER.	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	To
County Comm.								
Stevens, D.	162	104	116	97	65	87	79	710
Moore, R.	82	133	116	121	123	117	97	789
S. C. (l. t.)								
Hasenauer, D.	164	107	115	89	62	84	77	689
Dudley R.	77	131	119	136	127	123	97	810
S. C., (s. t.)								
Fisher, D.	167	107	115	83	59	85	77	693
Schultz, R.	77	139	119	133	130	120	98	807
Jus. of Peace.								
Voight, D.	166	111	117	86	60	89	77	706
Meyer, D.	167	110	116	81	61	84	76	695
Schultze, R.	78	129	116	136	130	120	99	808
Greer, R.	76	122	116	124	123	114	97	772
Constables.								
Hartung, D.	167	110	115	89	59	84	77	692
Norton, D.	168	110	117	81	61	84	79	700
Weiser, R.	77	127	117	136	130	122	97	806
Griffin, R.	77	127	115	136	128	121	95	799

Ritchie.

RITCHIE.	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	To
Co. Comm.									
Auber, D.	87	70	54	55	77	148	102	57	650
Fritz, R.	93	92	86	113	180	151	96	96	907
S. C., (coun.)									
Wright, R.								110	110
S. C., (l. t.)									
McConnel, R	114	100	89	115	183	151	99		851
McElroy, D.	65	62	50	52	75	144	99		511
S. C., (short)									
Viewig, D.	65	62	50	52	74	145	100		548
Armbr'ht, R.	114	100	89	116	184	150	98		851
Jus. Peace.									
Hartman, D.	65	62	50	52	74	148	99	44	594
Ritz, D.	66	63	50	52	74	149	99	47	600
Schultze, R.	114	100	89	113	184	151	99	110	960
Allen, R.	113	98	89	116	184	151	100	107	958
Constables.									
Frederick, D.	65	62	51	52	74	144	99	45	592
Brinkm'n, D.	65	62	51	52	74	144	99	46	593
Klein, R.	114	99	89	116	183	151	100	109	961
Marple, R.	113	99	87	116	183	151	100	109	958

Richland.

RICHLAND.	1	2	To
County Commissioner:			
McColloch, D.	104	89	193
North, R.	78	151	229
School Commissioner:			
Moore, D.	111	112	223
Lyle, R.	72	133	205
Justices of the Peace:			
Costain, D.	111	111	222
McColloch, R.	73	131	204
Bonar, R.	72	127	199
Constables:			
McNeil, D.	112	109	221
Wallace, D.	111	107	218
Dist, R.	73	130	203
Degarmo, R.	72	127	199

Liberty.

LIBERTY.	1	2	3	To
County Commissioner:				
Jacob, D.	79	31	62	172
Bowman, R.	105	26	128	259
School Commissioner:				
Howard, D.	74	29	66	169
Lewis, R.	107	28	129	264
Justices of the Peace:				
McConn, D.	83	22	55	160
Forney, D.	76	27	57	160
Murray, R.	101	33	133	267
Gardner, R.	98	30	131	259
Constables:				
Dixon, D.	80	25	60	165
Crumbacker, D.	73	27	56	156
Hanna, R.	99	30	125	254
Biggs, R.	106	30	120	256

Tridelphia.

TRIADELPHIA.	1	2	3	4	5	6	To
County Com.							
Cecil, D.	165	121	90	69	96	58	599
McCurdy, R.	107	120	115	53	91	62	548
School Com.							
Young, D.	143	98	77	70	97	50	535
Shirk, R.	130	142	128	55	90	67	612
Jus. of Peace.							
Hervey, D.	145	99	76	67	92	51	530
Helfenben, D.	138	96	78	68	93	51	524
Williams, R.	125	137	126	57	94	66	605
Moore, R.	131	141	129	53	93	66	613
Constables.							
Smith, D.	148	106	101	70	91	51	563
Simms, D.	148	101	92	69	90	55	555
Barr, R.	125	141	135	57	91	63	612
Anderson, R.	117	117	131	42	89	62	558

THE MINGO SETTLEMENT

Discussed by M. F. Tighe—The Workmen Didn't Fare Badly.

Discussing the settlement of the trouble at the Mingo Junction plant of the National Steel Company, Assistant Secretary M. F. Tighe, of the Amalgamated Association, says:

"While the men did not receive as much as we desired to get for them, still the conditions under which they are to work promise a fair remuneration. The apparently heavy cut proposed was not as serious as first supposed. The company made a reduction from last year's scale of 33 per cent, but a compromise was effected at 25 per cent. The big steel plant has been modernized and the workers are thus enabled to increase the tonnage. Wages based on a tonnage rate give the workers an advantage that workers on a day basis do not receive. The Mingo plant of the National Steel Company should have been reclassified before the close of last year's scale agreement. If this had been done the late differences might not have occurred."

Damage by the Storm.

The wind of yesterday created havoc on the South Side, tearing up things in general and creating considerable damage. Nearly the whole roof of the White homestead on the summit of the hill near Mozart park, was torn off and the smoke stacks of the Mozart park incline were blown over.

In numerous places windows were broken, notably at the Haskins' hospital, where glass to the amount of $30 was shattered in the upper floors of the building. At the Eighth ward hose house the squall took two sections of the iron flag staff off and it crashed through the roof, dropping on the floor of the dormitory and nearly striking Harry Beiswinger, who was sleeping.

Many Wires Down.

The heavy wind storm Wednesday morning created havoc with telephone and telegraph wires. There was a bad break on the lines of the Western Union Telegraph Company near West Alexander. Throughout the country the wires are in trouble.

Elders Installed.

The elders of the new Second United Presbyterian church were installed at Odd Fellows' hall last evening. The elders were ordained by the pastor as follows: E. J. McDonald, Simon P. Parker, Frank T. Hare, Thomas Garvin and John C. Paul. The services were simple, but of a very impressive nature.

His Back Broken.

Last night a foreigner was brought to the City hospital suffering from a broken back. The man was sent in on the Wheeling & Lake Erie railroad from Dillonvale, where he was injured by a fall of soapstone in a coal bank.

THE LAST DAY

of the Big Chrysanthemum Bazaar at the Carroll Club. Admission, 10c. Supper 25c.

Masquerade Ball at Pleasant Valley Park this evening. Everybody invited.

THE CHANGE OF LIFE

Is the most important period in a woman's existence. Owing to modern methods of living, not one woman in a thousand approaches this perfectly natural change without experiencing a train of very annoying and sometimes painful symptoms.

Those dreadful hot flashes, sending the blood surging to the heart until it seems ready to burst, and the faint feeling that follows, sometimes with chills, as if the heart were going to stop for good, are symptoms of a dangerous, nervous trouble. Those hot flashes are just so many calls from nature for help. The nerves are crying out for assistance. The cry should be heeded in time. Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound was prepared to meet the needs of woman's system at this trying period of her life.

MRS. JENNIE NOBLE.

It builds up the weakened nervous system, and enables a woman to pass that grand change triumphantly.

"I was a very sick woman, caused by Change of Life. I suffered with hot flushes, and fainting spells. I was afraid to go on the street, my head and back troubled me so. I was entirely cured by Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound."—MRS. JENNIE NOBLE, 5010 Keyser St., Germantown, Pa.

BRIEF MENTIONINGS.

Events in and About the City Given in a Nutshell.

Grand tonight—"My Aunt's Nephew."

Opera House to-night—"Old Lavender."

Supper and concert at the Y. M. C. A. to-night.

A masquerade ball will be given this evening at Pleasant Valley Park.

Prof. Jacob Reineke's dancing class will hold forth at Egerter hall to-night.

The Emerald Club will dance at the Central Garden Club rooms next Thursday evening. Prof. Killmeyer will play.

Yesterday afternoon, at the parsonage of the North street M. E. church, occurred the marriage of Mr. Charles Meyer to Miss Laura Moore.

Special meetings are being held every evening at the North street M. E. church by the pastor, Rev. C. B. Graham, and by Evangelist C. C. Bruner.

The National Telephone Company is having the boards placed in its central station in the Grand Opera House building. They have contracts for over 1,000 telephones.

To-night, at a meeting at the city building, the Elkins Cadets will be reoganized as the Wheeling Cadets, and expect to figure prominently in the entertaining line this winter.

The November term of the Ohio county criminal court was adjourned yesterday by Judge Hugus. There was not sufficient business for the calling of a grand jury at this term.

In another column, Treasurer Luke, of the National Tube Company, announces a quarterly dividend of one and three-quarters per cent on the preferred stock of that company.

Warren, the nine-year-old son of George Otte, ran into a man pushing a bicycle at the corner of Jacob and Thirty-seventh streets yesterday, and sustained severe cuts on the forehead.

Professor Haupt's class in German is composed of ministers, doctors, lawyers, reporters and many ladies. Only a few days remain to investigate this opportunity to gain a practical knowledge of the German language.

W. H. Manion entertained a crowd of his friends at his home on Twenty-fourth street, Tuesday evening, in honor of his election as justice of the peace. Music was the chief amusement feature and a sumptuous repast was served at a seasonable hour.

PERSONAL NOTES

Going and Coming of Wheeling People and Visitors.

R. W. Wallace is a Parkersburger in town.

B. Wilson, of Clarksburg, is at the Windsor.

A. Gainson, of Pedlar, is registered at the Stamm.

R. E. Crawford, of Mannington, is in town on business.

J. H. Hanks, of Sistersville, is stopping at the McLure.

I. B. Blubaugh and wife, of Parkersburg, are in the city.

G. M. Allender, of Mannington, is a business caller in the city.

Mrs. W. W. Beall, of Wellsburg, is the guest of friends in the city.

Charles Seidler, of Thirty-third street, is confined to his home with rheumatism.

P. Black and family, of King, are in the city, and are quartered at the Park hotel.

Miss Daisy Sharp, of North Main street, is the guest of friends in Pittsburgh.

Mrs. Anna Ketchum, of New Richmond, O., is the guest of Mrs. Christena Maurer, of South Eoff street.

Prof. F. H. Crago leaves this morning for Carmichaels, Pa., where he goes to attend the funeral of an uncle.

B. F. Perkins, the well known contractor, departs on a business visit to Wilmington, Delaware, in a few days.

Dr. L. N. Reefer, the veterinary surgeon, yesterday returned from McDonald, Pa., where he operated on the well known racing mare, Lady Pipes. The mare will be in shape to appear on the track next season, said Dr. Reefer last evening.

Among the West Virginians at the Stamm yesterday were J. R. Clark, of New Martinsville; E. L. Dandorn and wife, of Parkersburg; O. C. Carter, of Middlebourne; F. V. Whitling and wife, of Clarksburg, and R. S. Lantz, of Blacksville.

Squire Dunning's Court.

Yesterday, in Justice Dunning's court, the case of Hattie Taylor and Lizzie Garrett was heard. There were counter charges made, each charging the other with assault and battery. The case against the Garrett woman was dismissed and Miss Taylor was fined $5 and costs.

A SUPPER replete in appetizing viands and a brilliant musical programme at the Y. M. C. A. Thursday. Supper, 5:30 to 8, 35c. Concert, 8:15, 25c. Supper and concert, 50c.

..POLITICS..

Two members of the incoming Governor White administration were in the city yesterday, Professor T. C. Miller, of Morgantown, superintendent-elect of schools, and Arnold C. Scherr, of Mineral county, auditor-elect. Mr. Scherr ran up from Moundsville, where he had attended a meeting of the state prison board, of which he is a member. Last night, at the McLure, Messrs. Miller and Scherr and State Labor Commissioner I. V. Barton were discussing the coming reapportionment of the state, and all agreed that there should be no glaring strife for party advantage—the Republican party should rather exhibit a spirit of fairness by redistricting according to the geographical advantages and natural local affiliations. If the present basis of representation for congressmen, 195,000 population to the district, is continued, which seems likely, West Virginia will be entitled to another congressman, and the Republican leaders seem to be of one mind as to the proper procedure—instead of dividing the state into five congressional districts, they believe that there should be a congressman-at-large, just as in Pennsylvania, Kansas and other states. This is advocated by Auditor-elect Scherr for the reason that the people have become accustomed to the present four congressional districts, and it would be a difficult matter to divide the state into five well balanced districts. On the other hand, with one or two minor changes the present four districts could become well balanced both geographically and from the population point of view. As the congressional districts are now arranged, the Third is the most populous, the First coming next and the Fourth and Second on about even terms. A county or two taken from the Third and given to the Fourth would balance things up in the way of population very nicely. To extricate the districts from their geographical mix-up, however, is a matter that will involve many changes.

Mr. Scherr also holds that every county in the state should have at least one member of the house of delegates, no matter how small its population. At present there are eight delegate districts made up of seventeen counties. In the late election each party carried four of these districts for house of delegates, and of the seventeen counties eleven gave Republican majorities. On the basis of a delegate for each county, this would mean a gain of seven delegates for the Republicans and a gain of two for the Democrats, or a net Republican gain of five members. Of course the Democrats will immediately set up a howl that this would be "taking a glaring party advantage," but as a matter of fact it is only a matter of justice. Without regard to politics each county should have its own representative in the legislature.

At present there are thirteen senatorial districts, with two senators from each, or twenty-six in all. The proposition to redistrict the state into fifteen or even into eighteen senatorial districts is meeting with favor throughout the state. Eighteen districts would mean thirty-six senators, which is not an unwieldy body, and many smaller states than West Virginia have senates of much larger membership. Speaking of senatorial districts, there is at least one district—the First—that cannot be changed. Hancock and Brooke, of course, are not populous enough to form a senatorial district and necessarily they must be in the same district with Ohio county. And just here, with fifteen or eighteen districts instead of thirteen, there would be a problem. Already the First senatorial district casts many more votes than the average of the present thirteen districts, and with the increased number proposed the disproportion would be even greater, while the fact that Brooke and Hancock would be far below the requirements from the population point of view for a senatorial district by themselves would make it impossible to cure the evil.

One of the most glaring instances of Democratic unfairness in the last apportionment was in the assigning of McDowell and Wyoming counties into one delegate district with but one delegate. In the late election McDowell county cast almost 5,000 votes and gave a Republican majority of 2,500, yet she hasn't her own member of the house of delegates. On the other hand small counties—notable principally for their steadiness in giving Democratic majorities—like Boone, Calhoun, Gilmer, Nicholas, Pendleton, Pocahontas and others are given a delegate apiece. Boone, Pocahontas and Nicholas counties combined cast about as many votes as McDowell, but they have three delegates, while McDowell has to "go halvers" with Wyoming. It is just such rank instances as these that will be corrected by the incoming Republican legislature.

Whether Thomas O'Brien, jr., will secure the Republican nomination for city clerk unopposed, or will have to put up a fight for the plum, is a question that is interesting the Republican politicians these days, and it is said that it will have its settlement within a day or two. Friends of John Wallace, the local newspaper man, are working with might and main to secure his entrance into the contest, and they are confident he will accede to their desires. When seen last night, Mr. Wallace said he had been looking over the ground and had received considerable encouragement, though some of his friends advised him to stay out, believing it too late to make successful headway against O'Brien. Mr. Wallace, who was formerly a member of the Intelligencer's repertorial staff, is a well-liked young man, well qualified for the duties of the office, and his candidacy would undoubtedly prove very strong.

William T. Zane has been announced as a candidate for second branch of council from the Island, on the Republican ticket.

In a communication to the Intelligencer, "Eighth Warder" suggests Messrs. W. H. Hornish and M. H. McNabb for the Republican nomination for city clerk. The communication as written, cannot be published without the writer's signature.

The friends of Carl White are pushing him for council in the Eighth ward. He is one of the most aggressive of the young Republicans in the lower end of the city and a faithful party worker.

Charles Bauer, formerly a member of the police force, has been announced as a candidate for second branch of council from the Second ward, subject to the Republican primary.

AMUSEMENTS.

The coming of an actor like Edward Harrigan is an event of no small importance. Mr. Harrigan will appear at the Opera House this evening, in "Old Lavender." Mr. Harrison is one of the few author-actors now before the public. He has written many plays, and all of them successes, but "Old Lavender" is his greatest success. At Harrigan's theatre, New York, which he still owns, but it is now called the Garrick, this play ran for two thousand performances. This theatre seems to be the home of long runs. It is there that Maude Adams played "The Little Minister" one entire year; and William Gillette, the only author-actor we can recall now before the public, played all of last season in his play, "Sherlock Holmes," and will do the same this season. Mr. Harrigan has had an entire new outfit of scenery and properties made for this season, and he will be supported by a very strong company of players. Harrigan's songs and Dave Braham's music will be one of the features.

Burke & Chase Vaudeville.

Two notable and unusual domains of stage entertainment of the most exacting and refined character will be drawn upon for the heavy type features of the Opera House bill for the first three nights of next week. Each will signalize the return of favorites to Wheeling audiences. Magic and illusion has been compressed into a half hour of mystery in the beautiful setting given by Mme. Adelaide Herrmann, widow of Herrmann, the Great, and termed "A Night in Japan." The rest of the bill includes the Bassett-Marshall company, introducing the "Street Urchin Quartet," in songs, dances and cake walk. The kings of black-face, McMahon and King; Mr. and Mrs. Jimmie Barry, in their laughing skit, "Mrs. Wilkin's Boy." Prof. Harry Howard and his comedy ponies, dogs and monkeys. The eccentric musical duo, Packett and Hayard; Miss Maitland, in negro dialect imitations; John Zimmer, the wonderful juggler.

"The Ensign."

Those who love good wholesome melodrama, abundant with stirring incidents and brilliant climaxes, will surely be out in force to give "The Ensign" a hearty welcome, Monday evening, when it is to be presented by the Little Irene Myers Company, at the Grand. As the title of the play suggests, it is a story of the navy, the principle events of which occur on board a United States warship, thereby affording opportunity for elaborate scenic investure. Of notable interest are the following scenes, Havana harbor, showing Moro Castle in the distance; the gun deck of the war-ship, San Jacinto, showing the marine court martial in session; a cabinet room in the white house, where a very beautiful scene transpires between President Lincoln and a little child, and the spar deck of the San Jacinto prepared for the execution of a supposed offender of the United States naval laws. Little Irene will be seen as Dot, the soubrette role, a very conspicuous part which extends throughout the entire play. In this role her admirers will have an opportunity of seeing her in an entirely different line of work from any which she has ever attempted, displaying talent seldom equalled by one of her years.

Delmore and Wilson.

Manager Feinler, of the Grand, takes pleasure in announcing to all lovers of good healthy comedy that on Thursday, Friday and Saturday, he will have as the attraction at his theatre the very funny comedians, Delmore and Wilson, in their new musical farce, "My Aunt's Nephew." This comedy was written by Mr. BertLeslie after several months of the closest study of the methods of these young comedians, and is said to happily fit their unique talents. Aside from the splendid work of the stars, room has been given for the introduction of a number of clever specialties by well known players. In addition to the specialties are some catchy features, among them being the celebrated Cane Dance, the Gobbling Man, the original Umbrella Dance by all the ladies of the company. Delmore and Wilson will also introduce their wonderful comedy skit entitled "Alone With a Lunatic." The entire play fairly bubbles over with wit and merriment and is said to be the very best of its kind on the road.

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...SOCIETY...

The affair of the week is that of the Woman's Auxiliary of the Y. M. C. A., at their club rooms to-night. The booths have all been arranged and they present a beautiful and attractive appearance. The concert programme, which begins at 8:15 o'clock, will be as follows:

Chorus ..... Woman's Musical Club
Vocal Solo ..... Miss Martha Ott
Violin Solo ..... Miss Grace Summers
Vocal Trio .....
Mrs. F. S. Faris, and Misses Egerter
Vocal Solo ..... Miss Flora Stifel
Vocal Solo ..... Miss Essie Fisher
Piano Solo ..... Miss Emily Pollack
Vocal Solo ..... Miss Sue M Caldwell
Vocal Solo ..... Mr. A. A. Taylor
Vocal Solo ..... Mrs. H. M. Riheldaffer
Chorus ..... Woman's Musical Club

The King's Daughters of the Second United Presbyterian church, will give a cake sale at the rooms of the Natural Gas Company of West Virginia, Peabody building, Wednesday, November 28.

A PROMISING INDUSTRY

Is Established by the Poole Clock Company in Wheeling.

As told exclusively in the Intelligencer recently, the Poole Clock Company has established a new industry in this city. The superintendent of the company, Mr. A. F. Poole, left for New York last night to buy the machinery for the plant to be erected here, at which the master clocks invented by Mr. Poole will be manufactured. These master clocks by an ingenious arrangement in which electricity plays its part, automatically regulate all the other clocks in the same building. They are especially adapted to large office buildings, etc. Wherever put in they have given satisfaction. The officers of the company are: President, H. M. Russell; vice president, George Wise; treasurer, L. F. Stifel; secretary and manager, J. E. B. Sweeney; superintendent, A. F. Poole.

CEREMONIAL SESSION

Of the Osiris Temple to be Held at Arion Hall Tuesday Evening.

The Osiris Temple of the Ancient Arabic Order Nobles of the Mystic Shrine, will hold its fall ceremonial session next Tuesday evening at the Arion club rooms. Members of the Nobles from all parts of the state will be present for this event, which will be one of consider