

CANVASS COMPLETED

Yesterday by the Ohio County Board of Commissioners.

ONLY SLIGHT CHANGES ARE MADE

WHICH DO NOT IN ANY INSTANCE AFFECT THE RESULT—CAPTAIN DOVENER'S MAJORITY IS INCREASED TO 1,340 AND SENATOR WHITAKER'S DECREASED TO 1,000—THE CERTIFICATES WILL BE SIGNED NEXT TUESDAY.

Table with columns for Congress, State Senate, and House of Delegates, listing names and vote counts for various candidates.

Yesterday afternoon, the Ohio county board of commissioners concluded its canvass of the election returns. The vote in Washington, Madison, Clay and Union districts had been compiled Monday afternoon, and at yesterday's session the districts of Centre, Webster, Ritchie, Triadelphia, Liberty and Richland were compiled. The totals had not been made by Clerk Moffat, but the Intelligence has compared its figures with the official compilation by the clerk, and the table printed in another column is the official result without the official seal attached.

Only slight changes are made. Captain Dovenor's majority is increased from 1,235 to 1,340. Senator Whitaker's majority is decreased from 1,023 to 1,000. His opponent, John Waterhouse, having made slight gains in several precincts through clerical errors made by some of the precinct officials.

There were no demands for recounts. The majority of County Commissioner Hare, in Centre district, remains unchanged, there not being an error in the clerical work of any of the officials in that district. The Triadelphia officials also did their work well, and the result was unchallenged on the close contests for district offices there.

The majority of Mr. Biggs, the Republican candidate for superintendent of free schools in the county, remains unchanged, 102.

The county commissioners will meet next Tuesday morning, and affix their seal of approval to the tabulated figures made up by Clerk Moffat. At the same time they will sign the certificates of election, which are to be forwarded to the state officials, at Charleston.

NO MATERIAL CHANGE

In the Marshall County Returns as a Result of the Canvass by the County Court—The Registrar's Howl of "Fraud" is the Act of a Demagogue Sheet.

The county court of Marshall county has canvassed the election returns from all the precincts in the county, except No. 3, of Franklin district. At this precinct the election judges had not properly signed the tally sheet. They were sent for and will be on hand this morning to finish their work, when the official count will be declared. It will be as follows, except perhaps, a change of a vote or two on the house of delegates: Congress—Dovenor, 2,610; Blair, 1,665; Dovenor's majority, 945.

State Senate—Sturm, (R.), 2,657; Stone, (D.), 1,659; Sturm's majority, 998. House of Delegates—John Nixon, (R.), 2,674; Frank W. Legge, (R.), 2,544; C. E. Bassett, (D.), 1,665; J. L. Mercer, (D.), 1,630.

County Commissioner—J. W. Dunlevy, (D.), 2,065; S. H. Davis, (R.), 1,925; J. M. Rine, (Pro. and Pop.), 128; Dunlevy's majority, 141.

The alternate road law of 1873 and '73, carried by nearly 1,400. The Democrats took exceptions to the returns of two or three precincts being accepted by the court, and may demand a recount of one or more of these precincts. The evidence in these precincts, in the Glendale precinct, in Washington district, but have not yet given out whether they expect to ask for a recount or not. All the irregularities brought before the court were of a technical nature, and were only such as might and do doubtless happen at every election in every county in the state.

The charge of fraud or an attempt at fraud, which was referred to earlier in yesterday's Register, is made without any ground whatever or any evidence that might tend to suggest it. The returns were all properly made, except for the few clerical and technical errors referred to above, and they have been cared for and guarded in accordance with the provisions of the law, and there was no evidence whatever brought before the court or any attempt to bring any evidence before the court during the entire canvass to disprove or contradict the above statement.

SENATOR STURM'S MAJORITY.

Senator Sturm's majority in the Second senatorial district is now placed at 184. He gained eight in Marshall county yesterday, and has lost four in Marion county.

LOCAL BREVITIES

Matters of Minor Moment in and About the City.

Matinee at the Grand this afternoon. Grand to-night—The Wilbur Opera Company.

I. O. O. F. grand lodge continues its sessions to-day.

"Injun" social this evening under the auspices of the United Presbyterian church.

Yesterday, in the criminal court, the case of the state vs. C. A. Flacher was on trial.

Chamber of commerce reception to the party of Ohio people on the Queen City—8 o'clock this morning.

The Indian Social at U. P. church to-night is under the auspices of the Young People's Christian Union of the church.

Mrs. Charles Chattock, of Grafton, is in the city, shopping, and is the guest of Mrs. H. P. McGrew, of North Front street, Island.

Squire Rogers yesterday held Dennis O'Hoolihan for the grand jury, on the charge of stealing cloth from H. C. Richards' tailoring establishment.

The council committee on finance meets to-night to select a chairman (to succeed ex-Councilman Morris Harkheimer) and transmit general business.

This evening at Zane Street Methodist Episcopal church there will be an exhibition of dissolving views or moving pictures, together with musical selections, under the auspices of the church.

The Ladies' Aid Society of the Second Presbyterian church will hold a "Thanksgiving Market" on Wednesday,

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November 23, at 2:30 o'clock, at the church. Persons wishing orders filled can send them in now.

A SOCIAL SESSION.

The Bellaire lodge B. P. O. E. held a most enjoyable social session last evening, which attracted 275 people, including many visitors from Wheeling, Bridgeport, Martini's Ferry, St. Clairsville and Mountaineer. Mr. James C. Talman presided. Speeches were made by Congressman Dovenor, of Wheeling; Prosecuting Attorney T. J. Parsons, of Mountaineer; Thomas O'Brien, Jr., of Wheeling; and Bert Hopkins, the latter of Delaire, who recited.

LAFAYETTE DAY

Will be Observed in the Public Schools of the City to-morrow and Promising Programmes have been Prepared in the Several Schools.

Lafayette day is to be observed in the public schools of Wheeling to-morrow afternoon, and at all of the buildings promising programmes will have their rendition before audiences that will tax the capacity of the halls. The day was generally observed in the schools of the county last month, but on account of limited time for preparation the observance in Wheeling was postponed. The proceeds are to assist in the raising of a monument of Lafayette in Paris, the gift of the school boys and girls of America to the French republic.

THE HIGH SCHOOL.

At the High School to-morrow afternoon, the following Lafayette Day programme will be followed:

- Song, chorus—School "Lafayette and the American Revolution"
Piano solo—Herbert Emsheimer "An American Exile"
Carrie Zane Chorus
Mandolin solo—William Detweiler "Lafayette the Frenchman"
Harold Brennan Vocal solo—Elsie Gundling "Viva La France"
Elsie Gundling Vocal duet—Addie Miller, Minnie Wincher Lafayette (select oration)
Walker Gwynn Violin solo—Edith Courtright "The Hero of the Revolution"
Clara McGreggor Vocal solo—Ada Graham "A Characterization of Lafayette"
Lulu Gwynn Chorus (solo, Elsie Gundling)—School

WASHINGTON SCHOOL.

At Washington school to-morrow afternoon, the Lafayette day programme will be as follows:

- National anthems—Class
(a) The Marsellaise
(b) France and Fatherland
Declamation—Lafayette and Washington
John Lasch Piano solo—The Gypsy Dance
Isabella Jepson March—The Red White and Blue
Primary Class Recitation—My Papa—Sarah Garrison
Vocal solos—Elsie Miller
(a) The Raindrop and the Rose
Duet—Piano and violin—Jessie Mayer, Mary Becker
Among the Whites
March—The Red White and Blue
Declamation—I've Got to go to School—Charles Wheaton
Double quartette—Primary Class
(a) There are Many Flags in many Lands
(b) Sweet Summer's Gone
Jolly Sailor Lads
(c) Red, White and Blue
(d) Yankee Doodle
Declamation—Prior to Miss Bell's Appearance—Willie McCluskey
When Grandma was a Girl—Rosella Embelen
Piano solo—Moonlight on the Hudson—Carl Kronjaeger
Declamation—The Band of the General's Kids—Rosella Embelen
Uncle Sam Drill
Vocal solo—Won't you come to my tea party?—Margie Miller
Declamation—The Speckled Hen—Bessie Koonitz
Minuet—Colonial Dames
Chorus—The Stars and Stripes That I Love—Class

FELL IN THE TRENCH.

An unknown pipe-liner, while working on the Tri-State Gas Company's line on Peters' run, near Elm Grove, fell in the trench and was caught at one side of the pipe, from which fellow workmen found it difficult to extricate him. He was seriously injured.

GOVERNOR ATKINSON

Will be one of the Chamber of Commerce 'Committees to Welcome the Party of Ohio People on the Packet Queen City this Morning.

Governor G. W. Atkinson, who is here as secretary of the West Virginia grand lodge, A. F. & A. M., has been added to the chamber of commerce committee which will welcome the party of distinguished Ohio people to Wheeling this morning. As is generally known, the party, made up of Ohio public officials, members of the legislature and prominent business men, is being taken on the trip from Gallipolis to Pittsburgh and return by President Vance, of the Ohio Valley Improvement Association, and General Manager James A. Henderson, of the Pittsburgh & Cincinnati packet line, in order that their ideas of the importance of the Ohio as an artery of commerce may be enlarged to the proper proportions.

The committee of the chamber will assemble at the wharf boat at 8 o'clock, and it is expected to have the hour of the packet's departure extended from 8 to 9 a. m. in order that the committee may take the visitors on a short trip over Wheeling. Citizens generally are requested by President Hohlhen Quarrier, of the chamber of commerce, to cooperate with the committee in making the welcome one of enthusiasm and heartiness.

THE PANTOMIME "BEN HUR"

Will be Given Next Month by Local Talent in Elaborate Manner.

The beautiful spectacular pantomime, of "Ben Hur" General Lew Wallace's great book, will be presented on the evenings of December 21, 22 and 23, by talent selected from the congregation of St. Matthew's P. E. church. The arrangements for the production include elaborate scenic effects, tableaux and marches, and the most dramatic scenes of "Ben Hur" will be graphically portrayed.

The cast of characters hasn't been completed yet, but the principal parts have been assigned. The production was recently given with great success in Parkersburg. Frequent rehearsals will be indulged in and a smooth and finished performance is assured.

To Adjust Coal Rates.

PHILADELPHIA, Pa., Nov. 16.—There was a meeting to-day in the general office of the Pennsylvania Railroad Company, between freight representatives of the Pennsylvania railroad, Philadelphia & Reading railway; Baltimore & Ohio railroad; Beach Creek railroad, Chesapeake & Ohio, and Norfolk & Western railway companies, in an effort for a readjustment of rates on bituminous coal and an advance in price for 1899. While those who attended the meeting were somewhat reticent as to what was done, it is understood that all agreed that the time was ripe to make an advance and that as soon as every effort would be made, but before any official announcement is made, the matter will have to be submitted to the presidents of the companies.

A Mixed Affair.

CLEVELAND, Ohio, Nov. 16.—Another chapter was added to the celebrated Barnes-McGowan affair here to-day. The seven-year-old daughter of Mrs. Barnes was kidnapped by a woman supposed to be her mother, and immediately taken out of the city. They were traced to the Union station, but beyond that nothing is known. The child has been living with her grandfather, who was appointed her guardian.

Subsequently it was learned that the woman and child had taken the 1 o'clock train on the Lake Shore road

A DRAMATIC INCIDENT.

A Lecturer Discovers His Danger and Loses His Life.

It is a scene in the lecture-room of a medical college in New Orleans. The professor is lecturing before an intelligent class of medical students. He is describing the human body, its defects and the danger by which it is surrounded. In order to illustrate it he has fluids from the human body, which he is subjecting to chemical tests. "Gentlemen," he said, "I have described to you the appearance of the human fluid in a diseased state; I will now show you how the same fluid appears in a healthy state," and he subjected his own to the test. As he held it up to the light for a moment, his hand trembled, he caught his breath, he paled and exclaimed: "Gentlemen, I have just made a most horrible discovery; I myself have Bright's disease of the kidneys."

In less than one year he was dead. The above dramatic and strictly true incident shows the terrible danger and mysterious nature of this modern disease, which may well be called the demon of the present century. It steals into the system like a thief, manifests its presence by the commonest symptoms and fastens itself upon the system before the victim is aware. It is nearly as hereditary as consumption.

HUNTING SHOES—MCFADDEN'S.

Advertisement for McFadden's Hunting Shoes, featuring an image of a boot and a list of shoe types and prices: Men's \$2.50 Warm Felt Boots for 48c, Men's \$2.50 Box Calf Shoes for \$1.98, Men's \$2.50 Winter Tan Shoes for \$1.98, Men's \$3.00 Water Proof Shoes for \$2.48, Men's \$5.00 Enamel Leather Shoes for \$3.48. Total price for hunting shoes is \$1.75. Location: 1320 and 1322 Market Street.

THE RIVER.

YESTERDAY'S DEPARTURES. Charleston...KANAWHA, 6:30 a. m. Zanesville...ARGAND, 8 a. m. Gallipolis...URANIA, 10 a. m. Steubenville...RUTH, 3:30 p. m. Charleston...LEROY, 3:30 p. m. Steubenville...T. M. BAYNE, 4:30 p. m.

BOATS LEAVING TO-MORROW. Pittsburgh...GREENWOOD, 6:30 a. m. Cincinnati...QUEEN CITY, 8 a. m. Parkersburg...AVALON, 8 a. m. Pittsburgh...W. J. CUMMINS, 5 a. m. Parkersburg...H. K. BEDFORD, 11 a. m. Matamoras...LEXINGTON, 11 a. m. Sistersville...RUTH, 3:30 p. m. Charleston...LEROY, 3:30 p. m. Pittsburgh...LORENA, 2 a. m. Steubenville...T. M. BAYNE, 4:30 p. m.

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River Telegrams. GREENSBORO—River 9 feet and stationary. Weather warmer and threatening. Woodward and Florence Belle down Thursday. Adam Jacobs up. WARREN—River 3 feet 2 inches. Weather fair and mild.

BROWNSVILLE—River 7 feet 4 inches and stationary. MORGANTOWN—River 8 feet 9 inches and falling. Weather clear and warmer.

OIL CITY—River 3 feet 9 inches and falling. Weather cloudy and warm. PITTSBURGH—River 9 feet and falling at the dam. Weather, raining and cool. STEUBENVILLE—River 11 feet 5 inches and falling. Weather clear and cool. Passed down: Queen City, Robert Jenkins. Passed up: Ben Hur and Granite.

PARKERSBURG—Ohio river 16 feet and falling. Weather, raining. Passed up: W. J. Cummins, Greenwood, H. K. Bedford. Passed down: Barnedall, Du down Kanawha. Little Kanawha river is falling. Locals are on time. POINT PLEASANT—River 19.5 feet and falling. Weather cloudy. CINCINNATI—River 26.1 feet and rising. Weather clear.

CAIRO—River 17 feet and rising. Weather cloudy and warmer. LOUISVILLE—River rising; 10 feet 1 inches in canal; 5 feet on falls; 23 feet 5 inches below locks. Weather cloudy. EVANSVILLE—River 17.3 feet and rising. Weather clear and cool. MEMPHIS—River 8.5 feet and rising. Weather cloudy and cool.

Christmas Presents for Soldiers. SAN FRANCISCO, Nov. 16.—The transport St. Paul will sail on Friday for Manila, with about 2,000 tons of supplies, of which 200 tons are Christmas presents for the soldiers in the Philippines. The vessel will carry as passengers twenty-one women, (wives of officers), forty-one enlisted men, and five officers and two clerks for the quartermaster's department. Captain Niebaum, of the Alaska Commercial Company, is sending a redwood to the California boys for a Christmas tree.

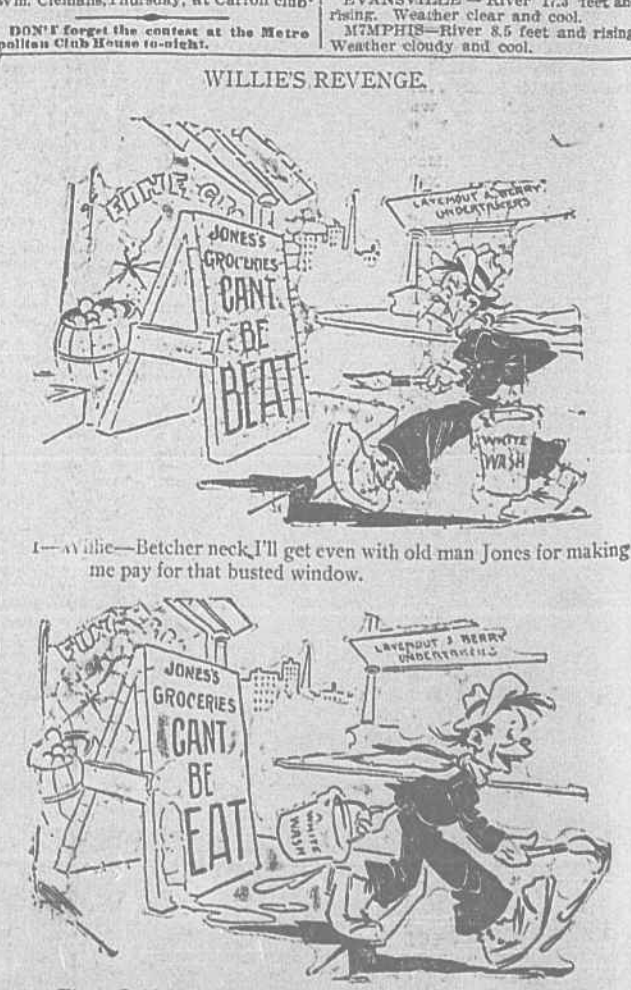
And Death Comes at Last. KEOKUK, Iowa, Nov. 16.—Mrs. Lucy Alexander, a colored woman aged 127 years, and the oldest person in Iowa, is dead. She was born near Richmond, Va., in December, 1770, and has lived in Iowa for forty-two years.

AUCTION! We offer at our great auction sale Forty Thousand Dollars worth of Diamond and all the fine goods. Now is the time to get fine Diamonds at your own prices. DILLON, WHEAT & HANOVER CO.

Orpheus Male Chorus, F. Danvers and Wm. Clemans, Thursday, at Carroll club.

DON'T forget the contest at the Metropolitan Club House to-night.

WILLIE'S REVENGE.



1—Willie—Betcher neck, I'll get even with old man Jones for making me pay for that busted window.

2—There, I think I'm square with the old huffer now.