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THE ELECTION

For the third time William J. Bryan as a presidential candidate is doomed to disappointment and defeat. His defeat, while not so overwhelming in popular vote as in his previous campaigns, yet in the electoral college he shows but the same strength as in 1896 and 1900. There is no question but what he has grown in the popular estimation of the people, yet as a candidate these same people shout their admiration of his excellent qualities, his sincerity and his honesty and then vote for the other fellow. They refuse to accept him for what they know he really is. Against him have always been allied the great money and commercial interests and they scared the country into a belief of his unsafety as president. These elements alone caused his defeat. And in defeat he is the same peerless leader to his loyal followers as he would have been were

the story now being written one of victory.

Governor-elect Thomas R. Marshall has won a signal victory. He won it by his strong personal charm, his striking individuality, and the belief that there was no pretense or false show about him. He brings into public life a new element of the independent, and if we mistake not, you will hear much of Thomas R. Marshall. As chief executive of this great state, he will be that chief executive in fact as well as in name, and it will be unnecessary to pay a dollar to a cha-tauqua course to find it out.

For a second time John A. M. Adair has swept the eighth congressional district. This time his majority greatly exceeds that of two years ago, and this illustrates the fact that the people not only believe and trust him, but they also believe in rewarding the meritorious service of a worthy public servant. Congressman Adair has grown immensely in the estimation of the voters of the eighth district, and he bids fair to continue in their good graces for a long time to come.

The handsome majorities accorded the local Democrats on the county ticket is a testimonial to their standing as citizens and taxpayers of Adams county. They should now double their energies to serve in their several official capacities with zeal and energy.

Along with many victories there is always some heart burnings. Much regret is being expressed over the defeat of John Lose for trustee of this Washington township. Mr. Lose is a

good citizen and a Democrat always, and he deserved better treatment from the voters of his party.

HITS TEACHER WITH POKER.

Kansas Educator Was Whipping Boy When Brother Interfered.

Emporia, Kan., Nov. 4.—When Miss Hester Smith, teacher at the Wooster Mound school, nine miles east of here, started to whip Orson Markward, an 11 year old pupil, Frank, the boy's brother, who is two years older, jumped up behind the teacher and struck her across the head with the stove poker. Miss Smith was knocked down by the blow and blood came from her ears, and although an ugly welt was made on her head, the doctors say they think no serious results will follow. Miss Smith says the older boy pulled her hair while she was down and the younger one tried to get at her, but was held back by one of the older girls of the school. Miss Smith regained her feet quickly and succeeded in wrenching the poker from her assailant and drove the boys from the room. Complaints were sworn out against the boys in juvenile court. School has been dismissed and will not be resumed till after the hearing. Miss Smith says she whipped the younger boy and that the boys said afterward that their father said they shouldn't be whipped.

DE SAGAN LOSES NOTE SUIT.

Countess De Castellane's Husband Forced to Pay Debts.

Paris, Nov. 4.—Judgment in the sum of \$1,300 was obtained in this city today against Prince Helle de Sagan, on protested notes given by the prince to a dealer in antiquities through whose agency he purchased in 1900 a number of souvenirs of Gen. Marcu, paying therefor \$8,000. They included the general's seal and the plumes he wore in battle. Prince de Sagan was married several months ago to the Countess de Castellane, who was Miss Anna Gould of New York.

Mr. E. Biggs has returned to his home at Williams after transacting business here.

Mrs. J. Kemp, of Monmouth, returned to her home this afternoon after doing shopping in this city.

Mrs. Mary Hatch, of Willshire, O., passed through Decatur today enroute to Fort Wayne, where she will visit her children for a few days.

ARE YOU ONLY HALF ALIVE?

People with kidney trouble are so weak and exhausted that they are only half alive. Foley's Kidney Remedy makes healthy kidneys, restores lost vitality, and weak, delicate people are restored to health. Refuse any but Foley's.
The HOLTHOUSE DRUG CO.

SOCIAL FUNCTIONS

Ladies' Aid Society of the Christian Church to Meet With Mrs. Mangold

OTHER SOCIETY NEWS

Mrs. Colchin Entertains—The Queen Esther Circle With Mrs. Sprang

The Ladies' Aid Society of the Christian church will meet at the home of Mrs. Noah Mangold on First street Friday afternoon. Besides the regular routine of business a new president will be elected. Every member is requested to be present.

Mr. and Mrs. J. S. Colchin entertained Tuesday evening at six o'clock dinner Mr. and Mrs. Emmett McLean of Las Vegas, Nevada, Mrs. Catherine McLean and daughter Jessie and Mrs. Mary Wemhoff.

The Queen Esther Circle will meet with Mrs. Sprang Friday evening for their regular meeting instead of Saturday. All members and their friends are cordially invited to attend.

Quite a number of young people attended the grand ball given last evening by Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Lengerich, whose wedding occurred yesterday morning. The evening was passed in playing games and in tripping the light fantastic. Excellent music was furnished by Frank Lichte, Will Badders and Barney Wertberger. At 11 o'clock a luncheon was served to about 300, which was enjoyed by all. The couple were presented with many beautiful and useful presents.

TO WHOM IT MAY CONCERN.

A five dollar horse blanket was stolen from Thos. Leonard, the tinner. The party who took the same is known and in case he does not return the stolen property in twenty-four hours, prosecution will follow.

A crowd of about fifteen young people from this city will drive to Willshire tonight to attend the high school entertainment to be given by the Willshire high school.

The funeral of William Ault, who was killed at Fort Wayne Tuesday night, will be held in this city Saturday morning. The remains will arrive on the ten o'clock car and be conveyed immediately to the United Brethren church, where the services will be held.

THE ROUND OAK CHIEF RANGE

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Round Oak Chief Steel Range



It is what you should have in your home. The best is always the cheapest. The Chief is a Range without equal. It is thoroughly insulated with Asbestos Board, three times as thick as that commonly used.

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The Revolving Fire Pot

Which adds greatly to the efficiency of the stove.

Come in and inspect our line of stoves and ranges and we can please you.

LAMAN & LEE

Mr. Frank Schurger has returned to his home at Delphos, Ohio, after a two weeks' visit with Mr. and Mrs. John Schurger.

Union B. Hunt, chairman of the Indiana railroad commission, has under consideration an offer to become president of the insurance department of the Knights of Pythias of the United States with headquarters in Chicago. The position will pay a salary of \$6,000 a year and all expenses. It has been held by C. F. S. Neal, of Lebanon, and at a recent meeting of the executive board he was re-elected. However, he declined and the position was tendered to Mr. Hunt. Mr. Hunt said today that he was not decided what he would do. The insurance department of the K. of P. lodge has been organized 20 years, Mr. Hunt said, and has in that time paid out \$28,000,000 in benefits.—Bluffton News.

FOR RENT—A five room house and three lots, good drove well. Inquire Decatur R. F. D. No. 9, Elizabeth S. Kern.

Fred Schurger left today for points in Ohio, where he will work for the Homestead Art Co.

MONEY TO LOAN—Any amount at 5 per cent interest on real estate security. Schurger & Smith, Attys. at Law. 225-30t

BROOD SOWS FOR SALE—I have for sale five brood sows that will farrow about October 20. Joe Brungraff, R. R. No. 11. 245-6t

The lady who found the infants' hot water bottle in front of the jail is requested to return the same to the Democrat office. The owner has called for it. 264-3t

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AFTER SUPPER VISIT

THE GRAND

"Everybody goes to the Grand"

OFFICIAL VOTE OF ADAMS COUNTY

PRECINCTS.	President		Governor		Congress		Prosecutor		Joint Senator		Representative		Auditor		Treasurer		Sheriff		Coroner		Surveyor		Com. 1st Dist.		Com. 2nd Dist.	
	Bryan	Taft	Marshall	Watson	Adair	Hawkins	Heller	Walters	Fleming	Vesey	Cottschalk	Sutton	Michaud	Kunkle	Yager	Shepherd	Meyer	Beery	Grandstaff	Zehr	Ernst	Teepie	Zwick	Mallonee	Hendricks	Tabler
East Union	74	32	74	34	78	31	73	31	72	31	73	31	72	32	74	30	73	30	74	30	73	30	74	30	74	30
West Union	73	24	73	24	74	24	71	24	73	26	70	25	74	25	74	24	75	24	74	24	75	24	75	24	75	24
East Root	99	51	99	48	103	46	100	47	98	48	99	48	98	48	101	46	98	48	100	46	100	46	101	45	99	47
West Root	130	51	128	49	128	51	124	51	120	55	124	50	123	52	122	51	126	49	125	50	123	51	117	60	121	50
North Preble	109	4	110	3	108	2	107	2	107	3	109	2	107	4	106	2	108	4	108	2	107	3	110	2	108	2
South Preble	119	22	120	16	124	14	122	12	115	16	118	13	119	13	117	13	121	13	120	12	116	13	120	13	119	12
North Kirkland	70	40	69	39	72	37	67	37	67	37	67	39	66	38	66	38	64	40	64	37	73	38	65	39	67	38
South Kirkland	77	27	75	26	85	17	78	19	77	20	78	21	80	20	80	19	80	20	78	19	79	19	79	19	78	19
East Washington	102	58	102	60	107	56	103	58	98	62	100	60	102	57	101	58	103	59	101	58	101	58	98	59	103	57
West Washington	126	60	125	58	128	57	124	56	122	57	125	57	126	53	125	53	122	54	124	53	125	54	123	53	127	53
North St. Mary's	48	89	48	88	50	92	47	93	45	93	45	93	45	92	56	86	50	90	48	90	51	89	47	90	48	91
South St. Mary's	63	76	60	77	73	70	62	76	56	82	62	75	69	69	65	55	63	75	61	74	65	72	61	75	64	73
North Blue Creek	76	76	75	74	83	71	79	69	73	73	77	71	80	68	81	68	80	69	80	69	75	73	75	70	78	69
South Blue Creek	78	42	76	43	82	40	77	42	74	43	76	43	81	39	74	43	76	43	75	43	76	42	76	42	80	40
North Monroe	144	57	138	58	150	53	149	52	139	56	141	56	146	53	146	52	149	51	144	53	145	53	145	52	146	53
Middle Monroe	90	28	89	31	95	25	89	25	83	32	90	30	103	19	92	25	96	22	89	27	90	26	90	26	90	26
French	104	31	104	29	110	27	107	24	104	24	105	26	113	21	106	24	110	24	104	25	105	24	104	24	105	24
North Hartford	132	33	131	35	139	26	131	27	127	29	129	30	140	24	128	28	134	22	126	29	128	27	127	27	129	27
South Hartford	55	69	53	72	67	67	61	67	54	75	55	76	66	63	52	78	60	68	55	73	62	67	57	70	58	69
North Wabash	85	37	82	43	90	37	82	39	68	55	82	42	91	35	78	45	85	38	75	46	82	40	85	36	84	38
Ceylon	73	38	75	37	79	30	65	37	60	38	64	38	72	35	63	41	64	36	65	35	64	35	64	35	64	35
East Jefferson	99	28	97	30	101	28	94	30	92	30	94	31	95	30	92	32	93	30	92	30	93	31	92	30	92	30
West Jefferson	71	72	71	72	73	70	69	71	68	72	70	72	73	68	65	77	69	71	68	73	70	71	69	71	70	70
Decatur, 1st Ward A	112	80	118	78	113	83	109	79	106	83	101	87	104	84	106	81	108	82	106	80	107	82	105	82	109	80
Decatur, 1st Ward B	93	68	93	63	95	64	91	63	91	64	89	66	92	63	92	61	90	64	92	62	91	64	91	63	92	63
Decatur, 2nd Ward A	160	82	164	75	170	76	159	76	151	84	158	80	160	77	163	74	156	81	169	73	160	75	161	75	162	74
Decatur, 2nd Ward B	81	51	82	48	86	50	78	50	72	56	76	52	76	50	78	46	81	48	79	46	76	51	78	48	77	45
Decatur, 3rd Ward B	156	66	157	63	157	61	142	70	138	74	140	75	144	64	147	63	143	72	146	63	148	66	148	64	145	66
Decatur, 3rd Ward B	147	81	150	71	148	76	141	75	132	81	140	78	141	73	142	73	144	74	145	71	145	73	143	72	143	71
Berne A	124	52	115	63	128	49	113	47	100	60	125	50	153	26	115	53	125	43	103	60	115	47	115	49	123	42
Berne B	155	49	133	85	160	48	151	52	111	95	139	79	185	35	142	66	165	47	121	93	138	57	142	54	147	46
Geneva A	90	62	91	61	105	56	87	65	86	65	88	65	88	67	82	77	88	66	87	67	87	67	88	65	88	66
Geneva B	140	136	134	90	149	82	123	92	126	95	119	103	128	92	90	125	122	99	120	99	122	99	120	96	121	94
Totals	3404	1726	3311	1743	3310	1617	3275	1658	3105	1814	3228	1763	3412	1589	3251	1767	3321	1656	3218	1712	3267	1667	3245	1660	3286	1624
Pluralities	1678	1568	1902	1617	1291	1465	1823	1544	1665	1506	1600	1585	1662



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