

## THE DEMOCRAT

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THEY GOT

THE LION'S SHARE

While the Democratic victory of Tuesday is marred by the defeat of two of the Democratic candidates, yet in the face of almost certain defeat two months ago they come out of the contest with the lion's share, losing but two out of the eight officers.

The business features and the business management of the affairs of the city by the present council has been approved by the people, and it was upon this point that most of the campaign thunder was exploded. The election of the clerk, treasurer and four out of five councilmen is evidence of the fact that the people believe in their business methods, and in the council as business men. The unfair advantage taken of the candidate for mayor, and of the one councilman-at-large, resulted in their defeat. It was accomplished by some of the many tricks of politics to which every candidate is subjected and which no one as yet has been able to control. While we for personal and political reasons regret their defeat, as a whole we congratulate the people in general and the Democratic party in particular, over the good results attained.

NOW COMES

THE SHIP SUBSIDY GRAFT

Everything points toward a determined effort by the leaders of the Republican party, headed by Taft, Aldrich, Cannon and others like them, to force the ship subsidy grab upon the country at a cost of hundreds of millions of dollars to the taxpayers. The policies of the Republican party have destroyed the American merchant marine, which, in the old days of Democratic rule, was a source of such pride to this nation. In those days 90 per cent of American trade was carried in American ships. Now less than 10 per cent is so carried. The Chicago Journal says: "American shipyards are idle because the high tariff makes material for building modern ships too costly to permit the shipbuilder to compete with foreign shipyards, which can avail themselves of cheaper iron and steel, frequently buying American iron and steel at lower prices abroad than are quoted to the American trade. Republican administrations permit our forests to be destroyed by lumber kings anxious to seize the premium granted them by the tariff, and then calmly tax the people to plant more trees. The same masters of legerdemain permit the steel trust, by virtue of the tariff, to destroy our once great shipbuilding industry and then demand a tax on the people to enable the shipyards to reopen. Only a change of administration at Washington can be trusted to put an end to this orgy of spoliation and permit the producers of our national wealth to retain a decent proportion of their own earnings."

NEVER SETTLED

UNTIL IT IS SETTLED RIGHT.

That the tariff question will never be settled until it is settled right—that is to say, settled in favor of the people—is becoming more and more evident. The impossibility of securing any sort of tariff reform through the

Republican party is now an established fact. That class of Republicans who have listened to their party's false promises and stayed in line year after year now see the futility of their course and are breaking away. Logically they are coming into the Democratic party. The Democrats of Massachusetts have nominated Eugene N. Foss—a former Republican congressman and a tariff reformer—as their candidate for lieutenant governor. In a letter to a former Republican associate in tariff reform work, Mr. Foss says:

"We have been intimately associated in this long and arduous struggle to induce the Republican party our own party—to redeem its solemn pledges and honor its avowed principles regarding this great and dominant issue of reciprocity and tariff reform. "That I have at last, as I believe, have tens of thousands of others, got completely out of patience, while you yourself are still trying hard to exercise it, does not prevent you and my friends generally from understanding and recognizing my motives. President Taft, in his Whona speech, asserted that those who voted against the Payne-Aldrich bill had abandoned their party. If they have, thank God for it. If Republicanism today means subservience of public welfare to the ultra-high protected interests, then it is time that we knew it.

"Wherein does my course essentially differ from that of so many insur- gent Republican senators and congressmen who joined the Democratic party on this tariff measure—just as I am doing?

"How long are you going to stand for this sort of thing? For my part, I am going to fight.

"When I see the cost of living, the high prices of food, clothing and other necessities of life, I think it is time that party considerations give place to higher motives.

"The standpat Aldrich-Lodge hierarchy of the Republican party has bunked and bluffed us to the extreme limit, and it would seem that their time and our turn have finally come."

The supreme court has affirmed the decision of Judge J. W. Macy of Winchester made at New Castle in the cases against certain druggists in which he held that written and signed

applications or prescriptions on which a druggist is permitted to sell intoxicating liquors under Secs. 8351, 8352, Burns, 1908, with the druggist's endorsement thereon and which the druggist must keep filed and carefully preserved for a period of at least one year, are not public documents, but are merely private papers of the druggist. In the New Castle case it was sought to force the druggist, against whom indictments were attempted to be brought to present their files of application and prescriptions before the grand jury. Judge Macy held that this could not be done as the state constitution protects a person charged with or suspected of crime as against being compelled to furnish evidence that may tend to incriminate himself. The supreme court has held that decision good. —Portland Sun.

Mrs. Louie Hite, 428 Outen St., Danville, Ill., writes, October 1st: "Foley's Kidney Pills started me on the road to health. I was treated by four doctors and took other kidney remedies but grew worse, and was unable to do my housework, and the doctor told me I only could live from two to six months. I am now so much better that I do all of my own work, and I shall be very glad to tell any one afflicted with kidney or bladder trouble the good results I received from taking Foley's Kidney Pills." Commence today and be well. Do not risk having Bright's Disease or Diabetes.

HOLTHOUSE DRUG CO.

The revival meetings at the Church of Christ begin next Sunday, Nov. 7. These meetings will be conducted for the purpose of making firmer Christians and winning souls to the Master. Therefore everybody, regardless of creeds and opinions, is invited to cooperate. Evangelist Thompson is a man of broad experience; knows the Bible and preaches it with simplicity.

Mr. and Mrs. William Chronister desire to thank their friends and neighbors who aided them during the sickness and death of their beloved little daughter, Jean. Especially they thank those who gave the floral offering.

## LOST INDIANAPOLIS

Fort Wayne Elect Republican Officials But Council Remains Democratic

FIGHTS WERE CLOSE

No Blood Shed at Gary  
Results in Ohio and in  
Greater New York

Elections were held in all the cities and towns over Indiana Tuesday and in many places there were surprises, unlocked for at least to many. The Democrats carried the greater number, though they lost in some important places and it looks as though the honors were about even up. In Indianapolis, Shanks was elected over Gauss, dem., by 1,100. In Fort Wayne Grice, rep., beat Schmidt, dem., by about 900. In Munroe the Democrats took everything in sight by large majorities. In South Bend, David B. Schaefer, a former resident here, was defeated by Charles Goetz, Democrat, by 1,500. The Republicans carried Evansville while the Democrats took Terre Haute and Lafayette, also Gary, Michigan City, Laporte, Huntington, Kokomo and a number of others, with a Democratic gain in nearly all of the cities. Below is a list of mayors in Indiana:

Democratic.  
South Bend, Charles L. Goetz; Terre Haute, Louis Gerhardt; Muncie, Edward Tukey; Wabash, James Wilson; Valparaiso, William F. Spooner; Greenburg, J. E. Mendenhall; Kokomo, J. L. Puckett; Columbia City, B. J. Bloom; Shelbyville, Thomas Hawkins; Elwood, A. Brumbaugh; Huntington, Milo Feighner; Union City, William Harris; Gary, Thomas E. Knotts; Batesville, G. M. Hillenbrand; Mishawaka, John Herzog; Lafayette, George R. Rungan; Bedford, A. Fields; Bloomington, J. G. Harris; Jeffersonville, J. E. Burke; New Albany, N. A. Green; Portland, C. A. Paddock; Logansport, David D. Flocke; Michigan City, R. C. Miller; Seymour, Allen Swope; Vincennes, J. D. McDowell; Goshen, S. F. Spohn; Hammond, Lawrence Becker; Anderson, Frank P. Foster; Connersville, Finley Gray; Tipton, N. S. Matz (Ind.); LaPorte, Lemuel Darrow; Brazil, John Brays; Boonville, T. D. Seales; Bluffton, Frank Smith; Montpelier, L. G. Burris.

Republican.  
Indianapolis, Samuel Lewis Shank; Fort Wayne, Jesse Grice; Marion, John O. Wilson; Evansville, Charles F. Heffman; Crawfordsville, M. V. Wert; Franklin, William G. Oliver; Rockport, S. E. Kercheval; Winchester, Carl Thompson; Noblesville, E. C. Loehr; Tipton, N. S. Matz; Princeton, D. A. Davidson; Sullivan, T. E. Hoover; Columbus, Henry Barnaby; Martinsville, Clinton Hastings; Lebanon, E. O. Rogers; Tell City, Theodore Kiefer; Madison, George F. Harper; Greenfield, J. R. Miller; Richmond, W. W. Zimmerman; Delphi, F. H. Robinson; Greenfield, Ora Meyers; Sullivan, T. E. Hoover.

Fort Wayne, Ind., Nov. 3.—The Republicans elected their candidate for mayor, city-clerk and municipal judge by small majorities. The Democrats elected four of the five councilmen-at-large and five of the ten ward councilmen, which gives them a working majority in the council. Jesse Grice, the Republican nominee for mayor, received a majority of 912 over August M. Schmidt. J. F. Mungovan's plurality over former Representative William Frenchleicht for city judge, by 519. D. C. Stout, Democratic nominee for city clerk, was defeated by 130 by W. T. Jeffries. Vote cast was 13,968.

South Bend, Ind., Nov. 3.—Charles L. Goetz, Democrat, was elected mayor of South Bend by a majority of from 1,500 to 2,000 over his Republican opponent, David B. Schaefer. All the other candidates on the Democratic ticket also were elected. Goetz came to South Bend a quarter of a century ago a poor, penniless youth looking for work. Today he is one of the most prosperous residents of the city. He did not seek the office, the nomination being practically forced upon him by Democrats, despite the fact that he left the office to avoid becoming a candidate.

Portland, Ind., Nov. 3.—For mayor, Dr. C. A. Paddock (Dem.); plurality, 285; clerk, George Moody (Dem.); plurality 165; treasurer, Jacob R. Jones (Dem.); plurality 215; councilmen-at-large, William Henry Hutchings and Joseph E. Andrews, both (Dem.); councilman first ward, Ottis McDaniel (Dem.); plurality 3; second ward, John Hawding (Dem.); plural-

ity 62; third ward, Joseph W. Polley (Rep.); plurality 4; fourth ward, L. Plummer Swbler (Dem.); plurality 48.

Elkhart, Ind., Nov. 3.—The city election today resulted in all Democrats being elected, as follows: For mayor, Frank Smith, majority 210; clerk, W. J. Poffenberger, majority 81; treasurer, Wilson Grove, majority 384; councilmen-at-large, Arthur Herd and George Dineen, majorities 147 and 143 respectively; first ward, Thomas Bulger, majority 44; second ward, Bill Miller, majority 96; third ward, Louis Staver, majority 24.

Auburn, Ind., Nov. 3.—Ensley democratic candidate for mayor and Culbertson, the republican candidate, came under the wire a tie in the municipal election here today, each receiving 488 votes. The election commissioners will meet tomorrow to decide how the tie shall be decided. The republicans elected Johnson, councilman-at-large and aside from that, the entire democratic ticket was elected.

Results in Ohio Towns.  
Columbus, O., Nov. 2.—Among mayors elected today in Ohio cities are the following:

Athens—C. W. Vaughton, Independent.  
Bucyrus—E. J. Songer, Democrat.  
Canton—A. R. Turnbull, Democrat.  
Chillicothe—Wallace Yapple, Democrat.  
Cincinnati—Louis Schwab, Republican.

Defiance—C. E. Chehevret, Democrat.

Galion—H. H. Hartman, Democrat.  
Jackson—John Clark, Democrat.  
Mount Vernon—C. A. Mitchell, Republican.

Painesville—J. B. Burrows, Republican.

Steubenville—T. W. Porter, Republican.

Toledo—Brand Whitlock, Independent.

Urbana—W. R. Wilson, Republican.

Portsmouth—Mayor Searcy (Democrat) re-elected by 600.

Norwalk—C. P. Venas (Democrat) re-elected.

Hamilton—A. Rothwell (Republican) elected mayor by 800 over present Mayor Straub (Democrat).

Gaynor Wins in New York.

New York, Nov. 2.—William J. Gaynor, of Brooklyn, formerly a state supreme court justice, was elected as democratic mayor of Greater New York today over Otto Bannard, the republican-fusion nominee and William R. Hearst, running independently, but heading the fusion ticket. With two-thirds of the election districts heard from, Gaynor's plurality was 70,000. The fusion forces have elected William A. Pendergast as controller, and John Purroy Mitchell, president of the board of aldermen, but uncertainty as to the election of the burrough president indicates that Tammany may yet control the board of estimates and apportionment, which will disburse more than a billion dollars during the next four years. Hearst ran a poor third. Estimates from 900 election districts placed him 32,000 behind Bannard, who in turn was 39,365 behind Gaynor.

FOR THE STOMACH

Here's an Offer You Should Not Overlook.

Rexall Dyspepsia Tablets remedy stomach trouble by supplying the one element, the absence of which in the gastric juices causes indigestion and dyspepsia. They aid the stomach to digest food and to quickly convert it into rich red blood and material necessary for overcoming natural body waste.

Carry a package of Rexall Dyspepsia Tablets in your vest pocket, or keep them in your room. Take one after each heavy meal and indigestion will not bother you.

We know what Rexall Dyspepsia Tablets are and what they will do. We guarantee them to relieve indigestion and dyspepsia. If they fail we will refund your money. Three sizes: 25 cents, 50 cents and \$1.00. Remember you can obtain Rexall Remedies in Decatur only at our store—The Rexall Store. The Smith & Yager Drug Co.

FRIGHTFUL FATE AVERTED

"I would have been a cripple for life, from a terrible cut on my knee cap," writes Frank Diberry, Kelly, Minn., "without Buckle's Arnica Salve, which soon cured me." Infants for wounds, cuts and bruises, it soon cures Burns, Scalds, Old Sores, Boils, Skin Eruptions. World's best for Piles. 25¢ at all druggists.

Quite a number of people witnessed the runaway this noon on Second street which Rev. Martz was thrown from his rig, and received several cuts and bruises.

## THE BILL IS READY

Providing for Pensions and Retirement of Teachers in this State

OF GREAT INTEREST

Because of the Belief That It Will Become a Law Before Many Years

A bill for an act to provide for an Indiana state teachers' disability and retirement law has just been drawn up by a joint committee of five members, consisting of the following: Benjamin F. Moore, from the Indiana City and Town Superintendents' association; Richard Park, from the Indiana County Superintendents' association; Robert J. Aley, William A. Mills and Robert L. Hamilton from the Indiana State Teachers' association.

The bill is printed in pamphlet form and will be submitted to the respective organizations from which the joint committee was appointed. Superintendent B. F. Moore of the Muncie public schools who is chairman of the committee and who was appointed from the City and Town Superintendents' association will make his report this week at the meeting to be held at the Claypool hotel, Indianapolis. The report will be made to the other associations at the annual meetings in December.

If the report of the joint committee is accepted and approved by the respective associations copies of the bill will then be mailed to all the teachers of the state with a view of creating sentiment in favor of its adoption as a law.

The fund for the disbursement among disabled and superannuated teachers will be divided into two parts according to the terms of the bill as drawn: A permanent fund made up of gifts, grants, devised and bequests in any form, also money or property placed at the disposal of the board of trustees by the state legislature; a current fund, made up of interest on investments from the permanent fund, assessments of 1 per cent per annum on the yearly salaries of all persons to whom the act shall apply, assessments of 1 per cent per annum of all pensions and semi-annual apportionments from the proceeds of the tuition school fund, necessary to meet any deficit in annual disbursements.

The management of the fund, it is provided, will rest with a committee consisting of three state officers and two citizens appointed by the governor.

The pensions are divided into two classes—disability and retirement. To be eligible for the first class, the teacher must have taught at least fifteen years and be infirm by reason of disease or age. For the second class, the teacher must have taught thirty-five years and be not less than 60 years of age.

The amount of pension shall be 1 per cent per annum of the average salary for the five years preceding the date of application, multiplied by the number of years of service, that is, if his yearly salary has been \$1,000, and the time of service has been forty years, he would be entitled to receive forty hundredths of said salary, or \$400 each year as his pension. No person so provided, will receive less than \$250 a year.

THE DEMOCRATS WON AT BERNE

Elected Every Officer Excepting City Clerk—Vote Was Rather Close.

Berne, Ind., Nov. 3.—(Special to Daily Democrat)—The election here resulted in a victory for the Democrats, who elected the entire ticket excepting for town clerk, Lawrence Yager defeating Chauncey Lautzenhizer. In the first ward Phillip Schug defeated L. G. Grafton by twelve votes for councilman; in the second Fred Wechter beat J. F. Bockman seventy votes; in the third F. G. Elchenberger was the winner over Sam Lehman by 110. For clerk the vote stood Lautzenhizer 127, Yager 155, the latter winning by twenty-eight. For treasurer Fred Bents, Dem., received 162 while his opponent received 124, the former's majority being 38. For marshal William Tucker defeated John Marbough by 86.

Miss Lydia Schindler returned to Willshire after shopping in the city.

Your cough annoys you. Keep on hacking and tearing the delicate membranes of your throat if you want to be annoyed. But if you want to be cured, take "Chambers' Cough Remedy." Sold by all druggists.

FORCED INTO EXILE  
Wm. Upchurch of Glen Oak, Okla., was in exile from home, Mountain air, he thought, would cure a frightful lung-racking cough that had defied all remedies for two years. After six months he returned, death dogging his steps. "Then I began to use Dr. King's New Discovery," he writes, "and after taking six bottles I am as well as ever." It saves thousands yearly from desperate lung diseases, infallible for Coughs and Colds, Cures Grip, Bronchitis, Hemorrhages, Asthma, Croup, Whooping Cough, &c. and \$1.00, trial bottle free, guaranteed by all druggists.

THE SYPHERS-SMITH WEDDING  
Will Occur at 11:30 a.m. Band Will Escort Them to Place.

Watch for the big parade at 7:25 this evening. At that time the Juvenile band will escort the car in which will ride George Syphers and Mrs. Francis Smith to the Airdome where at promptly 7:30 will occur the wedding of these popular folks. The admission to the airdome will be ten cents, but this admits the bearer to one show at the Star theater. The presents are to be left at the Star theater. Come early. George will make a speech telling why he selected Mrs. Smith for his bride.

MONROE IS READY  
Elected Two Democrats and Two Republicans at Yesterday's Battle  
WAS WARM CONTEST

The Council is Republican  
While the Clerk and

Mcroe, Indiana, November 3.—The election board met and was sworn in at 6 o'clock a.m. after taking the oath they proceeded with what was to be the hardest fought contest ever waged in the town of Monroe. The members of both political parties were represented by legal talent seldom equaled in this quarter of the state. The Democrats by Hon. A. B. Bailey and the Republicans by S. V. Johnson, who both gave the board exhaustive talks on what and how this election should be conducted. Notwithstanding the fact of the aforesaid instructions the board proceeded to carry out the election according to law and statutes. It is said that each and every member of the board were adequately informed on the acts of the 1908 legislature and conducted the election under the provisions thereof. The results of the election were as follows:

Trustee, first ward, John Hendrick, d. 32; Otis O. Hocker, r. 44.  
Trustee, second ward, J. A. Hendrick, d. 26; W. O. Newton, r. 41.

Trustee, third ward, Lewis Lobenstein, d. 27; Denis