

CARBONDALE.

PLURALITIES INCREASE.

Democrats Scoop City Offices by Surprisingly Large Margins.

In yesterday's election the result of election only one error occurred. The vote for assessors was so close and the districts heard from had gone so decidedly Democratic that the Republicans conceded the election of Hansen and Moffitt. The complete vote, however, shows that Moffitt, D., was defeated by Hite, R. The Republicans are gratified at having saved two out of the three assessors as many property owners consider the office of assessor quite as important as any in the city.

Mayor-elect J. W. Kipps' plurality is 219; Conroy-elect J. F. Wheeler's is 354, and Treasurer-elect P. F. Connor's is 238. These pluralities are the largest given any candidates in nearly twenty years.

While the Democrats will hold the executive office for the next three years the Republicans will be in possession of the legislative branch of the city government. In common council they have gained one, making the composition 3 to 2 in their favor. The next branch stands unchanged—four Republicans and two Democrats.

The treasurer and controller having been re-elected no change will occur in those offices and as far as the changing of their trusts is concerned, no change is desired as all adult they have made admirable officials.

In another month Hon. James O'Neill will step out of the pleasant tower room of the city building to make room for Mr. Kilpatrick. The new incumbent is a man of great activity and executive force and whatever he undertakes will be pushed with vim. That much the citizens may feel sure of.

City Engineer Frick, Solicitor Watson and Clerk of Common Council Evans are fairly secure, but City Clerk Clifford may be replaced unless his most efficient and accommodating record shall commend him to the favor of the dominant party in council.

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LOCAL AND PERSONAL.

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Tuesday's Vote in Carbondale.

Table with columns: DISTRICTS, MAYOR, TREAS., CONTR., ASSESSOR. Rows include First ward, Second ward, Third ward, Fourth ward, Fifth ward, Sixth ward, and Pluralities.

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Mrs. Alexander Kennedy, William Burky and John Buckley, of this city, went to Wayne county, yesterday to attend the funeral of the late Mrs. J. Lane.

Butler Goodwin will leave today for Bethlehem, where he will enter St. Luke's hospital for treatment. He is suffering from organic heart trouble. Miss E. C. Fuller left yesterday for New York city, where she will remain for a few days. Upon her return she will accept a position with Sawyer's millinery establishment. Her numerous friends will be more than pleased to hear of her accepting a position again in this city.

TAYLOR NEWS.

Tonight's Entertainment—Washington's Birthday Fittingly Observed.

Personal Notes.

At the entertainment to be given at the Methodist Episcopal church this (Thursday) evening, under the auspices of Mrs. Dittie's class, the following programme will be rendered: Organ voluntary, "Return from Camp," Miss Ray Morans; male quartette, "The Wayside Cross," Messrs. Evans, Watkins, Dillie and Tablos; diansque (soloists), Misses Mary Conroy and J. Jones; selection on mandolin, Lulu Jones; recitation, Della Davis; solo, "In the Baggage Coach Ahead," C. J. Dillie; recitation, "My Name is Tom," Verma Williams; selection, Watkins family; recitation, Mrs. J. L. Nooley; solo (soloist), John F. Tubbs; recitation, Nina Ostmund; selection on the banjo, Miss Susie Schubert; solo (soloist), Richard Watkins, declamation, Arthur Sillman; selection on mandolin, Herbert Higham; recitation, Thomas Davis; solo, "Polonia," Mrs. J. D. Atherton; selection, Watkins family; recitation, Mrs. William Frisby; selection, "Oh, Had I Wings Like a Dove," male quartette. Rev. J. M. Lloyd will occupy the pulpit in the Nebo Congregational church, of Rendham, on Sunday next. Mr. Alfred Hutton is confined to his home on Main street with sickness. Once agents of North Main street make a request to the borough council for a crosswalk.

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time. Those present were Messdames Townsend, Miller, Berry, Benjamin, Parks, Gilmhardt, Gomer Davis and C. F. Baker. Mr. A. T. Matthews, of Cemetery street, yesterday found a pocket book containing papers of considerable value to the owner, who can receive the same on application and proving identity. Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Hocking, of Second street, who have been at Plymouth, attending the funeral of Mrs. Hocking's sister, returned home last evening. Wilho, their nine-year-old son had a misfortune to fall down and fracture his arm.

The funeral of the late John Gannon, of the East Side, will take place this morning. A requiem mass will be celebrated at ten o'clock in Sacred Heart church and will be made in Calvary cemetery, Mayfield.

Mr. and Mrs. George Cramer, of Scranton, who have been visiting their mother, Mrs. M. J. Cramer, of Bacon street, have returned home. Mrs. Thomas Rich, of Main street, is suffering with grip.

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Kitchen Things A lot of useful articles to go at 19c—and all worth much more. There are extra large Fibre Wash Basins, worth 27c; Wood Knife Boxes, varnished and left lined, worth 25c; heaviest quality Tin Pails, in 8, 10 and 12 quart, worth 34c and a lot of Dusting Brushes, worth from 30c to 44c. Your choice of 19c the lot Friday..... 19c

Groceries Two special lots of items at 4 cents and 9 cents that will make very choice picking among the Friday Bargains. Here they are: Your choice of one pound of California Prunes, a box of Breakfast Cocoa, a package of Gold Dust Washing Powder, a large Bottle of Blueing or a package of Crown Flakes—a new serial, for... 4c

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OLYPHANT.

The complete returns from the Third ward show that Gillespie, D., has been elected to council by a small majority, and Lennan has succeeded himself on the school board. As stated in yesterday's Tribune, Williams and Scriven have been elected auditors. The former's majority is about 85 and the latter's, 25. They are the first auditors elected to the Republican ticket in the history of the borough. In the First ward a curious state of affairs existed. Fully half of the votes had to be thrown out on account of their being marked wrong.

The teachers of the borough of Olyphant, Blakely, Dickson City, Winton and Throop will hold a local institute at this place Saturday. Two sessions will be held, one at the central school, commencing at 1:30 p. m., and the other at the Father Mathew opera house at 7:45 p. m. The following is the programme: Song, institute; "Why Teachers Fail," Superintendent Bruce Thomas; recitation, Prof. Lloyd, Piceburg; solo, Miss Annie Jones; "Composition Work," Miss C. A. Kenyon, Blakely; chorus, primary pupils; "Psychology of Child Study," Prof. Jordan, Scranton high school; trio, high school pupils; "Current Topics," Prof. Osborne, Montrose; solo, Miss Maggie Evans; "Writing," Superintendent J. C. Taylor; song, institute.

Miss Mildred Brundage, of Poekville, was the guest of her cousin, Miss Myrtle Enright, yesterday.

Evening session: Opening chorus, High school pupils; address, Superintendent J. C. Taylor; solo, Miss Anna Brown; "Sillouettes in Coal," Prof. F. J. Osborne; guitar solo, Prof. M. J. Lloyd; lecture on books, Superintendent George Howell, Scranton; solo, Prof. K. Archibald; closing ode, "America," institute. Admission to

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