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# Evening Herald.

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ONE CENT.

## Great Bargains in ORGANS!

We have several organs as good as new taken in exchange for

## PIANOS

Which we offer very cheap. One \$90.00 Organ for \$59.00. One \$75.00 Organ for \$45.00.

J. P. Williams & Son, S. Main St.

## Goods for Spring Wear

Are now arriving and the new designs in silk, wool and cotton fabrics present a very attractive appearance.

Our large stock of WASH SILKS FOR WAISTS, ETC., is worthy of your inspection—the prices you will find far below their real value, 25, 30 and 35c per yard.

We handle Butterick's paper patterns.

P. J. GAUGHAN, - 27 N. Main St.

### MID-WINTER BARGAINS.

#### Ladies' Coats

Reduced from \$10.00 to \$7.50  
" " " " 9.50 to 7.00  
" " " " 7.00 to 5.00  
" " " " 6.50 to 4.50  
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Just a few sizes left.

#### Misses' Jackets

Reduced from \$9.00, \$7.50, \$6.50, \$5.00, \$4.00, \$3.00.  
To \$7.00, \$6.00, \$5.00, \$4.00, \$3.50, \$2.00.  
Children's Long Coats reduced from \$10.00, \$9.00, \$8.00, \$7.00, \$6.50, \$5.00, \$4.50, \$4.00.  
To \$7.50, \$7.00, \$6.00, \$5.00, \$4.50, \$3.75, \$3.50, \$3.00.

Blankets, Comforts, Shawls and other winter goods at similar reduction. At

J. J. PRICE'S, North Main St., Shenandoah, Pa.

### A LONG FELT WANT!

#### Burial Vaults

Made of sawed stone or slate, and are perfectly water proof. These vaults are as cheap as a walled grave and even cheaper, and are far superior in neatness and durability. Wooden cases are unnecessary when these vaults are used. They are carried in trucks for immediate delivery. Special sizes made to order at a day's notice.

Manufactured by M. H. MASTER, SHENANDOAH, PA.

127 North Jardin St.,

### RAMONAT'S New Restaurant.

BILL OF FARE: All the delicacies of the season, oysters and clams in every style, fine cigars and soft drinks.  
Cullings, 60c per hundred.  
Primes, \$1.25 per hundred.  
Meals served at all hours and at short notice.

S. A. RAMONAT, Prop. 119 E. Centre St. Above L. V. R. S. Station.

## REMOVAL SALE

To close, out before removing, stock of

### Carpets and Floor Oil Cloths

Will be sold at a reduction of 20 Per Cent. from regular prices.

### For Sale To-day.

Two Cars Choice No. 1 Timothy Hay.

One Car Dry Yellow Corn.

Two Cars White Oats.

At KEITER'S.

## RESULTS OF THE ELECTION.

The Democrats Only Succeed in Holding Their Own.

### FAILURE OF THE ELLIOT FIGHT

The Political Complexion of Both the Council and the School Board is Left as it Was Under the Last Election—Vote by Wards.

The battle of the ballots is over and the field is strewn with many victims of Democratic political strategy, but it was of such a character that, notwithstanding the terrific won in three of the five wards, the Republicans still have control of the Borough Council and School Board. In the former body they still hold sway by 8 to 7 and in the latter their majority is the same as during the past year. In other words the Democrats who, at first glance, appear to have won a sweeping victory have only held their own in the ward fights and made one gain in the borough fight. They elected School Directors to succeed Messrs. Conry, Manley and Devitt, all Democrats, and Councilmen to succeed Dougherty, Guiligan, Stanton and Kane, who were also Democrats, so that after all their boasting about thorough organization and a fat campaign fund, and in spite of the most desperate battle the party has ever put up in the Fourth and Fifth wards, they make no gains in ward affairs, the Republicans having elected successors to the retiring Republicans in their two wards. As to the borough ticket the Democrats gain but one point, electing a High Constable to succeed James Emanuel. In electing Ploppert Borough Auditor they have only held their minority representation on the board.

In truth, the Democrats were really beaten yesterday, because they lost their big fight in the Second ward. A victory there would have given them a majority on the Borough Council. The defeat of Elliott is almost as much a disappointment to many of the most prominent and active leaders of the Democratic party as the loss of the Fourth and Fifth wards would have been to them. Mr. Boehm's majority is greatly below what it was last year, but yesterday the vote was light by about ten per cent. and the Democrats put up a fight that was as well planned and as full of vigor as it possibly could be. It is true that it snowed last night, but the fall was not near as heavy as some people supposed, and the Democrats haven't a chance to go sleighing.

Under the results of the election the Borough Council will organize on Monday March 2nd, with the following members: First ward—William McGuire, Martin Lalley and Daniel Conkley, Second—John P. Boehm, F. E. Magargle and James McElbenny, Third—T. J. James, D. K. James, C. T. Strough, Fourth—A. D. Gable, Patrick Kerans and Conrad Eugler, Fifth—Patrick Hand, Richard Reese and Edward Murphy.

### THE BOROUGH TICKET.

	1	2	3	4	5	Total
High Constable	1	2	3	4	5	15
James J. Mason	329	15	128	220	296	1077
Edward E. Smith	76	158	257	195	157	853
McKeon's majority	253					
Borough Auditor						
George Ploppert	328	98	127	227	279	1064
William Reeves	70	154	251	196	159	829
O'Brien's majority	258					
Council						
Martin Lalley (3 years)	326					
Charles Radolowicz (3 years)	77					
Lalley's majority	249					
Daniel Conkley (1 year)	321					
David Johnson (1 year)	77					
Conkley's majority	244					
School Director						
Michael Sullivan (3 years)	321					
Charles E. Smith (2 years)	77					
Sullivan's majority	244					
Timothy O'Brien (1 year)	317					
Robert Anderson (1 year)	74					
O'Brien's majority	243					
Constable						
Matt Gibson	318					
William Wagner	65					
Gibson's majority	253					
Judge of Election						
Martin Mullaly	286					
Alex. Morris	76					
Mullaly's majority	210					
Inspector of Election						
Thomas Sheehy	318					
Frank C. Reese	78					
Sheehy's majority	240					
Second Ward						
Council						
John P. Boehm	147					
Andrew Elliott	109					
Boehm's majority	38					
School Director						
Benj. C. Church	163					
Constable						
Taliesin Phillips	164					
Judge of Election						
Warren J. Port	159					
Martin T. Purcell	91					
Port's majority	68					
Inspector of Election						
Jacob Shane	163					
James Smith	98					
Shane's majority	65					
Third Ward						
Council						
Thomas J. James	297					
James H. Morgan	143					
James' majority	154					
School Director						
William T. Trezise	284					
Judge of the Peace						
P. W. Herstein	285					
Constable						
Thomas Dalton	280					
Tosh's majority	70					
Judge of Election						
George L. Hafner	285					
Peter Beck	151					
Hafner's majority	134					
Inspector of Election						
Evan J. Davies	283					
Harry Dowling	152					
Davies' majority	131					

### Fourth Ward.

Council	Count
Conrad Eugler	229
Daniel Beigel	156
Eugler's majority	73
School Director	
John F. Higgins	230
Thomas J. Broughall	144
Higgins' majority	82
Constable	
John Dault	159
Adams Smith	176
Dault's majority	21
Judge of Election	
John Mealey	235
George Lumb	156
Mealey's majority	79
Inspector of Election	
William Miller	224
E. D. Boddall	150
Miller's majority	74

### Fifth Ward.

Council	Count
Edward Murphy	273
Christ Foltz	191
Murphy's majority	81
School Director	
James J. Devitt	276
Charles L. Hoffman	191
Devitt's majority	87
Constable	
Thomas M. Bolin	302
William Bender	197
Bolin's majority	105
Judge of Election	
James J. McHale	276
Jeffrey J. McHale	192
McHale's majority	84
Inspector of Election	
Patrick Purcell	277
Anthony Guines	191
Purcell's majority	86

### The Result Elsewhere.

The election at Pottsville passed off quietly and the Republican borough ticket was elected without opposition. Schuylkill Haven went Democratic, as did also Ashland. In the latter town the Democrats elected six Councilmen and three out of five School Directors. On the question of increasing the borough indebtedness \$20,000 for building a new dam, the vote was: For increase, 319; against increase, 647. The Democrats carried everything.

Mahanoy City elected the full Republican ticket. William Caboon, is Supervisor; Evan Reese, High Constable and Augustus Blew, Auditor. The biggest fight was in the Third ward on Council. Captain William E. Jones, Republican, was elected over Isaac Bagustro, Democrat, by only nine majority. The fight in the Fourth ward was on School Director, William H. Evans, Republican, being elected over Henry Litsch, Democrat, by four majority. Another fight was on in the Fifth ward and the whole Republican ticket, with the exception of Richard Webb, for School Director, was elected. He was defeated by Christ by six majority. The First ward went Democratic and the Second is Republican.

The elections in West Mahanoy township resulted in victories for the Democrats by 180 majority. Joe Peters got 228 majority. The following were the results: Martin McLean, School Director for 3 years; John Hamilton, School Director for 3 years; John Flannery, Supervisor; Joseph Peters, Constable; Michael McDonough, Judge of Election; Patrick Gaughan, Inspector; Thomas May, District Assessor.

The anti-electric light faction won in the elections at Tanquesque yesterday. The following were the selections made: John Horn, Sr., and Jacob Seitzinger, Councilmen; J. F. Allick and H. J. Linker, School Directors; Aaron King, High Constable; William Willoughby, Borough Auditor.

At Breen's Bhalto Cafe. Purses of pea soup during and between the acts for free lunch to-night. Free hot lunch every morning. Meals served at all hours.

### Postponement.

The date for the benefit of George Franks has been postponed. The original date was the 29th of this month, and it will now be held on March 19th. Ticket holders will bear this change in mind. Those not having a ticket should procure one, as the benefit is for a worthy cause.

### Attention, Rescue H. & L. Co.

A special meeting of the Rescue H. & L. Company will be held this evening, at 7 o'clock, to make arrangements to attend the funeral of our deceased brother, John Baynart. The remains will arrive from Hazleton by the Lehigh Valley railroad on Friday, at 11:14 a. m. By order of GEORGE BEYUM, Pres.

### Watson House Free Lunch.

Oyster soup to-night. Hot lunch to-morrow morning.

### Favorable Report.

The report of the Board of Health shows that the borough is in a very healthy condition at present. The last contagious disease was reported some three weeks ago, but today the home of Miss Lilly Davis, of West Strawberry alley, was placarded, who is suffering from scarlatina.

### Kendrick House Free Lunch.

Oyster soup to-night.

### A Pleasant Evening.

A pink tea was held last evening in the M. E. Sunday school building at Yatesville and was liberally patronized by residents of this town.

Over 6000 copies 10c. music to select from at Brumm's. 2-11-11

### In Mourning.

C. L. Fay's steam laundry is in mourning to-day over the death of the proprietor's horse, who succumbed to lung fever, contracted from a severe cold three weeks ago. The value of the horse was estimated at \$100.

For your fine hats, MAX LEVIT'S.

### Water Pipe Burst.

A water pipe in the West street school building burst to-day and flooded the room occupied by Mr. Burke's school. The ceiling in Miss Williams' school was badly damaged. Mr. Burke's school was transferred to the Centre street building.

Fine underwear cheap, MAX LEVIT'S.

### At James Goodman and Co's.

Fresh eggs 17 cents per dozen. Best pound-print crockery butter 25 cents. Country dairy round prints 30 cents. Good tub butter, 10 lb tubs, 15 cents. 2-3-11

Umbrellas re-covered while you wait at Brumm's jewelry store. 2-11-11

## STATE MUNICIPAL POLITICS

Result of the Balloting in Principal Pennsylvania Cities.

### THE CONTEST IN PHILADELPHIA.

'Combine' and 'Anti-Combine' Followers Work Together to Defeat the Municipal League—Williamsport Elects a Prohibition Mayor.

PHILADELPHIA, Feb. 18.—Local elections were held in this state yesterday. Several interesting contests were waged in the larger cities which elected mayors. In this city the ticket was headed by John L. Kinsey and Arthur Biddle, respectively Republican and Democratic candidates for city solicitor. Kinsey was elected by a majority that will probably exceed the Democratic vote. The campaign was noteworthy for the especially bitter fights in many of the wards, due to the factional split in the Republican ranks, the efforts of the Municipal League, and here and there to the activity of the Democrats.

The returns thus far secured from the contested wards in this city indicate that the Municipal League has failed in its efforts to secure the election to councils of reformers. In the Eighth ward, where a hard fight was made against Wences Hartman, who is president of common councils, that gentleman was elected by nearly 1,000 majority. In the Fifth ward a bitter fight was waged against James B. Anderson, whose course in select council for years past has displeased the reformers. Nevertheless he was returned by over 1,000 majority.

In other wards the result was equally discouraging to the Municipal Leaguers. The followers of Senator Quay, who are known as "Anti-Combines" were expected to help the Municipal League in its effort to defeat the "Combine" candidates, but they appear to have voted and worked for the regular Republican ticket, with the result that the reformers were "snowed under."

Edward A. Devlin, Republican, and Maurice F. Wilber, Democrat, were re-elected magistrates, the latter under the law relating to minority representation.

The following condensed dispatches give the result of the contests in other cities of the state:

Pittsburg—The vote was heavy and the returns are coming in slowly. The Republican majority in this city will be about 4,000.

Lancaster—The election resulted in the re-election of Mayor Edwin S. Smeltz (Rep.) by a majority of 400 over Benjamin F. Davis (Dem.). The council is heavily Republican in both branches, although the Democrats make a slight gain.

Altoona—Incomplete returns indicate the election of Murray (Dem.) for mayor, and Nicholson (Dem.) for controller over Barr and Harpham (Reps.). Republicans elect the school directors, city assessors and a majority of the councilmen.

Allentown—Fred E. Lewis (Rep.) defeated ex-Congressman Sowden (Dem.) for mayor by 300 majority. The remainder of the ticket, including councils, was carried by the Democrats.

Williamsport—James Mansel (Prohib.) was elected mayor of this city by a plurality of about 300 over S. N. Williams (Rep.) and A. S. Coyle (Dem.). Chambersburg—George C. Cooke (Dem.) was elected borough auditor, although the nominal Republican majority is 350. Three Democratic councilmen were also elected, and one school director. This is the first time a Democrat has been elected in six years.

Harrisburg—John D. Patterson (Rep.) was elected mayor over Charles Walters (Dem.) by 1,500 majority, and is the first Republican mayor elected in nine years. All the other Republican candidates were elected except the city controller, William K. Verbeke (Dem.), having a small plurality.

Easton—The Republicans elected their full ticket, Howard A. Harzell for mayor, receiving 650 majority. William L. White is chosen city controller and James McCauley city treasurer. Republicans also retain control of select council.

Reading—The contest for mayor between Jonathan G. Leinbach (Rep.) and Jacob Weidel (Dem.) was a very close one, with chances in Weidel's favor.

York—Incomplete returns indicate that Charles A. Braut (Dem.) is elected mayor over Robert J. Lewis by about 30 majority. The Democrats will maintain their majority in select council, and common council will have a Republican majority of two.

Erie—Isadore Sobel, the Republican nominee for mayor, was elected over Herbert Saltzman by a small majority. The balance of the Republican ticket is elected.

### Tried to Murder His Wife.

PHILADELPHIA, Feb. 19.—When John T. Neilson, alias Neilson, was arraigned before Magistrate Jernon, at the city hall yesterday, to answer the charge of larceny, evidence was produced to almost conclusively prove that the prisoner was guilty of having attempted to murder his wife for the sole purpose of securing the insurance he had placed upon her life. Mrs. Neilson testified that on Dec. 19 her husband attempted to smother her, after having knocked her down. She was saved by neighbors. Her life had been insured for \$5,000 a few days before.

Up-to-date seats, at MAX LEVIT'S.

### Attempted Runaway.

The horse attached to Maher Bros. truck wagon, which was standing at the Lehigh Valley station this morning, suddenly became frightened and started at a furious pace up Centre street, but was captured at White street before any damage was done.

### Schiffly House.

Boston Baked Beans, free, for everybody to-night. Oysters. Clams. All the delicacies of the season. New Carpets. For cash or easy terms at C. D. Frick's Carpet Store. 2-6-3m

## THE BUSY STORE

118 and 119 North Main Street. Proprietor MAX SCHMIDT.

### Preparation is Folly

In the retailing of merchandise—or would be for us. It appears to prosper in some directions. The good old square-dealing fashion suits us better. Our work is for decades and not for single years. We try to drive like "Jehu," but we also watch that no unworthy merchandise gets into our stock; that the advertising rings true. Doesn't this suit you.

## Heminway's Silk

The Only True Article.

### SPECIAL SALE

\$1.00 HENRIETTAS

50c. THIS WEEK.

MOSTLY ALL COLORS IN STOCK.

Our Trimming Sale puts all former prices to the wall.

Children's Wool Caps, worth 35 cents, now 12c

TRIMMINGS NEARLY GIVEN AWAY.

Our Trimming stock overflows us; we have made the most phenomenal reductions you ever heard of.

Some at \$1.65 per yard, now .25

1.25 " " .25

.50 " " .10

.45 " " .10

.40 " " .05

.35 " " .05

.25 " " .05

.12 " " .02

.10 " " .02

.08 " " .01

.05 " " .01

Ladies' and Children's Mits, close-out sale, at 10c

Our large ball of Ice Wool. Sale price 11c

Our Heminway Crochet Silk. Sale price 11c

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