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REPUBLICANS RECORD A GRAND VICTORY

A Majority of the Republican County Candidates Are Elected.

The Herald's Did the Trick

Schoener, Leib, Doerflinger, Reber and Kantner Are the Successful Republican Candidates, One or Two by Small Majorities

SHENANDOAH FAIRS BADLY!

Special to EVENING HERALD.

Pottsville, Nov. 8, 4 p. m.—The results of the elections of yesterday in this county, as near as can be arrived at from information gleaned by figuring on both the Republican and Democratic sides, and without an official count, show quite conclusively that the Republicans elect five of their candidates on the county ticket. The Democrats elect four and get the minority County Commissioner by operation of law.

The successful candidates are:

Judge, George J. Wadlinger, Pottsville.

District Attorney, Michael P. McLoughlin, Pottsville.

Treasurer, G. A. Doerflinger, Pottsville.

Prothonotary, William S. Leib, Ashland.

Clerk of the Courts, Hon. John T. Shoener, Orwigsburg.

Recorder, Joseph H. Nichter, Pottsville.

Register, Charles L. Adam, Mahanoy City.

County Commissioners, Horace F. Reber, of Pinegrove; Frank R. Kantner, of Lofty, and George Opie, of Donaldson.

Poor Director, Henry Becker, of Tamaqua.

The election of George J. Wadlinger as Judge is conceded by the Republicans and the Democrats claim his majority is from 1,800 to 2,000.

The Democrats figure that M. P. McLoughlin has 13,541 votes and Charles E. Berger 12,822, leaving McLoughlin a majority of 719. His election is conceded by the Republicans.

The Republicans figure on 15,268 for G. A. Doerflinger as County Treasurer and 15,207 for J. L. Depew, his opponent, leaving a majority of 61 for Doerflinger. The Democrats do not concede Doerflinger's election.

For Prothonotary the frieeds of W. S. Leib estimate that he has a majority of 2,500. His election is conceded by the Democrats.

For Clerk of the Courts Hon. John T. Shoener, the present incumbent, claims a majority of 2,200. His election is conceded.

For Recorder, the election of Joseph H Nichter is conceded at the office of Recorder Jenkyn by from 80 to 121.

The election of C. L. Adam as Register is conceded at the office of Register Reese by a majority of 626.

George Opie, of Donaldson, received the highest vote for County Commissioner. Horace F. Reber runs near him, and the Republicans claim the election of Frank R. Kantner by a majority of from 250 to 300, but some Democrats concede Kantner's election by 13.

On the Poor Directorship the election of Henry Becker, of Tamaqua, is conceded by a majority of anywhere from 1,200 to 2,500.

The figuring upon which the estimates given are based was made chiefly by A. J. Shortall, former Clerk of the Courts. All the returns were in at noon to-day, and the official vote will hardly change the result.

The official board will meet to-morrow, at noon, and begin making the official count on the elections.

THE EARLY HOURS.

Last evening Chairman Noonan, of the Democratic Committee, conceded the election of the entire Republican ticket, with the exception of Judge. That contest was never in doubt from the time the first half dozen districts were received. To-day, however, the Democrats claim a majority of their nominees as winners. Late this afternoon they conceded the Republicans the Clerk of Courts, Prothonotary, Treasurer by a small majority, and the election of Reber and Kantner, the latter by 13 majority. Opie, they say, receives the highest vote.

The Pottsville Club, a Republican organization, received the returns. One of the most interested members as to the result was ex-Judge Koch, who appeared well pleased with the success of Wadlinger, especially so when the returns from districts where the ex-Judge exercises much influence showed large Wadlinger gains. Judge Koch, however, displayed much solicitude for the remainder of the ticket.

Never in the history of the county was there so much cutting on both sides, but the Democrats had a shade the better of it. Not in recent years have the politicians been more at sea than they were in the contest just closed. Even the "expert returns manipulators" were at their wits end in figuring the result by comparison with the vote of previous years. Most of them gave up the task in disgust and awaited the semi-official count to-day.

MAHANOY CITY.

COUNTY JUDGE.	1	2	3	4	5
Henning, R.	100	155	140	98	245
Wadlinger, D.	415	192	107	152	343
Wadlinger's majority, 501.					
DISTRICT ATTORNEY.					
Berger, R.	105	187	176	166	257
McLoughlin, D.	432	152	70	84	219
McLough'in's majority, 46.					
COUNTY TREASURER.					
Doerflinger, R.	85	127	108	84	199
Depew, D.	437	219	140	167	389
Depew's majority, 769.					
PROTHONOTARY.					
Leib, R.	109	199	177	162	311
Carey, D.	433	142	63	84	212
CLERK OF THE COURTS.					
Shoener, R.	108	200	172	166	307
Higgins, D.	436	199	72	83	213
Shoener's majority, 10.					
RECORDER.					
Jenkyn, R.	106	190	157	130	298
Nichter, D.	432	155	87	109	282
Nichter's majority, 178.					
REGISTER.					
Reese, R.	77	103	103	93	241
Adam, D.	455	242	144	158	344
Adam's majority, 796					
COUNTY COMMISSIONERS.					
Reber, R.	114	199	178	141	319
Kantner, R.	99	173	134	134	316
Brennan, D.	420	197	68	91	217
Opie, D.	415	149	78	110	258
POOR DIRECTOR.					
Ahrensfield, R.	94	181	131	131	310
Becker, D.	435	147	82	108	250

GILBERTON BOROUGH.

EAST WARD.—Barnett 140, Creasy 96; Brown 138, Mestrezat 92; Mitchell 141, Reilly 96; Henning 180, Wadlinger 94; Berger 140, McLoughlin 111; Doerflinger 137, Depew 108; Leib 151, Carey 89; Shoener 140, Higgins 94; Jenkyns 149, Nichter 89; Reese 148, Adams 96; Reber 137, Opie 94, Kantner 139, Brennan 106; Ahrensfield 142, Becker 88.

MIDDLE WARD.—Barnett 30, Creasy 72; Brown 37, Mestrezat 71; Mitchell 29, Reilly 73; Henning 43, Wadlinger 63; Berger 32 McLoughlin 71; Doerflinger 35, Depew 69; Leib 41, Carey 67; Shoener 47, Higgins 66; Jenkyns 39, Nichter 64; Reese 35, Adams 66; Reber 48, Opie 70, Kantner 27, Brennan 62; Ahrensfield 29, Becker 61.

WEST WARD.—Barnett 69, Creasy 180; Brown 82, Mestrezat 168; Mitchell 73, Reilly 173; Henning 115, Wadlinger 154; Berger 96, McLoughlin 165; Doerflinger 74, Depew 177; Leib 89, Carey 179; Shoener 76, Higgins 181; Jenkyn 90, Nichter 152; Reese 97, Adam 162; Reber 106, Opie 143, Kantner 93, Brennan 157; Ahrensfield 93, Becker 152.

MAHANOY TOWNSHIP.

NEW BOSTON.—Barnett 18, Creasy 38; Brown 19, Mestrezat 38; Mitchell 19, Reilly 39; Henning 18, Wadlinger 41; Berger 24, McLoughlin 38; Doerflinger 17, Depew 42; Leib 19, Carey 37; Shoener 15, Higgins 43; Jenkyns 19, Nichter 39; Reese 17, Adam 42; Reber 20, Opie 38; Brennan 39, Kantner 24; Ahrensfield 19, Becker 36.

HILLS.—Barnett 44; Creasy 95; Brown 57, Mestrezat 82; Mitchell 56, Reilly 83; Henning 42, Wadlinger 97; Berger 53, McLoughlin 83; Doerflinger 28, Depew 114; Leib 58, Carey 81; Shoener 32, Higgins 86; Jenkyns 58; Nichter 81; Reese 84, Adam 43; Reber 46, Opie 61; Kantner 68, Brennan 85; Ahrensfield 66, Becker 69.

MOREA.—Henning, 78, Wadlinger, 91; Berger 54, McLoughlin 42; Doerflinger 18, Depew 77; Leib 66, Carey 29; Shoener 72, Higgins 28; Jenkyns 39, Nichter 56; Reese 28, Adam 59; Reber 60, Brennan 29, Kantner 65, Opie 26; Ahrensfield 61, Becker 29.

COLES NO. 1.—Barnett 24, Creasey 49; Brown 26, Mestrezat 48; Mitchell 26, Reilly 48; Henning 26, Wadlinger 47; Berger 23, McLoughlin 51; Doerflinger 24, Depew 50; Leib 24, Carey 50; Shoener 23, Higgins 51; Jenkyn 25, Nichter 49; Reese 22, Adam 52; Reber 25, Brennan 49, Kantner 25, Opie 48; Ahrensfield 23, Becker 50.

JACKSONS.—Henning 34, Wadlinger 123; Berger 41, McLoughlin 116; Doerflinger 63, Depew 94; Lieb 49, Carey 107; Shoener 51, Higgins 106; Jenkyns 37, Nichter 115; Reese 28, Adam 128; Reber 44, Brennan 110; Kantner 44, Opie 100; Ahrensfield 41, Becker 107

DELANO.—Henning 67, Wadlinger 126; Berger 79, McLhughlin 118; Doerflinger 3, Depew 197; Leib 75, Carey 117; Shoener 85, Higgins 111; Jenkyns 77, Nichter 117; Reese 74, Adam 118; Reber 79, Brennan 110, Kantner 79, Opie 104; Ahrensfield 64, Becker 123.

LANDISARS.—Henning 68, Wadlinger 142; Berger 68 McLoughlin 140; Doerflinger 68, Depew 142; Leib 64, Carey 146; Shoener 64, Higgins 144; Jenkyn 66, Nichter 142, Reese 67, Adam 141; Reber 69, Brennan 141, Kantner 65, Opie 136; Ahrensfield 66, Becker 140.

FRACKVILLE.

Henning 295, Wadlinger 129, Berger 318, McLoughlin 106, Doerflinger 300, Depew 125, Leib 344, Carey 80, Shoener 321, Higgins 99, Jenkyn 321, Nichter 98, Reese 310, Adam 109, Reber 315, Kantner 290, Brennan 95, Opie 114, Ahrensfield 299, Becker 104.

GIRARDVILLE.

EAST WARD.—Barnett 96, Creasy 134, Brown, 93, Mestrezat 140, Mitchell 96, Reilly 135, Henning 103, Wadlinger 153, Berger 97, McLoughlin 137, Doerflinger 102, Depew 139, Leib 94, Carey 145, Shoener 107, Higgins 130, Jenkyn 105, Nichter 130, Reese 100, Adam 137, Reber 99, Kantner 109, Brennan 135, Opie 117, Ahrensfield 92, Becker 138.

NORTH CASS TOWNSHIP.—Barnett 75, Creasy 90; Brown 57, Mestrezat 114; Mitchell 52, Reilly 124; Henning 66 Wadlinger 108; Berger 54, McLoughlin 121; Doerflinger 80, Depew 94; Leib 60, Carey 111; Schoener 53, Higgins 118; Jenkyn 58, Nichter 114; Reese 54 Adams 113; Reber 47, Kantner 46; Brennan 126, Opie 101; Ahrensfield 67, Becker 98.

WEST MAHANOY TWP.

BROWNSVILLE.—Henning 15, Wadlinger 90; Berger 23, McLoughlin 84; Doerflinger 22, Depew 84; Leib 33, Carey 65; Shoener 26, Higgins 81; Jenkyn 45, Nichter 60; Reese 36, Adam 70; Reber 17, Brennan 91; Kantner 30, Opie 60; Ahrensfield 23, Becker 68.

LOST CREEK.—Henning 69; Wadlinger 229; Berger 68, McLoughlin 221; Doerflinger 67, Depew 217, Leib 64, Carey 123; Shoener 66, Higgins 220; Jenkyn 123, Nichter 199; Reese 78, Adam 208; Reber 61, Brennan 226; Kantner 187, Opie 125; Ahrensfield 60, Becker 213.

WM. PENN.—Barnett 44, Creasy 77; Brown 47; Mestrezat 75; Mitchell 46, Reilly 75;

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THE LOCAL RESULTS.

A Flattering Vote Given the Home Candidates and Wadlinger.

There was no town in the county upon which the interest of the candidates and workers in yesterday's elections centered more than upon Shenandoah. It was known that unlimited cutting was being indulged in on both sides, but knowledge of the real extent and the advantage gained by either side was dependent solely upon the final count, and that showed a decided advantage gained by the Democrats, more particularly by Wadlinge., Brennan and Higgins. Neither of these candidates can complain that the people of Shenandoah are not generous with their complimentaries. On the other hand, Kantner, one of the Republican candidates for County Commissioner, must be forced to the conclusion by the local returns that the Democrats do not dispose of complimentaries with the same unstinted hand. Mr. Kantner's vote was somewhat larger in town than that of his running mate, Reber, but was proportionately smaller than Mr. Kantner's friends had been led to expect through the promises of many prominent Democratic voters.

The cutting done in this contest was unprecedented. It is noted that every home town of the different candidates gave majorities for its candidates. T. J. Higgins, candidate for Clerk of the Courts, had the highest majority, 744, and was closely followed by Wadlinger. Brennan led Kantner by 701, and Reese, the Republicans' home candidate, was defeated in this town by 373. Depew had every vote in Delano but three, while Kantner's home town of Lofty gave him almost a unanimous vote.

It does not require a magnifying glass to detect by the returns that the Republicans of the town are more susceptible to the insidious complimentary disease than their Democratic neighbors, and that the latter are more partial to the "head I win and tail you lose" policy. This was strikingly demonstrated in the Second ward, where the Democrats polled 93 straight votes and the Republicans but 54.

Taking the vote of the borough as a whole it was about as large as that of last fall. The voters came out in bunches during the closing hours of the election and ran up the total vote rapidly. The Socialist vote did not develop near as strong as the members of the party had predicted and fell about twenty-five per cent below the vote of last fall. Last year the Socialists polled over a hundred votes. This year they fell below the hundred mark, and this notwithstanding the party claimed an accession to its ranks through the bunches of naturalizations during the past year.

Both the Democratic and Republican parties opened headquarters in town last night to receive the returns. The former held forth in the Columbus Club room, in the Reddall building, and the latter in the Egan building. As the returns were received from the respective local wards the Democrats became jubilant and claimed everything in sight. They were encouraged by telegraphic returns from the Democratic headquarters at Pottsville until about midnight, when a change seemed to take place and the enthusiasm dwindled to a fervent hope. By 1 a. m. the Democratic claims covered less than half the ticket, and shortly after that hour nearly all of them went home cherishing but one consolation, and that rested on the election of Wadlinger.

The Republicans kept their headquarters open until after 3 a. m. and the returns they received up to that hour were of a most rosy hue, with the exception of the returns on Henning's vote. The Republican headquarters at Pottsville sent out a 2 a. m. bulletin conceding Wadlinger's election by about 500, but claiming the election of the balance of the Republican ticket. This sent the Republicans home in good spirits.

STATE TICKET.

STATE TREASURER.	1	2	3	4	5	Tot
Barnett, R.	97	111	229	134	156	727
Creasy, D.	402	153	295	230	327	1384
Creasy's plurality, 621.						
SUPREME COURT JUDGE.						
Brown, R.	99	117	240	135	163	754
Mestrezat, D.	397	143	216	225	317	1298
Mestrezat's plurality, 544.						
SUPERIOR JUDGE.						
Mitchell, R.	97	114	240	134	163	748
Reilly, D.	433	148	215	238	319	1311
Reilly's plurality, 563.						

COUNTY TICKET.

COUNTY JUDGE.	1	2	3	4	5	Tot.
Henning, R.	85	97	223	134	146	685
Wadlinger, D.	421	173	248	236	348	1426
Wadlinger's plurality, 741.						
DISTRICT ATTORNEY.						
Berger, R.	92	117	239	141	176	785
McLoughlin, D.	410	146	203	215	311	1285
McLoughlin's plurality, 500.						
COUNTY TREASURER.						
Doerflinger, R.	99	113	256	146	175	783
Depew, D.	397	153	308	244	315	1397
Depew's plurality, 587.						
PROTHONOTARY.						
Leib, R.	86	151	300	147	178	842
Carey, D.	415	139	162	216	307	1233
Carey's plurality, 391.						
CLERK OF THE COURTS.						
Shoener, R.	79	102	207	133	186	677
Higgins, D.	422	161	261	239	338	1421
Higgins' plurality, 744.						
RECORDER.						
Jenkyn, R.	104	124	267	155	173	823
Nichter, D.	391	125	197	211	306	1230
Nichter's plurality, 415.						
REGISTER.						
Reese, R.	126	132	267	143	187	855
Adam, D.	375	134	196	217	306	1228
Adam's plurality, 373.						
COUNTY COMMISSIONERS.						
Reber, R.	68	83	222	139	142	649
Kantner, R.	89	118	254	149	165	775
Brennan, D.	440	186	256	242	352	1476
Opie, D.	397	127	173	198	295	1190

Brennan over Kantner, 701; Brennan over Reber, 833; Opie over Kantner, 415; Opie over Reber, 547; Brennan over Opie, 286; Kantner over Reber, 152.

POOR DIRECTOR.

Ahrensfield, R.	81	100	234	143	144	699
Becker, D.	414	145	213	205	316	1293
Becker's plurality, 594.						

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THE REPUBLICANS LEAD

In the Contests Carried on in Twelve States Tuesday.

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MARYLAND GOES DEMOCRATIC.

The Followers of Bryan Carry the Day in Nebraska.

In Pennsylvania the Full Republican Ticket Is Elected, Although State Treasurer-Elect Barnett Has a Reduced Plurality. Republicans Lead in New York, but Tammany Carries the Great City—Republican Gains in New Jersey—Crane Elected Governor of Massachusetts.

Columbus, O., Nov. 8.—At midnight the chairmen of the Republican and Democratic state committees were claiming the election of their respective state tickets, and also a majority of the legislature. There are no Jones legislative candidates, but Samuel M. Jones, mayor of Toledo, is certainly the closest third that ever entered the Ohio gubernatorial race. The indications are that he has drawn more heavily from the Republicans in the cities than from the Democrats, with the exception of Columbus and smaller cities, and that the Jones vote will not be so large in the rural districts. There is not the usual percentage of either Republican or Democratic gains or losses, as the gains run for the Republicans in some places and for the Democrats in other sections. Even after the returns are complete from Cincinnati, Cleveland and Toledo it may be difficult to reach the result positively, owing to the tide in the Jones vote, which runs in streaks and causes Republican losses in some places and Democratic losses in other places. Judge Nash claims his election as governor, and Republican Chairman Dick said he was assured the Republicans had carried everything, but he had no figure yet to announce. A press representative sent to Mr. McLean, at his residence, asking if he claimed his election, and received the reply that he had no answer yet to make. Chairman Seward, of the Democratic committee, said he was not prepared yet to answer the question.

Later returns show that the Democratic gains in Cincinnati and other cities were reduced, and that McLean was likely third at Cleveland and possibly at Toledo, in which cities Jones drew much more heavily from the Democrats than from the Republicans. At the same time the Republican net gains outside of Cincinnati, Cleveland and Toledo were increasing at such a rate as to indicate a plurality of 30,000 to 40,000 for Judge Nash for governor and the entire Republican state ticket, including a majority of the legislature.

THE VOTE OF KENTUCKY.

Republicans Claim the State by Ten Thousand Plurality.

Louisville, Nov. 8.—At midnight Chairman Long, of the Republican campaign committee, claimed that General Taylor had carried the state by from 10,000 to 15,000 plurality. He says that Taylor has carried the Third, Fourth, Fifth, Ninth and Eleventh congressional districts, while the Eighth and Tenth are close. The Republicans have made heavy gains in most all of the Democratic strongholds, which were expected to give Goebel large majorities. Chairman Long claims the Republicans have carried the city of Louisville by from 3,000 to 5,000 majority. Returns received up to midnight also indicate the election of the entire Republican ticket, while the complexion of the legislature is in doubt. The weather throughout the state was perfect and more than an average vote was polled, the total falling but little short of the vote in the last presidential election. Comparatively little disorder prevailed, and aside from several arrests for alleged violations of election laws, the election was characterized by a remarkable degree of quietude.

The Courier-Journal (Dem.) from its figures, says the result is in doubt, but the Post (Dem.), which has opposed Goebel, claims Taylor's election by 10,000.

Senator Blackburn and others at Goebel headquarters at midnight admitted the returns from many Democratic counties are disappointing, but claim this is partially offset by private dispatches from the Eleventh district, indicating a falling off in the Republican vote. Blackburn now claims Goebel will win by 5,000. This is a reduction of 25,000 as compared with claims made two hours earlier.

MARYLAND AGAIN DEMOCRATIC.

Smith Elected Governor and the Democrats Control the Legislature.

Baltimore, Nov. 8.—Incomplete returns from the city of Baltimore and meagre reports from the state indicate that the Republicans of Maryland have been overwhelmingly defeated, and that John Walter Smith, the Democratic candidate, has been elected governor by a majority variously estimated from 10,000 to 15,000. There is also a reasonable certainty that the lower house of the general assembly will be Democratic by a large majority, and that the Democrats will elect enough state senators to overcome the Republican advantage among the hold-over senators, thereby controlling both branches of the legislature.

The Democrats have carried the three legislative districts in Baltimore city, and the probabilities are that they will have 75 members in the lower house of the general assembly, while the Republicans appear to have elected but 16. The senate will be very close, with the chances slightly favoring the Democratic claim of a majority of two.

On the face of the returns the Republicans have carried but five counties in the state, viz.: Allegheny, Charles, Garrett, Anne Arundel and Somerset. Five others are doubtful. These are Carroll, Dorchester, Prince Georges, St. Mary's and Calvert. The Democrats have carried beyond a reasonable doubt the remaining 13, including Frederick and Washington, by majorities ranging from 1,200 in Baltimore county and 1,000 in Worcester, down to a very close margin in some of the others.

The Democrats are wild with enthusiasm, while the Republicans are correspondingly depressed over the result, which they are inclined to attribute to treachery among the followers of Mayor Malster and United States Senator George L. Wellington. The latter has taken no part in the campaign, and has not hesitated, since his resignation as chairman of the state central committee a few weeks ago, to predict the overwhelming defeat of the Republican ticket.

A special from Cumberland to the Baltimore Sun quotes Senator Wellington as saying that this was one of the happiest days of his life. The senator added:

"The defeat of the Republican party in this contest was not a surprise to me. At the time of my retirement from the chairmanship of the state central committee of the party there was no question in my mind as to the result. I counseled Governor Lowndes then that his only escape from defeat was his retirement from the ticket. I felt convinced that after his duplicity, weakness and treachery it would be impossible for him to be elected. He preferred the advice of the coterie of Republicans and assistant Republicans, Cowen and Warfield, at whose dictation he had betrayed me. I knew that he was foredoomed to defeat and though some of my friends thought it wise for me to put myself on record in a declaration that he would be beaten, I felt no hesitation, because of the conviction I had. This is not a defeat for the Republican party, it is a defeat for Lowndes and his personal allies."

The "Gold Democrats," as an organization, supported Governor Lowndes, but they seem to have but little, if any, effect on the result.

WORKMEN STRIKE.

Men at the New Packer No. 4 Breaker Quit Work.

About twenty Italians employed on the foundations for the new Packer No. 4 colliery breaker of the Lehigh Valley Coal Company struck this morning. The trouble is not between the company and the men, but a private affair between the latter and Harry Manville, of Hazleton, the contractor.

It is alleged as a cause of the strike that when the work was started the contractor agreed to pay the men on the first day of every month and that, under this arrangement, last Wednesday should have been pay day. It is stated that nothing was said about the pay until this morning, when the contractor announced that the men would be paid on the 15th inst. The strike followed

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A Wife's Troubles.

Justice Shoemaker to day issued a warrant for the arrest of Frank Wierczkowski and Mary Brennan, from whom John Dovedaitis was divorced. The complaint was made by Wierczkowski's wife, Pawlina. She alleges that the two defendants have taken some household effects belonging to her and, therefore, charges larceny. She also charges her husband with threatening to kill her with a knife, and with desertion and non-support. The wife told Justice Shoemaker that her husband and the Brennan woman eloped yesterday. No arrests have yet been made.

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Saloonkeeper Arrested.

Frank Wierczkowski is the propietor of a saloon on East Lloyd street. About nine months ago Frank Washinski paid a visit to the saloon and while there was robbed of $20. but did not know then who committed the deed. A warrant was sworn out before Justice Toomey and last evening Wierczkowski was arrested by Policeman Foyle. The accused is now in the lockup awaiting a hearing.

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The Ministerial Association.

The regular monthly meeting of the Schuylkill County Ministerial Association met in Pottsville on Monday, and there was a large attendance. The meeting was an interesting one, several important subjects being discussed at length. Rev. George Elliott, pastor of the Pottsville M. E. church, read a paper on "The pulpit and Politics." It was a good subject, and was ably handled by Dr. Elliott. This was followed by a general discussion principally on the line of reforms in politics. It was brought out that a large number of the clergymen in the county had written to the different candidates asking for contributions for their churches, and in return pledging their own and their congregations' support. This was most strongly condemned by the clergymen present.

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Foot Mashed.

Peter Saluskey, a resident of Bridge street had one of his feet mashed by a fall of rock at the Maple Hill colliery this morning and was taken to the Miners' hospital on the noon P. & R. train.

Schley Orchestra Dance.

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