

Iowa State Bystander.

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ELECTION RETURNS.

IOWA REPUBLICAN BY ALMOST 60,000 PLURALITY.

Republicans Also Carry Ohio, Massachusetts and Kentucky—Maryland and Nebraska Are Democratic.

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The Baptist church gave a donation party in the honor of Rev. Tate and family Thursday.

There was a G. S. C. club organized at the Baptist church Friday evening.

The queen of Iowa Tabernacle met in the Star hall Friday afternoon.

Mr. John L. Thompson was in our town on business Thursday.

Mrs. E. Willis made a call on Mrs. Taylor Duke Thursday.

Mr. J. C. Plumer a traveling artist of Des Moines is reading here he will spend the winter.

Maud Jackson who has been ill is better at this writing.

Mrs. John James who has been sick for some time is convalescent.

Sam Willson is on the sick list.

Mr. and Mrs. Edwin made a call on Mrs. Wilson Sunday and also Miss Helen Hunter.

Maud Stee and Miss Jackson, Mrs. H. Jackson sister of Quincy, Ill. is visiting her.

Mr. Arthur Wilson and Miss Emma Douglas of Muschaknock were visiting friends here Sunday.

Oscar Smith returned home Friday, from Seattle Washington where he has been visiting relatives.

Mr. St. Clair has open a drug store.

The Daughters of Tabor gave an entertainment Saturday evening.

The American Coal company has opened a new mine three miles from here.

ALBIA NEWS.

Mrs. Dr. Lawther of Des Moines was in Hocking and Albia on business for a few days.

Mrs. Alexander of Ottumwa visited in Albia and Hocking this week.

Editor, J. L. Thompson of Des Moines was in Albia on Wednesday on business and on his way to Coalfield.

Mrs. Josie Meadows of Albia made her usual trip to Muschaknock this week.

Nepital of Davis and Martin and Davis and Reed. Miss Ada Davis of Albia and Mr. P. A. Reed of Hocking, Miss Della Davis and Mr. Elize Martin of Garden Grove were both united in marriage at the home of the brides' parents on Wednesday evening, Rev. W. A. Searcy officiating, a large crowd was present, both white and colored friends a nice supper served and numerous presents were given by the many friends of the brides. Cornations, pinks, smilax and roses were the flowers. The brides were dressed in white swiss and organdy, the gentlemen attired in black. The two couples to their respective homes with the best wishes and congratulation of most of Albia friends. Those present from out of Albia were; Laura Schofield of Oskaloosa, Mrs. D. Mason, Mrs. John Davis of Ottumwa and Mrs. Mamie Shelton of Chariton.

On the 10th of December, 1897, Rev. S. A. Donahoe, pastor M. E. church, South Pt. Pleasant, W. Va., contracted a severe cold which was attended from the beginning by violent coughing. He says: "after resorting to a number of so-called 'specifics,' usually kept in the house, to no purpose, I purchased a bottle of Chamberlain's Cough Remedy, which acted like a charm. I most cheerfully recommend it to the public. For sale by all Druggists."

\$2.75 BOX RAIN COAT.



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To Ottumwa, Kirksville, Moberly, Kansas City and St. Louis. Through chair car and sleepers to above points. The Wabash also has on sale the first and third Tuesday in each month round trip tickets at one fare plus \$2.00 to nearly all points in Missouri, Kansas, Alabama and Arkansas good for 21 days to return.

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NOTICE TO REDEEM FROM TAX SALE.

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That the same was, at such sale, purchased by Guy Hunter and a certificate issued to him by the Treasurer of Polk county, Iowa, and by the said Guy Hunter the certificate was duly assigned to J. H. Phillips, and he is now the owner and holder of said certificate, and the right of redemption will expire and a Treasurer's deed for said property will be made, unless redemption from such sale be made within ninety days from the completed service hereof.

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