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THE ELECTIONS.

The elections on the 6th inst. passed off quietly, the vote being much lighter than that of last year, and both parties losing considerably by independent, greenback, working men's and prohibition tickets.

New York elects the Democratic State ticket, consisting of minor officers, by about 15,000 majority. The Legislature is yet in doubt, the Senate being possibly a tie, and the House Democratic.

Pennsylvania, for a wonder, goes Democratic by ten to fifteen thousand majority. Only minor State officers are elected.

Massachusetts is Republican by a plurality of about thirteen thousand. The Massachusetts Republicans endorsed Hayes' policy in convention.

Virginia went Democratic, of course, there being no organized opposition.

Mississippi also went Democratic, the Independents being remorselessly beaten everywhere except in one county.

Maryland elects a Democratic Legislature. The working men's vote, in Baltimore, was insignificant.

Michigan, Wisconsin and Kansas went Republican, as was expected.

None of the Legislatures just elected will have any effect on the United States Senate, except as regards the Senators holding over next year.

HAD NO IDEA OF BUSINESS.—A reporter on the local edition of the Danbury News went to see the young lady he is keeping company with on Sunday evening. She met him at the door with a colorless face.

"Oh, Tom!" she cried, in an agitated voice, "we have had such a scare! Ma was coming down stairs and she caught her foot in the carpet and went the whole length—"

"Hold on!" shouted the excited youth, diving nervously into his hip pocket for his note-book, while he whipped out a pencil from another recess. "Now go on! go on, Matilda! go on, but be calm! For heaven's sake, be calm! Kill her!"

"Gracious, no!" "Break her back! Crush her skull! Be calm, be calm! For the sake of science, be calm!"

"Why, Tom," gasped the girl, frightened by his impetuosity, "it wasn't serious. It was—"

"Wasn't serious?" he gasped, in turn. "Do you mean to say she didn't break anything after all that fuss?"

"Why, certainly not. She never hurt herself a bit."

"Well," ejaculated the young man with an expression of disgust on his face, as he sadly restored the book and pencil to their places, "that's all a woman knows about business."

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