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Rev．Father Koch，of St．Edward＇s Ro－
man Catholic charch，Shamokin，has Joined the crusade against the akating
rinks．On last Sunday he delivered a
stirring philippic on the subiect stirring philippic on the subject，in
which he denounced the rinks asgrosaly
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tionable assoiations thereof，the free－ dom of action that comeses from the so－
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ure of persons by falls that are inevitable even with the moost agile ekaters．There
the virtuous girl and the woman of loose the virtuous girl and the woman of loose
character meot on a common plane
equally open to the wiles of the liber tine and seducer．Parents permit their young to meet and commune there with
those whom they would those whom they would scorn to admi
to their home circle．If evil flows from the contamination，who will be at frult？
Father Koch expressed the hope that his young poople would woek more suitable
recreation in the futare，and counselled parents to pay closer attention to thei
children rinks by members of his flock woul
bring the foftenders under the disciplin bring the offenders under the discipine
of the church．The sermon aroused
muth interest in the congragation of
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below the Allegheny county．Ther reve－
nues have suffered from the depression
in business，and the estimates for the
carrent fiscal year show a deficit in the

nesessitate additional relief．
The Governor urges the equalization
of the burdens of taxation on real estate
and personal property．While the state
levies no tax on real eatate directlo
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call for the prompt repeal of the Federa
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regulate appointments under the State
adopted in Massachusetts and New
York．
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dations is for a constitutional amend ment abolishing the payment of tax as a
gualification for electora，This is right direction，as the present system
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