If marriage is a failure, a very unsuccessful week has just come to a close. There were more weddings in Pittsburg and Allegheny last week than during any other six days of 1892. There were so many weddings that the supply of "best men" and bridesmaids ran short, and the same young men and maidens were called upon to act at more than one wedding during the week In these times a wedding must have the proper auxilliaries or it is not satisfactory to the friends of the principals, which is one of the main points of consideration in the modern marriage ceremonies. So the eligible young men and maidens who make a good figure in church or parlor, and who are good natured and willing to see their friends take the important step that they know may be their fate at some time, have been in great request, and have been compelled during the week to do double duty. A pretty idea in fall weddings is using the chrysanthemum in decorating the house and church, and, in some cases, for the bouquet carried by the bride. The Japanese imperial biossom is grand enough to be used in the most important ceremonies of life, and surely there is none more important than a wedding.

We are promised almost as many November weddings as we had in October. Among them are the Jones-Dalzell, on the 16th; Humphreys-Stephenson, on the 10th; Mc-Kee-Sutton, on the 21st; Garland-McKibbin, on the 8th, and Beymer-Gregg on the 10th. Out-of-town weddings will be the Flack-Clark, at Washington, Pa., on the 1st, and the Preston-Elliott, at Verona. All these are of considerable interest to Pitts-

The musicale to be given Friday evening in the parlors of Mr. and Mrs. S. Jarvis Adams, Grandview, Shadyside, will be under the direction of Miss S. H. Killikelly and Mr. William B. Edwards. The affair will be for the benefit of the nurses' dormitory of the Homeopathic Hospital, and will be carried out by a number of leaders of Pittsburg society. It is expected that some brilliant toilets will be seen, a number of ladies who will attend having allowed it to contracting parties were Miss Lucy Miller leak out that they will appear in some of and Mr. William Werner. There were over ladles who will attend having allowed it to the daintiest creations of the dressmaker's art, made or imported specially for the oc-casion. Mrs. Josiah Cohen has consented to render a pianoforte solo, and it is there-fore certain that a treat is in store for all lovers of music. Chocolate, coffee, ice eream and oysters will be dispensed by the fair hands of some of the ladies interested, and it is expected that a large sum will be realized from these sources, as well as from the sale of tickets. Among those who will be on the musical programme besides Mrs. Coben are Mrs. Celestia McDonald, Mrs. Wm. P. Wolfe, Mrs. A. Israel, Mrs. Mau-rice Coster, Mrs. Franz Schmeideke, the noted harpiste from the Bremen Grand Opera House; Miss Mary Bankerd, Mr. Wm. B. Edwards and Mr. F. J. Bassman. This musicale will be decadedly the social affair of the week. Mrs. Wm. Thaw is President of the week. Mrs. Mm. Thaw is President of the association, Mrs. S. Jarvis Adams and Mrs. T. B. Robbins, Vice Presidents; Mrs. George L. McCoy, Secretary; Mrs. H. E. Collins, Treasurer, while the Board of Managers comprises the names of most of the prominent society ladies of Pittsburg.

Autumn leaves are being pressed into the service of fall brides. We talk about June roses for June weddings, but it must be allowed that autumn leaves for autumn weddings are quite as beautiful, as well as appropriate. At an out-of-town wedding of last week a bridal couple stood under a canopy of autumn leaves of reds, browns, yellows and greens. The effect is said to have been indescribably lovely.

Superstition is not fashionable in these practical days, and yet how many a maiden will to-morrow night be tempted to try some of the charms that are supposed to bring to her earthly gaze the spiritual presentment of her husband-that-is-to-be! There is a sweet fascination about "All Hallow E'en that is irresistible, no matter how one may fight against it. There will be the delightful drawing around the wide fireplaces, with nuts and apples, and all the fun that is usually attendant upon parties on the 31st of October. It is stated in old book of English tolk fore that a lime kiln is a useful agent in finding out the name of a future husband. The charm is worked in this wise: If a mayde would know ye name of ve man she is to marrie, let her, on All Hallow E'en, steal out to a lime kiln and throw in a clue of blue yarn, still holding ye other end. Presently ye end in ye kiin will be sharply pulled. Then ye mayde must say, "Who hold?" Where-upon ye voice of her future husband will pronounce his name—both ye Christian and surname. There may not be any lime kilns in Pittsburg, but if they are needed for such an important purpose as this, no doubt they will be forthcoming. Maidens in Pittsburg are not to be kept out of such a delightful secret as the names of their matrimonial inter by the simple objection of a scarcity of lime kilns. Besides, it may be found that a lime kiln will be a good substitute for a well. At all events, it is

Stepping from the ideal to the intensely practical, one of the latest fads in Paris is to eat the chrysanthemum flower. Worse, the flower is cooked before being devoured, One way is to boil and eat it hot, like potatoes or sauer kraut, although epicures steam the flowers, flavor them with a clove, and eat them with truffles, sprinkled with pepper and salt.

The silver wedding of Mr. and Mrs. S. Win Wilson, of Clarion, Pa., was celebrated on Monday evening. A large number of invited guests assembled to congratulate them on the 25 years of happy married life. them on the 25 years of happy married life.

Mr. and Mrs. Wilson were assisted in receiving by Mr. and Mrs. Eli Edmundson,
Miss Lawson and Mrs. J. Wade McGowin,
of Pittsburg, Congressman and Mrs.
George F. Kribbs, Judge and Mrs. Barr,
Senator and Mrs. J. H. Wilson, Adjutant
General Greenland and Mrs. Greenland,
Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Henderson, of Brookville, Pa., and others from various parts of
the State.

A quiet home welding that will take place in November is that of Miss Lulu L. Young, eldest daughter of Hon. A. B. Young, of Wilkinsburg, to Mr. Richard Ahrens, of Jamestown, Dakota, formerly of

To-morrow morning at 10 o'clock Miss Molly McFarland, daughter of Mrs. Catherine McFarland, of Oakland, will become the bride of Mr. G. W. McFarland, of Canton, O. The ceremony will be performed at the bride's home, Rev. J. L. Andrews efficiating. After the wedding breakfast the couple will leave for an Eastern trip before taking up their nermanent residence in Canton, O. Miss dis one of the belles of Oaklan wedding will

be an interesting event to a very large circle

The Linden Club gave an imprompts dance last Thursday evening, which, like all hastily gotten up affairs, was very much enjoyed. Among the guests were Mr. and Mrs. Speir, Mr. and Mrs. Henry Fownes, Mrs. Horner, Mr. and Mrs. E. Fownes, the Misses Stephensons, Miss McCance, Miss Nellie Duncan, Miss Armstrong, Mr. Walter Stephenson, Mr. E. Kellar, Dr. Ward, Mr. A. C. Duncan and Mr. McCance. A gay time at the club is expected this winter.

An engagement just announced is that of Miss Katherine E. Thomas, of Oakland, to Mr. Edward A. Spencer, of Shadyside.

A party of 50 met at the residence of Mrs. J. J. Vandergrift, last Wednesday evening, to meet Mrs. Reno, of Minneapolis, and Mrs. Mitchell, of Des Moines, Ia. The house was handsomely decorated with exotics from Mrs. Vandergrift's own conservatory, and presented a truly lovely appearance. Mr. Harry Vandergrift, Miss Reno, Miss Young, Miss Howard and Mr. Buchanan sang and recited, and the evening was most interesting throughout.

The opening entertainment of the season of the Union League took place last night.

The first concert of this season of the East End Musical Club takes place Friday, November 4, in the New Orpheus Hall, Everett and Luna streets, East End. The choruses will be: "Sanctum from Mozart's XII Mass;" "Love in May." Lefevre (from XVII Century); "Ode to Columbus," with Mr. E. C. Grant, formerly of Richmond, in the solo role. Miss Grace Miller, Mr. M. S. Rocereto, Miss Agues Liddell and Mr. J. C. Breil will participate in the pro-

THE SOCIAL MIRROR.

A Reflection of the Gay Events of the Past Week.

A fashionable wedding took place in Alle gheny on Thursday evening at the residence of the bride's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Jacob Miller, Pennsylvania avenue. The and Mr. William Werner. There were over 150 friends of the happy couple present to witness the ceremony. The Rev. G. A. Boehring, of Allegheny officiated. Among those present were Mr. and Mrs. Greenewalt, of Wilkinsburg: Mrs. Charles Hummelmer, of New York: Mr. and Mrs. Trich, of Wilkinsburg: Mrs. Fassett, Mr. and Mrs. Braustetter, Mr. and Mrs. Linn, Mrs. Fasbinder, Mr. and Mrs. Werner, the Misses Bott, Miss Huber, the Misses Fasbinders, Mrs. Nimert and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. F. Gray, Mr. and Mrs. M. Kress, Mr. and Mrs. John Kress, Mr. and Mrs. A. Bierman. The bride wore a dress of light gray lansdown, trimmed in white silk lace and ribbon, and carried white roses. The bridesmaid, Miss Alice Miller, the bride's sister, wore a gown of cream white casimere, trimmed in white lace and ribbons and carried pink roses. Mr. and Mrs. Werner have gone to live in a new house on Fayette street.

A pleasant home wedding was celebrated Thursday evening at the residence of Mr. and Mrs. John Stokes, Ellsworth street, Allegheny, Rev. Dr. Holmes officiating. The contracting parties were Mr. Samuel Mc-Kean Fry and Miss Lucy K. Stokes, who are popular young people in Allegheny society. The bride is organist of the German M. E. Church. After the marriage ceremony there was a reception at which the following were present: Mr. and Mrs. David Fry, Captain and Mrs. William Merrington, Mr. and Mrs. W. P. Fairman, Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Menrs, Mr. and Mrs. Harry Kay, Mrs. Charlotte Anthony, Mrs. Martha Allison, Mrs. Emma Close, the Misses Georgie Martin, Emma Herron, Ida Dobson, Mary Werkmeister, Minnie Fry, Sadie Fry. Myrtle Fry, Ressie Stokes and the Messrs. Hugh Cameron, Boyd Nthiock, Daniel Brown, Ellis Metz, Charles Workmeister, Ed Werkmeister, Mr. and Mrs. William Baldwin and John H. Stokes. The bride is organist of the German M. E.

An enjoyable event of the week was the dancing party given last Tuesday evening by C. B. Kennedy and T. F. Merritt, at the ne of the latter on Dinwiddle street. Dancing was participated in from 8:30 until midnight, after which lunch was served. Among those present were the Misses Fen-wick, Scheffler, Lewis, Kincald, Constans, Wilkinson, Graham, Cleary, Blake, Her-mansdorfer, Boyd, Girard, Watson, Quinn, Hemebrich, Stone, Crawford, Copeland, Mrs. A. T. Farr, F. C. Ort, Vankirk, Waugheman, and Messrs, Fuitor, Pagel, McDougal, Schaffer, Matheson, Miller, Schaur, Jordon, Kelly, Ramsey, Nelson, O'Neil, Hard, Billinger, Haney, Ross, Swirt, Mosser, Bowman, Orr. Wagner, Stowe, Wickersham, Pennock, Herbert and Mirton. Among those present were the Misses Fen-

The Belle-Va-Rados held their second reception Wednesday last at their parlors, 25 Federal street. It was pronounced by all very successful. Among those present were very successful. Among those present were the Misses Maier, Fisher, Williams, Miller, Maxweil, Elake, Shields, Moore, Edgar, Thomas, Duff, Kelly, Dunn, Duff, Nicklass, Mudge, Kaul, Ferguson, Madden, McCutcheon, O'Hara, Pritchard, Madden, and Messrs, Flocker, Turbett, Nicklass, Anderson, McCutcheon, Swager, Zimmerman, Kenchler, Schlotters, Felton, Sherer, Matheson, Wormsley, Pagel, Blemmings, Schaffer, McGaw, Bishop, Gallers, Norris, Ueckerman, Voie, Roberts, Wylie, Moore, E. McDongail, F. W. Bowman, G. W. Miller and B. N. Dorr. The club will hold another reception November 9.

Last Thursday evening Mr. John Loder, Corresponding secretary of Local Union No. 46, Iron Molders' Union of North America, was the recipient of a present of a crayon portrait of himself and wife. The gentlemen forming the party assembled at the residence of J. A. Stewart, Federal the residence of J. A. Stewart, Federal street, Aliegheny, and accompanied by music, marched in a body to the residence of Mrs. Loder's mother, Penn avenue, where the pictures were presented by President Fitzsimons. Among those present were: Frank Humphreys, Samuel Hibos, John Fivan, Jerry Hackett, Moses P. Deli, James H. Hambley, John A. Killen, John Murtz, Joseph B. Fitzsimmons, John Hosck, Frank Barrie and William Gibson.

Thursday evening a pleasant surprise party was given at the home of Mr. Lawrence Shaners, Allegheny. The occasion was in honor of his birthday anniversary. was in honor of his birthday anniversary. Music, dancing, rames and refreshments made up the evening's enjoyment. The mests were: Mr. and Mrs. Shaners, James Sample, Frank Hein, F. Barn, H. Myer, Al Beckert, A. Kinlein, R. Burns, H. Ludwig, James B. Smythe, Charles and Peter Bahl, Charles Galinher, John and Joseph Detzei, John Ferguson, L. Meyer, the Misses Mosa and Frances Shaners, Clara Bogus, Maggie Beckert, Lizzie and Mary Bahl, Miss caffery, Miss Kinlein, Miss Kelly, Miss Detzel and Rosy Bahl.

Last Wednesday evening Miss Mary Webrii, of Edmond street, was agreeably Wohrli, of Edmond street, was agreeably surprised by a party of young folks. Among those who comprised the party were Mr. and Mrs. Purceli, Mr. and Mrs. Ryan, the Misses Bruner, Statham, Nell and Mamie Horne, Mary Haley, Stella and Lucy McCloskey, Mary Gardner, Mary Lutz, Alice and Bird Collins, Messra, Phillips, Keefe, Savage, Sullivan, J. Lenkhardt, Will Tejchmann, John Fierst, Will Pickett, Tony Wickland, Watkins Haley and Kenelly.

A dainty wedding was that of Mr. Fred A. Smith and Miss Eshna Rueff, or McKee's Rocks, last Thursday morning. It was celebrated with a nuptial mass at St. Francis de Sales Church by Rev. Coyne. The bride was attended by Miss Katie Brimling and the best man was Mr. August Lindenfelner. After the ceremony a wedding breakfast was served at the home of the groom's Wood street.

mother, Mrs. Annie Smith, Belle avenu None but the pear relatives were present. THE HIGH SCHOOL REPORT.

The "Mistletoe Club" gave the first of its the Frohsinn Club, Penn avenue, last the Frohsinn Club, Penn avenue, last Thursday evening, Over 40 couples particle pated in the enjoyable event. The rooms were decorated handsomely with plants and flowers and presented a very beautiful appearance. A substantial repeat was served at midnight. The reception was under the management of Julius G. Kaufmann, Herman Sorg, Oscar Rosenbaum, R. Ochmier and L. Brecht.

A delightful birthday surprise party was that at the home of Mr. John Dethrick, Center avenue, last Friday evening. The guests were: The Misses Lydia and Grace Greet. of

were: The Misses Lydia and Grace Greer, of Allegheny; Misses Maggle and Jennie Lu-man, Emma and Clara Burger, Kate Dilion and Miss Barton; also Messra Edward J. and Alph G. Kretz, John F. and, Allie Dithrich, Joseph Groetch, Frank and Henry Berghoff, Westentagen E. Gilson, Jenkins, Ainsworth J. Gilson and William Weimsker.

The Belvidere Club, of the Southside, held a select reception at Reich Palace Parlors Friday evening. Those present were: Misses Nell Peters, Lizzie Kelly, Ella Meyers, Frankie Martin, Edna Shoch, Alice White, Phobbe C. Teny, May Heinz, Lizzie Selen, Anna May, Anna Scales, Messus, David Martin, George Reis, Gomer Thomas, John Ambertus, John Reis, John Slater, Nick Reis, Fred Fichtel, J. C. Kipp, Will Spreen, Fred Elinger and Matthew Rammes.

The Rev. John H. Young, of Homewood, who has been pastor of the First Congregational Church of Braddock for the past three years, offered his resignation last week on account of ill health. A congregational meeting was held on Wednesday night, and his resignation was not accepted. Instead, resolutions of sympathy and esteem were passed, be-eaching him to remain. A new pastor will be found as soon as possible, to be retained permanently.

Among the happy events of the week was Among the happy events of the week was the wedding of Miss Mary Duane, of Allegheny, to Mr. Henry Dorsey, of Glenwood. The ceremony was performed at St. Peter's R. C. Church, Rev. Father Keating officiating. Miss Mary Gallery was bridemaid and Mr. James Connolly, of Braddock, was best man. After the wedding supper the couple left on a tour. On their return they will reside at Glenwood.

Goddess of Liberty Council, Daughters of Liberty, of Braddock, will hold a red, white and blue social and entertainment in the Carnerie Co-operative building to-morrow evening. George A. Kepple, National Vice Councillor, James McCleary, ex-National Councillor, and Mrs. Sadie Griffin, Vice Associate Councillor, Daughters of Liberty, will make addresses.

The copening entertainment of the cor cert and free lecture course to be given this season at Braddock by Mr. Carnegie through the Carnegie Library Association Board took place in the First M. E. Church there on Thursday night. It was a concert by the Mozart Sexted, of Brooklyn, N. Y.

Monongabela Council No. 123, Jr. O. U. A. M., of Braddock, formally dedicated its new hall in the Carnegie building on Tuesday night with a fine entertainment and reception to the wives and members of the order. William T. Kerr made an address, and a banquet ended the affair.

Mr. and Mrs. J. J. Weaver, of South avenue, Allegheny, assisted by a number of their friends, celebrated the ninth anni-versary of their marriage last Tuesday even-ing. Several hours were pleasantly passed in social converse and music.

The annual concert of the North Braddock United Brethren Church will take place next Thursday and Friday evenings. The Edwards family, of Homestead, will take part, as well as a number of other vocalists from that place and this city.

Miss Amelia Jones, daughter of Mr. Enoch Braddock, gave a party to 20 friends in the parlors of the hotel on Thursday evening. Mr. Jones will remove his family to Cleveland, O., this week.

Mr. and Mrs. John Pryor, of Resacs street celebrated the sixth anniversary of their marriage Thursday evening. Among those present were Mr. and Mrs. Harry Walker and Mr. and Miss Quinn.

Mr. David D. Isles, a well-known con-tractor of Copeland will be married to Miss Gertrude Davis, daughter of Mr. William H. Davis, of North Braddock, on Wednesday, November 22 Mr. David W. Esplen and Miss Mary E. Night-

evening last by the Rev. J. A. Cosgrove at his residence, Main street, West End. The Misses Neckerman, of Thirty-ninth street, entertained a number of their friends Wednesday evening. Cards and dancing were the features.

Miss Ada Wagner, of Braddock, and her music class gave an interesting parlor organ recital at her home on Braddock avenue on Friday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Hoobler, of Sheridan

avenue and Miller street, Believue, will be at home to their friends after November L

PERSONAL GOSSIP.

Points Pert and Personal About People of the Town and County. Mrs. Charles H. Rush, of Johnstown, is visiting relatives in the East End. Mr. and Mrs. William Appel, of Meyers-dale, Pa., are visiting Mr. and Mrs. Henry Appel, of Butler street,

Mr. and Mrs. Creese, of Taylor avenue, have returned from a trip to Washington, New York and Baltimore. Mr. and Mrs. Joseph S. Eiseman, of Newark, N. J., are visiting Mr. Eiseman's parents, 114 Fayette street, Allegheny. Mr. Joseph Stevenson, Jr., of South Neg-ley avenue, East End, left last Tuesday for a hunting trip in the Cheat Mountains, W.

Captain and Mrs. W. H. Healy and Mrs. Annie Healy, of Blairsville, are visiting their friends, Mr. and Mrs. Thomas B. Cox, or 2625 Stella street, Southside. Mr. Joseph P. McCune, a well-known resident of North Braddock, left Friday for a tour of the West. He will spend a couple of weeks visiting in Iowa and Kansas. George N. Riley, World's Fair Commissioner, wife and son, Bert, Burgess Thomas G. Aten. W. W. McCleary and Eli B. Dowler, of Braddock, returned yesterday from St. Louis.

Mrs. Dr. John Cooper, Jr., and daughter Sadie, of North Diamond street, Alteglieny, have gone to Texas to spend the winter, Miss Sadie will devote most of the time to the study of music.

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Mrs. Thomas Akers, who has been enjoying the aummer and early fall among relatives and friends on the coast of Maine and in Rhode Island, returned list week to spend the winter with her sister, Mrs. Henry C. Dickinson, in her cozy home at Edgewood. Although Mrs. Akers is nearly 80 years of age, she retains her mental faculties and is still quite vigorous. She is accompanied by her niece, Miss Hattle E. Brows, of St. Louis, who has been with her during her Emiern outing. Miss Brown will remain a lew days visiting relatives and friends before returning to St. Louis.

Butchers and Grocers Who want value for their money will do well to give us a call. We will commence slaughtering hogs for the winter season tomorrow, Monday marning, October 31. On and after Tnesday. November 1, we offer for sale fresh pork cuts of all kinds, sausages and puddings, as well as a full line of choice smoked meats and our famous white lily lard. All goods made fresh every asy.

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and to order at Pitcairn's, 434

PITTSBURG DISPATCH,

the Result of Their Conferences-The Features of the Paper-Educational Notes From the Two Cities.

Yesterday morning the committee on re-vision of the method of admission to the High School held its final meeting, and a re-port was at last adopted and will be pre-sented to the Central Board of Education on both majority and minority reports were presented by the Revision Commit-tee to the Central Board of Educatee to the Central Board of Educa-tion, but were defeated. This new report contains much of Miss Jennie Ral-ston's plan with amendments by the com-mittee. The preliminary examination is to be eliminated; the subject of reading abol-ished and drawing to be examined at the schools by the supervisor of drawing; writing will also be examined at the ward schools.

schools by the supervisor of drawing; writing will also be examined at the ward schools. First-That promotion to the High School shall be made on the attainment of a general average of 6 per cent on written examination in arithmetic, geography, history, grammar and composition, and an average of not less than 50 per cent in any one of these branches and a satisfactory examination in the branches of writing and drawing.

Second-On a designated day in the last school week of December the pupils of the various High School classes shall copy a printed slip, prepared by the city superintendent, as a specimen of the candidate's writing. This specimen shall be certified to by the principal of the sub-district school, setting forth that the specimen was prepared by the pupil whose name is attached. All specimens of writing shall be sent to the High school shall, at his earliest convenience, report the names of all successful candidates to the Secretary of the Central Board of Education.

Third-The supervisor of drawing shall conduct the examination in that branch during the month of December in the several school shall report the High School. On the last school shall report the high School, on the last school shall report the names of the successful candidates to the Secretary of the Central Board of Education.

Third-The supervisor of drawing shall conduct the principal of the High School shall report the names of the successful candidates to the Secretary of the Board of Education. On the subjects of writing and drawing there shall be nor reasonination.

Fourth-In arithmetic geography, history, gram-

Fourth—In arithmetic, geography, history, grammar, composition and orthography the lists shall be prepared by the principal of the High School and the City Superintendent, and the examination shall be held during the last school week of June in the High School buildings and no pupil shall be admitted to said examination who has not passed the required examination in writing and drawing.

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fifth—Meth: 6: of examination.

(1) In artithmetic—Twelve problems for practical solution and two for analysis shall be presented.

(2) In geography—Three topics and len questions shall be presented. The candidate to write upon his or let choice of one of the topics and answer all meetiles. questions.

() In history—Three topics and ten questions shall be presented. The candidates to write upon his or her choice of one topic and answer all questions. his or her choice of one topic and answer all questions.

(4) In grammar and composition—Construction or re-construction of senteuces or paragraphs, to show an acquaintance with etymology and the rates of syntax and punctuation, shall be required.

(5) In orthography, an article containing 50 test words shull be dictated.

(6) Candidates who shall make less than 50 per cent it any one study shall be entitled to a re-examination in that branch provided that their general average is 55 per cent or over. This shall not apply to the subjects of writing and drawing.

(7) The following shall be the form of certificates to be presented by all applicants:

I, —, Principal of the — Somol do certify on honor that — has received such instruction in each and all of the branches prescribed for examination by the Central Board of Education in the course of sindy for step 14, that — is prepared for examination on the same. — Principal.

This certificate to be indorsed by the member of

the course of study for step 14, that — is prepared for examination on the same. — Principal.

This certificate to be indorsed by the member of the Central Roard of Education as to residence of the candidate, and by the Board as to the standing of the candidate in writing and drawing.

Promotions from class to class in the High School shall be unde as follows:

First—Ah pupils whose average of recitation and review mark on any subject shall be 50 per cent or more shall be excused from examination in said branch.

Second—All whose average of recitation or review marks shall be below 50 per cent on any branch shall be examined on that branch and shall be promoted on the attainment of the general average of 65 per cent in all the examination branches, and not less than 50 per cent on any one branches.

branches, and not less than 50 per cent on any one branch.

Third-Diplomas of the Academical Department shall be assued on the same conditions as those on which promotions are made. Those of the Commercial Department on the same conditions as heretofore required, namely, the attainment of 75 per cent on each and every study required for graduation diplomas of Normal Department. Diplomas of the Normal Department shall be issued to those who have obtained a general average of 55 per cent in all branches and who have not fallen below 75 per cent on any one branch, provided his mark in practice work is 85 per cent or over. Examinations for graduation in this department shall be prepared and conducted by the teacher of the branch and approved by the City Superintendent.

To-MORROW will be pay day for the city teachers; \$45,735 11 will be distributed among

EDUCATIONAL circles will receive a surprise at the approaching marriage of a very popular primary teacher. MISS MINNIE TURNER, of the No. 3 building,

Washington schools, has been confined to her home for the last month from an attack of typhold lever. THE new six-roomed building of the St. Clair district. Twenty-seventh ward, is now roof-covered, and will in all probability be ready for December L On the last day of Miss Maria Bauersmith's connection as drawing and writing teacher at the Moorhead School, she having re-

signed, the teachers prepared a delightful lunch in her honor and also presented her with a handsome gold hairpin as a remem-brance and token of their esteem. By the reports which Superintendent Luckey has received from the school princi-pals, over \$300 was collected in the schools

on the day on which Columbus Day exercises were held. This money will be used to buy trees for the planting of Columbus Grove at Schenley Park, which will occur on succeeding Arbor Days till the grove is complete. A VERY successful Teachers' Institute was

held yesterday morning at the Alleghen; High School. Mrs. Pollard, of New York, the great exponent of phonetic reading, ex-

SUNDAY, OCTOBER 30

Ar a meeting of the Executive Committee of the Teachers' Institute yesterday morn-ing, comprising Professors H. W. Fisher, J. K. Bane, Miss M. E. Hare and Miss Jennie

K. Bane, Miss M. E. Hare and Miss Jennie Simpson, Prof. H. W. Fisher was elected chairman and Miss M. E. Hare, secretary; Miss Kate Neiper, financial treasurer. The report of the treasurer showed a baiance to the account of the Institute of over \$392.

The teachers of the Peebles schools must have been hunting and finding four-leaved clovers during their vaccation, for by the opening of the parochial school in that district with an enrollment of over 300, it was generally conceded that there would be a dropping off of two or three teachers from the public schools owing to the effected decreased attendance, but now it appears there need be no dropping off of heads, as the September increase of pupils and a death in the regular corps of teachers secure.

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Axono the new teachers in the city are: Miss Marie Smith, who has been elected a primary teacher in the Washington schools, Seventeenth ward, and Miss Jennie John-Seventeenth ward, and Miss Jennie Johnston, formerly of the Fifth ward school, Allegheny, who is now writing and drawing teacher at the Washington schools. Miss Minnie Mazette, of the Bellevue public schools, succeeds Miss Marin Bauersmith, the writing and drawing teacher at the Moorhead school who has resigned. Miss Etta Galbraith, of McKeesport, is also added to the corps of the Moorhead teachers.

The fourth annual meeting of the Alle-The fourth annual meeting of the Alle-gheny County School Directors' Association

will be held at the office of County Superintendent Hamilton, in the Court House, on Wednesday morning, November 16, at 10 o'clock. The Executive Committee desires to see many directors present, as the ques-tion of free text books will come up, and, as this question will in all probability come up before many of the school boards before the close of the year, and the directors asked to decide for or ngainst the system, the discus-sion on this subject will be important. The time of meeting has been changed from Sep-tember to November, as in the former month many farmers were to busy at this season to attend.

The following are the names of the pupils who stand first in the highest grammar rooms of the various ward schools; Washington School, Burt Hoffman and Katie Morris; Mt. Albion, Ada Lantz; Liberty, John Andrews; Grant, Ida Bole; Thad Sto-vens, Hugh Nieman; Forbes, Edith Schwarm; Springfield, Mary Brose; St. Clair, Emma Beck; Mt. Washington, Albert Sheriff; Mon-ongahela, Lester Dougherty; Soho, Wm. Bosongahela, Lester Dougherty: Soho, Wm. Bosmeyer; Duquesne, John Hinemann; Minersville, Louisa Saline: Lawrence, Roy Anderson;
Luckey. No. 1, Ellawort Gray: Franklin,
Maud Bosman: Birmingham, Lulu Yost;
Humboldt, John Hoffman; Allen, Edward
Pence: Riverside, James Glynn; Coliax,
Su-ie Louzeay; Howard No. 1, Neilie Gross;
Howard No. 2 Lena Litschge: South, Blanche
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