#### N THE WORLD OF SOCIETY

Week of Many Wedding Parties and Other Social Punctions.

THIS YEAR'S BACHELORS' BALL

Frothingham Theatro Engaged for the Night of Dec. 31-Dancing Party at the Boles Residence-Mrs. Connell's Return from Abroad.

That the bachelors' ball on as large a scale as that of last year in the Froth-ingham is no longer an experiment is proven by the preparations already un-der way for the event this year in the same theater, and, if possible, on a grander and more beautiful scale than featured the elaborate ball last year. A centract has been made for the the ter for the night of Tuesday, Dec. 31.

Mr. and Mrs. William Connell and Mr. and Mrs. witham Content and party arrived from New York Thursday evening at 6 o'clock, Mrs. Connell, Mrs. James S. McAnulty and Theodore E. and E. H. Connell having landed on the previous day from an extended trip The Servia, on which they the ocean, reached port at 4 o'clock Wednesday afternoon and the o'clock Wednesday afternoon and the Connell pary was met at the wharf by a large number of friends, among whem were: William Connell, Colonel and Mrs. E. H. Ripple, Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Connell, Mr. and Mrs. C. R. Connell, Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Connell, Mr. and Mrs. A. E. Connell, J. S. McAnuity, Miss Anna McAnuity, Mr. and Mrs. C. W. Pulton, Miss Cora Stewart, of Philadelphia, and Mr. and Mrs. F. P. Christian, of this city. Later that evening they banqueted at the Holland. The trip abroad included nearly land. The trip abroad included nearly all the northern and southwestern countries to as far east as Munich. The entire party returned in perfect health and greatly benefited by the journey, which lasted two months.

Colonel and Mrs. H. M. Boles on Colonel and Mrs. H. M. Boles on Tuesday night gave a large dancing party for their daughter's, Miss Ethel Boles, friends, Miss Bradford, of New York, and Miss Leverich, of Corona, L. I. Among those present were Miss Bradford, of New York city; Miss Bradford, of New York city; Miss Leverich, of Corona, L. I.; Miss Vaughn, Miss Dorrance, Wilkes-Barret Missage Center, Edingshury, Anderson Misses Grace Kingsbury, Anderson, Pearson, Nettleton, Williams, Nelson, Mott, Marie Bessell, Henrietta Bessell, Coursen, Foster, Buck, Torrey, Pratt, Phelps, Archbald, Sherer, Gearbart, Winton, Pennypacker, Simpson, Bun-nell, Finch and Parke; Messes, Laciar, nell, Finch and Parke; Messes, Laclar, Carl Jones, Jesse Jones, Harry Derr, Stirling Stearns, Ryman and Gaston, of Wilkes-Barre; Messes, L. B. Fuller, Frank Fuller, Fred Fuller, Theodore Fuller, Harry Kirkpatrick, Willis Kirkpatrick, W. J. Torrey, James Blair, ir., W. P. Kingsbury, J. W. Decker, Revan Decker, Ben Watson, Charlos Belin, Ed Gearhart, Robert Frey, Walter Merrill, Moffatt, R. W. Archbald, Nettleton, J. H. Brooks, Plerson, Holland, Seldon Kingsbury, S. C. Whitmore, G. N. Maler, Carl Welles, Mott, A. E. Hunt, jr., and A. Hunt.

Robert W. Walker, of Division street, and Miss Mand Vipond, of Jackson street, two very popular young people Tuesday evening in honor of the bride and groom. Upon their return from their honeymoon they will reside on Division street.

A quiet wedding took place at Lady Lourdes church, Toronto, Canada Saturday morning, when Dr. Charles E. Thomson, of this city, was married to Miss Sarah Donnelly. eldest daughter of R. M. Donnelly, of Orillia, Ont. The ceremony was performed by Very Rev. Archdedcon Campbell, uncle of the bride, assisted by Rev. James Walsh, P. P. The bridesmald was Miss Margaret A. bridesmaid was Miss Margaret A. Shananhan of Scranton. Dr. William Thomson, of Orillia, was best man. After the ceremony the happy couple received a special blessing from his grace, Archbishop Walsh. They left in the afternoon for the eastern cities. They will reside in this city. Dr Thomson for a time had charge of Moses Taylor hospital. He is now owner of the Thomson hospital at Wyoming avenue and Mulberry street.

The chorus choir of the First Presbyterian church was tendered a recep-tion Thursday evening by Mr. and Mrs. David Taylor at their residence, corner Clay avenue and Olive street. The members of the choir present were Tal-lie Morgan, conductor; Miss Florence Richmond, accompanist; Miss Lydia Sailer, Miss Margaret Torrey, iMiss Grace Rose, Miss Caro Dickson, Miss Grace Little, Miss Abbie Denman, iMiss Alice Werkeiser, Miss Josephine Medway, Miss Emma Fuller, Miss Annie Rose, Miss Adeline Hall, Spencer Dickson, Thomas Wallace, Ira Mitchell, Thomas Abrahams, D. C. Richards, Arthur Foote, A. J. Harber, Among Mr. and Mrs. F. E. Platt, Mr. and Mrs. Milton Lowry, Mrs. A. J. Harber and M. Fred Kellogg, of Philadelphia.

The marriage of Miss Gertrude Wil-liams and Mr. James Smith, son of Mine Foreman Smith, occurred at the home of the bride's parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Williams, on Parker street, Wednesday evening. The ceremony was performed by Rev. W. G. Watkins, of the North Main Avenue Baptist church. The bride was attended by Miss Jessie Smith, sister of the groom, and Mr. Robert Moir was best After the ceremony a most enjoyable evening was spent, a bountiful wedding supper having been served, Mr. and Mrs. Smith will reside in a newly furnished home on Hollister avenue.

Mr. and Mrs. W. S. Cobb, of Capouse avenue, entertained on Tuesday eve-ning in honor of the former's brother and wife, Mr. and Mrs. A. E. Cobb, of Phenix, Arizona. There were present a quartette of brothers, comprising Mr. and Mrs. W. S. Cobb, Mr. and Mrs. A. E. Cobb, Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Cobb and Mr. and Mrs. Dave Cobb, also Mr. and Mrs. Charles Dolph, Mr. and Mrs. W. L. Speece, Mr. and Mrs. John Adaman, Mr. and Mrs. Whitbeck, Mrs. Cobb was assisted in receiving by Mrs. J. C. Cobb, nee Miss Emma Van Bus-

Invitations for the dancing party to have been given Thursday night by Mr. and Mrs. R. B. Williams, of Jefferson avenue, for Miss Williams' friend, Miss Ellison, of Cleveland, were recalled owing to Miss Williams' illness. The



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affair will be given next week, possibly on Thursday, when it is expected that Miss Williams will be fully recovered from the illness which began ten days ago. Her condition has not been serious and she is now convalescent.

Invitations have been issued for the marriage of Miss Mary Shaw Mason daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Mason of Sanderson avenue, to Dr. Clarence Edward Foster, of Honesdale, in the Green Ridge Presbyterian church on Oct. 2, at 12.15 noon.

Dr. Adolph Grewer, brother of the specialist of this city, and Miss Emile Hoover, of Spruce street, were united in marriage in Camden, N. J., Wednesday, The ceremony was performed by Rev. Finlaw, of the Stratford Methodist church ist church.

H. H. Burroughs, secretary of the John Raymond institute of the Young Men's Christian association, left Thursday for Washington, D. C., where he was wedded to Miss Diver. On Oct. 4 a reception will be tendered to the fall term students, iMr. Burroughs and his bride and Ernest Hoff, the new physical director.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert M. Scranton on Monday night entertained, en fami-lie, for Mrs. Scranton's brother, Mr. Sperry, of Hartford.

PERSONAL MENTION.

W. B. Stoddard, of Montrose, was here yesterday. W. W. Scott, of Minersville, was here yesterday.
Miss Mamle Foote, of Archbald, was here Thursday, Thomas S. Leftus, of Pittston, was in Thomas S. Leftus, of Pittston, was in the city last night.

Mrs. L. J. Miller, of New York, is in the city visiting friends.

Alderman S. S. Jones, of Carbondale, was in the city yesterday.

Mrs. John Laves, of Toga county, is visiting West Side friends.

Stimuel Sheiden and George Dean, of Paterson, are in the city.

Meredith L. Jones, of New York, spent a part of the week in this city.

Alderman Thomas S. Leftus, of Pittston, was in the city Thursday.

Miss Mary Onkley, of Dale street, is visiting friends in Flatoryville.

D. P. Pritchard has returned from a two weeks Irip to the oil regions.

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R. S. Brewster and L. A. Roberts, of Carbondale, were here yesterday.
M. J. Kelly and John R. Kelly were fishing at Lake Maplewood yesterday.
Alsa Katherite Kearney, of Parsons, called on friends in this city Thursday.
Harry Suger, of Carbondale, was a Scianion vision during the fore part of the week. Strainen visitor during the fore part of the week.

Miss Mary Townsend, of Ringhamton, is visiting Miss Emma Patterson, of Mon-roe avenue.

Miss Mary Townsend, of Binghamton, is visiting Miss Elmma Patterson, of Mon-roe avenue. Mr. and Mrs. Lewis Cheeseman, of Al-toona, are the guests of Mr. and Mrs. H. A. Kingsbury.
Mr. and Mrs. Louis Cheeseman, of Al-toona, are the guests of Mr. and Mrs. H. A. Kingsbury.
Mrs. C. T. Estabrook, of Palatka, Fla., is the guest of her sister, Mrs. Adams, of Monroe alvenue. Monroe avenue. United States Commissioner Milo J. quehanna connaly.

Mr. and Mrn. H. P. Simpson have closed their summer home at Elmaurst and returned to the city.

G. N. Little, financier of the Green Ridge from works, has been in New York on husiness this week. business this week.

Miss Annu Philbin, of Archbald, returned home Thursday after a visit with
friends in this city.

J. R. Beardsley has returned to his home

street, two very popular young people of the West Side, were united in marriage at the Washburn Street Presbyterian church. Wednesday morning, by Rev. W. I. Stearns, of Danville, the ushers were Assistant City Solicitor David J. Davis, E. W. Thayer, George W. Peck, and R. W. Luce, jr. The groom was attended by Frank Mansfield. After the ceremony a reception was held at the residence of the bride's mother. A party was given at the residence of the solicitor of the bride's mother. A party was given at the residence of Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Freeman, on South Main avenue on Tuesday evening in honor of the bride. is the guest of her daughter. Mrs. ?, F. Struppler, of South Main, avenue.

Mr. and Mrs. F. A. Hintermelster, of Olive street, have returned from an extended visit with friends at Ithaoa.

T. J. Esgan, of the postoffice, has returned from St. Paul, Minn, where he attended the convention of posini ks.

Charles T. Miner, the crack New York state bleyele rider, of Binghamton, was in town Thursday as the guest of Harold Buntlag.

Sown Trunsmay as the Montgom-Bunting.

Easign Octon Jackson, of the Montgom-ery, North Atlantic squadron, United States navy, its spending a brief furlough with his carents in the North End.

Mrs. Henry T. Jackson and daughter, of Carbondale, formerly rethents of Church avenue, are hire on a brief visit Church avenue, are here on a brief visit to Miss Cora Farnham, of Nay Aug ave-

F. J. Stone and wife, of Honesdale; Harry Kochler and wife, of Opeonia, and J. W. McCulloch and wife, of Kentucky,

are among the guests at the Wyoming House,

I. N. Garney was in Elmira recently, where he attended the funeral of his coustn. Truxton La France. Mr. La France was the inventor of the La France for continuous.

fire engine.

John B. Jordan yesterday registered as a student at law in the office of Warren & Knapp. Mr. Jordan is a graduate of Holy Cross college, and a son of Patrick Jordan, of this city.

M. J. Donahoe, principal of No. 16 school, has forwarded his regignation to Superintendent Phillips, Hereafter Mr. Donahoe will devote his entire attention to the practice of law. He is associated with ex-City Holidijor I. H. Burns in the Library building. with ex-City Soliditor I. H. Burns in the Library building.
James-Maloney, of Capouse avenue, will leave for Philadeiphia Monday, where he will be employed as a glass blower, Michael Faust, of Monsey avenue, and James Camphell, of Marion street, who are also glass blowers, will leave Wed nesday for Rochester, N. Y., where they will be employed this season.

#### THE OLD OAK.

For The Tribune. Oh, aged Oak! grim relic of the past, Arrayed in hoary grandeur bleak and Through thy fantastic limbs the cruel Shricks with frenzied fury-the weird of lightning, vivid, streaks athwart the

air; Exulting in thy anguish, deep and sore; Hurling a branch with each succeeding Thus to the ground the fiery flashes bore My ancient, trusty friend who fell, to rise

Oh, fallen Oak! once thou didst proudly Thy leafcrowned branches to the sum-

met sky, And oft the storm's wild fury theu didst bear,
As with a roar it swept so swiftly by,
Shricking with glee to sweep the mountains high,
Or clothe the fragrant field with wild despair, And wake the hollow caves with startling

And left thee, noble Oak, so tall and fair. Unmaimed, to grow again—thy wonted ne for weary pilgrims at the close

Oft to thy grateful shade I pensive When morning, lovely nymph on dewy

wing. Ope'd the great gates of light, with keys To hold communion with my God and King.
Or haply listen to the voice of spring:
In tuneful numbers kiss the morning air
Diffusing life and joy to everything;
And wafting fragrant incense every-

where,
Arranged in flowery robes, so beautiful
and fair,

Thus, like the Oak, I, in youth's golden vale;
So fanciful and free with flery glow,
And gestures wild defy the howling gale—
Filled with my strength and far too
proud to how.
But age will come and furrow, o'er my

Deep-rooted wrinkles filled with morbid gloom;
And death, triumphant, with one mighty blow,
Will hurl my body to the gaping tomb—
Or haply, strike me now, in all my youth and bloom.

—Geo. W. Bowen.

Sept. 18.

THE RELIGIOUS WORLD

Many Subjects of Interest to the Church-Going Element.

BAPTIST MINISTERS BANQUET

Something About the Very Practica Needle Workers of St. Luke's-State Sabbath School Convention Talk. Little Notes of News.

Fifteen Baptist ministers, a few of them accompanied by their wives, Monday afternoon sat down to the annual banquet of the Scranton Bap-tist conference, which was held in the Faurot House, on Washington avenue. After a tempting menu had been dis cussed nearly two hours were devoted to a period of toasting, Rev. T. J. Collins, president of the conference, was toastmaster. Following is a list of the ministers and their wives present, and the churches represented: Rev. T. J. Collins, Scranton Street church; Rev. and Mrs. D. C. Hughes, Jackson Street church; Rev. W. S. Jones, Hyde Park Welsh church; Rev. W. G. Watkins, North Main Avenue church; Rev. and Mrs. W. J. Ford, Green Ridge church; Rev. A. B. O'NAS. Duments, church; Mrs. W. J. Ford, Green Ridge church; Rev. A. B. O'Neil, Dunmore church; Rev. W. B. Grow, Carbondale; Rev. and Mrs. T. E. Jephson, Carbondale; Rev. and Mrs. J. R. Ellis, Blakely; Rev. and Mrs. A. E. Douglass, Clark's Rev. J. D. Williams, Jermyn, Rev Mrs. M. J. Watkins, Factoryville; Rev. Rev. J. D. Williams, Jermyn, Rev Mrs. M. J. Watkins, Factoryville; Rev. Rev. J. D. Watkins, Factoryville; Rev. Thomas Baker, West Lenox; Rev. H. H. Harris, Taylor, The toasts responded to were as follows: "The Minister's Vacation," Rev. A. E. Douglass, of Clark's Green; "Promotion of Greater Praternal Intercourse Between City and Country Pasters," Rev. W. B. Grow of Carbondale; "Ministerial Dend-Line," Rev. D. J. Williams, of Jermyn; "The Pastor and His Young People's Society," Rev. W. J. Jones, of Seranton; "Fresent Evangelistic Methods," Rev. W. J. Ford, of Seranton; "The Pastor's Relation to Reform "The Pastor's Relation to Reform Movements," Rev. W. G. Watkins, of Scranton, Remarks were also made by Revs. W. J. Guest and T. J. Collins. One Practical Church Work.

A very practical charitable church work is that of "The Needle Workers, an auxiliary organization to the Women's Guild of St. Luke's. An outline of its purpose is instructive and inter-esting: Its object is to furnish new. plain suitable garments, to meet th print surface garments, to freet the creat need of hospitals, homes and other charities. Any one, whether connected with the parish or not, may become a member of the committee; all members are bound to contribute annually two or more new articles of useful clothing; all garments are to be sent in by the week preceding Saint Luke's Pay (Oct. 18). There are to be no fees, fines or dues. The fellowing articles are suggested: Garments for terrors, obtlines are and women. infants, children, men and women; merino, unbleached muslin and Canton flannel underwear (in pairs is possible); skirts of heavy gray, red or blue flan-nel; flannel sacks and wrappers for the sick; night-shirts, night-gowns, sheets and towels; for knitters, stockings, socks, bed-shoes, knee-caps, jersey, comforts, hoods, crossovers, shawls and mittens. Any one (male or female) may become a member by sending two or more articles of new clothing to the

ed: Rev. and Mrs. J. R. Wagner, Ella Kelth, Addie Jones, Avoca; Rev. and Mrs. E. L. Santee, Mrs. J. R. Wilson. Annie Ward, May Martin, Robert G. Ward and T. H. Wilson, Lackawanna; Emma Mosteller, Ressie Hinda, Blanche Tregalles and Emmett Broadhead, Moosic; Rev. W. G. Simpson, West Pittston; Rev. J. Madison, James Jones, George T. Barber and Sadie Hale, Yatesville; Rev. and Mrs. F. A. King, Jennie Winslow and Annie Nash, Taylor; Rev. W. M. Hiller, Tunkhannock. Reports were heard from the different hapters, showing that good work was being done in the senior and junior leagues. A very able address was given by W. G. Simpson, of West Pittsgiven by W. G. Simpson, of West Pittston, on "Why the Epworth League?" It was highly appreciated. In the afternoon George Barber conducted a praise service and papers were read as follows: "Literary and Social Work," by Mrs. J. R. Wilson; "Junior Work," by Mrs. J. R. Wagner; address by W. M. Hiller on "Devotional Meeting, How to Make the Most of It." There was a fair attendance throughout the day, and the affair was one of Interest and profit. Lackawanna was Interest and profit. Lackawanna was bosen as the place of the next convention.

State Sunday School Convention.

One of the prominent institutions of Pennsylvania is our State Sabbath School association, in which Christians of all names are organized for the pur-pose of advancing the interests of Sun-day school work in every way, and of gaining closer co-operation in the mat-ter of saving souls from sin. Its offi-cials include many distinguished persons, and its annual convention will always be of absorbing interest. The last one, held at Huntingdon, was largely attended, but every indication points to a still larger attendance this year at Williamsport, Oct. 8, 9 and 19. The Sunday School Herald, organ of the association, has been for months bristling with points concerning the convention, and now an elegant sou-venir programme has been issued, and the whole state is invited to come up and participate in the great gathering at Williamsport. Full particulars may be obtained by addressing the secre-C. J. Kephart, Annville, Pa. The Schiverea campaign is being pushed with much vigor in Carbondale and reports coming from that city do

not indicate that the Lackawanna valis being "evangelized out of the reh," as has been stated by one oldrut minister, (Moody, Mills, Schiverea, Bliss and other evangelists and their aides, in addition to the lesser evangelistic lights who go about in wagons have waged their peculiar war agains sin rather than upon sinners in this region within a brief period. It re-mains to be reported that the work of

any one has been a fallure.

Briof Religious Mention. Fred W. Welsenflue, formerly assistant secretary at the Hoboken, N. J., Delaware, Lackáwanna and Western Railroad Young Men's Christian association, has been visiting at the home of his parents, 419 Chestnut street. Mr. Welsenflue goes to Trenton, N. J., today as general secretary in the railroad department, Young Men's Christian association of that city. tian association of that city. Rev. F. A. Dony lost the sight of one

eye during a recent illness of six weeks. He is convalescent.

A weighty testimonial of the worth and reputation of Rev. Warren G. Partridge, late pastor of the Penn Avenue Baptist church, was shown in the attendance at the farewell reception tendered him Monday night in the church parlors. The gathering included rich and poor, representing all denominations, and packed to its capacity the large room where the affair was held.

The quartette which will sing in the The quartette which will sing in the Second Presbyterian church tomorrow is composed of the following artists:
Miss Sadle Kaiser, soprano; Miss Pichel, contraito; Mr. Bynan, tenor; Mr. Morgan, bass. Miss Kaiser will be remembered by the readers of The Tribune as the brilliant correspondent from

London last winter, where she was study-ing music, and who wrote such gra-phic and charming letters. She exphic and charming letters. She expects to resume her musical studies in London in October. In the evening she will sing the solo from the oratorio "Ell," by Michael Costa, "I will Extol Thee, O. Lord." Miss Pichel's rich, mezzo voice has won her considerable praise, but she is fully able to enterpret the contralto part of the quartette. Church members having an abun-

Church members having an abundance of blossoming plants might do worse than slipping them Sunday morning and bringing them to church before service begins. No matter how small the blossom or bouquet it is never out of place on the sill of a church window.

St. Luke's kindergarten was opened Monday in charge of Miss Hull and her assistants, Miss Fisher and Miss Rhoda Samuels. The continuation of

and A. B. Williams, jr., of Yale college, have been spending the latter part of their vacation in visiting the churches of the various towns and cities in this valley and in and about Wilkes-Barre, addressing large audiences on the subject of foreign missions and awakening a widespread interest in the subject. Mr. Williams has returned to Yale, and Mr. Luce will resome his theological

studies, probably in Princeton.

B. J. Morgan, A. B., who has served so faithfully the Olyphant Presbyterian church during the past five months, returns to Aubura Theological seminary next Tuesday. During Mr. Morgan's stay the church edifice has been filled at every service. Sixteen persons have united with the church, three by let-ter, the others on confession of faith, seven of whom were baptized; eight more are ready to unite at the next communion. The work done by Mr. Morgan remains unprecedented in the history of the Olyphant church.

#### TOMORROW'S SERVICES.

All Souls' Universalist church, Pine street—Morning, 10,30, "True Compassion;" evening, 7,30, "The World Spirit." Rev. T. Roscoe.

Grace Lutheran church-Rev. Foster Gift, pastor. Services on Sunday at e Voung Men's Christian association at 10.30 a. m. and at 7.30 p. m. Everybody welcome.

Elm Park Methodist Episcopal church—W. H. Pearce, paster. Morning service at 40.30; theme, "The Abiding Presence." Rev. J. G. Eckman will preach in the evening. Sunday school at 2 p. m.; Epworth league at 6.30, First Baptist church-Pastor Collins will preach Sabbath at 10.30 a.m. Sub-ject, "Abiding in Christ." Also in the evening at 7.30. The evening sermon

will probably be a farewell discourse. Jackson Street Baptist church-The pastor will preach tomorrow, morning and evening. Services at 10.30 a. m. and 7 p. m.

St. Mark's Lutheran church, Fourst. Mark's Litheran church, Four-teenth and Washburn Streets—Rev. A. L. Ramer. Ph. D., pastor. Divine ser-vices 10.30 a. m. and 7.30 p. m.; Luther league meeting at 6.30; harvest home festival will be celebrated. All wel-

Green Ridge Rantist church-Preaching by the pastor at 10.30 a.m. and 7.30

Washburn Street Presbyterian church A. V. Bower will conduct the ser-

Saint Luke's church-Rev. Rogers Israel, rector. Fifteenth Sunday after Trinity. Holy communion, 7.30 a. m.; Sunday school, 9.30 a. m.; morning prayer and sermon, 10.30 a. m.; evening prayer and sermon, 7.30 p. m.

Saint Mark's, Dunmore-Rev. A. L. Urban in charge. Sunday school, 3 p. m.; evening prayer and sermon, 4 p. m. Grace Reformed Episcopal church. Wyoming avenue below Mulberry street—Divine worship morning and evening; 10.30 a. m., "Tried by Fire," I Corinthians, iii, 13; 7.30 p. m., "The Preciousness of Christ," I Peter, ii. 7. Preaching by the pastor. Sabbath school, 12 m.; Young People's Society of Christian Endeavor, 6.30 p. m. Strangers always welcome. Seats all free. Second Prezbyterian church-Rev. Charles E. Robinson, D. D., pastor. Sermon 10:30 a. m. and 7:30 p. m. The pastor will preach in the afternoon on "Safety in Religious Thought by Frendth and Depth of Study." All

scats free in the afternoon. First Presbyterian church—Services at 10.30 a. m. and 7.30 p. m. The pas-tor, Rev. James McLeod, D. D., will preach at both services. Special music by the choir of twenty voices. Providence Methodist Episcopal

Church.—Rev. William Edgar, pastor. All the regular services will be held. The pastor will preach at 10.30 a. m. on "Our indebtedness to God." At 7.30 p. m. the sermons on "Parable of Prodigal Son," will be continued, subject, "The Return and Welcome," Sunday school at noon. Epworth league at 6.45 p. m.

Calvary Reformed Church,-Corner Mornroe avenue and Gibson street. W. H. Stubblebine, Preaching, 10.30 a. m.; Sunday 11.45 a. m.: Young People's Society of ing, 7.30 p. m. Morning subject, "Con-fliet With Giants;" evening, illustrated flict With Giants;" evening, illustrated sermon entitled, "The Rich Fool." Everybody welcome,

English Evangelical Lutheran Church of the Holy Trinity-Adams avenue, corner Mulberry street. Morning service, 10.30; vespers, 7.30; preaching by the pastor, Rev. Edwin Lunn Miller. The pews are free, and all are welcome.

Toledo Grain Market. Toledo Grain Market.

Toledo, O., Sept. 20.—Wheat-Receipts, 7,800 bushels; shipments, 2,500 bushels; market dull; No. 2 red, cash, 63%c; December, 64%c; May, 67c; No. 3 red, cash, 41%c. Corn-Receipts, 17,54 bushels; shipments, 1,000 bushels; market easy; No. 2 mixed, cash, 31%c; do. May, 30%c; No. 2 yellow, 36c; No. 3 do., 36c. Oats-Receipts, 875 bushels; market nominal, Vloyer Seed-Receipts, 109 bags; shipments, 239 bags; market lower; cash and October, \$4.30; March, \$4.50; prime timothy, cash, \$2.

Chlengo Stock.

Chicago Stock.
Union Stock Yards, Ill., Sept. 20.—Cattle
—Recelpts, 6,000 head; market weak; common to extra steers, \$3.90a.85; stockers
and feeders, \$3.50a.4.25; cowa and bulls, \$1.50
a3.50; calves, \$4.25a6.50; Texans, \$3a3.75;
western rangers, \$2.25a4.30. Hogs-Recelpts, 18,000 head; market easy and 5c;
lower; heavy packing and shipping lots,
\$3.56a4.50; common to choice mixed, \$3.55a
4.50; choice assorted, \$4.45a4.60; light, \$3.85a
4.60; phys, \$2.25a4.40. Sheep-Receipts, 13,
000 head; market steady; inferior to choice,
\$1.40a3.50; lambs, \$3a3.76.

Oll Mniket. Pittsburg, Sept. 20.—The oil market here and at Oil City closed at 12h the only quototion today,
Oil City, Sept. 20.—The Standard price of oil 125.

## ON THE YERCE

Of Giving Up the Fight ... An Elmira Citizen's Last Resource

Proves a Success. [From the Elmira Gazette.]

Do you know Mr. J. S. Bodder, of 214 South Main street? He has been a business manand permanent resident of Elmira for over twenty years. A man whose state-ment cannot be disputed. Well, Mr. Bod-der's case in a nutshell is—that he has been a sufferer from kidney disorders, but doesn't suffer any more. We will let him tell what has brought about the assistants, Miss Fisher and Miss change. Here is how he spoke of his Rhoda Samuels. The continuation of the work is largely due to the efforts never been well since the closing of the the work is largely due to the efforts of Mrs. Laton Oakford and A. D. Holland, abled by members of the committee.

Evangelists L. Shelhorn and Moore are doing a grand work at Green Ridge. Over 100 have been converted and some whole families. Evangelist Shelhorn has won his way to the hearts of the people. Tomorrow evening Evangelist Moore will preach his sermon on "War in Heaven," to which he invites all the soldiers.

Henry W. Luce, who left Union Theological seminary last year to be traveling secretary of the Student Voluning the year, has visited many colleges and universities of the south and west, and A. B. Williams, ir., of Yale colleges, have been spending the latter part of just this one more remedy. I began taking them, and I am very glad indeed to give my statement, that suffering humanity may receive the same benefit I have. A few doses of Doan's Kidney Pills satisfied me they were helping me. Now, the pain is all gone, and I am en-tirely well—this, after years of sickness. My sleep at night is good and refreshing. I do not feel any more that tired feeling I used to on rising, all thanks due to Doan's Kidney Pills." Donn's Kidney Pills are for sale by all dealers. Price, 50 cents per box; six boxes for \$2.50. By mail on receipt of by Foster-Milburn company

### THE WORLD OF BUSINESS

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STOCKS AND BONDS.

New York, Sept. 20.—The railway and miscellaneous speculation was very ir-regular today. At the opening the mar-ket was strong owing to the slightly lower rates of sterling exchange; a belief that but little gold would be for-warded to Europe tomorrow and finally to an impression that the trunk line and Central Traffic associations at their meeting today would form a new orga-nization for the better maintenance of rates and reduction of expens caused a general advance of 14 to 1% and at the top notch there was considerable covering of shorts. The stocks most prominent in the early rise were the Grangers, Southwesterns, anthra-cite coalers, Louisville and Nashville, Tennessee Coal and Iron. The railway Tennessee Coal and Iron. The railway list held its advance pretty well and as a rule prices closed 1/6 to 11/4 per cent, higher on the day. The Industrials were active and feverish throughout. Chicago Gas bounded up to 711/6 in the first hour, then sold back to 671/2 and closed at 67%. The rise brought out long stock and the afternoon decline was partly due to this a. m. and 7 p. m.

Howard Place African Methodist
Episcopal church—Preaching by the
pastor. Rev. C. A. McGee, at 10.30 a. m.
and 8 p. m. At 8 p. m. will be the annual sermon to Lincoln camp, No. 1,
Knights of the Black Cross.

Brown Methodist
noon decline was partly due to this
selling. Sugar rose ½ to 108% and
dropped to 104%a105).. Leather, General Electric and Lead were notably
firm. In the last hour the general list
was a shade easier. The Industrials
was a shade easier. The Industrials made net losses on the day of % to 2% per cent. General Electric and Leather preferred were exceptions and gained

%al% per cent.

The range of today's prices for the active stock of the New York stock market are given below. The quotations are furnished The Tribune by G. du B. Dimmick, manager for William Linn, Allen & Co., stock brokers, 412 Spruce street, Scranton.

On'n-High-Low-Clos-

Am. Tobacco Co....104 Ches. & Ohlo..... Nat. Cordage 7½
Nat. Lead. 37
N. J. Central 114½
N. Y. Central 103
N. Y. & N. E. 56
N. Y. S. & W. 12½
N. Y. S. & W. Pr. 35%
Nor. Pacific 5%
Nor. Pacific, Pr. 19½
Ont. & West. 18½ 

CORN.
October 283 284 214 114
December 283 284 284
May 298 295 294
LARD.
October 5.90 5.90 5.85
January 5.85 5.87 5.82
PORK.
October 8.90 8.95 6.90

Scranton Board of Trade Exchange Ono tations-All Quotations Based on Par Name.

of 100.

Name.

Green Ridge Lumber Co.

D'me Dep. & Dis. Bank.

125
Scranton Lace Cur. Co.

Nat. Boring & Drilling Co.

E'rst National Bank.

600
Thuron Coal Land Co.

Scranton Jar & Stopper Co.

Scranton Jar & Stopper Co.

Lackawanna Lumber Co.

Lackawanna Lumber Co.

Scranton Axle Works.

Third National Bank.

35)
Lacka. Trust and Safe Dep. Co.

Allegheny Lumber Co.

Scranton Packing Co.

Scranton Packing Co.

Scranton Traction Co.

Economy Steam Heat & Power Co.

Scranton Pass. Railway first mortgage, due 1918.

110
Scranton Traction Co.

People's Street Railway, first mortgage, due 1918.

110
Rushbrook Coal Co.

Scranton & Pitston Trac. Co.

People's Street Railway, Second mortgage, due 1926.

110
Lacka. Valley Trac. Co.

Feople's Street Railway, Second mortgage, due 1926.

Scranton Wholesale.

Fruits and Produce.—Dried apples, per lb., 5a6c.; evaporated apples, 74,a8c.; California prunes, 64,a8c.; English currants, 24,a3c.; layer raisins, \$1,60a1.70; muscatels, 4a5c. per lb.; \$1a1.25 per box; new Valencias, 54,a64c. per lb. Beans—Marrowfats, 12a2.20 per bushel; mediums, \$1,75a1.80, Peas—Green, \$1,10 per bushel; split, \$2,50a2.60; lentels, 5a8c. per lb. Potatoes—40c. per bushel. Onions—63a65c. per bushel. Butter—16a26c. per lb. Cheese—6a 9c. per lb. Engra—16a164c. per dos. Meats—Hams, 104c.; small hams, 11c.; skinned hams, 11c.; California hams, 8c.; shoulders, 74c.; bollies, 8c.; smoked breakfast bacon, 104c. Smoked Beef—Outsides, 12c.; sets, 134c.; insides and knuckles, 15c.; Acme

alleed smoked beef, 1:-Ib. cans, \$2.40 per dox. Pork—Mess, \$14.50; short clear, \$15. Lard—Leaf, in tierces, 7½c.; in tubs, \$c.; 10-lb. pails, 8½c. per ib.; 5-lb. pails, 8½c. per ib.; 5-lb. pails, 8½c. per ib.; 5-lb. pails, 6½c.; tubs, \$c.; 10-lb. pails, 6½c. per ib.; 5-lb. pails, 6½c. per bas4; Ohio and Indiana amber, \$2.50; Graham, \$2.50; rye flour, \$3.50. Feed—Mixed, per cwt., \$5c. Grain—Corn, \$6c.; oats, 30a60c. per bushel. Rye Straw—Per ton, \$13a16. Hay—\$15a17.

Sec.; oats, 30a40c. per bushel. Rye Straw—Per ton, \$13a16. Hay—315a17.

New York Produce Market.
New York. Sept. 20.—Flour — Quiet, rather easier, Wheat—Fairly active, easier with options; No. 2 red store and elevator, \$25c; afloat, \$25c; f. o. b., \$25a 635c; ungraded red, \$5a5lc.; No. 1 northern, \$36c; options closed steady at \$5c below yesterday; No. 2 red, September, \$25c; Cotober, \$25c; December, \$25c; December, \$25c; Cotober, \$25c; December, \$25c; Afloat; Options weak at \$5a5c decline; September, \$25c; October, \$25c; December, \$25c; October, \$25c; Oc

Philadelphia Tallow Market Philadelphia, Rept. 26.—Tallow is steady and in moderate demand. We quote: City, prime, in hids, #\$adke; country, pr.me, in bbls, #\$adke; do dark, in bbls, 5%r4c; cakes, #\$e: greare, 3%ad%c.

#### NEWS OF OUR INDUSTRIES.

Happenings of Interest to the Standl Trades and Particularly to the Trade in Iron, Steel and Authracite Cont.

With the exception of the third lift, the water is now said to be all out of the Ebervale mines. Markle & Co. have put a fan into operation in order have but a ran into operation in order to purify the air, so as to permit the men to make a thorough inspection. The car department of the Lehigh Valley shops at Weatherly is overcrowded with work. Yesterday morning the men began work at 6 o'clock and worked until 6 last evening, with only half an hour for dinner. This order of things will continue until further notice.

Osmond some years ago made the same and winter than in the fall and winter trip in 87½ minutes, using a Class C of 1894.

anthracite locomotive, which pulled four passenger coaches. The distance is 90 68-100 miles. The steam pressure was 120 pounds, while the pressure on the secent trial was 200 pounds and the weight of the engine was doubled. Engineer John Hogan, of the Reading, made the run in 85 minutes.

The high water mark in trap and

The high water mark in iron and the high water mark in iron and steel has been touched and the prices have begun to recede. On Thursday Bessemer pig dropped from \$17.50 to \$17 and steel billets from \$24.50 and \$25 to \$24.25 and \$24.50. This is the first de-

operation. It is expected that the works will be in full blast by January next. As is well known, this is a branch of the Pennsylvania Steel company, and the works have been idle, or partially so, since that company got into difficulty some years ago. The plant is an entirely modern one, and is one of the largest in the country. When in full operation the works have a capacity of 1,000 tons of pig Iron per day, or 250,000 tons per annum, and 300,000 steel ralls per annum. The pay rolls will bear the names of 3,000 employees when work is fully resumed. In commenting upon the railroad situation, General Manager Joseph Wood, of the Pennsylvania company, is quoted as saying that the business of the Pennsylvania lines was good and promised to be so for some time to come because of the revival of other industries, more especially the iron and coal industries. Mr. Wood expressed himself as pleased with the manner the several divisions had handled the heavy passenger traffic of late, the exemption from accident to passengers and damage to equipment being rether notice.

Speaking of the fast run made on the Pennsylvania railroad from New York to Philadelphia this week, William E. Lockwood, of Philadelphia, recalls the fact that Engineer Edward freight traffic will be heavier this fall and winter than in the fall and winter.

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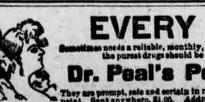
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