" Pure and Sure." BAKING POWDER

"I have used Cleveland's Baking Powder with entire satisfaction in the preparation of breads, biscuits JULIET CORSON, Founder of New York Cooking School,

TAX LEVY ORDINANCE.

Full Text of the Measure to Be Introduced

FOR GENERAL EXPENSES,

To provide for the payment of general expenses, there is hereby levied ten (10) mills on the dollar of valuation.

To provide for the payment of interest on one hundred thousand dollars, six percent, city bonds, issue of year 1876, and to provide a sinking fund for the liquidation of said bonds, there is hereby levied, sixty-four hundredths of one mill on the dollar expension.

valuation.

To provide for interest on one hundred and three thousand dolars, four percent, city issue of year, 1896, and to provide a sinking fund for the liquidation of said bonds, there is hereby levied lifty-dx hundreths of one mill on the dollar of equation.

vauation.
To provide for the interest on seventyfive thousand dollars, four per cent, city
bonds issue of year, 1890, and to provide a
studing fund for the liquidation of said
bonds, there is hereby levied four-tenths
of one mill on the dollar of valuation.
The provide for interest on ninery thousand dollars, four and one-half per cent,
city bonds, issue of year 1891, and to provide a sinking fund for the liquidation of
said bonds, there is hereby levied fourtenths of one mill on the dollar valuation.

INTEREST ON CITY BONDS.

To provide for interest on one hundred and forty-four thousand dollars, four and one-half per cent, city bonds, issue of 192, and to provide a sinking fund for the liqui-dation of said bonds there is hereby levied

dation of said bonds there is nereby level five-tenths of one mill on the dollar valua-

About Three Hundred Already Disposed

of for the Charity Ball.

A meeting of the general committee having the charity ball in charge was

held last night, at which most gratify-ing reports were made of the progress

of arrangements for the ball in the Frothingham on April 7. About 200 ad-mission tickets have already been dis-

posed of, the demand greatly exceeding

expectations. At last night's meeting the following gentlemen were appoint-

act on the night of the ball

PRINCETON ALUMNI.

Northeastern Pennsylvania Gradustes

Will Banquet at the Terrace. The annual alumni of the Princeton alumni of northeastern Pennsylvania

will be held at the Hotel Terrace tomor-row evening. Last year the banquet

was in Wilkes-Barre and then the prin-

cipal officers were Scrantonians; this

year the two circumstances are re-

versed according to a long-standing

ssor West, of the university faculty,

leasor West, of the university faculty, and a quartette from the University Glee club. The tonstmaster will be 11.

A. Fuller, of Wilkes-Barre, president of the alumni. The other officers are:

Secretary, George Urquhart, jr., o! Wilkes-Barre; treasurer, Lyddon Flick.

of Wilkes-Barre; executive committee. H. H. Wells and Thomas H. Atherton, of Wilkes-Barre; J. E. Burr, of Carbon-dale; C. V. Dersheimer, of Towanda.

and J. Harry Fisher and W. E. Gun-

A Coming Event

of importance to the ladies of Scranton

and vicinity is the opening of Gerson's New Millinery Store at 421 Lackawan-

na avenue. Gerson is a familiar name

in Philadelphia and throughout the state of Pennsylvania in connection

with fine millinery goods and the lead-ing styles of trimmed hats and bonnets. It is the largest millinery establishment

in Philadelphia, with a resident buyer in Paris, located at Rue De Petit Ecu-ries 47 and a branch office in New York.

Gersons are constantly receiving all the newest French fashions in headgear

as they intend the Scranton store shall be the Leading Millinery store in the state. The same styles and same goods

will always be found on the counters

and show rooms here as are shown in the Philadelphia establishment, as all

the goods are brought direct from the

manufacturers at home and abroad. The prices will be found to be much

lower than the same quality of goods have ever been sold here before. The opening days will be announced in the

paper, and ladies should take particular note of the same, as the exhibit of im-ported hats and millinery novelties will

ar exceed anything heretofore shown

Waldron's Horse Sale.

Today at 1 o'clock the big horse sale begins at Cusick's stable. They have horses of all sizes, colors and description, and they are to be sold without reserve, to the highest bidder, they will be all worked and driven to the satisfaction of the buyer, and then you can have at your own price. This is

faction of the buyer, and then you can buy at your own price. This is a chance that should be appreciated by those in want of horses, as Waldron is acknowledged to be the only man that will sell a horse regardless of cost in an auction ring. A deposit of \$10 will be required on every horse sold before he leaves the ring, so go with the crowd at 1 o'clock to Cusick's stable.

Second-hand grand upright planes but slightly used. Best makes. Cheap at Guernsey Bros.

in Scranton.

custom of the organization.

ster, of this city.

Norrman & Moore FIRE INSURANCE, 120 Wyoming Ave.

BIG BARGAINS IN SHOES RUSSET SHOES AT COST AT THE COMMONWEALTH SHOE STORE Washington Avenue.

EVERY ROAD LEADS Somewhere!

BUT THE POPULAR ROAD IS THE

ackawanna aundry.

A. B. WARMAN.

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SUPERIOR DESIGNS

The most com- (URIAINS plete stock of Special Patterns WINDOW mada private to us for

strictly SHADES.

CARPETS.

DRAPERIES,

CITY NOTES.

"Join the Blues." The grand jury will make its first return to court this morning. Mrs. Edward Canavan, of Price street, fell and fractured her leg yesterday.

The Rev. Mr. Hiorns will speak at the Young Women's Christian association to-day at 12.30. All young women are invit-Miss Mollie Tracy Weston, who will give a recital in the North Main Avenue Bap-tist church next Tuesday evening, is an artist of much ability and is highly rec-ommended.

A military commission was yesterday issued at Harrisburg to Harry Page Decker, of Lackawanna county, to be first lieutenant of Company F, Thirteenth reg-

Marriage licenses were granted by Clerk of the Courts John H. Thomas yesterday to Nimrod Edwards, Scranton, and Mar-garet Kane, Olyphant: Walter William Lisk and Mary Reese, Scranton.

Tony Vecerz created a disturbance in Contractor Kierstead's office, on Adams avenue, yesterday afternoon when he went to draw his pay, and as a result he spent last night in the station house. About twenty-five of the Scranton Cash store clerks and their friends were given a sleighride by Proprietor F. P. Price last night to Chinchilla, where they were entertained at the home of Frank H. Young, one of the clerks of the store.

Young, one of the clerks of the store.

The Broad oyster and chop house, 121
Penn avenue, of which Flora C. Rockafeller has been proprietress since Broad
Bros. disposed of their interest in it to
her, is in the hands of the sheriff. Three
fudgments of \$500, \$900.97 and \$500, amounting to \$1,900.97, were entered up yesterday
in the office of Prothonotary Pryor and
executions were issued on them. The
place was not closed on account of the
fact that the stock on hands consists of
perishable goods. The proprietress will
remain in charge until next Wednesday
morning at 9 o'clock, when the sale will
take place. The three notes on which the
writs were made were held by Delna A.
Rockafeller.

MARRIED LAST EVENING.

Miss Regi Lebowitz Became the Bride of Benjamin Simkovitz.

The marriage of Miss Regi Lebowitz to Benjamin Simkovitz, both of South Washington avenue and prominent young folks of the Benai Israel congregation, was solemnized at the Hickory gation, was solemnized at the Hickory street synagogue by Rev. Nathan Edelman, the rabbl, at 6.30 last evening. The ceremony was witnessed by as many as the church could hold. A reception was tendered to Mr. and Mrs. Simkovitz at the home of her sister, Mrs. Samuel Lebowitz, 408 South Washington avenue, until 9.30 and then the wedding festivities were transferred to Music hall.

The bride was attended at her marriage by Miss Annie Judkovitz as bridesmald, and Miss Sarah Weisberger. as maid of honor. The bride wore white satin with pearl trimmings; and her re-spective attendants white silk and blue silk. Edward Weiss and Joseph Judkovitz were groomsmen. Two little girls, Ratle Muskovitz and Tillie Judkovitz, attired in blue silk dresses, followed the bride and carried baskets of flowers.

The bride and groom received con-gratulations in large measure at the reception in Music hall. Dancing was the leading feature of the occasion until the jeading feature of the occasion until an hour past midnight. Music was furnished by a glosy orchestra. Miss Estle Simkovitz and Joseph Simkovitz. sister and brother of the groom, and Nathan Rosenthal were present from Wilkes-Barre, and J. B. Bernstein, from Pattimore.

Meals and Cold Lunches.

Meals and cold lunches served at all hours at Lohmann's, Spruce street, Regular dinner 40 cents, Imported Regular dinner 40 cents. Imported and domestic wines, cigars and liquors,

Organs at half price. Guernsey Bros.

Houses for Sale and for Rent. or you contemplate purchasing or leas-ing a house, or want to invest in a lot, see the lists of desirable property on page 2 of The Tribune.

IT LOOKS LIKE MURDER

Polander with His Head Crushed Pound Beneath the Tracks.

ONE ARREST HAS BEEN MADE

Grishka, Who Boarded with the Man Nov Dend, Had Blood on His Cont. He Loved the Wife of

Theories of murder and accident are puzzling County Detective Leyshon and Coroner Longstreet in the case of John Mickus, a Polander, whose body was Mickus, a Polander, whose body was found early yesterday morning lying beneath the Delaware. Lackawanna and Western tracks in a culvert near the Tripp homestead. His head had been crushed almost to a jelly.

John Grishka, who boarded with Mickus, was arrested under peculiar circumstances. At the coroner's inspect in the central police work on the case is being done by Country homes last night no ty Detective Levshon. The tolles will

John Mickus.

in select Council Tonight.

Yesterday afternoon City Controller Widmayer completed the drafting of the annual tax levy ordinance and tonight he will send it into select council. The measure fixes the levy at thirteen and six-tenths mills. This is one mill less than last year's levy, when a spectal levy of one mill was made to provide for the purchase of Ngy Aug park. The amount which will be raised by this levy will be in the neighborhood of quest in the court house last night no conclusive evidence to grove the mur-der theory was adduced, although Grishka is critically involved and will be held until after the continued inamount which will be raised by this levy will be in the neighborhood of \$196,000, which will be distributed as in-dicated in the ordinance printed in full below:

quest at 8 o'clock Saturday night. Grishka was arrested because of the suspicion attached to the presence of blood stains on his overcoat. He had stood among the crowd which surrounded the body when the coroner arrived. The coroner noticed the stots on the coat and ordered the arrest of Grishka after he had failed to until the cortice.

below:

An Ordinance Levying General and Special City Taxes for the Fiscal Year, 1895. Section L—Be it ordained by the select and common councils of the city of Soranton, and it is hereby ordained by the abstract of the city of Soranton and it is hereby ordained by the abstract of defraying expenses of the city of Soranton for the fiscal year 1896, and certain other deficiencies prior thereto for which appropriations have been made, a tax is hereby levied on all persons, occupations, real, personal and mixed property, within the limits of the city of Soranton, Pennsylvania, taxable according to the laws of the state of Pennsylvania, for couply purposes, as follows:

FOR GENERAL EXPENSES, after he had failed to satisfactorily ex-plain the stains.

The body of Mickus was discovered about 6 o'clock in the morning by a workman who was walking along the tracks. He notified the flagman at the crossing, who, in turn, noti-fied the police of the West Side station house. Coroner Longstreet was summoned, and when he reached the scene, found a crowd of morbidly curious persons surrounding the remains

POSITION OF THE BODY. The position of the body indicated that human hands placed it where it was found that it could not have been huried there by a passing train. This was the opinion of the coroner and of police There was cause also for the theory that murder was committed on the spot

On the retaining wall where the body rested there were a few drops of blood. wall is a part of a trestle over a private roadway in the rear of the Tripp homestead on North Main avenue. The body hy on its back near the south abutment and almost beneath the cutside northbound track. The head pointed up the road. Evidence that the body had not fallen was offered in the regular position of arms and legs which did not indicate any violent action at the time Mickus' form reached the spot. The murder theories are suggested by the fact that the peculiar construction of the culvert would render it almost

impossible for a man to be struck by a train and his body flung to the spot where Mickus was found. Three tracks, two of them for southbound and one for northbound passenger trains only, cross the culvert. The space between the ties of each set of rails is only two or tion.

To provide for interest on two hundred and fifty thousand dollars, four and one-balf per cent, city bonds, issue of year, 1894, and to provide a sinking fund for the liquidation of said bonds there is hereby levied one and one-tenth mills on the dollar of valuation. three inches wide, while there is a space of two feet or more between the ends of the ties of the three tracks. A southbound train could not have thrown a body through the two-foot space and over to a point between the northbound track, and a northbound GREAT DEMAND FOR TICKETS train certainly would have hurled it somewhere else than directly beneath that track and against the south abut No trace of blood could be found on the iron, stone or woodwork of the culvert, and it has not been learned from any fireman or engineer that a man was run down during the night.

> HEAD BADLY BATTERED. The head was badly battered. The forehead was crushed, the nose broken and the teeth knocked out. No other marks of violence, excepting some contusions and scratches on the face and hands, were discovered. His hat was found near the body.
>
> Mickus' watch chain was dangling

from his vest; the watch could not be found. A pocketbook on his person contained three pennies.

the following gentlemen were appointed to act on the night of the ball:
Reception committee—Dr. W. F. Connors, J. J. McCawley, Dr. Haggerty, Dr. W. F. Brady, Dr. W. K. Dolan, P. J. Hickey, Percival J. Morris, Henry Collins, P. J. Collins, P. J. Olliga, D. W. K. Dolan, P. J. Collins, P. J. Durkin, M. J. Colliga, T. H. Carroll, T. V. Powderly, Edward O'Brien, James H. Timlin, H. J. Gavin, M. S. Collins, R. M. O'Brien, T. P. Duffy, John J. Higgins, M. G. Neary, Floor committee—William Boyle, John P. Connolly, A. P. Curran, William H. Coyne, E. J. Melvin, F. J. McCann, M. T. Howley, John H. Nailin, Dr. Joseph McLane, James I. Shea, James W. McDonald, D. P. Byrne, John M. Corbett, P. F. Griffin, Frank Ford, J. B. Cassidy, Joseph P. Lavis, Dr. F. L. McGraw, Thomas P. Collins, George Clark, F. P. Canavan, M. J. McAndrew, George N. Campbell, P. F. Lynott, James Heamish, Joseph P. Hannon, M. J. Lynott, Frank McCawley, Joseph Nolan, John MacEachen, Frank Knight, John McCarwley Any footprints that might have thrown some light on the matter were almost obliterated by the crowd before the coroner and the police reached the scene, although there were tracks indicating that one or two men had walked down the embankment from the rallroad, and had then walked back

While the coroner was surveying the body and scrutinizing the locality, his notice was attracted by Orishka, the man held on suspicion. Dark colored spots were plainly visible on the lapel and skirt of his overcoat. He told the coroner he was a friend of Mickus and had seen him at supper on the preced-ing evening. He evaded questioning and appeared confused. There was little doubt that the spots were made by blood and Coroner Longstreet ordered Patrolman Evans to arrest the man. He tried to wash the stains off with snow while being led to the West side station house, but was prevented do-ing so by the patrolman.

The coroner impanelled a jury and ordered the body removed to the morgue of Undertaker Price, where the It is expected that about forty-five persons will be present including Procoroner and Dr. Pennypacker made a jost-mortem examination at 5 o'clock in the afternoon. Meanwhile County Detective Leyshon began work on the as-sumption that Mickus and Grishka were together during Tuesday night.

INQUEST LAST NIGHT.

When Coroner Longstreet began the inquest in the court house last night a score or more of unusually wella score or more of unusually well-dressed and intelligent Lithuanians, or Russian Polanders, were present. They were of the same class as Mickus and the accused. The latter was not present. The jury was composed of R. P. Mellon, George W. Keyes, Alfred G. Pace, J. J. Howell, Evan J. Evans and W. S. Matthews. M. S. Matthews.

Samuel Nicholas, who found the body. was sworn. He lives at 1218 Thompson street and works in the Mount Pleas-ant mine. Nicholas described the posttion in which the remains rested and said there were footprints in the snow leading to and away from the spot. He did not notice the footprints except in the immediate vicinity of the body. Some sensational facts which will prove serious evidence in connecting Grishka with the crime were related privately to the coroner by Andrew Goron, who lives in the rear of 1208 Short avenue. Gordon may be sworn Saturday night. He is a middle-aged pros-perous looking Polander, and speaks good English. He works in the Mount Pleasant mine, and is known as an arbitrator, advice-giver and interpreter

among his countrymen.

Gordon first made his knowledge known to a Tribune reporter, and later repeated the story to the coroner. He acted as interpreter during the inquest. Mickus, he said, was 43 years old, and worked in the Brisbin mine, as did Grishka. About a year ago his first wife died and within a month he mar-ried a girl named Miller, who was then working for a family on the boulevard They first lived in the Seventh ward, where Grishka came to board with them. Quarrels were frequent among the three on account of the boarder's attention to Mrs. Mickus. Their reintions became so conspicuous that since the family and Grishka moved to Lloyd street, three months ago, the affection between him and Mrs. Mickus was known among all the colony.

THEY FOUGHT FREQUENTLY. The two men fought frequently, the wife always taking sides with the

It was these facts that were known when the inquest began. The real testimony showed nothing that oc-

curred later than 6 o'clock of the night that Mickus met his death. The sev-eral witnesses examined gave testi-mony corroborating the information

mony corroborating the information given the coroner by Andrew Gordon.

The evidence offered by George Grigus, but two weeks in this country, showed what occurred in the Mickus household up to 6 o'clock Tuesday night. Grigus went to the house about 5.30 o'clock to ask Grishka to write a letter to his (Grigus') friends in Poland. In the house were Mickus, Mrs. Mickus, Grishka and "Charlle" Miller, a brother of Mrs. Mickus. They were drinking beer, but were not intoxicated. Miller soon left and at 8 o'clock Grigus Miller soon left and at 6 o'clock Grigus also departed.

Other witnesses were Simon Narou-sas, a driver of a Roche beer wagon; Nathan Suravitz, a retired Penn avenue grocer, and a neighbor of the Mickus family. Patrolman Evans gave what seemed to be unimportant evidence

ty Detective Leyshon. The police will not become immediately identified with it until after the verdict of the coroner's jury.

FOUR FAVORED FERBER.

Schwenk of the Department Committee

Mone in His Opposition Fred Durr, George Sanderson, W. Thomas, J. P. Schwenk and M. J. Burns the full membership of the fire department committee, met last night and approved of the appointment of Chief Ferber and the six district engineers. Mr. Schwenk opposed the re-port, but did not waste much energy trying to win over the other members to his way of thinking.
The fight on the acceptance or rejec-

tion of this report will come off tonight. The administration men are confident of having the nominations confirmed while the opposition is equally confi-dent that they will not be confirmed. It is expected that there will be a big attendance of spectators to watch the fight.

REDS WERE TARDY.

Bines Had Made a Contract with the Traction Company.

The Blues yesterday scored a point yer the Reds in the Young Men's Christian association membership contest. The circumstance is explained if the following telephone conversation: 'Is this Mr. Silliman?'

Yes, who's talking?" This is Hand-Horace."

Well "Mr. McClave, captain of the Reds, is here and wants to contract with you to have red flags attached to the trolley poles of all the cars." Sorry, but Captain Atherton, of the Blues, has just left here after arrang-ing to have his blue flags put on the

cars. He stipulated that we make no arrangement with the Reds. My re-gards to Mr. McClave." "All right. It's too bad, but can't-" "Good-bye,"
"Well-good-bye,"
The blue flags appeared on the cars

6 o'clock. It is rumored that the Reds have arranged for the use of all the flagstaffs on Lackawanna, Penn, Franklin, Wyoming and Washington avenues and Spruce and Linden streets, and will fling their colors to the breeze as soon as the flags can be made.

ABOUT BELL'S DEATH.

Sickler of Jermyn, Writes It Was Purely Accidental.

Any doubt as to the cause of death of aged John Bell in Jermyn recently is set aside by a letter from Dr. J. B. Sickler, of that place, to Coroner Longstreet. The letter was received yesterday. Coroner Longstreet on Monday re-ceived an anonymous letter hinting that Bell's death was the result of foul play. Dr. Sickler wrote that he had never seen anything suspicious connected with the death of Bell, who died on the morning of the 14th, except the fact that there was some insurance (not a large amount) carried on him by his daughter with whom he lived. Dr. Sickler had been acquainted with them for sometime and thought the letter received by the coroner was actuated by spite. Dr. Sickler was called last summer to attend the old man by the same family when he fell part way down stairs. He believes his death was purely accidental.

COMMITTEE HESITATES.

Will Investigate Before Granting the Ninth Street Franchise.

The railway committee of common council failed to approve of the resolution granting to the Valley Passenger company the right to lay tracks on Ninth street between Swetland street and Lackawanna avenue

The committee thought it wise to consult first with the city engineer regarding the width of the street and with the streets and bridges committee as to advisability of allowing the company to follow out its proposed plan of es-tablishing a belt line by way of Ninth, Swetland and Main avenue, outward bound and Jackson and Robinson streets, Inward bound. conference on this matter will be

held next week. DREAMS OF FAIR WOMEN.

Are Unsually breams of Beautiful

Gowns and Rich Apparel.

It is the realization of such dreams to see the rich, new and elegant suits and garments to be seen at the store of Francis Fitzgibben, Burr Building, 132 N. Washington ave. Don't grab at straws when you are floundering in the sea of many cloak advertisements, but grash a firm hold on one of the many life preservers he throws to you in the way of bargains in outer wear.

Scranton has but one legitimate cloak store where everything that is abso-Intely correct in style may be foundthey fail to visit this emporium of fashion. Ladies find this store a pleas-ant place to trade in and an obliging force of saleswomen to wait upon them Prices rule very low, as a fine cape can be Lought for \$1.45 and from this price. values advance necording to quality. Den't fall to make a visit to this the handsomest store in Scranton.

E. S. WHLLIAMS GETS IT.

the Will Build the New Nav Ang Engine House on Franklin Avenue.

In order to facilitate the passage through council of the contract for the erection of the new Nay Aug engine house, on the corner of the Franklin avenue and Page court, both fire avenue and Page court, both fire de-partment committees met last night to jointly consider the bids opened at the last meeting of the lower branch.

Of men traveling from house to house pre-tending to be Tuners and Repairers of Planos and Organs. They sometimes use our name without authority. The lowest bid was that of E. S. Williams, who proposes to do the work for \$9,260, and he was accordingly awarded the contract.

Ancient Order of Hibernians of America. Division officers of the Ancient Order of Hibernians of America in Scranton and vicinity are requested to attend a office this evening in College hall a 7.30 o'clock for the purpose of arranging a reception to Cardinal Satolii William Dawson. County President.

Oriental Rags and Carpets Michaelian Bros & Co, are here with a very choice and large selection of Persian Rugs to be exhibited and sold

Pilisbury's Flour mins have a capac-

Is to Be Tendered to Cardinal Satolli

Saturday Night. MEETING TO BE HELD TONIGHT

Bepresentatives of Various Catholic Societies Will Confer to Arrange the Details for the Demonstration for the Prince of the Church.

Cardinal Satolli on his visit here in connection with the consecration next Sunday which will rival the greatest of the many big ovations tendered the famous prelitte during his recent tour through the west and south. Although the first public intimation the reception was given in yester-

day's Tribune, the enthusiasm over the movement is already as great as if it had been under discussion for weeks. The leaders of the various societies connected with the Catholic church and the priests as if by one impulse set at work yesterday to formulate plans for the event. The result was a call for a meeting to be held in college hail at 7.... o'clock tonight to which delegates from all societies in the cathedral parish and adjoining parishes are invited.

The Italian Catholics are especially enthusiastic over the reception. Yesterday Rev. Father Dominic, pastor the Italian congregation of the cathedral parish, made a tour of the city and the towns down the valley and found all the societies willing and anxi-ous to participate. Today he will visit Carbondale and intervening towns to personally invite the societies of the upper valley to co-operate in the cele-

The size of the parade which will be the principal feature of the reception will depend to a great degree on the time at which Cardinal Satolli will arrive. At present this is not definitely

If he should come on Saturday afternoon or early Saturday evening the parade will no doubt be an immense one, providing, of course, the weather should also be propitious.

THEY DO NOT WANT HIM. Greenfield Township Objects to a Car

bondale Pauper. Patterson & Wilcox, counsel for the overseers of the poor of Greenfield township, yesterday made an appeal to court from the action of the Carbondale poor district in unloading one John Gligalion, a pauper, on them. Judge Archbald directed that the appeal be heard on depositions on May 1 next, John Gilgallon, the cause of the trouble, drifted into Carbondale late-ly and became a charge on the poor district. It was found that this has been his condition for years, and as he was a bird of passage, having no legal settlement in Carbondale, the poor di-rectors investigated and learned that he was a charge on Greenfield township, so they took out an order of removal before W. B. Swick and T. O. Robinson, two justices of the peace of Jermyn borough, with a view to have Gilgallon sent back to Greenfield. They do not want him in Carbondale. LEAP-YEAR DANCE.

Given for the Members of the Scrantor Bievele Club.

The wives and lady friends of the Scranton Bicycle club members gave a leap-year dance for the members Tues-day night at the club house. It was

one of the pleasantest and one of the best managed social events in the club house this season. Music was furnished by the Lawrence orchestra. A collation was served at midnight. The committes were as follows: Miss Esther Faries, chairman; refreshments, Mrs. E. M. Beyea, Mrs. F. S. God-frey, Mrs. Dr. Stein, Mrs. John Fritz, Mrs. Alex. Dunn. ir., Mrs. E. H. Davis. Miss Stevens, Miss Mussar, Miss Sanders, Miss Charlesworth, Miss Bailey,

Miss Charlesworth; music, Miss Bone NOT VERY COMPLIMENTARY.

Lively Ending of Lightning Rod Litigation Before Alderman Wright. L. Potter, of Moscow, yesterday sued Robert S. Harlin, of this city, be-fore Alderman Wright to recover a quantity of lightning rods and fixtures which he alleges Harlin is illegally detaining. The men were partners in the lightning rod business until last August, and the present suit results from

the dissolution of the partnership.
Attorney George D. Taylor, who represented Potter, got into a heated argument with the alderman over the legality of a ruling on the admission of certain testimony, and the consequence was that Mr. Taylor withdrew the case and left the court, saying he would take his client to where he could get tos-

ENGINEER SHAFER WEDS.

Miss Lizzie Woniger, of Petersburg, Is the Bride. John E. Shafer and Miss Lizzle L.

Weniger were married yesterday in Dover, N. J. Mr. Shafer is a well-known Delaware, Lackawanna and Western engineer, and lives at 605 Olive street. The bride's home is in the Tenth ward (Petersburg.)
The couple left Scranton on the 9.50

morning Lackawanna train for Dover where they were married by Rev. David Spencer, formerly pastor of the Penn Avenue Baptist church. They returned on the 8.40 evening train.

CONWAY WOMAN RELEASED. Secured a Bondsman in Person of

Michael Lavelle of Luzerne Street. Mrs. Maggie Conway, who was committed to the county Jail during the forepart of last month for keeping a disorderly house, in which young girls were entired to their ruin, was yesterday released on bail, Michael Lavelto Luzerne street, qualifying as her The bail was in the sum of \$500 and was entered before Alderman Millar

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TEMPERANCE HALL BURNED.

Was Owned by St. Joseph's Father Mathew Society of Minooka. Between 2 and 3 o'clock yesterday morning fire broke out in the hall of St. Joseph's Total Abstinence and Benevolent society of Minooka, and it was burned to the ground in less than an hour. No one has any conception of how the fire originated, inasmuch as It

started in the rear of the hall, away from the stove altogether. The banquet and entertainment of Division 9, Ancient Order of Hibernians of America, was held St. Patrick's night, but everybody had gone home about midnight, and the hall was locked by the janitor two hours before the flames were noticed. There are no fre companies in Minooka, and there were but few persons around while the fire was in woorses, but a half down man was in progress; but a half dezen men organized a bucket bridgade and as-sisted in preventing the spread of the dames to adjoining buildings.

flames to adjoining buildings.

The books, papers and effects of St.
Joseph's society were destroyed, as well
as a piano owned by Rev. John Loughran, which was used in choir practice.
The society carried \$1.200 insurance
and that will fully protect them. Undertaker T. F. McDonough, of Pittston
avenue and Fig street, had 200 chairs
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