124-126 Wyoming Ave.

In our commodious store cus-tomers can make purchases with- which took place at Hoboken last even-In our commodious store cus bomers can make purchases without any inconvenience whatsoever. Bear in mind that we keep
only such goods as we know to be
first-class in every particular.
Our prices, we feel confident, you
will always find lower than the
lowest. Below we offer some
Special Values in our different de-Special Values in our different departments:

10 pieces of all-weel black serge, good quality. Leader's Price 22c.
10 pieces of black figured mohair.
Leader's Price 19c.
75 pieces of checked and plaid dress goods, have been 30c. Leader's Price 19c. 24 pieces of colored fancy silks and satins, real value 45c. Leader's Price

25c.
25 pleces of fancy silks in all the new colorings, would be cheap at 75c. Leader's Price 55c.
In our millinery department you will find all the latest novelties in trimmed and untrimmed hats, feathers, flowers, ribbons, etc., at popular prices. We guarantee satisfaction in every instance. instance.

We have just put on sale 25 Parisian pattern hats that are perfect beauties,

and solicit your inspection.

8 doz. ladies' figured brilliantines

One lot of ladies' black figured silk capes, lace trimmed and lined throughout with silk. Leader's Price \$2.98. 100 childrens' reefers in navy only, sizes 4 to 14, worth \$1.00. Leader's Price 59c. 65 doz. ladies' laundried shirt waists, nice, new, neat designs, extra large sleeves; this lot is a special offering, worth 75c. Leader's Price 39c., sizes

Superior quality men's web suspenders. Leader's Price 11c.

Boys' Fauntleroy blouse waists, beautiful in make and finish. Leader's Price 49c. Price 49c.

In parasols we are showing all the newest and latest devices. Prices ranging from 98c. and upwards.

Kid gloves in all colors and styles.
Leader's Prices 69c., \$1.09, \$1.25 and \$1.50

One more lot of the celebrated J. B. One more lot of the celebrated J. B. corsets in white only and in all sizes, usual price \$1.00. Leader's Price 58c.

W. B. corsets in white and gray. Leader's Prices 58c. and \$1.00. 100 pieces of short length glinghams, the 19c. quality; each piece contains 10 yds. or over. Leader's Price 5c. 20 pieces of organdles, dimities, lawns and mulis in one lot. Choice of any 5c. a yard.
One case of fine zephyr glinghams, never sold at less than 12c. Leader's Price 7c. 25 doz. cotton towels, everybody sells

MOSCOW

Mrs. Myra Stanton, while in Scranton shoping last Tuesday lost her pocketbook, containing between \$75 and \$100

Miss Mattle Hinds, of Moosic, is visiting her grandmother, Mrs. Jane Miss Mable DeWitt has returned

home after spending several weeks with friends in Port Jervis. Mrs. M. B. Posten and Mrs. Frank Courtright, of Wilkes-Barre, are guests of Hon. and Mrs. J. L. LaTouche. Mrs. William Snell, of Kingston, is isiting Mrs. Reuben Brown, on North

Mrs. H. L. Gaige returned home from Baltimore last week. Mrs. S. S. Yeager returned home from New York city last Monday.

P. G. Moran, of the Scranton News paper union, was in town last week. Professor W. B. Miller has purchased the Flowers estate, which was sold at public sale last week. Mrs. Levi Biesecker died on Wednes-

day. Funeral was held on Friday. In-terment was made at Dunmore. Among those who visited Scranton on Monday from this place were: W. F. Cements, J. E. Loveland, Albert Sayre, Mrs. Arch Decker, Miss Alice Scanlin. Mr. and Mrs. John Scanlin visited Scranton on Sunday.

Miss Mary Flinn was a visitor in Scranton on Friday.

Mrs. George Watts is quite seriously C. P. Vanbrunt will soon add a new

shingle mill to his already large lum-ber manufactory. Arthur Depew was a visitor in Scran-

OLD FORGE.

The Ladies' Aid society will meet at the home of Mrs. E. Barnes this after-William Carey has recently opened a

william Carey has recently opened a stone quarry on his property and is furnishing large quantities of stone.

Mr. and Mrs. E. Drake and George Safford attended the funeral of an aunt in Brooklyn on Sunday.

Rev. and Mrs. E. L. Santee returned have from Binghanton on Treeder. home from Binghamton on Tuesday. Mr. Santee returns to this place for an-

The Easter services rendered in the Brick kehurch by the Sunday school passed off very pleasantly, and the audience was well pleased.

The Welsh Baptist Sunday school

held their second anniversary on Sun-day. A very pleasing programme was rendered, consisting of singing and

Revs. Craven and Wright, of Wilkes-Barre, were the guests of Rev. W. G. Funk on Monday.

### SPRING OPENING! **OUR CARPET DEPARTMENT**

Has been wonderfully im-proved by adding 1,000 square feet to our already spacious store. And we have just re-ceived the finest assortment of

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H. S. BOLTON MARRIED.

lis Brido Miss Helen J. Kirkbride of This

There will doubtless be some prise manifested among the friends of H. S. Bolton today when they learn that that young man has taken to him-self a bride in the person of Miss Helen J. Kirkbride, of Seventh avenue.

a large circle of acquaintances.

The young couple will take a tour of ten days during which time they will visit New York, Philadelphia and Washington. They will take up their residence with the groom's parents on their return.

WANT PROFESSOR GREGORY. Easton Makes Our Townsman a Very

Fintering Offer.

A very flattering compliment has been paid to one of Carbondale's most progressive citizens, Professor W. P. Gregory, principal of Wood's Business college.

The compliment was from the people of Easton, who desire Mr. Gregory to return to that city and assume control of the commercial department of the public schools. A committee consisting of William H. Warner was sent to this 8 doz. laddes' figured brilliantines skirts, lined throughout and velveteen bound. Leader's Price 98c.
6 doz. laddes' fine figured brilliantine skirts, lined throughout, five yards wide. Leader's Price 1.98.
50 laddes' navy and black fiannel suits, real value \$5.98. Leader's Price signs and by every one of the board and by over two hundred citizens.

Mr. Gregory, however, to the great delight of his many friends, and espe-cially to his pupils, declined the tempting offer. He has centered his affections upon Carbondale, which he will make his permanent home. Mr. Gregory, during his short residence here, has showed himself to be an earnest worker in all things that pertain to the advancement of the city. We should

FIRST-CLASS PERFORMANCE. Nothing That Will Equal It Ever Seen in

This City. The performance of "The Sages" last evening at the opera house was first-class in every respect, and nothing that will equal it has ever been seen in this

25 doz. cotion towels, everybody sells them as a bargain at 5c. Leader's Price 3c.

Withdrawal of the pins. Other equally marvelous feats were performed, the entertainment closing with a toboggan race, which was about the funniest per-

OLD RESIDENT DEAD. assed Away Yesterday Morning at the

In the death of Mrs. Alice Murphy, H. L. Clements, of Wesleyan univer-daughter, Mrs. Michael Devine, yesof her oldest residents. Mrs. Murphy was born in Ireland ninety years ago, and was among the first emigrants to reach this city, hav-

Home of Her Daughter.

ing been here nearly seventy years. She has been ill for the last month from various complications, but her advanced age made her recovery impos-sible. She has made many friends dur-ing her residence here, who will greatly

Three daughters survive her: Mrs. Michael Devine and Mrs. Jane Marshall, of this city, and Mrs. John McDermott, of Michigan.

Olive Leaf Lodge to Celebrate.

The semi-centennial of Olive Leaf lodge will be celebrated in a most fit-ting manner on May 5. Preparations are being made on an elaborate scale. are being made on an elaborate scale. Several prominent speakers have already been secured, among whom are Grand Master Harry Weill, of Philadelphia; Grand Secretary Denbert, of New York, and Grand Warden W. Gaylord Thomas, of Scranton. Following the speeches at the opera house there will be a grand banquet and reception at the W. W. Watt hall. Many old members of the lodge will be present.

To Improve the School Grounds The school board has decided to greaty improve the grounds around the various school buildings during the com-ing summer. The most extensive will be made at the South Main street school. A large plot of ground will have to be purchased on either side to allow for the carrying out of the plans prepared. Bids for improving Brook-lyn street, South Main street and Far-view street grounds will be advertised at once. The high school grounds will also receive attention.

PERSONAL AND OTHER ITEMS The arm of Bert Weed, which was in-jured on the railroad last week, was amputated yesterday afternoon by Dr.

M. H. Sullivan has received notice from his attorneys, C. A. Snow & Com-pany that a patent has been granted for his carpet holder. Mr. Sullivan will endeavor to have the city take hold of his invention and manufacture the car-

pet holders.
A son was born to Mr. and Mrs. John
McCawley, of River street.
An exhibition was given by the Sages
at Wood's business college yesterday

afternoon. Misses Annie Burke and Annie Barrett, of this city, attended the Charity ball at Scranton last evening. M. B. Madigan, Jeremiah Walsh and

M. B. Madigan, Jeremiah Walsh and James Fox will represent the Knights of Father Matthew at the Diocesan convention which will be held at Freeland, May 20 and 21.

J. S. Bates, who was operated upon for appendicitis, is somewhat worse.

Miss Anna Doyle, of Mill street, is making an extended visit with friends in Williamsport.

Mrs. Arthur Howell is spending a few days with Honesdale relatives.

days with Honesdale relatives.

Miss Clara White, of South Washington street, who has been visiting for the past month in Binghamton, N. Y.,

the past month in Binghamton, N. Y., has returned.
James Kerins, of Oneonta, is visiting friends in this city.
Miss Mame Devine, of the West Side, has returned after a few days visit with Scranton friends.
Marcus Dufly, of this city, attended the Charity ball at Scranton last even-

Hugo Schimpff, a former resident of this city, who is now traveling with the "McKenna's Flirtation" company, was in this city yesterday renewing ac-

was in this city yesterday renewing ac-quaintances.

Mrs. John Murray Cobb, who broke her ankle some time ago and used it too soon, had her foot amputated yes-terday afternoon.

Miss Mamle Ruddy, of Powderly street, is visiting friends in Jermyn.

Mrs. T. C. O'Connell and Miss Ellen

Byrne, of this city, and Mrs. Chiveras, of Texas, spent yesterday in Archbald.

Nellie Kearney, one of the girls employed at the Harrison house, broke her collar bone-by a fall Monday even-

ing.

Mrs. Phil. Rinsland and the Misses
Ruth and Stella Rinsland, of Scranton,
are the guests of Mrs. Josephine Herbert, of this city.

Miss May Perkin and Miss Angle
Tuthill, of Waymart, are the guests of
Miss May Ulmer, of Wyoming street.

The select and common council will
meet in joint session next Tuesday
evening to elect a cit yengineer.

LE RAYSVILLE.

Miss Nettie Canfield spent a few days last week with relatives at Laceyville.

H. A. Bosworth, of the firm of J. P. and H. A. Bosworth, general merchants, started Monday for New York city for the purpose of purchasing spring and summer goods. Their millinery department which will soon be opened, will be under the able charge of Miss Matthews, an experienced trimmer, of Nichols, N. Y.

New maple syrup is now being bought in our markets at 90 cents a gallon.

to the extent of \$653,994,915, surplus fund of \$247,178,188, undivided profits of \$87,041,526, unpaid dividends deposits of \$1,648,692,868, and bills payable of \$20,-104,667.

THE WOOL MARKET.—The American wool markets have almost ceased to exist. The sales at the three chief cities for the past week have been only 2,928,750 pounds, against 5,229,800 last year, and in four weeks of March only 12,824,150 pounds, of which 6,596,800 were foreign, against 18,946,200 pounds in 1895, of which 11,397,300 were foreign,

this county.

Mrs. Camella Moore is confined to the

W. D. Marsh has closed his harness shop and is succeeded by B. L. Chaffee, who has moved into the Nichols build-

Lafayette Dimmock, tinner for Bailey and Son, has moved his family into the Lewis house on South Main street. Mrs. T. R. Wamoch and Miss Jennie accompanied by Miss Clara Woodruff, are in attendance at the Methodist Episcopal Conference in Binghamton,

Mrs. Dr. Cook is visiting relatives in Towarda for a few days.

The hour of the Endeavor societies and preaching services have been changed to half an hour later, which will continue during the summer

months.
The warm sugar social given by the Junior Endeavorers at the Congrega-tional Mause last Wednesday evening was well attended, the proceeds being about \$16.

J. F. Shoemaker, esq., of Waverly, N. Y., was on a business trip in these parts the forepart of last week.

At a meeting of our borough counci, a few days ago, the following officers were chosen for the ensuing year: Clerk, G. E. Billings; treasurer, W. D. Johnson; street commissioner, J. H. Johnson; fire

warden, E. J. Clark.
Rev. Dr. Davies, who lately resigned
as pastor of the Congregational church
at Neath, moved his family to Rome

ville House for a few years past, returns to her home this week.

Mrs. Randolph Buster has been confined to the house with a severe cold for

several days past. Edward Hire has moved his family from Liberty Corners to this place. We understand he is to take charge of the

Rumerfield stage route soon.

J. F. Miller, formerly of this place, has moved from Philadelphia to Atlantic City, N. J., where he will again take up his position as general agent for the Union Transfer Co. Miss Alice Canfield started for New York city Saturday, stopping for a short visit at Tunkhannock.

Mrs. B. H. Beardsley and Mrs. W. D. Johnson went to Philadelphia Monday for a visit with friends and relatives. Mrs. Beardsley will make a purchase to enlarge her millinery stock.
Wallace Abbott is in Philadelphia on

a business trip. TAYLOR.

William Thomas, of Union street. building a home for himself at South Taylor.

John Thomas, of Grove street, is erecting an addition to his home.

The Easter services which were dispensed with last Sunday at the Methodist Episcopal church owing to the absence of their pastor, Rev. King, will be held next Sunday evening. They are of a very interesting nature and will certainly be enjoyed by all who attend. Rev. W. T. Holmes, who was tendered a call by the Parsons' Congregational church recently, has accepted it and expects to begin in this his first charge

and his invery soon. Mr. Holmes is a young man of 27, and his inclinations since a boy tended toward the minstry. His privileges of education have been very narrowly limited, having always been obliged to earn his daily bread by the sweat of his brow.

Miss Lizzie Williams, who is teaching at Kizer's, spent Easter and the forepart of the week with her parents. Thomas Williams and wife, of South

Edward Harris, our prominent young butcher, spent Easter and the fore part of the week with friends at Nanticoke The teachers will receive their monthly stipend this evening.

A gang of men employed by the Traction company, is making great improvements on the road; "that bad piece" at South Taylor.

David Davis and wife, of Meadow

Brook, are moving into Cummings' block on Main street. Next Tuesday evening Mary Coone-lius, of Pond street, and Albert Bur-nett, of South Taylor, will be married

at the bride's home in Bellevue.

Elmer Daniels, Evan Watkins and
Henry Howells have been selected by
the Congregational Sunday school to
visit other schools wherein they might
discern something beneficial to report to their Sunday school next Sunday.
Some of our citizens had the future pretty well in view when they suggested the advisability of having a band stand in the borough. Edward Davishas kindly consented to lend a portion of his magnificent plot of ground on the corner of Main and Railroad streets for that purpose and the bands have conthat purpose, and the bands have con-sented to give us free open air con-certs. Hurrah for Taylor! We will cope with larger places than our own

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disease. She could

not put her foot down on the floor when we commenced giving her the medicine, but in a short time she was able to get off the couch and to reach her playthings. Since then she has steadily improved, thanks to Hood's Sarsaparilla, and her general health is all that could be desired. When any of the other children are not

well we give them Hood's Sarsaparilla and we earnestly recommend it to others."
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BUSINESS BREVITIES.

THE CONDITION OF NATIONAL BANKS.—The resources of the National banks of the United States are shown in the last abstract of their condition, completed March 31, as of Feb. 28, and made public by Comptroller Eckels. The 3,609 National banks had on Feb. 28, \$1,951,344,781 in loans and discounts, \$192,036,933 in stocks and securities, a lawful money reserve of \$337,259,922, of which \$156,000,000 was in gold, capital to the extent of \$653,994,915, surplus fund of \$247,178,188, undivided profits of \$87,041,526, unpaid dividends deposits of \$1,648,092,868, and bills payable of \$20,-104,667. THE CONDITION OF NATIONAL

gallon.

Latest reports say that potatoes are selling for six cents a bushel at Orwell.

1895. of which 11,397,300 were foreign, and 21,984,576 in 1892, of which 14,978,-

DEMOCRATIC TIMES.-The first Mrs. Camella Moore is confined to the house by serious illness.

On account of the bad condition of the roads, the Towanda stage has been drawn by three horses.

G. W. Beecher is preparing to open a confectionary store.

W. D. Marsh has closed his harness shop and is succeeded by B. L. Chaffee, who has moved into the Nichols building 1894 and 1 443 more than in 1895 and 1 443 more than in the first in 1894, and 1,443 more than in the first quarter of 1893, increases of 18,11 and of 47 per cent., respectively. The largest preceding like total, 4,050, was reported in 1885. Limbilities of those failing this year amount to \$62,513,600, an increase of 30 per cent, as compared with a year ago, 27 per cent, as compared with the first quarter of 1894, and 60 per cent. as contrasted with three years ago.

SILVER COINAGE.—The issue standard silver dollars from the mints standard silver dollars from the mints and treasury offices for the week end-ing April 4 was \$215,399, and for the corresponding period last year was \$341,119. The shipment of fractional silver coin for the month of March was \$698,244, and for the corresponding per-iod last year was \$729,553; from April 1, to A it aggregated \$37,599. 1 to 4 it aggregated \$97,599.

BROAD TOP COAL TONNAGE. The Huntingdon and Broad Top rail-road reports coal tonnage for the past week amounting to 53.558 tons, an increase over the same week last year of 5,398 tons; total for the year to date, 542,510 tons, an increase of 57,067 tons. THE COAL SITUATION .- "Not in

years," says the Stockholder, "has the anthracite coal trade been as near a unit in the matter of restriction and last week, where he will have the Pres-bytery circuit which includes Orwell and West Warren.

Miss Sarah Anderson, of Myersburgh, who has been mistress at the Le Rayscondition is not the result of change of heart among the interests, but due directly to a control by a central body. February and March are usually the dullest months of the season, owing to the hand-to-mouth policy that generally rules and the total absence of the stocking demand. The fact that the interests have been passable through these periods strictly adhering to their agreement is the best evidence that when trade becomes better, as will be the case when navigation on the lakes and canals opens, they will reap their reward. The conviction is becoming deep seated that on May 1 prices will be 25 cents per ton higher than they are at present. Even now, on a basis of \$3.69 for stove coal. New York harbor, net, they are 55 cents per ton above the averages of the month of April, 1895. The average of the succeeding month of 1895 decreased, so that if the price is advanced May 1, as expected, it will be \$3.85 net, compared with \$3, the average in May, 1895, or an increase of \$5 cents per ton. The interests can well afford to lose the case when navigation on the lake The interests can well afford to lose tonnage in order to establish gains as large as these. If the advance is made by May, there is no question that it will be followed by other advances as the demand increases during the summer and early fall, until stove coal is put on a basis of \$4.25 net. It is extremely improbable that higher figures will be sought, and it is likely that \$4 net will be the figure the combination will seek to obtain as an average for the twelve months' business. This is high enough to return good profits, but not suffic-iently high to stimulate production on the part of independents, as was the case during the McLecd regime, when the price was run up to nearly \$4.60, and kept between that figure and \$4.50 during November and December of 1892, and January and February of

CHEAPNESS OF POTATOES.—"Po-tatoes are fully 40 per cent. cheaper now." said a leading receiver to a New York Tribune reporter, "than they were on the corresponding date of last year. This is on account of the enormous crop of 1895, which is estimated at 400,000,000 bushels. The average annual crop is about 285,000,000 bushels, and the liference between it and the last crop shows that there are 115,000,000 bushels in excess of ordinary requirements. in excess of ordinary requirements. This great surplus has entirely cut off importation and there are no foreign potatoes in the market. The duty on foreign potatoes is 15 cents a bushel, and the freight ranges from six to ten cents o bushel, so that in view of the extremely low prices of domestic potatoes foreign potatoes could not be handled here averaged at a large loss. This led here except at a large loss. This, cf course, does not include new Havana and Bermuda potatoes, which are now coming in and being sold for from \$4.50 to \$5.50 a barrel for Havanas, No. 1 Bermuda selling for from \$5 to \$6 a barrel, and No. 2s from \$3 to \$4 a bar-

HONESDALE.

At last the postoffice fight that has been raging for several months past has been settled, and Miss Mary Gerety has received the appointment as posthes received the appointment as post-mistress. The experintment can hardly be said to be a popular one as the new woman craze has not gained a very great foothold in Honesdale as yet. The local Democracy are grinding their knives and looking for gore as they feel that there has been treachery by some of the bigger "guns" between here and the white house. and the white house.

and the white house..

The following vestrymen were elected on Monday evening at Grace church to serve for the ensuing year: E. H. Baumann. W. M. Gerdner. Homer Green. R. W. Ham, E. B. Hardenbergh. A. C. Lindsay, D. H. Menner, H. Z. Russell, W. F. Suydam and J. N. Welstein.

The last subscription dance for the season was held at Central theater last evening and proved a very enjoyable Ray

Hardenburgh returned this morning to his studies at Chester.
Fred Hand, of Scranton, and T. C. Kennard, of Hawley, spent last night in town.

OLYPHANT.

"The Convict's Daughter" was produced by the Adonis club at the Father Mathew Opera house Monday evening before a well pleased audience. The acene of the drama is laid in the south, and is full of pathos, with many striking situations. Steve J. Evans, in the parts of Curly Miller and James Willoughby, assumed the characters in a most capable manner and received repeated applause. Frank Maloughlin, as Colonel Russell, did exceedingly well. P. F. O'Malley, in the role of Frank Fairleigh, a lover, made a very good appearance and rendered his part in a modern lover-like manner, wh'is

Frank Heffron, as Hugh Mannering, the villain, was a strong and impressive character. Miss Nellie Gallagher, in the leading role of Stella Russell, acted her part to perfection. Miss Mamle Murphy made a charming and graceful Mrs. Russell, and Miss Genevieve Gillispie was applauded whenever she made her appearance. After the performance a social was given in the Club of '95's rooms, which was largely attended.

attended.

The school board met Tuesday evening in the central school building. All the members were present. No business of importance was transacted.

John Huff, of Providence, was a caller in town vesterday. in town yesterday.

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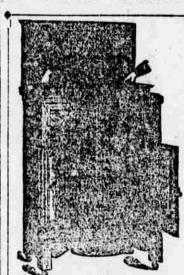
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