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CITY NOTES.

Nineteen new cases of measles were feet. reported to the board of health yesterday. body. Hari-Gari todge held a ball last even-ing in Schimpff's hall, South Side. There was a large attendance.

The Delaware, Luckawanna and West-ern company will pay at Holden, Pyne and Taylor collectes today.

The Delaware and Hudson company paid its employes on the Waymart and Hones-dale railroad divisions yesterday.

Superintendent of Schools Howell is attending the convention of city and county school superintendents at Harrisburg. Court yesterday granted a charter to Taylorville lodge, No. 668. Independent or-der of Odd Fellows, on the application of Davis & Edwards.

The board of trade will meet Monday night. The legislation and taxes com-mittee will report on the allexed "hold up" of the telephone ordinance. Application was vesterday made to court

by Thomas Clark for permission to adopt Julia and John Padden, aged respectively 6 and 4 years, children of Edward Pad-den, of this city.

Green Ridge library will be delivered by A. V. Bower next Tuesday evening March 16. The subject will be "Who Is the Author of Shakespeare?" The legislation and taxes committee, of

the board of trade will hold another ses-sion at 4 o'clock this afternoon to con-sider it - charges with reference to the new telephone company's application for n franchtse

The great Sleveking recovered from the illness that troubled him during his en-gagement here and played last evening in Wilkes-Barre before an assemblage that exceed in numbers either of the audiences. A number of n, chiefly those who are eveking's tour in this re-

Sent at the concert fast J. Alfred sonnington and Liewellyn gere among those present.

New Dress Goods.

Neldition to our immense stock of Black Goods, we are showing ne assortment of suitings, such at \$1 hreux, Gibralters, Canava, Et-Covert, Whip Cords, etc., in the shades, russet and wood military and postman's blue resida green. Prices range 'to \$1.50. MEARS & HAGEN.

CLASS 27-ENTERTAINED.

Very Pleasant Affair Last Night at Penn Avenue Baptist Church.

A successful entertainment for the penefit of the chair fund was held last evening at the Penn Avenue Baptist church under the direction of Class of the Sunday school. Mrs. Frederick Fellenser, teacher of the class, has Maught in the Sunday school for 28 years. Mrs. Fellenser's birthday was yesterday and the affair of last evening was a double celebration. C. F. Whittemore was chairman. The

Miss Maud Estelle recited in a charming manner, and a vocal duet by Misses Gertrude Long and Linda Smith was very pleasing. Miss Mildred Horton gave a recitation which was very amusing. The violin solo by Miss Clara Long showed a remarkable talent in the young lady. Miss Long played Cavatina, a very difficult creation of Raff. M'ss Linda Smith favored with a solo, "Ou of the Deep," and composite decla-mat on by Harry Smith, F. M. Koehler and George B. Fellenser called forth neuch applause. Miss Gertrude Long sang "Asthore" in a pleasing way and the entertainment closed with a Sheperdess drill by seventeen young ladies. A social followed during the progress of which Misses Alda Atkin-

APPEALS FROM CITY ASSESSMENT. Board of Revision to Be in Session from March 19 to April 8.

son and Edith Judd, played delightful

selections on the plano,

Dates for hearing appeals from the new city assessment have been fixed by the board of revision. The board will be in public session from March 19 to April 8 "nelusive.

Appeals from not more than two and Eighteenth, March 19: Seventh, March 20; First, March 22; Second. teren 23; Third and Fourth, March Fifth, March 25; Ninth, March 26; a:h.March 27; Eleventh and Twelfth,

11 (ch 29; Twenty-first and Fourteenth, ril 1; Nineteenth, April 2; Twentleth, Apr., 7; Eighth, April 8.

A NORTH END BOY

120 Wyoming Ave. Grover Cleveland Babcock Badly Mangled, but Lived Two Hours.

A PATHETIC DEATH-BED INCIDENT

Little Fellow Realizing His Fate Asked to Be Baptized -- He Was Being Chased By Another Boy and Attempted to Dart Across the Track in Front of a Slowly Moving Car. Medical Skill of No Avail -- Coroner Will Hold an Inquest.

Grover Cleveland Babcock, an 11ear-old boy, of the North End, was run down by a trolley car almost in sight of his home yesterday afternoon and crushed so badly that he died two hours later. Coroner Longstreet Impanelled a jury on the case and will in-

Young Babcock with some other boys was on his way to No. 21 school. An der lad gave chase to him on North is walting on the switch and atempted to dart across the outgoing rack in front of a Providence car vas moving at a slow rate of speed. Passengers on the front platform of he inward bound and stationary car gave ories of warning. The little felow was running obliquely across the ails partly in the same direction as hat being traveled by the car. He alled to clear the space in front of the fender which struck his legs and knocked him down on the outer rall.

Meanwhile Motorman Wm. Sprague shut off the power and began to apply the brake with all his strength as soon as he saw the boy dart in front of the car. The motorman's effort was too late, however. The fender had passed over the little fellow's prostrate form which was caught beneath the pilot board in front of the wheels. In that position the boy was rolled, crushed and shoved for a distance of about six foot. The wheel did not pass over the

BOY CARRIED HOME.

The car was reversed and the semi-E. M. Dobson and passengers into agent, and Miss Klesel, nurse, Burns' barber shop, Physicians were the report of Mrs. Duggan, agent, summoned but before their arival the showed that twenty-five cases had Burns' barber shop, Physicians were bleeding form was placed on a shutter and carried to his parents' home at 1435 Church avenue. Drs. E. Z. Bower, M. W. Ross, D. H. Jenkins, J. K. Bent-

It was found that the lower body was crushed to almost a pulp from the lower part of the abdomen to below the pelvis that their skill would avail nothing were cared for. and that only death would end the boy's suffering.

For two hours after 1.15 o'clock, when the accident happened, the little fellow wenty minutes before he died. Almost his last feeble words were:

ne baptized; I am going to die." The tather is Henry F. Babcock, a sephew of the head of the firm of G. J. Babcock & Co., the Franklin avenue feed and grain dealers, where he is em-

ployed. Coroner Longstreet gave Undertaker A union meeting of Donmore tremen | for burial and later in the evening imwill be held friday evening in the house panelled a jury who viewed the body of the smith flose company of Dunmore, and adjourned to meet next Tuesday The executive committee of the Firemen's evening in the arbitration room of the Yolunteer association will meet with court house and hear the testimony of them and explain the objects of the asother witnesses. The jurymen are T. J. Hilbon, M. F. Sanders, C. L. Teeter, A. E. Voorhees, W. G. Mosher and A. T. Raynsford.

FUNERAL TOMORROW.

The funeral will be held tomorrow afternoon at 2 o'clock, but whether at the house or the Christian church, of which the parents are members, has not been determined.

Immediately after the accident Motorman Sprague and Conductor Dobson were suspended, pending the result of the inquest. Their arrest was not or dered by the coroner. Traction company officials claim the motorman was | How Enterprising Merchants Boom a steady and reliable employe and that the accident was unavoidable.

THE CHERRY PICKERS.

Highly Interesting Drama Seen at the Frothingham Last Night.

"One of the most interesting dramas een in Scranton this season," was the verdict of those who saw "The Cherry lickers" at the Frothingham last evening. It is a drama of English military life in India from the pen of Joseph Arthur and is the best thing that play-write has done thus far. Manager Pitou has handsomely staged and mounted it and what is more important has given it into the hands of a company of most competent players. It is not an aggregation of minfits grouped about a star but an evenly balanced company of experienced players who give a highly satisfactory interpretation of the thrilling story the dramafine programme was opened with a tist tells. solo by Chorister Haydn Evans.

The drama opens in the gardens of the British Residency at Rawul Pindee where a reception is being given for an English regiment known as the Cherry Pickers from the color of their trousers. In a scenic way this act is handsomely are introduced and the story of the drama outlined. The next act is at Mrs. | that account. O'Donnell-Duisep's bungalow in a sub-urb of Rawul Pindee and the third in the fortress at Candahar where one of the most thrilling scenes of the drama is located. John Nazare, a half-caste officer is chained to an embrasure of the fort and a monster brass cannot trained on his body. He is of course rescued by his lady love before the cannon explodes, but the scene is so thrilling and the climax led up to in such an original way as to cause the audience to forget

the somewhat conventional rescue The fourth and last act is in the Post Dak at Juldug, fifty miles from Candahar, where the drama is brought to a satisfactory if conventional conclusion. It can be said in all justice for the frama that there is not a dull or uninteresting moment in it neither are there any aggravating, inefficient ac-

tors to bungle and spoil the scenes.

The half-caste Officer Naxare, the central figure of the drama, is faithfully portrayed by William Harcourt wards will be heard in one day. The and his vengeful enemy, Coi Brough, wards and dates are as follows: Sixth a fine example of the coward and cad, was so well done by Ralph Delmore that he won unstinted hisses from the gallery. Miss Roselle Knott, was excellent as Nourmaliee, a half-caste who loves Nagara, and Miss Jennie Satteriee made the character of Mrs. O'Donnell-Duleep one of the most in-April 5: Sixteenth, April 6; Seventeenth, teresting of the drama. Miss Ethel Knight-Mallison proved herself a clever

ingenue and R. V. Ferguson, Verner Clarges and W. P. Carlton were other very clever members of the company. The audience that saw the drama last night was very large. It will be repeat-

ed tonight. MISS PROCTOR'S LECTURE.

Attracted a Good-Sized Audience to the Y. M. C. A. Hall.

A good sized audience at the Young Men's Christian association last night heard a decidedly interesting lecture or astronomy by Miss Mary Proctor, of New York city, daughter of the wellknown astronomical scientist of that name. The lecture was illustrated with stereopticon views displayed by Mr

Gray, of Philadelphia.

Miss Proctor's topic was "Astronomy of Other Worlds Than Ours." She in troduced the lecture with a discussion of the old theories. A large number of celestial photographs were shown. To-night Miss Proetor is to lecture in counter. Springfield, Mass.

LAWING OVER A LAUNDRY.

Three Suits Have Been Instituted

Within the Past Two Days. The possession of the West Side laun dry is in dispute. Monday afternoon Main avenue near the Wood street John J. Kelly, Edward Kelly and Marswitch at "Church's Corners." He ran in Kelly brought suit against the lin front of an inward bound car that counter-claimant, Miles F. Clark, alleging forcible entry and detainer.

In the evening Clark brought a similar suit against the Kellys. Yesterday that had just entered the switch and he supplemented this action with a sulin replevin for the goods and chattels in the laundry. The Kellys were held under \$500 ball

WORK OF CHARITY BOARD.

each to answer at court in the forcible entry and detainer case. Clark is un-

der \$300 ball for the like charge.

Details of the Business Transacted Last Night---Work for the Child-Saving Committee.

The Board of Associated Charities met last evening and went over the work done since the last meeting. There were present Colonel E. H. Rip ple, president; Rev. Rogers Israel, sec retary; W. T. Smith, treasurer; W Gaylord Thomas, attorney board; John Gibbons, T. J. Moore, T. J. unconscious lad carried by Conductor Kelly, J. R. Cohen, Mrs. Duggan

come before the board, eight of which were found unworthy. The rest of the report showed that transportation was furnished in three instances, lodging ley and E. M. Pennypacker appeared and meab, three; admitted to the in response to the calls of many mes- House of the Good Shepherd, two; admitted to the Lackawanna hospital, two: six begars were warned, two cases were reported to the police, two to the district attorney, four persons one. The physicians at once realized sent out of the city, and five children

Dr. George L. Blanchard, through the agent, offered his services to the board as regular physician. On motion of Mr. Smith the offer was accepted with fyed and was conscious up to about thanks. Dr. Blanchard is now the board's authorized physician. Mrs. Duggan stated that the St. Vincent de "Papa, send for a minister and have Paul society had greatly assisted in the work of charity during the past month The society has begun a movement of its own. Twenty young ladies and as many young gentlemen have been appointed to care for the indigent in the several Catholic parishes of the city.

In reference to the employment of foreigners by Captain Shield, the man in charge of a railroad that is being constructed down the valley, Mrs. Duggan had been informed that Captain Shields had transplanted 175 foreigner from New York city. He has promised that no more will be brought here and home workmen will be given a chance to fill the remaining jobs.

As was expected Mrs. Duggan re-

ported the shameful case which was aired in Alderman Millar's court Monday. The children of Mrs. Josephinike, who is in jail, will be looked after by the child saving committee. This committee will also care for Arthur Davis, the lad who was arrested yes terday for drunkenness.

A GREAT INNOVATION.

Their Business in Dull Months of the Year.

The past few days have seen a lively demonstration in one of our model dry goods stores. There is not another linof trade in which competition is as keen as the retail dry goods busine and certainly not another in which th public at large is so well posted or prices. The result is that a house of this kind in order to reach the top and remain there must make such bargain offerings as will be recognized by ev eryone to be truly bargains in every sense of the word.

This means that the aspiring merchant must needs sacrifice some of his stock at times and very often sell far son. This policy has been followed by every successful merchant of any 1m portance, the intrinsic success of the polley being in the fact that it keeps business at an even tenor all the year round, and (more important still) give the consumer an opportunity to pur chase goods at prices a conservative house cannot or will not approach There is probably not another dr. goods house in Scranton that will cu prices as quickly as "The Leader" or embellished. It is here the characters | Wyoming avenue, and surely not an other that is patronized so freely or

A bargain sale now going on in that establishment is evidence to the fact.

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PURDY-At Dalton, Pa., March 8, 1897. Either E. Purdy, aged 53 years. Funeral from the residence of N. T. Purdy on Wednesday at 2.30 o'clock.

HOLDS WORLD'S RECORD.

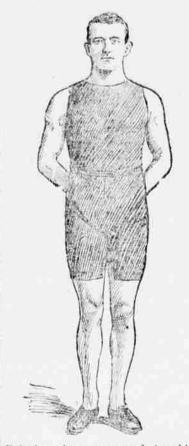
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Paine's celery compound is able to oundly build up the nervous system and make it healthy and active Among the testimonials received last nonth by the proprieties of Palne's elery compound was the following: Boston, Feb. 8, 1897.

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Mr. Watson is the world's profession d champion Jumper and pole vaulter He defeated Tom Borroughs and others at the world's fair in Chicago. Not long ago Hjerthers, the champ Richardson & Company that Paine' celery compound had been of great benefit to him, and said that he wished to recommend the remedy to others. John Graham, of the Boston Athletic Association, who took the victorious American team to Athens; Jame Michael, the champion long distance devellst, and George Wright of Wright & Ditson, are among those who hav recently indorsed this best of all sprin emedies. Advice from such men worth following in a matter of health and strength.

SETTLING ON WYOMING AVENUE.

Sinking of Sewer Villing Makes Hole in the Payement.

A settling occurred sometime yeste day morning at the intersection of Wy ning avenue and Olive street. The is a triangular break in the asphalt a he point. A barrel has been place the hole to warn teamsters. The settling appears to be the sinking of the filling in the sewer ditch.

ANOTHER ANNEXATION SCHEME. Movement to Add a Portion of Lack-

awanna Township to Taylor. In the office of Attorney Charles E. Olver Monday afternoon a plan was considered whereby a cer-tain portion of Lackawanna town ship will be annexed to Taylor bor sugh, making it, if consummated, th richest borough in the state. The dis trict to be annexed includes all that erritory on the west side of the Luck twanna rived to the Runsom township ine on the north and the Old Forge lin on the south. This differs from th

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Pyne borough scheme, which was

killed, in that it does not include any part of Old Forge township.

At the conference yesterday there were present William H. Fern, repre-senting the petitioners; Charles E. Olver, attorney for the petitioners; John M. Harris, solicitor of Taylor borough, and Henry E. Harris, J. F. Tubbs and J. F. Taylor, representing the Taylor porough council. The conference was nothing more than a meeting arranged to perfect plans for action; to arrange for the petition and to discuss ways of exterminating any objection that will

William H. Fern, foreman at the Archbald mine, will have charge of the

TWO LINDEN STREET LOTS street.

petition.

They Have Been Purchased by Major Everett Warren, Conrad Schroeder and T. H. Watkins for \$52,000.

An important real estate deal has een closed by which Major Everett Warren, Conrad Schroeder and T. H. Watkins have purchased by Dr. L. M. Clates two lots on Linden street opposite the court house. Each lot has a frontage of 25 feet on Linden street and a depth of 120 feet. They are on the opposite corner of Dix court from the nev board of trade building and cost their iew owners \$52,000. Dr. Gafes who disposed of the lots

nade a handsome profit on them. Three years ago he purchased them for omething less than \$25,000, The new owners have not yet decided

what kind of a building they will erect on the lots. At present the front of them is covered by two one-story hops. It is said that negotiations are sending with the owners of the adoining lots to secure a greater fronton Linden street. Rumor has it that the gentlemen who purchased the Gates lots contemplate the erection of large office and business building. but the frontage of fifty feet they now own is not enough to enable them to rect the kind of a structure they want to put up. If additional land is obtained there will be another notable addition to Scrunton's growing numer of fine buildings.

There is talk of another large building on the Spruce street side of the square on lots owned by C. P. Davidson and A. D. Dean. They own a piece of land with a 90-foot frontage on Spruce street and a depth of 150 feet which is now partially covered by a two-story structure occu-pied by Blume, the carriage man-ufacturer. A preliminary plan and some figuring has been done as to the cost of a modern stone and brick building ten stories high to occupy the entire plot. If the plan to erect this building assumes (angible form it will be the largest building in the city, Ground has been broken for the new connell building on Washington avenue and a large force of men was engaged yesterday excavating for a foundation. The building will be one of the handsomest as well as one of the largest in the city.

SEASONABLE ADVICE.

Things That Should Be Remembered

at This Time of Year. Tribune readers will do well to re-terminer that in these days of spring ver and grip there is no better preventative and cure than the Turkish bath. At M. Purcell's establishment. 503 Linden street, all the appliances for first-class service may be found, Steam rooms; shower baths; needle baths; the blunge, and other features are unequalled in this section of the The baths are in charge of stellied and notice attendants who are prepared to serve all patrons at any

our, night or day. If you experience that chilly sensation or feeling of early springtime, one of Pyrvell's baths and you will be ome another man at once.

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SALE OF HOME PROPERTY.

Price of \$25,000 Has Been Fixed by the Managers.

Mrs. C. P. Matthews, president, and Mrs. E. S. Moffat, secretary, of the Home for the Friendless, were empow ered at a meeting of the Home's board of managers yesterday to sign any documents that may be necessary in con-nection with a sale of the Home buildng on Adams avenue.
The beard has fixed a price of \$25,000

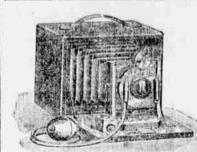
on the property. Several prospective buyers have negotiated but their overtures have not assumed a definite form

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