sided over by the Rev. Hugh Ros

At that convention were representa-

tives from the Father Mathew society

of this city, now out of existence, from

St. Mary's of Providence, and Father

Mathews of the West Side. That con-

vention did much to arouse an interes

in the cause here which has abated

but little in the men who have held on

its formation.

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#### FIRST LEGISLATIVE DISTRICT.

Scranton, Aug. 10, 1897. The Republicans of the First Legis'a-tive district will asemble in convention in Co-operative hall, Scranton, Pa., on Thursday, August 19, at 4 o'clock p. m. for the purpose of electing two delegates to the Republican state convention to meet at Harrisburg, Pa., August 26, 1897, Election of delegates to this convention will be held at the regular polling places on Wednesday, August 18, 1897, between the hours of 4 and 7 p. m. Election districts are entitled to representation as Delegates.

First ward, First district ....... 3 district ..... 2 First ward. Third district ...... First ward, Fourth district .......... First ward, Fifth district ......... Second ward, First district ....... Second ward, Second district ...... Second ward, Third district ...... Second ward, Fourth district ....... Second ward, Fifth district ...... Fourth ward, Second district ...... Fourteenth ward, First district ..... 2 Fourteenth ward, Second district .... 2 Fifteenth ward, First district ...... Twenty-first ward, First district .... 1 Twenty-first ward, Second district... 2

Total ......64 Vigilance committees will please take notice and govern themselves accordingly. W. A. Paine, Chairman, J. H. Reynolds, Secretary.

#### FOURTH DISTRICT PRIMARIES.

Notice is hereby given to the Republi-can voters of the Fourth Legislative distriet, that a convention will be held in Eurke's hall, in the city of Carbondale, on Tuesday, the 17th day of Aug. 187, at 2.20 o'clock p. m., for the purpose of choosing three delegates to represent said district in the Republican state convention, to be held at Harrisburg, August 56th 189, for the number of normation. 26th, 1897, for the purpose of nominating a state treasurer and auditor general and to transact such other business as may come before it.

The respective wards and election districts of said Legislative district will held their primaries on Saturday, Aug. 14th, 1897, at the regular polling places, between the hours of 6 and 7 o'clock p. m., to elect delegates to attend said district convention. trict convention.

E. A. Jones, chai-man
Attest: Samuel S. Jones, secretary,

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#### CITY NOTES.

Scranton Liederkranz excursion to Farview Monday, Aug. 16.

John Clelland has subscribed \$20 towards St. Luke Summer Home fund. The Green Ridge Iron works is now The board of associated charities held a brief session last night, at which rou-

tine business only was disposed of. Company D will hold a meeting at the Armory Friday evening, Aug. 20, for elec-tion of first and second lieutenants. The Sanquoit Slik Manufacturing company will conduct its annual excursion for its employes to Lake Ariel on Satur-day.

The members of St. Peter's cathedral choir are requested to meet this evening at 7.39 o'clook in St. Thomas' hall for rehearsal. The Green Ridge Gun club will have a

live bird shoot on their grounds Saturday, August 14 at 1.30 p. m. Everybody Frederick L. Brown, through Warren & Knapp, yesterday brought suit against his former partner, Percival J. Morris,

to secure an accounting. The ladies of the Grace Lutheran church will give a festival on the church lawn, corner Madison avenue and Mul-berry street, Thursday evening, Aug. 12. Chief Hickey yesterday issued a call for a meeting in city hall Friday night for the purpose of organizing a fire-men's relief association. Each fire com-pany is requested to send two delegates. The Delaware and Hudson company paid at the Jermyn mines, Jermyn, and trainmen on the Honesdale division of the Gravity road. The Delaware, Lackawanna and Western pay the trainmen to-

Throop school district, yesterday filed his bond with Prothonotary Pryor. It was in the sum of 38,000, and had as sureties Joseph V, Birtley and George H.

Henry Seebram caused the arrest of J.
H. Cooper yesterday, charging him before Alderman Howe with fraudulently
contracting a board bill. Cooper was allowed to go upon glving an order on the
Columbian Construction company for
work done. work done.

At a meeting of the Central Labor union Monday night the following committee was appointed to make arrangements for the celebration of Labor Day: Jehn R. Farr, J. F. Everett, Nelson Teets, J. H. McNulty, Thomas Monaghan, F. P. Haas and W. J. McConnell.

The Scranton Liederkranz will run their annual excursion to Farview Monday, August 16. Professor John T. Waikins will conduct the society in all their chor-uses. Mr. Watkins has been rehearsing with the society and no doubt all who attend will have a delightful time.

Joseph Bolunias and Yusa Rekalitus, of Scranton, John Markwick and Sadie Lewis, of Scranton, Tallie Griffiths and Mirlam Morris, of Taylor, George H. Mc-Leod and Anna Moyles, of Scranton, Silas L. Elliott and Rosie Meinel, of Dunmore, were yesterday granted marriage

In the estate of Mary Jordan, late of Scranton, letters of administration were yesterday granted to her son, Rev. James F. Jordan, of Rendham. The will of Margaret Sisson, late of Carbondale, was nied at admitted to probate. In the estate of Maria L. Warfel, late of Dunmore, letters of administration were granted to William D. Warfel.

M. D. Brown & Co., of Olyphant, yester-day brought suit in Prothonetary Pry-or's office against William J. Evans, John J. McAndrew, R. J. Griffith and A. F. Gil-lespie, comprising the Olyphant Base Ball association, to recover \$354.54. The plaintiffs furnished the lumber and other ma-terial for the erection of the fence and grand stand at the Olyphant base ball park and it is alleged have never been paid for the same. Carpenter & Fleitz are at-

orneys for Brown & Co. John Shaffer is in the county jail be-cause he mislead Mrs. M. J. Hodge, of Franklin avenue, into believing that he had money. Mrs. Hodge keeps a boarding house and Shaffer wanted to board. He said that he had money coming from Conrad Schroeder and others for work but Alderman Howe found, upon investigation yesterday, that Shaffer was not telling the truth. He was commit-ted to the county jail in default of \$200 bail for fraud. Mrs. Hodge's bill was about \$18.

Tomorrow evening an athletic exhibition and ball will be given in Music hall by Victor Noth, of the Turn Verein. The exhibition will censist of club swinging, parallel bars, pyramid work and class drill. He will be assisted by members from the Active Turner's and St. Mary's Glee and Dramatic society. The exhibi-tion will be closed with a three-round friendly bout between John Burns and M. English, of the West Side Athletics. Music for dancing will be furnished by Professor Johnson. Mr. Noth is conducting the exhibition for the purpose of raising funds to take a course at St. Louis to become an athletic instructor. He is already quite proficient, having had charge of classes at the Turners, Railroad Young Men's Christian association and South

#### STATE DELEGATES CHOSEN.

Those Who Will Represent the Fourth Legislative District.

The Democrats of the Fourth Legislative district held a convention in Fadden's hall, Priceburg, yesterday for the purpose of electing delegates to the Democratic state convention which will convene in Reading on Aug. 31. The convention was called to order by M. McAndrew, of Archbald, chairman of the district committee. After the call for the convention had

een read the convention elected Mr. McAndrew chairman and Thomas M. Holmes, of Simpson, secretary. After the convention had been organized several of the delegates made short speeches. Delegate McCormac, of Blakely, made an address, during which he congratulated the party upon the progress it had been making. He also spoke of the good feeling that prevails and this feeling he attributed to the adop-tion of the new rules which now govern the party in this county. He also spoke against the sentiment which seems to be gaining ground in certain sections of the state, and which is favorable to the endorsement of Rev. Dr. Swallow, the Prohibition candidate

for governor. The election of delegates was then taken up and the following were chosen: M. J. McAndrew, of Archbald; Thomas M. Holmes, of Sinfpson, M. F. Fadden, of Priceburg; John J. Dunn, of Richmondale. The convention was harmonious, and although every prebe very interesting.

A Bootbiack and His Revolver. Joe Woots, a bootblack, who rooms with his brother on lower Lackawanna avenue, accidentally shot himself through the left hand late last night while taking a revolver from beneath his pillow. The wound was dressed at the Luckawanna hospital. Neither the bones nor tendons of the hand were

Notice.

seriously injured.

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#### PERFECTING THE FINAL DETAILS

Meeting of the General Committee of Arrangements for Convention.

REPORTS OF COMMITTEES HEARD

Arrangements for Next Week's Gathering of Catholic Total Abstainers Are Almost Completed .- Brief History of the National Union -- Organized at Baltimore on Washington's to the principles of total abstinence Birthday, 1872 .- Former Conven- since. tion Held in This City in 1880.

The general committee in charge of the local arrangements for the national Catholic Total Abstinence union convention which begins in this city next Wednesday, met last night at the residence of Rev. E. J. Melley, on Pittston avenue. The work accomplished was chiefly in the line of detail, reports of sub-committees, etc. J. C. Gallagher, chairman of the ways and means committee, announced the receipts of letters from First Vice President Logue, of the national union, giving the names of delegates from Philadelphia and the state of Connecticut. The Philadelphia delegation will number 100 persons with an additional contingent of twenty-five members of Company B, St. Michael's Ploneer society, of Philadelphia. Quarterz have been secured for the Philadelphia delegation at the Terrace hotel. The Connecticut and Rhode Island delegates are: Rev. J. F. Winters, president of the Catholic Total Abstinence Union of Connecticut: Rev. E. Connaught, Phoenixville, R. I.; Miss McKenna, Pawtucket, R. I.; Mrs. Harriet E. Gragen, Meridian, Conn.; Miss Mary Stammers, St. Agnes' union, New Haven, Conn.; V. E. Lynch, Pro-vincial organizer of Connecticut; W. Monkley, St. Aloysius, New Haven; William Drumm, St. John's Cadets, New Haven: Thomas B. Rooney, St. Patrick's Young Men, Bridgeport, Conn.; James F. Breene, New Haven, vice president of the National union, These names were sent to Mr. Gallagher with the request for hotel accommodation.

ARRIVAL OF DELEGATES. Names of the delegates from other states are now in the hands of the national secretary. Most of the delegates will arrive here Tuesday, Aug. 17, the day before the convention opens. It was decided to perfect the organization of the reception committee next Sunday afternoon at 4 o'clock in college hall. This committee will be composed of five members from each of the local societies. Immediately after the meeting of the reception committee the general committee will have a

meeting. Circulars have been issued announce ing the excursion to Farview Aug 20, and tickets will be distributed this week to the 200 residents of this city who will be asked to attend the rally on the evening of Aug. 19 in the Frothingham.

A committee on carriages appointed last night, consists of Mr. Gallagher, W. H. Quinn and James P. Lavelle. The visiting delegates will be entertained Friday night on the West Side in St. Leo's Battalion rooms. The ladies' committee will meet Monday night in St. John's church,

MUCH ENTHUSIASM.

There never was a time in the history of the total abstinence movement in this city and even through the valbers might be said to have reached the point at which it shows itself today. This is owing in part to the local ways and means committee, which has labored zealously for months perfecting arrangements for the national conven-tion of the Catholic Total Abstinence union, which will assemble here next Wednesday. From this convention the members expect great results to accrue to the cause

A brief history of the union may be interesting to many of the readers of The Tribune, especially so since a Scrantonian took a prominent part in its formation. In 1849 Rev. Theobold Mathew commenced preaching temperance in the United States. Wherever he went he was received with honors never before shown to a Catholic clergyman, and was invited to speak for the cause he espoused before the national congress in Washington, His labors in this country as well as in Ireland bore an abundance of fruit.

From his visit sprang the temperance movement which has gone on steadily ever since. The societies that were organized in the state of Connecticut in the year 1870 organized a state union, which was the foundation stone of the present national union. The good that seemed to be accomplished through that state union was the means of bringing together representatives from societies of Penn-sylvania, Rhode Island, New Jersey, Georgia, Illinois, Ohio, Minnesota, Connecticut, Maryland and the District of Columbia on Washington's birthday, 1872, in Baltimore. From this gathering was formed the Catholic Total Abstinence union of America.

SCRANTONIAN PRESENT.

Nicholas Martin, then a member of the Father Mathew society of this city, was a delegate there too. In the National union the parish and other local societies form the State or Diosesan unions. These meet annually in conventions and send delegates to the annual general convention. But these are not the only delegates that compose the convention. The spiritual directors of all local societies are exofficio members, and local societies may also be represented when desired. The influence of the Catholic church

working for the cause of temperance has made itself felt in these annual conventions, as is evidenced from the large number of clergymen attending it. It has brought the temperance movement to the foreground as a livcinct was not represented, it proved to | ing and not a dead issue; it has sent abroad lecturers to speak in its behalf and has helped to give force and tone to Catholic agitation against over indulgence in strong drink.

In the early conventions, one would read of the names of Father John Ireland and Father Cotter, who has since been raised to the dignity of arch-bishop and bishop respectively. They are today as zealous and enthusiastic workers for the cause as ever.

Under the auspices of the union there was enacted in Fairmount Park, Philadelphia, and dedicated on July 4, 1876, the centennial year of American Independence, a handsome fountain. in honor of the Catholics of the Revolutionary war. This fountain cost about \$65,000, and the men of Scranton generously contributed their quota of its erection.

ENDOWED CHAIR. Under the auspices of the national union a Father Mathew chair of men-tal and moral science was endowed,

at the expense of \$25,000 in the Catho-

#### lion dollars have been spent in charitable and beneficial purposes by the societies comprising the union since

In 1880 the convention met before in Scranton. Its sessions were held in the Academy of Music and it was pre-Down on the Gamblers.

ARE ORDERED TO SHUT UP SHOP

Letters Sent Out to the Proprietors of Eleven Gaming Places Notifying Them That They Must Discontinue Their Illegal Business or Suffer the

Among the present membership of the ways and means committee may be counted members of the similar committee of 1880. They are: D. J. Campbell, J. J. Powers, C. G. Boland and J. C. Gallagher, all of whom have held continuous membership in societies

MEET HERE ON SEPT. 23.

Annual Convention of the Amalgamated Railwaymen of Pennsylvania. Object of the Organization.

Another state convention is scheduled for Scranton this year. It is the annual convention of the Amalgamated Railway men and will occur here Septem-

ber 23. The sessions will be held in G. A. R hall and will probably not occupy more than two days, although the visitors will stay here for a day or two longer to look about this leading railroad

center. The convention is known to the railroad men as the annual session of the joint legislative committee of the railway employes organizations of Pennsylvania. The committee is made up of one representative from every society affiliated with the five leading railroadmen's organizations, the Brotherhood Railway Telegraphers, the Brotherhood of Locomotive Engineers and the Brotherhood of Locomotive Firemen. About 250 delegates in all are expect-

ed to attend. This organization has been in existence only about two years. It was quietly formed in this city in the fall in Philadelphia last summer. The oming convention will be a most important one as it is the first to occur since the amalgamation has proven to be a success and it is expected this success will prompt the organization to widen its field of usefulness.

During the past year which is virin sending five railroaders to the legislature and accomplished the passage of five measures, fathered and framed by the last convention. Among the latter was the "coercion" bill, which makes it illegal for a corporation to offer opposition to its employes joining labor organizations, and the bill making it unlawful for trolley roads to carry freight. John Mitchell, of the Brotherhood of

Locomotive Engineers, of Harrisburg, is president of the state cimmittee and the secretary is Jerry Wellener, of the Order of Railway Telegraphers, of Mauch Chunk.

CITY SOLICITOR'S COLLECTIONS. Mr. Torrey Remitted to the Treasurer

\$123,612.32 During His Term. Ex-City Solicitor Torrey yesterday made his final remittance to the city treasurer. It was for collections dur-

ng the month of August and amounted to \$718.13. During Mr. Torrey's four years' incumbency he is credited with having collected \$123,612.32. This is made up of grading, paving and sewering as-

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#### lic university at Washington. Perhaps LOCAL PARKHURSTS SHOW THEIR HAND

Vice and Immorality Committee Comes

Penalty of the Law--Committee Says It Is Thoroughly in Earnest.

Take out the dashes and insert in lieu thereof a name and address in their respective places and you will have before you a counterpart of the letters which eleven gambling housekeepers will find in their mail this morning-if gambling house keepers go over their mail in the morning.

Scranton, Pa., Aug. 10, 1897. Sir: Complaint has been made to the vise and immorality committee of common council that you are conducting gambling room at No. - - This is to notify you to discontinue the same at once or be dealt with in accordance

with law.
(Signed) Morgan Sweeney, chairman,
Richard J. Sheridan,

Simon Thomas,
Sedward F. Wenzel,
Thomas Norton,
Vice and Immorality Committee of Common Council.
Attest: John P. Mahon, clerk.

The letters were written and mailed last night by Messrs. Sweeney and Sheridan, with the assistance of Clerk Mahon. The other members of the committeee, Messrs. Wenzel, Thomas and Norton, were not present, but at the previous meeting of the committee Friday night, when this action was agreed upon, authorized the use of their

names. Just how the recipients of these letters will treat the notices can only be conjectured but according to Mr. Sweeney, they must heed them. He says of Railway Trainmen, the Order of ney, they must heed them. He says Railroad Conductors, the Order of his committee is in dead earnest and will never let up until every gambling house in the city is closed.

It is the purpose of the committee to give the gambling men due time in which to observe the mandate and, if they fail to do so, bring the law down upon them. It will not be a case of a raid and a nominal fine, Mr. Sweeney of 1895 and had its second convention avers, but prosecution in the criminal courts.

The notices, it is said, will not cause any great amount of consternation among the gambling house keepers as there is little business done in that line in the summer time and they, like all who have no great respect for the law. will look upon the present movement tually the first year of its active exis-tence, the organization has succeeded subside in due course of time.

THEY COULD NOT ELECT.

Lively Fight for District President of P. O. S. of A. The camps of the Patriotic Order

Sons of America, which constitute the Lackawanna-Eastern district, held a district convention at Dunmore last evening. It was probably the largest and liveliest convention held in this district for some years. Nearly all the camps were represented and there were over 200 delegates present. Camps Nos. 25, 175, 242 and 572, of Scranton; 174, Moosic; 226, Dunmore; 248, Moscow 249, Mt. Cobb; 262, Yostville were all epresented. The session was opened by District

President John Shantz, of No. 430, it Camp No. 226's hall, and the regular ousiness of the convention was tran sacted. It was then in order to elect a district president for the ensuing term, for which the convention met There were three candidates for the office.

Several unsuccessful ballots were taken, a motion to adjourn until October was made and carried. The next convention will be held at Moscow in Camp No. 248's hall. At the close of the business session

the delegates and visiting brethern

were served refreshments by a committee. They all enjoyed the general good cheer as a pleasant ending to the convention's business. The committee on entertaining was composed of the following: Mrs. John Slantz, Mrs. William Powell, Mrs. John Youngs, Mrs. Stephen Lewis, Mrs. Wright Beardsley, Mrs. George Cummings, Mrs. Samuel Cummings, Mrs. Johnson Frederick, Mrs. ePter Stanzhorn, Mrs. William Coleman, Mrs. Frank Schnell, Mrs. David Patterson, Mrs. C. L. Krotzer, Mrs. George Spencer and Wright Beardsley and John

GLASS FACTORY OPTION.

New Offer Made to the Euglish Syndi-

cate's Representative. A new option on the Green Ridge Glass works has been given by the bondholders to the Philadelphia repre-

sentative who was recently negotiating for the sale of the works to an English

The syndicate wished the bondholders to expend \$1,500 on repairs. In lieu of this the bondholders agreed to deduct that amount from the first year's rental and this has been communicated to the Philadelphia representative and it is believed it will be accepted. The works can be made ready for op-

eration early in September. For two years the works have been dle. The plant was valued at \$200,000 before the passage of the Wilson bill which, with other causes, reduced the

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