## CARBONDALE.

NO USE TO FIGHT WITH ADAM.

So Declares Evangelist Toy in His Sermon to Men.

Considering the bad weather, Evangelist Toy's meeting for men at the Presbyterian church yesterday afternoon was well attended. His text was David's words: "I thought on my

ways and turned my feet unto the testimony of the Lord." That is what he importuned his hearers to do. He declared man was born with his back toward God and that be has been walking away from his maker ever since. He anticipated that some would say "who is responsible for this? Surely we are not." No matter, be continued, there is no use fighting with Adam about It. We have no argument along that line. The condition is a fact and we should turn our feet as David did and walk away

from hell to heaven. Toy spoke some pretty plain words to his male auditors regarding the social evil and at the close of his talk several raised their hands for

At four o'clock the evangelist addressed a large gathering of young people at the Methodist church, Each day this week he will hold services in the Presbyterian church in

SCRANTON

STORE.

Silks

the afternoon and in the Methodist church in the evening. All are invited.

HOSPITAL REPORT. It Shows Among Other Things an

Indebtedness of \$1,838.04. President Walker and Treasurer and Secretary Norton, of the Carbondale hospital board of directors, have just completed their reports for the year ending Oct. 30, 1898. The receipts were as follows: State appropriation, \$5,083, 34; donations, \$2,143.60; paid patients, \$1.828.12; nurses services, \$159.75; muking a total of \$9,214.81.

The principal Items of expenditure were \$2,962 for provisions, \$2,373 for calaries of employes, \$1,685 for repairs on building, \$400 for drugs and \$275 for equipment. The expenditures in exess of receipts amounted to \$338.04 and unpaid bills amounted to \$1,500, making a total indebtedness of 1.813.34.

There were 61 patients treated medically, 5 of whom died; 195 surgical to the candidates for four offices. cases are recorded, with 14 deaths. Of course many of these were emergency cases in which the patients were re-ceived in almost a dying condition. It is expected an effort will soon be made to raise some of the debt. Just what form it will take has not been

OFFICERS CHOSEN.

At their recent meeting in Father Mathew hall the Ladies Catholic Ben-

THELENDE

124 and 126 Wyoming Avenue.

A real bargain day today

strain every nerve and make every effort to give you equitable returns for the extra-

ordinary flow of patronage that was ours ever since this store has begun to interest you, and especially during the last two days. This advertisement is a bargain list

never before equalled in greatness, and your visit today will be well repaid by many savings that you cannot otherwise make.

Don't fail to visit this

greatest of christmas stores

Shop around and compare prices==

the result will please you

27-inch China silk, very desirable

grade. Special...... 49c

caded silks, 65c grade .... 33c

fancy silks, 98c grade.... 59c

One lot high class fancy silks;

ust the thing for waists; regu-

Special..... 98c

skirts; \$1.25 grade. Special 98c

One lot brocaded and fancy silk,

98c grade. Special..... 63c

One bendred and fifty pieces ints, 6c grade.

Special value in Peau de Soie-

for holiday fixings, 69c

Fifteen pieces black bro-

One lot brocaded and

lar price \$1.25 and \$1.50.

latest thing for separate

in all the desirable shades.

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That is what has been planned, and that is what you may expect, for we shall

Look over the Bric-a-Brac—stop at the book department and peruse some of

the new books-drop into the Millinery Department and let us show you some new

hats, and don't forget that our Cloak Department has never been so complete as

now, special and important arrivals of Ladies' winter Jackets, Furs and Silk Waists

having occurred within the last week in view of our re-opening and a big demand.

evolent association chose the following officers to shape their destinies for another year: President, Miss Margaret Carroll; first vice-president, Miss Bridget McAndrew; second vicepresident, Mrs. Tillie Mangan; recorder Miss M. M. Kelly; assistant recorder Miss Mary E. Brennan; treasurer, Mrs. Theresa Fox: financial secretary, Miss Alida J. Nealon; marshal, Miss Mary McLean; guard, Mrs. Mary Casey trustees, Mrs. Kate McDonald, Mrs. Isabelle Campbell, Mrs. Mary Killeen They will be installed the first Thursday in January. New officers of George E. Randolph

Camp, Sons of Veterans, are: Captain A. W. Clancy; first lieutenant, W. M. Hobbs; second lieutenant, Eugene Hudson; camp council, V. J. Finch, George W. Gilbert, W. M. Hobbs, delegates, Frank H. Smith and William Dimock: alternates, E. T. Kelly and C. A. Hedden.

Several ballots were necessary to determine the choice of the majority as

### PRACTICAL LADIES.

The Pator's Call says of the latest venture of the Ladies Aid society of the First Presbyterian church: "The ladies of Aid society do much for the church. In addition to furnishing part of the musical force, they are planning for a new earpet in the future. They wish to hold a Christmas market. It is to be held in the lecture room of the

SCRANTON

STORE.

ERIE MEDICAL CO., BUFFALO, N. Y.

church Monday and Tuesday, Dec. and 13. Fancy articles and home baked goods will be on sale with other attrac-

### CHRISTMAS HUSTLING.

The hustle of the local merchants and the immense stocks of holiday goods they have already displayed do not indicate hard times. These things truly show what the business man really thinks about the situation. They are evidences of the most encouraging kind. The Christmas business of '68 promises to exceed in volume that of any preceding year.

### LOCAL AND PERSONAL.

The Preachers' Alliance, of this city at half past two o'clock in the First Presbyterian church. Rev. T. E. Jepson will read a paper on "Divorce." Mrs. William Hankins and son ar rived Saturday and will spend some time with her parents, Mr. and Mrs.

W. W. Watt. Miss Olina Herring will leave tomorrow for Washington, D. C., where she will visit relatives for one month. Miss Grace Whitney, of Honesdale, is the guest of Mrs. Harry Harrison,

The Honesadle Transportation company is a new organization that probetween this city and Honesdale after Dec. 31-whether they secure the mail

Mrs. James Pidgeon, of Brooklyn street, is visiting friends at Dushore,

K. D. Purdy, of Maldfeld, Purdy and Company, was in Honesdale on business Saturday,

### JERMYN AND MAYFIELD.

The borough council met in regular ession last Friday evening. Dr. S. D. Davis, secretary of the board of health, was present and stated that the board had done and was doing all they could do to abate nuinsances, but as there # is no penalty clause to the health ord inance they were powerless to enforce some parts of the ordinance. He sub mitted and asked to have passed, a penalty clause, so that they may b able to strictly enforce the ordinance The amendment was passed and ordered to be properly published, without opposition, Superintendent A. F. Gebpart, of the powder mills, was present and asked to have an arc light placed at the Ridge road, also one at the powder mills. The council ordered a light to be placed at the Ridge road. Mr. Gebhart said if a light were to be placed at the mills they would not ask that the policemen come down there, as they have a special officer in their employ and he could look after their interests and the regular police ould have the time spent coming down there to devote to the central part of the town. The committee who have been looking after the repairs on the fire alarm reported that they were doing their best to get an electrician to come and do the work and just as soon as one could be gotten the alarm would be put in perfect order. following bids were ordered paid: Joseph Marcone, \$36.48; Edwin Graves, \$3: Electric Light company, \$111.20; \$231.32; Martin McAndrew, \$8.25; George McCloskey, \$1.50. A bill of George S Dunn, amounting to \$51, for laying ross walks, was laid over until the vork is properly inspected and accepted by the street committee. The expense

for laying the side walk and setting curb around the property of Stocker Brothers on Second and Bacon streets was figured to be \$275.68, with an addition of 20 per cent, penalty, making a total of \$230.81, which is in the hands f the borough attorney for collection, The Methodist Episcopal church was

ings are very interesting and success

MEDICINE.

for Dyspepsia, Indigestion and

Stomach Troubles.

Dr. Wurth in commenting on recent

discoveries in medicine, said: There is

one which is certain to be so valuable

and far-reaching in benefit as Stuart's

Dyspepsia Tablets, the new stomach

remedy: I say far reaching, because people little realize how important a

sound stomach and vigorous digestion

Indigestion is the starting point of

consumption, heart disease, Bright's

lisease, diabetes, nervous prostration

liver troubles; why is this so? Simply

because every nerve, muscle and tissue in our bodies is created and nourished

from the food we eat. If that food is,

by reason of a weak stomach, com-pelled to lie for hours, a sour, ferment-

ing mass of half digested food, it pols-

ons the blood and nervous system, creates gas which distends the stomach

and bowels, causing pressure on the

heart, lungs and other organs, and seri-

He says further, the point to direct

attention is not the nerves, nor heart, nor lungs, nor kidneys, but the stomach,

The remedy to use for indigestion and

weak stomachs is not some cathartic.

but a remedy which will digest the

food, increase the flow of gastric juice, absorb the gases, and Stuart's Dyspep-

sia Tablets will accomplish exactly this

because these tablets are composed of

the digestive acids, aacptic pepsin. Golden Seni and bismuth, pleasant to

taste, and not being a patent medicine,

Tablets will cure any form of indiges-

tion and stomach trouble except cancer

Full size packages of Stuart's Dys-

Co., Marshall, Mich. A book on stom-

of stomach.

result in any case of stomach trouble,

the first cause of all the mischief.

ously impeding their action.

s to every man, woman and child,

heated vesterday with the new heating plant, and it appears to be a perfect in the Second ward. success. Special revival services will be continued in the church this week a during the past week, returned home Monday Tuesday and Wednesday ev-The interest in these meetings is not decreasing at all and the meet-

About two hours after the Duryea Wallace Gardner, of Scranton, spent DR. WURTH'S OPINION OF THE NEW DISCOVERY IN A Remarkably Successful Remedy

> of South Main street, to Andrew Nelsen, of Miller's Grove, was solemnized at Pinghamton several days ago. The borough courcil and the school

Hugh Jennings will leave today for Baltimore. He will be accompanied by The marriage of Miss Nellie Dough-

Mary's church yesterday. Mr. and Mrs. John Davis, the West Side, spent yesterday with frands in

Shortly after 8 o'clock yesterday morning occurred the death of Willie Murton, at the home of his parents. Mr. and Mrs. William Murton, of Hudson street, Olyphant. He had been il for the past two years, and for some time he has lived without nourishment of any kind. Deceased was born in Wales about twenty years ago, but has lived with his parents in Olyphant for several years. He was a membe of the Congregational church and Sunday school, and was a favorite with all who knew him. Bright, active and kind, he had many friends who mourn with real sorrow his early death. The funeral will take place tomorrow afternoon at 2 o'clock. Rev. Peter Roberts will conduct the services. Interment will be made in Union cemetery.

can be used by anyone with perfect sufety. I believe Stuart's Dyspepsia Griffith Daniel died at the home of his sister, Mrs. Gwennie Williams, in Olyphant, Friday night. Deceased was formerly a gold miner, of Oregon, but has been a resident of Olyphant since pepsia Tablets are sold by druggists at 60 cents or by mall from F. A. Stuart August. He was 70 years of age. For many years he has been suffering from ach diseases, together with thousands of testimonials, will be sent by addressasthma, which was the cause of his ing above or call on your druggist for

JONAS LONG'S SONS.

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of Dress Goods



JONAS LONG'S SONS.

At Cost and Less Than Cost. We must have more room for Holiday goods. Even with this big store, they are cramped for space. The Dress Goods main aisle will help us a little-but stock must be condensed and readjusted first. So here goes for some great selling today. We give you their previous selling pricewhat they were Saturday-and what they'll cost you today. We guarantee every price and every article just as repre-

Fine Novelty Suitings, including for close-fitting and tailor-made whipcords, bayaderes, checks, gowns, in blue, green and black, 54 inches wide, with superfine plaids and all wool cheviots and granites; were 50c yard, 31c twill face; were 1.35; 1.09 brown, navy, green and now...... 1.09 wine; were 89c, now... 75c

All-Wool Armures, in garnet, All-Wool Sackings, 52 inches wide, all the new solid colors brown, olive, green, grey, etc., and navy blue, brown, green 45 inches wide, stylish and and black; also pretty grey and seasonable; were 75c 

brown mixtures; were 35c yard, now...... 05C 50c, now...... 35c Mohair Pompadour Sultings, Ius-Bayadere Effects, in grounds of tre designs, brocaded effects, 40 blue, brown, myrtle, green, inches wide, absolutely fast colcadet blue, navy, etc., the de- ors, no matter to what sub- wide, also camel's hair, jacquard

Finest Quality Whipcords, 45 inches wide, in cardinal, castor,

Handsome Silk Plaids for waists. very choice styles of the newest patterns and pretty color blendings; were \$1.25 the yard, now..... 98c

Finest Quality Crepons, medium and bayadere designs, 45 inches 

The Great Store Celebrates Its First Anniversary

### Friday Evening, December 9,

and for One Week Thereafter.

It has been a great year -a year of phenomenal business. Every promise has been fulfilled to the letter, and an ever-growing confidence has found abundant harvest. We are grateful for this appreciation, and as the laurels we have won lie before us we share them with you. We start the ball rolling on Anniversary Night

with a Grand Jubilee Entertainment by Bauer's Celebrated Concert Band

and the Famous Schubert Quartette, Conducted by Prof. Robert J. Bauer and John T. Watkins. This shall be the musical treat of the season-and you can't afford to miss it. Nor will you.

At Seven O'clock the Same Evening, The Great Anniversary Sale Begins

You'll have no reason to question this being the biggest sale ever held in Scranton. Our preparations for it have been going on for months-and you may rest assured that prices for this one week will be lower than have ever been known in the annals of trade. Watch the daily papers all this week.

# Jonas Long's Sons

W. T. Osborne has announced that he is a candidate for school controller Joseph O'Brien, who has been at Avo-

AVOCA.

murder burglars effected a way into William Webber's residence on Main street. They pried open a window and t is thought that while endeavoring to get in they knocked our some flower pots. The noise awoke the family and when Mr. Webber and sons came down stairs they found the door open and the carpets solled with the muddy shoes of the perpetrators. The fact that Mr. Webber is collector for the Spring Brook Water company probably led them to think that he had some money after the first of the month's

The marriage of Miss Agnes Baker,

board will meet in regular session this

William Dixon, a student at the Medical college in Baltimore. erty, of this town, to Joseph Hoover, of Pittston, was announced in St.

Parsons.

OLYPHANT.

be made in Union cemetery,

'Great Snap'' Shoe Sale.

See our Men's Patent Leather Shoes, on \$1.69 the newest toe..... This is a "corker"—black or tan—Men's

Ladies', Boys' and Girls' Goods Equally as Low.

Standard Shoe Store,

217 LACKA AVE

At Retail.

Coal of the best quality for domestic use and of all sizes, including Buckwheat and Birdseye, delivered in any part of the city, at the lowest price. Orders received at the office, first floor, Commonwealth building, room No. 8; telephone No. 2524 or at the mine, telephone No. 272, will be promptly attended to. Dealers supplied at the mine.

W. T. SMITH.

THE DICKSON M'F'G CD., Scranton and Wilkes-Barrs, Pa. Manufacturers of

General Office, Scranton, Pa

AJAX REMEDY CO., 19 Pearlest AJAX REMEDY CO., Chicago.

For sale in Scranton, Pa., by Matthaws Bros. and H. C. Sandercon, druggists.

MADE ME A MAN





All of our \$8,00 colored wool

dress patterns, choice of any ...... \$4.50 

One lot plaid French flan-nels, 30c grade, Special... 29c Choice of our Lansdown-in all the street and evening shades; lowest prices. These goods sold by anyone at 95c. Our price 79c

flannels, 95c grade. Special 45c

All our printed French

### Book store news

above assertion. For today we offer again

our fleece back printed authors All melettes, 10c grade, mpecial..... 62C All our 6c grade white outing flannel. Special... 34C Special sale fine white Marseilles quilts, ready for use, \$1.25 grade. Special ..... 89c One hundred dozen pure linen

towels, extra size, 1256c grade. Special..... 9c Five thousand yards standard apron gingham, regular 5 1-4c. Special...... 42C

Twenty-five doz bleached linen napkins, 85c grade... 69c Twenty-five dozen 1/4 bleached linen napkins, \$1.25 grade.

Special..... 98c All our 65c bleached table damask. Special. . . . 59c

### Dress goods

One lot all wool colored dress

If you are a reader you should make it a point to look here for all that is new in publications. This department is complete, and as regards prices it has yet to find its peer for reasonableness. More than six hundred volumes of one edition found their way to fortunate owners Saturday, which proves much for the

### Popular

Lyall, Cooper, Eliot,

Handy volume size

Well bound in cloth, printed on good paper lisher's price, 25c.

Only two to a cus-

Toy

books

prices range from

onable prices. Complete line albums of

every description, from 98c to \$5 Full assortment of shaving and manicure sets-collar and cuff boxes-comb and brush cases, handkerchief and fan boxes

Complete line of jewel cases from ......75c to 3.50 lust received, one thousand dolls of every description, from......sc to \$15

All of our toc colored Twenty-live dozen white silk

value 25c. Special..... 15c Complete line of stamped linens of every

broidered, plani and hemstitched at

Complete line of toilet sets consisting of pin cushions and bottles, \$3.68 grade. Special 2.98

Just received, twenty-five dozen ties, in all the newest effects, consisting of tecks, four-in-hand, Imperials and puffs, real val-

every description, regular price 30c. Special..... 25c Complete line of men's tancy percale shirts, regular price \$1.25, Special.....

Men's suspenders of every description, a pair from 25c to \$2

Special .....

Complete line of men's

5c to \$3

from ......30c to \$3

All of our foc colored crochet silk, per spool..... 5c embroidered doylies, real

special prices. Complete line of pin

scription, from..... 25c up

ue 75c. Special ..... 49c

Fifty dozen gent's fancy scarfs of

Special value in men's white fur dress shirt, \$1.25 grade.

### a most unusual value.

Several hundred books will go on sale comprising titles by such well-known authors as Dumas, Corelli, Dickens, Doyle,

Verne, etc.

in large type. Pub-

Biggest assortment yet shown; books of all kinds and sizes; books for children of all ages; some lithographed in colors, others illustrated in black and white; the ideal book stock to let the children select from;

# Bric-a-Brac and holiday goods

Our Bric-a-Brac stock is now complete in every detail. We are offering exceptional values in bisque figures of every description and Bohemian glassware in all the new colorings and designs at most reas-

description..... 10c up Full line of dresser, wash stand and pillow cases, including em-

cushions, of every de-

# Gent's furnishing

Men's natural wool underwear, special value at.. 98c

# fancy half hose, soc grade 25c Lebeck & Corin



Felt Boots and Overs. \$2.25 grade ...... \$1.69 Felt Boots and Overs, \$2.50 grade ...... \$1.89

Heavy Sole Welt Shoes at .....

HANDIEST STORE IN THE CITY.

MOUNT PLEASANT COAL

LOCOMOTIVES, STATIONARY ENGINES Boilers, Hoisting and Pumping Machiner y.

