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PERSONAL

Mrs. William Hennemnuth, of 223 Mulberry street, is very fil.

ware, Lackawanna and Western coal department, vent to New York yesterday afternoon

J. A. Mears, Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Fisher, Ed-ward Williams, M. P. Flynn and O. F. Byzhec, of this city, were recently registered at Hotel Albert, New York eity.

General Superintendent E. G. Russell, of the Lackawanna railroad, is temporarily located in Superintendent Daly's office, awaiting the com-fletion of the new quarters at the station.

ECLIPSE WAS ECLIPSED HERE.

Clouds Prevented More Than a Brief Peep at the Phenomenon.

Owing to the heavy clouds this locality was denied anything more than a peep at the solar eclipse yesterday. Shortly after 9 o'clock the sun passed over a clear bit of blue and for the brief duration of this transit thousands doubtless enjoyed the beautiful and inspiring spectacle.

Fortunately, very favorable atmospheric conditions prevailed in the belt of total obscurity, where the country's greatest astronomers had located themselves and we are thus enabled to make up semewhat for our disappointment by looking at the phenomenon through the' expert eyes with help of the Ass ted Press.

OPEN AIR CONCERT TONIGHT.

To Be Given by Lawrence's Band at the Municipal Building.

The following is the programme of the concert to be given by Lawrence's band at the municipal building this

The second secon
A Quick Love March"Chief Wolf" (Wilkes-Barre to Scranton on May #2.)
(Wilkes-Barre to Beranton on May 32.)
Selection from Maritana
Walte, Wedding of the Winds
March, North WindChambers
Patfrourri, "Vermischte-Nachrichten" Kiesler
Oh Listen to the Band, Medley W. C. Ott

THE VISITING COAL DEALERS. BIG PREMIUM FOR

Arrangements for Their Reception Have Been Completed.

Complete arrangements have been made for the reception and entertainment of the 150 members of the Michigan and Indiana Retail Coal Dealers' association, who will arrive in this city tomorrow night on a tour of inspection of the anthracite coal mines in this vicinity. Secretary D. B. Atherton, of the board of trade, will act as chairman of the reception committee recently appointed by that body.

The association met in annual convention in Detroit yesterday, and the members wil leave that city this morning at 11.80 o'clock. They will arrive in Buffalo at 8 a. m. tomorrow morning and will spend the morning inspecting the coal docks in that city. They wil leave Buffalo at 2.30 in the afternoon on a special Lehigh Valley train and will arrive in this city to morrow night at 10.30 o'clock, and will be taken to Hotel Jermyn, where accommodations have been secured for

On Thursday morning at 9 o'clock the visiting ladies will be taken for a carriage drive over the Elmhurst boulevard and Lake Scranton. The gentlemen will, in the meantime, be divided into two parties, one of which will be taken through the Pennsylvania company's mines in Dunmore. The other and larger party will be taken on a special train over the Lackawanna

to the Bellevue mines. In the afternoon the visitors will be taken around the city, and any who may desire will be shown the various industries. They will leave the city that night at midnight. Secretary Atherton yesterday received a booklet advertising the excursion, which was circulated among the various members. In it Scranton is referred to as "The Newcastle of America."

KIT OF THE CENSUS TAKER

It Is a Rather Formidable One and Will Weigh Two Pounds. What It Contains.

The census enumerator will soon be at your door, following out the instructions laid down by the commissioner of census, in order to learn what kind of people inhabit the United States. The enumerator has a task that is no the most congenial, and there are con nected with his work a great many de tails that are not fully appreciated b the outside world.

The outfit of an enumerator is rathe formidable affair. The chief article is a portfolio about 12 by 20 inches to size when shut. When opened the port folio forms a lap desk just the size the largest sheet upon which the dat are to be written.

Inside the cover of the portfolio of one side is a full set of instructions to the enumerator to help him in doing his work. On the other side is a description of the enumerator's territory-in some cases accompanied by a map.

Folded within the portfolio are the 'popular schedules" upon which the opular data will be placed. Upon the left side of the sheet are to be placed the names taken and to the right the answers to about twenty questions are to follow. Fifty names can be placed on each side of the sheet, and as 100 single sheet will contain them all.

will be experienced. In all districts special information will be gathered as blindness and deafness. In the country districts the manufacturing industries are to be made out upon one sheet and the farming industries upon another. Each farm is to have a separate sheet.

The kit the enumerator will have to carry will not weigh over two pounds and can easily be attached to a bicycle, which many use. With each kit is a metallic badge about the size of a silver dollar. The design is of a poised eagle bearing a shield with the inscription, "United States Census, 1900." Two sets of daily report cards bear-

ing consecutive dates from June 1 to the time when the work is finished, which is thirty days in the country and fifteen in the city, are furnished the enumerators. One of these reports is sent to the supervisor of the district and the other to the director of the census at Washington.

The daily report cards are to be filled with the number of names, farms and shops, taken during the day and the number of hours consumed in the work. The purpose of the report is to enable the supervisor of the district to keep watch of the progress of the work and to enable him to call to account or discharge the enumerators who are not doing their duty.

NOW IT'S A "RUBBER SALE."

Novel Scheme of the Home for the Friendless to Make Money. Ye who have old rubbers to spare,

prepare to spare them now! Rubber is going up by big bounds, nd the supply is nowhere near equal to the demand. The wide-awake managers of the Home for the Friendless aw this and conceived the idea of having it redound to the benefit of their most deserving institution. Have the school children gather up all the old, discarded rubber shoes, boots, hose, necks or anything like that, bring them to the school, deposit them with the janitor and have him turn them ver to some friend of the home who

has a wagon, the time and a will to go about collecting the rubber harvest. The necessary permission was granted by the board of control, and President Jayne, who transmitted the request from Mrs. Chamberlain, of the home management, was directed to tell the managers they could make whatever arrangements would best suit themselves, and begin their rubbering just as son as they pleased. It is confidently expected that \$1,000

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This Will Realize the District Within \$10,000 as Much as if the Bonds Were Sold at Three and One-Half Instead of Four and One-Half Per Cent.-Highest Premium Ever Paid in This State for Like Bonds. Bids for School Desks Opened. Committee Reports.

Thanks to the fortunate circumstances that there is plenty of investment money lying around, the Scranon school district will succeed in floating its \$100,000 issue of four and onehalf per cent, bonds at a loss of not more than \$10,000. When the bids were opened by the finance committee yesterday afternoon an offer was disclosed from Dick Brothers & company, of Philadelphia, of \$23,450 premium, and on the recommendation of the committee the offer was accepted at last night's regular meeting.

It is the biggest premium ever paid for a Scranton city or school board bond and the biggest ever paid for a imilar bond in Pennsylvania.

This is not saying, however, that it the financiers will aver. The bonds could have been floated at three and one-half per cent., and fully \$10,000 saved thereby. A three and one-half per cent, bond would have called for premium of about \$5,000. By paying higher interest a larger premium is secured. In the present instance a one per cent, increase in the rate of interest brings an additional \$18,000 ready money. The district needed the ready money, and hence the high rate of interest. Bonds calling for a high premium are not popular with investors, and the school district is to be congratulated on its good fortune in offering its bonds at an opportune

THE VARIOUS BIDS. The wide variance of the fifteen bids is pointed out as an indication of the part good fortune, not to say chance,

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t	W. J. Hayes & Sons, Cleveland	\$100,742	0
1-	Scranton Savings bank		
-	W. B. Todd & Co., New York		
y	Farson, Leach & Co., New York		
	Philip F. Kelley, Philadelphia	110,810	7
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	land	116,000	0
e	Newberger Bres. & Henderson, Phil-		
n	adelphia	118,000	0
	Hoyl & Major, Philadelphia	118,050	0
11	Seasongood & Meyer, Cincinnati		
a	Lester & Co., Philadelphia		
14	N. W. Harris & Co., New York	119,251	0
	E. C. Jones & Co., Philadelphia	120,150	0
n	Dennison, Pryor & Co., Boston		
0	Frank Nevine & Co., Philadelphia	121,500	9

Dick Bros. & Co., Philadelphia 125,450 00 The average life of the bonds is twenty-eight years and two months. Thirty thousand dollars worth mature in twenty-six years; \$30,000 worth in twenty-eight years, and \$40,000 worth

in thirty years. On motion of Mr. Jennings the finance committee was instructed to stipulate with the purchaser that the money for the bonds should be delivered here. This was to avoid the trouwill constitute a fair day's work, a ble and annoyance of the committee and the fiscal officers going to Philadel-There are, however, other blanks to phia with the seals, and the responsifill, and in some of these difficult work bility of carrying the money back.

A suggestion was made that the finance committee be empowered to concerning physical peculiarities, such award the bonds to the next highest bidder in case Dick Brothers & Com pany failed to take them. Captain May called attention to the possibility of the highest bidder forfeiting the \$1,000 guarantee check and making a deal with the next highest bidder, who is \$2,000 below them, whereby the bonds could be gotten just as readily at a saving of the difference between the amount of the forfeit check and the \$2,000 variance between the highest and next highest bidder. The suggestion was forthwith put aside.

BIDS OPENED. Bids were opened at the board meeting for the contract to furnish 1,000 school desks, the board to have the privilege of purchasing more or less will for the prices named in the proposals. There were four bidders. Hill & Connell quoted prices ranging from \$2.65 to \$3.15; P. E. Flood, of Wilkes-Barre from \$2.70 to \$3.00; R. C. Evans, of Chicago, from \$2.75 to \$3.05, and the W. H. Andrews company, of Chicago, \$2.54 to \$2.84, with an extra charge of 75 cents on each desk if they are made adjustable.

The bids were referred to the building committee. To make it feasible to enforce the ten year guarantee, Mr. Jennings had the committee instructed to put a clause in the contract stipulating that the date of the sale of the goods be blown into the castings.

The board again denied the use of the high school auditorium for other than school purposes. Professor Hydn Evans wanted it for a recital, offering to pay all the expenses and allow the athletic association to collect an admittance fee, but the board wouldn't

The high school committee reported favorably upon the proposition to publish a high school manual at a cost not to exceed \$150, and the board gave its approval. Mr. Schwass, for the teachers' committee, invited the members to accompany the committee on its annual visit to the schools next Thursday and Friday. President Jayna transmitted an invitation from the

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training school to attend the public exhibition of teaching this afternoon at

2 o'clock. Mr. Roche, for the building committee, reported a resolution directing Secretary Fellows to inform the owners of the buildings now being used as ans the best investment ever made, as nexes for Nos. 2, 5, 9 and 35 that they will be vacated June 30.

The vacancies on committees caused by the death of D. I. Phillips were filled by President Jayne as follows: Teachers' committee (chairmanship), A. L. Francois; building and text book committees, John H. Phillips; insurance committee, E. J. Leonard.

DAVIS WAS WOUNDED.

States That Highwaymen Who Held Him Up on Capouse Avenue Fired Upon Him.

According to the story John Davis, of Pine Brook, tells, desperate highwaymen have been at work on Capouse avenue.

About 1 o'clock yesterday morning Davis entered the Lackawanna hospital and requested treatment for his right arm, in which there was a revolver cartridge. He claimed to have been held up by highwaymen on Capouse avenue, who, after an assault, fired at him. He was accompanied by Matthew Lathan, formerly one of shortly after the accident and took him to the hospital.

Dr. John W. Busch examined the man and found that the cartridge had entered his right forearm. The bone was not broken, but merely a deep flesh wound inflicted. The bullet was removed, after which Davis left for his

He declared that he was walking along Capouse avenue when two men suddenly stopped him and demanded in the style of the proverbial highwayman "his money or his life." He struck at one of the men and

struck him in the arm.

assailants left him. He was found soon is roomy and home-like, with broad after by his friend, Lathan. The affair has not been reported to the police and no arrests have been

CATHOLIC HISTORICAL SOCIETY

on Father Ryan. school faculty, last night read an excellent paper on the poetry of Father Ryan, the sweet singer, of the south, before the Catholic Historical society. He referred especially to the deep spirituality and religious feeling which pervades the work of the poet and also to his great devotion to the south. He read selections from several of the poet's poems, including "The Sword of Robert Lee" and "Erin's Flag." It was this first poem that endeared Father Ryan to the people of the south and it was the last that glorified Ireland's green banner as it had never

been glorified in verse before. Rev. D. J. MacGoldrick stated that he would announce the names of the new officers of the society next Tuesday evening. These officers will serve during the coming year.

POLICE PICKINGS.

A large number of new helmets for the pa-trolmen were received at headquarters yester-day. They are the regular summer helmets, a

ght grey in color. Hannah Davis and Katle Thomas were arrest ed late Sunday night by Patrolman Fred Karius on the charge of street walking, and were taken to the Center street police station. Both were

fined \$5 yesterday morning.

Patrolman Karius was called to the Delaware,
Lackawanna and Western railway station yesterday afternoon by Station Master McCann, who seked him to arrest a young boy who was making himself generally obnoxious about the place. Mr. McCann will appear against him this The police have been notified of the theft of

a horse belonging to Swarte's livery in Wilkes-Barra. It was driven to Mill Creek, and there left outside a building. Some one detached it from the buggy and made off with it. The ani-mal was cream colored with a white mane and tall, and white hind legs.

Patrolman Thomas Thomas and Watkins yes-

terday arrested a man living in Park place, North Scranton, at the request of his family who declared that he was acting in an insane manner. He was taken to the central police station, where he was examined by Dr. Bessey, outdoor physician for the poor board in North Scranton, and other physicens. The case will be brought before the poor board.

Decoration Day at Speedway. Gentlemen drivers and horse admir-

ers will have a gala day tomorrow at the Speedway. Great racing is promised during the entire afternoon. There is no more delightful place hereabouts than this particular spot on the beautiful boulevard to spend the afternoon or the entire day, for that matter. The homelike Speedway hotel, with its magnificent verandas facing directly on the boulevard, within a few minutes' walk from the shores of Lake Scranton, surrounded by beautiful woods and ideal roads, offers unexcelled accommodations for the day's outing.

All Eric and Wyoming Valley trains now stop within a stone's throw of the hotel. Fare one way, ten cents. Return tickets, fifteen cents. Hear J. T. Watkins and a large sur-

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pliced choir sing "The Holy City," at

the Lyceum tomorrow night.

Strengthens | WERE ENTERTAINED AT LAKE CLEMO

PLEASANT DAY SPENT AT THAT RESORT.

Number of Men from This City and Its Vicinity Were the Guests of tne Lake Clemo Real Estate Company at Their New Property, High Up Among the Hills of Wayne County-Lake Covers One Hundred Acres and Has a White Sand Bot-

At Lake Clemo, Wayne county, a party of men from this city and its vicinity were entertained yesterday by the Lake Clemo Real Estate company, which is comprised of the following: Colonel Ezra H. Ripple, County Treasurer M. J. Kelly, ex-Senator M. E. Mo-Donald, of this city, and Oscar Yost and E. W. Bishop, of Dunmore. It was the occasion for the formal opening to the public of the lake and a hotel which has been erected by the company near the shores of the lake. There are many fine bodies of landlocked water in this part of the state, but none that in some respects compare with Lake Clemo. Its most striking characteristic is its bottom of fine white sand, which gave the lake for many years the local name of Sand pond. It is fed by springs and is as clear as crystal. The water ranges in depth from a few inches to seventy feet and so clear and pure is it that even in the deepest parts the bottom can be seen.

This lake was greatly admired and sought by the Indians, who called it Umbagog, meaning clear, Many of them believed its waters contained great curative powers. The lake covur among the hills, 1,700 feet above sea level and surrounded on all sides by gently rising foothills that fade away and lose their identity in towering mountains that seemed to shut the lake and its peaceful surroundings out from the noise and turmoll of the world. Somewhat oval in shape, the lake is almost girt around by a beautiful forest, in which a piente ground is to be fitted up.

ROAD TO THE LAKE. By the turnpike road the lake is two miles from Clemo station on the Eric and Wyoming Valley railroad. A board-walk has been built up the hillside which reduces the distance to the lake to the pedestrian to one mile and the company has had a survey made the hospital orderiles, who found him will be but one and one-quarter miles in length.

This boulevard will skirt the pi nic ground and the corner of the lake and end at the hotel, which stands on a slight eminence several hundred feet southeast of the lake. In the winter time the path cut through the woods for the board-walk will be used for sliding ice from the lake down to the railroad.

The company owns two hundred cres of land besides the lake and has planned some extensive improvements, the work on which has practically only begun. The first step was the knocked him to the ground. The other erection of a twenty-five room hotel, with all modern improvements, in-He fell to the ground and his two the management of Byron Simons. It cluding gas, which is now open under plazzas from which a grand view of the fine sweep of landscape is obtained. A number of row boats have been placed on the lake and a boulevard is to be built around it one hundred feet or so back from the water's edge. The lots for cottages will run Prof. Flood Read a Paper Last Night from the boulevard to the lake. The place is intended more as a family Professor Edward Flood, of the High resort and for cottagers rather than for a general excursion resort and the improvements will be made with that

idea in mind. LOCATION OF LAKE.

Lake Clemo is four and one-half riles from Lake Ariel and seven from Honosdale and is connected with both places by good roads. The lake is well stocked with pickerel and perch and below the outlet a trout pool !

now being constructed. The party that went over to the lake vesterday left here in a special car at 8.45 a. m. and returned to the city last evening. At the lake the entertaining was done by Messrs, Yost, Kelly, Bishop and McDonald. Those in the party ere: Francis Herring, Orangeville Pa.: C. L. Simons and S. Williams Hamilton; J. C. Moffatt, John A. Horan, A. C. Wahlers, F. Wahlers, E. M

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rett, Scranton.

Letters of regret were received from T. Slade, J. M. Davis, A. D. Blackinon and James Hood, of the Eric and Wyoming Valley railroad, who were unable to be present. At dinner music was furnished by Wahler's orchestra. On the way back to the city Dr. J E. O'Brien, on behalf of the party, thanked the members of the Laks Clemo Real Estate company for the hospitalities of the day. Speeches were also made by other members of the party.

RURAL FREE DELIVERY.

Agent of the Postoffice Department

in the City Regarding It. A. S. Eisenhower, of Philadelphia, who is one of the chief agents of the rural free postal delivery department, arrived in this city yesterday for the purpose of looking over the surrounding towns and feeling the public sentiment in them regarding the extension of the system. Mr. Eisenhower will remain in the

city for upwards of a week and will make tours of inspection to the various towns up and down the valley.

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