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City Notes.

KING'S DAUGHTERS' MEETING .- The King's Daughters of Elm Park church will meet Friday evening. Mrs. Hiorns is home and would be glad

INJURED IN WEST RIDGE,-John Zoobriski, a laborer employed in the West Ridge mine, was caught by a fall of coal while at work yesterday and sustained a fracture of the right femur. He was taken to the Luckawanna hospital.

SOME SEATS LEFT.-Exchanges from night to matinee performances, left a goodly number of seats on hand for tonight's performance of "Florodora," At the closing of the box office last night there were also choice scata for the matinee remaining undisposed of.

FOR STEALING IRON,-Mrs. Annie Schwartz, of of the South Scranton flats, was committed to the county jail last evening by Alderman Rud by 'n default of \$200 bail on a charge of larceny pre ed by Special Officer Miles McDonald, of the Delaware, Lackawanna and Western company, he woman is accused of stealing old iron from a scrap heap near the car shops,

LADIES OF G. A. R.

Circle No. 19 Will Give Entertainment Saturday Night.

Programme of entertainment to be given by Circle No. 19, Ladies of the G. A. R., in Memorial hall, Saturday evening, March 15, at 8 o'clock:

Misses Edna Sherman and Azuba Swartz. Nelson Family
Miss Gertie Tafe Dancing Miss Gertie Tafe
Phonograph selections Harry Hill
Tableau, "Rock of Ages" Miss Lola Sherman
Solo Mrs. Tafe
Recitation Miss Nellie MacArthur
Duett Mrs. Blackman, Miss Sherman
Phonograph selections Menry Hill
Vocal solo Frank J. Evans
Tableau, "Guardian Angel"—
Misses Swarty and Sherman
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Tableau, "Guardian Angel"—
There are two factions in the borough council, the McGarrity faction
and the Benton faction. There are
four of each, leaving the First ward Dancing .

Misses Swartz and Sherman. ecitationMiss Rachel Powell Solo F. J. Evans Recitation Miss Rose Schilder Tableau, "The Angel of the Regiment"— Misses Swartz and Sherman.

Dialogue, "Gossiping Neighbors"—

Mrs. Blackman and Miss Sherman. Cake walk.

OFFICERS WERE ELECTED. Annual Meeting of Scranton Bicycle Club Held Last Night.

At the annual meeting of the Scranton Bicycle club, held last night, the following officers were elected: Presilent. B. P. Connolly: vice-president. Chomas H. Dale: treasurer, Dr. F. C. Wardell; secretary, Frank J. Foley; captain, Dr. G. E. Hill: directors, John Dusenbury, "C. F. Peters, F. W. Stillwell, George H. Mitchell, C. A. Godfrey, H. S. Gorman, P. Silas Walter and Charles R. Fuller. This is the fifth time the club has honored Mr. Connoily by electing him president. Immediately after the election of offi-

cers, a light luncheon was served and a pleasant social hour enjoyed.

KNIGHTS TEMPLAR OFFICERS.

Melita Commandery Has an Election, Reception and Banquet.

Templar, last night elected the following officers: Eminent commander, C. mer; treasurer, Joseph Alexander, jr.; the world. recorder, Frank Shedd

A class of twelve, the largest in Knights Templar history in Scranton, was admitted into the Order of the Red Cross. A banquet followed the ceremony.

E. Robinson's Sons' Bock Beer will be on draught at all hotels Saturday.

YOUNG GIRL ARRESTED.

Was Found with Two Young Men in a Barn Last Night.

Nellie Summers, of West Scranton, girl about 19 years old, was arrested late last night in a barn in Raymond court in company with a young man, who refused to give his name.

The police had to break down the door to get into the place and while they were doing this a second fellow who was with the couple arrested, made good his escape.

Best Bock Beer

con's Sons'.

On draught Saturday. Its E. Robin-

WILLIAM CROWLEY KILLED.

Run Down by a Train Near Scrantor

Street Crossing. William Crowley, aged 29 years, em ployed as a switchman in the Dela-ware, Lackawanna and Western yards, was run down by an engine at 7 o'clock last evening, just below the Scranton street crossing, and was so badly in jured that he died shortly afterwards. Crowley was returning home from his day's work and was walking along the railroad to his home on Luzerne street. He was going along in the middle of the south bound track, when a switch engine backed down and struck him. Crowley was carried into Wheeler's store on Scranton street, where he expired before a doctor could be sum-

The remains were afterwards removed to his home on Luzerne street where they were viewed by Corones Saltry. An inquest will be held in the case. Crowley is survived by his wife and two children. The funeral announcement will be made later.

DYER IS INVESTIGATING.

Special Agent Looking Into the

Burning of Street Cars. Special Agent Dyer, of the Scran on Railway company, is investigating the burning of the street cars in Minooka on Wednesday night and spent some time there yesterday making inquiries. It is an extremely difficult natter to find the guilty parties but strong effort will be made to run down the ringleaders of the mob. One of the cars was only partially burned and it may be possible to repair it. The other was completely destroyed by the flames and only a few harred timbers and a tangle of worthless machinery was found yesterday morning when the wrecking crew went down to clear up the track. This car was equipped with a brand new set of motors and its value is placed at b: tween \$1,500 and \$2,000.

MET PECULIAR DEATH

George Blain Was Run Over by the Wagon with Which He Was Hauling Manure.

George Blain, aged 45 years, a widwer, residing on Larch street, was killed shortly after noon yesterday by being run over by his own wagon, at the corner of Madison avenue and Ash street.

No one saw the accident, and the exct manner in which it occurred can only be surmised. His body was found on the corner by George Hess, who noticed the horses and wagon, with which Blain had been hauling manure, some distance away up the field. There were no marks visible on Blain's body but the blood was flowing profusely from the mouth and ears. Mr. Hess summoned the Lackawanna hospital ambulance, and the surgeon pronounced the unfortunate man to be dead, upon

its arrival. Blain was employed by P. H. Rozelle, and was engaged in carting manure. At the point where his body was found there is a big depression in the road, and it is presumed that in going over this he was thrown from the wagon and under the wheels, which passed over his chest, crushing it fearfully and breaking his neck, as the postmortem examination at the hospital revealed. The dead man is survived by one daughter, who lives in Wilkes-

MIX-UP IN DICKSON.

Two Councilmanic Factions Up in Arms Against Each Other.

There are lively doings these days in Dickson City borough. It all grows out of the fact that James Reid and John Rielly, opposing candidates for ceived the same number of votes at had it,

out of consideration, and when it came to a re-organization on March 3 the McGarrity faction ruled out Mr. Beddoe, one of the newly elected Bentonites, and refused to seat him. They then proceeded to elect Rielly as councilman from the First ward, whereat the other Bentonites left the meeting. Those remaining proceeded to elect a full set of all the borough officers whom councils are allowed to elect. The Bentonites claim that the election was illegal and have been since seek-

ing to effect another election. The latest development is the arrest of Attorney P. F. Loughran, of this city, on the charge of attempting to bribe Councilman Cruisbank to vote with the Bentonites. The latter waived a hearing and entered bail. He denies that he bribed Cruishank.

CONTRACT IS LET.

Philadelphia Company Will Build Big Printing Plant.

The contract for the erection of onehalf of the International Correspondence School's mammoth printing plant at the corner of Wyoming avenue and Ash street has just been let to a Philadelphia contracting company, and ork is to begin as soon as the weath-

The part of the structure to be built will be four stories high and will be 240x150 feet in size. The contract calls Melita commandery, No. 68, Knights for the completion of the work by Oct. I next. The other half of the proposed building is to be built next year. The R. Acker; generalissimo, A. H. Shop-land; captain general, Thomas Pal-the largest printing establishment in

CHARGED WITH ASSAULT.

Drunken Man with an Axe and Razor Held Up John Smith.

Louis Abbey and Matthew Leach were arraigned before Magistrate Howe yesterday morning on a charge of assaulting a chap named John Smith in Centre street early yesterday morning. Abbey was arrested with a hatchet and Leach was flourishing a razor when the pair were arrested by Lieutenant Feeney and Patrolmen Karius and Thomas. Smith escaped unpunished because of the outcry he raised and got away before the police could learn anything except his

Magistrate Howe fined each of the prisoners \$10 each. They pleaded drunkenness as an excuse.

Fishing Tackle Cheap. Florey & Brooks fire sale, 522 and 524

E. Robinson's Sons' Bock Beer

Spruce street.

WIDE VARIANCE AS TO VALUES

SOME DISCREPANCY IN OPPOS-ING CLAIMS.

Thornton Alleges That He Lost \$7,000 Worth of Property in the Fire While Witnesses for the Defense Fix the Amount at Less Than \$2,000-More Evidence Tending to Support the Allegation That the Blaze Was of Incendiary Origin. Seventh Day of the Trial.

The cases of P. M. Thornton, Wilkes-Barre, against the Security In-surance company of New Haven, and the National Assurance company of Ireland, which have been on trial before Judge Archbald in United States circuit court for the past seven days moved with a little more celerity yesterday. Fourteen witnesses in all were

All except one of the witnesses were for the defense. The exception was L. A. Darte, of Kingston, who on account of illness could not attend the day before. He was called to corroborate the claim of the plaintiff that the insurance companies kept possession of the goods rescued from the burning house for at least a month. His testimony was that the building in which the goods were stored was hired from him by Insurance Agent Hoban and that John T. Lenahan, attorney, for the companies paid the first month's rent. On cross-examination, Mr. Lenahan brought out testimony from which it might be inferred that the defense paid the rent only when Mr. Thornton refused to do so, and because Mr Darte would not let the adjustors enter the building until the rent was

THAT INVENTORY.

Much stress was laid by the defense on the alleged self-contradiction of the plaintiff as to the time he made the catalogue and inventory of his library and household goods. On the witness stand, Mr. Thornton testified that they were made seven or eight days before the fire. The stenographic report of his examination in Mr. Lenahan's office a month after the fire showed that he then testified they were made eight months before. When the stenographer's report was shown Mr. Thornton on cross-examination Monday last, averred that he had never said eight months and strongly maintained that the report had been tumpered with, This intimation was born of the fact. possibly, that his signature was attached to each page of the report at-

testing its accuracy. Adjustor Hemmingway, when on the stand, yesterday morning, testified that Mr. Thornton told him a few days after the fire that he had no memoranda of his library and catalogue. Frank Battle, stenographer in Mr. Lenahan's office, read from his original notes to prove the correctness of the disputed report of Mr. Thornton's testimony regarding the time he made the inven tory and catalogue,

This report of the examination in Ma Lenahan's office was submitted to Mr. Thornton in typewriting, and he made various corrections and interlineations before signing it. His testimony at the trial and his testimony at the examination did not harmonize, and in one of these instances a correction of the the discrepancy. Mr. Thornton denied that the correction was made by him. Mr. Battle, yesterday, testified that every correction and interlineation appearing in the report was made before Mr. Thornton returned it to Mr. Lenahan's office. On cross-examination, Mr. McGahren tried to have it appear that "eight months," as the stenographer

DISCOVERED THE FIRE.

James L. Finnen, a Kingston boy, told that he discovered the fire at 10.15 p. m., or about a quarter of an hour after the plaintiff and his wife locked up the house and went back to Wilkes-Barre.

Captain H. H. Holmes, chief of police of Kingston, testified to having broken in the door and helped carry out the He also told of being sumgoods. noned, eight days after the fire, by Adjuster Hemmingway, to witness the packing up of some of the debris gathhouse, and that some of the articles not wholly consumed smelled of kerosene. Sixteen photos of the house were subnitted by Photographer Woolworth to show that the fire was confined to the hallways, stairways and attic, and that no flames got inside any of the rooms. This was to support the defendants claim that the only goods consumed were such as were in the hallway. Wheelwright Wright, chief of Kingston fire department, fixed the time of the sounding of the alarm at 10.25 p. m., and corroborated the claim that the flames did not enter the rooms. On cross-examination Mr. McGahren brought out the statement that water was poured into the building for nearly three hours. I. S. Mack, a contractor and builder, who repaired the house, also gave tesimony to show that the blaze was confined to the hallways and stairways. VALUE OF GOODS.

A raft of testimony was produced to show the value of the goods collected after the fire. The plaintiff claimed that he had \$7,600 worth of books and household effects in the building, and that an auction of the remnants realized less than \$200. The defense maintains that only a few hundred dollars' worth of goods were entirely destroyed by fire, and that the value of both the books and the household goods not consumed was less than \$2,000 when bran

W. B. Phillips, a furniture dealer, of Wilkes-Barre, and F. G. Daniels, forcman of the Scranton Bedding company, testified to appraisements they made, at the instance of the defendants, of the furniture saved from the fire. Mr. Phillips fixed its sound value at \$754.20, and its damage at \$234.60. Mr. Daniels appraised the goods as being worth \$860.70 when new, and \$532.32 as they were when he examined them after the

Mr. Puckey, of the firm of Puckey Bros., book dealers, of Wilkes-Barre, testified to an examination of the books saved from the fire. He took a list of them, noted their condition, and estimated what they would bring in second-hand store. There were 548 volumes, he said. Many of them were wet. ome were discolored by mud and some had their covers torn or warped. Most E. Robinson's Sons' Bock Beer of them, however, were in good con- Brewed is E. R. On draught at all hotels Saturday.

VALUE OF TESTIMONY.

Greater Than Assertion. There is none of us so hardened but hat when we have been able to aid our fellow creatures by conferring a enefit or bringing a little comfort into their lives we like to have appreciation shown. This generally affords more pleasure than the performance of the ict itself, and in this connection the following letter from a Paris, Texas, lady is of more than usual interest; Dear Friends: I address you as such for you have been such to me. I suffered for three years off and on with piles. I was treated at the hospital, and the new and elegant hospital, of Memphis; they only gave me temporary relief. I came west, thinking the change of air and water would benefit me; five months ago the bleeding piles came back on me, and bled so much that I thought I would die. I have had four of the finest doctors in this section of Texas; all they did was to finally nearly let me go to my grave; all they wanted was a big sum of money from me and to operate on me. I said no, no surgeon's knife would enter me; if it was my time to die God knew it, and when I died I would die all together. I began hearing about your medicine. I had no faith in you, but I sent and got a box of your Pyramid Pile Cure; in two days the blood flow had slackened to one-half the amount, and in one week I felt so much better I walked four blocks and did a little housework. I was not bleeding then; in three weeks I was

well. God bless you for putting such a wonderful medicine within the reach of suffering men and women. I shall never cease to recommend your medicine or be without it; also I used your Pyramid Pills, Sallie A. Hearndon." Pestimony like this should be more convincing than all claims and asserions, and should leave no doubt in the mind of the reader as to the merit of the remedy. Pyramid Pile Cure is sold by druggists for fifty cents a package, or will be mailed by the makers to any for their book on cause and cure of

of the 548 volumes, he said, was \$932.87. He ascertained this by writing to the publishers. In their damaged condition he figured them to be worth \$600 less than the selling price.

PLAINTIFF'S CLAIM.

The plaintiff claimed he had 1,200 volimes, valued at \$2,900. H. P. Geddes, a clerk in Isaac Long's tore, Wilkes-Barre, testified to an appraisement he made of the dry goods and clothing salvage. When new they ost \$140.25, he said, and in their damged condition were worth \$19.25.

The defense has three more witnesses o examine, and the plaintiff will likely ake up half a day with rebuttal testi-This will probably carry the nony. ase into Saturday, and as the argunent of the law points and closing adlresses will consume the morning, the ase will continue into next week, as Judge Archbald has an out-of-town engagement for Saturday afternoon.

DOHERTY BACK AT WORK.

Member of Striking Street Car Men's Executive Committee Returned Yesterday with Seven Others.

P. H. Doherty, a member of the exreport in handwriting contributed to ecutive board of the striking street car men's union, returned to work yesterday for the Scranton Railway company, together with seven others of he strikers.

Mr. Doherty is the first officer of the union to return to work, and has been long recognized as one of the brainiest and most intelligent men in the or-Thornton said "a month" instead of ganization. He was a candidate for the presidency just prior to the strike. but was defeated by P. J. Shea. He was one of those most active in the interests of the strikers during the strike.

Some twenty other strikers were to return to work yesterday with the eight who did go back, but because they could not receive the runs they wanted this week, they will not go

back until next Monday. There are now back at work between 125 and 150 of the 350 men who originally went out on strike. The larger portion of the remaining 200 have secured other positions, in many inered in the hallway, where the fire is stances superior to those they left, so supposed to have started. He told that that the actual number of men who kerosene can that had evidently gone are now unemployed as the result of hrough a fire was picked up in the the strike, or who are actually still on strike, including the officers and members of the executive board, is not

SERIES OF GOSPEL MEETINGS. Rev. and Mrs. Clark Willson to

Speak at Dunmore. Rev. and Mrs. Clark Willson, the oted exangelists, will begin a series of gospel meetings in the Dudley Street Baptist church, Dunmore, on Sunday evening next at 7:30 o'clock, Mrs. Willson is the sister of the late P. P. Bliss who with his wife were killed in the memorable Ashtabula railroad disaster. She is a gospel singer of rare talent and wonderful pathos. Her husband, who is also a master of song, is a preacher of great power. Both have had a wide experience and remarkable success in evangelistic work, for more than a quarter of a century.

They have conducted meetings is most of the large cities of this country and Great Britain. It is a great opportunity for the people of Dunmore and vicinity that they are to have them. Meetings will be held every night next week except Saturday night.

Fire.

Ten thousand loaded shells for sale mokeless powder \$1.90 per 100. Black powder at \$1.50 per 100. Peter's smokeless at \$1.00 per 100. These shells have not been wet. Florey & Brooks, 522 and 524 Spruce street,

Business Men's Lunch.

From the noon lunch menu, at Hauey's, 420 Spruce street, may be ordered: Oysters, chops or just a cup of excellent coffee.

Chips.

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Fishing Tackle Cheap. Florey & Brooks fire sale, 522 and 524

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CONVENTION

ODIST EPISCOPAL CHURCH.

Rev. J. B. Dabney.

The mid-year convention of the Women's Christian Temperance Union was held in the Dunmore M. E. church vesterday, the first session beginning at 9:30 with devotional exercises led by Mrs. J. N. Bailey, of Moosle.

The roll call of officers and union was rather incomplete owing to the early hour, but was responded to by those present with passages of scrip ture. Mrs. O. E. Vaughn announced the following committees: Courtesies-Mrs. Altemose, Mrs. G. H. Stephens

Mrs. Cobb. Place of Meeting-Mrs. Buckman, Mrs. Belle

Rev. Newing, pastor of the church, end Mrs. Swartz, of the Dunmore union, welcomed the ladies with mos cordial and sincere greetings, which vere responded to by Mrs. William Swallow, of Clark's Green, in a manner both appreciative and humorous. The conference on deportment work was participated in by the following

superintendents: Loyal Temperance Union, by Mrs. of Dunmore; railroad work, by Mrs. D. B. Hand, of Scranton, and Mrs. address upon receipt of price. Write Pearl, of Moosic; Sunday school work, Pyramid Drug Co., Marshall, Mich., by Mrs. Chandler, of Scranton; prison and jail, by Mrs. J. M. Howell, of Green Ridge; mothers' work, by Mrs. Louisa Swartz, of Dunmore and Mrs. M. P. Rhodes, of Providence, Mrs Butler, of Carbondale, led in noontide prayer.

> The committee on courtesies then inroduced Rev. Bowen, Mr. Swallow, Mr. Howell, Rev. Henry, Rev. Bailey and Mrs. Bentley who all responded with cheering and encouraging words Mrs. Bentley is the wife of the pastor of the African M. E. church, and was formerly a teacher in the public chools of Memphis and other places

in Tennessee. he singing of "Abide with Me." Bentley, of Scranton, Every union in ternoon session.

lard hospital in Chicago was read by Mrs. M. E. Nolan, of Green Ridge. A national hospital is also established in Illinois, and both these institutions need help, as the demands are far beyond their power to supply.

Mrs. Fred Snyder, of Dalton, recited Bring the Children with You." which was in line with mothers' work. "Our Brown Sisters" was the subject of a paper by Mrs. Pearl, of Moosic. She emphasized the duty of Christian women toward the women of the Philippines and other islands because, in their ignorance they are sinned against.

ADDRESSED TO PRESIDENT. Mrs. Beck presented a resolution or this subject, which was discussed and unanimously adopted. The resolutions are as follows:

Second. That as Christian women loyal to our overnment, proud of our country and having a eep interest in the Christianization of the people of the Philippines, we deplote the infamy thrown on the national character and the powerful ob struction put in the way of Americanizing and rangelizing these people by the legal permission and regulation of this vice in our newly as

uired territories. Third. That we invoke your powerful aid, a he beloved president of our country and as gen ral in chief of the armics of the United States o use all possible endeavor to put a stop to the permission and regulation of the social vice.
Fourth. We need not remind you honorab ir that the seventh commandment is still in the curse of Almighty God can result from its violation in civic or military administration.

Resolved, As the head of the nation under God a look to you for help in this emergency and trust that as far as possible you will be the panoply of woman's honor and man's posity verywhere under our giorious flag. Mrs. Palmer, of Dalton, read an able

paper concerning "Scientific Temperance Instruction," as it ought to be

HELPS AND HINDRANCES.

Mrs. Whalen, of Carbondale, next esponded to by Mr. Daniels and Miss Florey, of Stroudsburg, and Rev. Dr.

Resolved. That the thanks of the women Vomen's Christian Temperapee union of Lacks anna county are hereby tendered to Hon, W. W.

resolution on the Sabbath school les- given to the pastor of the church. Rev. sons of the international Sunday school

OF W. C. T. U.

HELD IN THE DUNMORE METH-

Sessions in the Morning, Afternoon and Evening-Resolutions Adopted Address to the President of the United States Asking Him to Stop the Regulation of the Social Vice in the Philippines-Address of Rev. Dr. Whalen-Benediction by

Von Storch, Mrs. William Swallow, Mrs. Wrig-

Beane, of Scranton and Mrs. Swartz,

MOTHERS' MEETINGS. The discussion of mothers' meetings was continued by Revs. Bailey and Henry, of Moosic, and Mrs. Yost, of Scranton, recited Phoebe Cary's poem of the Crow and the Hunter, which was especially applicable to the question under discussion.

The afternoon session opened with devotional exercises were led by Mrs. the county was represented in the af-

A paper relating to the Francis Wil-

To the President of the United States. Resolved, First. We the members of the Wo nan's Christian Temperance union of Lackawanna ounty now assembled, do express our horror of he loose discipline in the army in the Philippines

which has permitted such awful debauchery among our soldiers and sailors.

infamy of the ruin of the young womanhood of the Philippine islands, and the dark stigma on the national character involved in this policy of force, that no exigencies of gray life can justify its practical abandonment and that nothing but

taught in our schools.

A discussion followed on "Helps and Hindrances in Our Work." Opinions vere given by Mrs. Van Gorder and Mrs. Butler, of Carbondale; Mrs. G. H. Stephens, of Peckville; Mrs. Howell, of Green Ridge; Mrs. Hager, of Dalton; Mrs. William Swallow, of Clark's Green: Miss Turner, of Nay Aug; Mrs. Downing, of Scranton; Mrs. Swartz, of Dunmore: Mrs. Vaughn, of Moscow: Cobb. of Wimmers, and Mrs. Pearl, of Moosic

Whalen, of Carbondale.

The president told of the aid given to union by W. W. Lathrop, who volunteered to pay the traveling expenses of the county president for a year, The following resolution was presented and unanimously adopted:

Rev. J. N. Bailey spoke in behalf of the "Arrow" which is published at Moosic. The price is only ten cents a dressed in their gayest colored clothes, Mrs. Howell presented the following

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Grenadines in wool and all silk.

Mistral Batiste And other Weaves.

It is only fair to say that our offerings of Black Goods embrace everything rew I stylish. As well be out of the world as out of fashion, and these are the very

Laces and Dress Trimmings Whatever marks a distinct advance in refinement of taste; whatever is bright and istic and elegant in Dress Trimmings you will find here. An interesting assort-nt of what every woman admires and needs.

Spangled Trimmings Braid Trimmings Chiffon Applique Batiste Applique. Madallions Spangles on Net And All-overs to match

Newest and eleverest designs and patterns. All the useful widths and qualities, the artistic and useful, side by side, with economy and slegance. It is a pity to spoil a stylish dress with common stuff; it is a sin, almost, to risk it. You risk nothing when you get the trimmings here. McConnell & Co.

Dry Goods and Outfitting.

400-402 Lackawanna Avenue. DANAMANAMANAMAN PANAMANAMANAMANAMA

Woman's Christian Temperance union advise and entreat that the temperance lesson be continued and that this protest be forwarded to the conmittee on leason leaves which will meet in Den-

THE PRINTED PAGE. Mrs. Rhue Blackman presented a paper on "The Printed Page," in which she gave statistics showing the proportion of the 14,000 W. C. T. U. mem-BUGGIES and WAGONS of all kinds; also Houses and Building Lots at bargains, HORSES CLIPPED and GROOMED at bership who take the "Union Signal"

next meeting reported an invitation Lackawanna Carriage Works. from the Taylor union for next September, and the report of the committee was accepted. The afternoon ses-J.B. WOOLSEY & CO sion closed with benediction by Dr. CONTRACTORS The evening session was called to order by Mrs. Vaughn, and after a song, "How Firm a Foundation," Rev. J. N. Bailey read the seventy-first

president, Mrs. Vaughn, with a beautiful bouquet, for which she expressed sincere thanks. Miss N. G. Tague, of Luzerne, state president of the Loyal Temperance legion, was introduced. She described the work done by the children, under the guidance of a president chosen from the Women's Christian Temperance union, who plans the work. This work is neglected in Lackawanna county, for

and unqualified protest against leaving out the

temperance lesson from the International Sunday School Quarterly and that the Lackawanna county

The committee on time and place of

psalm and offered prayer. The ladies

of the Dunmore union presented the

ver in June next.

to be small.

Whalen.

the children help in the work of temperance Mrs. Whalen, of Carbondale, favored the audience with a solo, "If I Were a Voice," and Rev. Dr. Whalen was introduced, who proceeded to discuss the subject of temperance work.

of the sixteen unions, only two have

SUCCESS OF WORK. The positive success of the work is seen on every hand," he said. Mrs. Walters, of Madisonville: Mrs. tremble to think of the result if this work should stop. The missing link in temperance work is the fact that we are divided up into societies, while the avored the meeting with a vocal solo, liquor men present a solid front and "In His Secret Presence." Fraternal stand by each other. The only true greetings were next in order, and were way that these temperance societies an unite and present a solid front against the liquor traffic is through the church and ballot box.

If half the saloons could be closed the Women's Christian Temperance it would help some because a half loaf is better than none at all. A judge will sentence men to jail for drunkenness, then he will grant forty licenses the next day. This is mighty poor citizen The prohibition of the traffic is the only solution of the problem. It is a sad fact that there are ministers who will not use their votes against the liquor traffic. "Some day we will bury the American

> saloon and the W. C. T. U. will attend, and everyone will be satisfied. A unanimous vote of thanks H. Newing, and to the ladies of Dunmore. Benediction was pronounced

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