The News of Carbondale.

COUNCILS DEAL WITH SMALL-POX SITUATION

After a Most Animated Meeting, in Which Common Council Pitched Into Select Members for Not Confirming the Board of Health Appointees, It Was Voted to Sustain Mayor O'Neill in What He Had Done Towards Employing a Doctor and Nurse.

At a special joint meeting of counclis last night, which, be it candidly said, was far from in keeping with the gravity of the situation, it was voted to sustain the action of Mayor O'Neill in employing a doctor and a nurse to look after the Thompsons, the two smallpox patients, and in providing the

family with food, etc. Councils also adopted a motion, which emanated from common council, directing the judiciary and legislation committee of select council to act in conjunction with Sanitary Policeman Moffitt in continuing the precautions and provisions taken by the mayor in treat-

ing and confining the disease.
What Mayor O'Neill did after the outbreak occurred, and which councils at this meeting sustained and directed to be continued as the committee saw fit, was the employment of a physician, at a compensation of \$20 per day; the employment of a nurse, at \$30 per week; the employment of a night and a day watchman, and providing the afflicted family with necessary eatables.

As indicated, before this action was taken, after an hour was wasted in an animated discussion, an exchange of feelings and at times a display of levity which, it would seem, should have no place in a meeting which was called to deal with a grave emergency, one which so affected the public welfare, regardless of the personal feeling of the members.

The failure of select council, or certain members thereof, to either confirm or reject Mayor O'Nefll's appointees of the board of health, was the element that was responsible for the disturbance. The members of common councll were of the one mind that it was the delinquency of select council that task of dealing with smallpox, and the whole burden on the select men, claiming that since common council had nothing to do with the appointing or the formation of the board of health, it should not now be compelled to act, when it was due to the failure of select council to act on the mayor's appointees that this meeting, asking for councils to act as a board of health,

had been called. The common members fairly bristled with opposition to the suggestion that they deal with the situation and they stood united in every subterfuge that was put forth to throw the work onto select council. They succeeded, finally, after defeating several motions from select council, to adjourn, and had the work put on the shoulders of the judicjary and legislation committee of select. The members of this committee are John F. Mannion, Dr. W. W. Fletcher and John B. Davis.

Mr. Humphrey, of the Second, select council, was made chairman, on motion

After Mr. Humphrey had taken his seat, there ar to the object of the meeting. Common council members would not brook the suggestion that councils were to act part of the board of health: while Mr. Mannion, of select, explained that, as he comprehended Mayor O'Neill, the purpose was to draft an ordinance appropriating money from among several funds to defray the expense of this Mr. Thompson opened up the fusil-

ade on select council by sharply condemning the holding up of the mayor's appointees of the board of health, and said he was willing to take some ac tion "to stop this injustice, when discases like smallpox were flying around. Mr. Masters said he could see no reason for common council taking any action in this matter, since only select council had anything to do with the health board. It was clearly select council's business and duty to deal,

alone, with this situation. Mr. Stone said councilmen had enough responsibilities without acting as a board of health. It was only right to place the blame where it belonged or select council.

Dr. Fletcher's voice was the first to be heard from select council's side. He concurred in what the commoners said about the delinquency in confirming the appointees. It was a dangerous business, this half-way, suspension-like process, and could see no reason why his body, select council, did not act o the names two months ago. He be-

HAMPERS BUISNESS. Coffee Drinking Incapacitates Some People for Business at Times.

A gentleman from McBain, Michigan "Coffee drinking has cost me much, for during my life I have been many times so thoroughly put out of condition that I have been compelled to abandon business for a day or two at a time. The attacks of headache would commence on the right side behind the ear and become so severe as to totally incapacitate me for any exercise, even mental. I have frequently had to take morphine to relieve the suffering. Sour stomach troubled me and I had a nervous heart that gave me a

great deal of trouble Four years ago I saw an advertisement for Postum Food Coffee which recited the ill effects of coffee on the nerves. I at once decided to make the change and leave off coffee and take on Postum. The result has been all that one could expect.

I am never constipated any more, the "Hillous attacks never come on except from some indiscretion such as drinking coffee, which I am foolish enough to indulge in now and then. I have no more headaches, no more sour stomach and no bilious spells. I have not been sick to my stomach or had a nervous vomiting spell in three years. Am now 56 years old, and have better health and do a better business and more comfortable than ever before in my life. certainly attribute the change to leaving off coffee and using Postum for I have taken no medicine to aid in mak-

The experiment as stated is absolute-

would take action on these names at any time; and he would be willing to vote for the drafting of an ordinance to make the necessary appropriation in this case, provided the other members of select council would meet with him tomorrow night to confirm the mayor's board of health appointees.

Mr. Mannion said it was out of order o discuss the board of health status at this meeting, and to cut the discussion short, he moved that an ordinance be drafted to appropriate money to meet the expenses of the small-pox cases, Later he made the motion read as an ipproval of the action of the mayor,

This was adopted. Then the question of appointing a committee to continue the work in confunction with the health officer came up. Mr. Masters moved that three members be appointed from select council The motion was carried and in the meantime a motion to adjourn was made by Mr. Mannion, It was voted

down by the commoners. Chairman Humphrey sought to appoint the committee of three from select council, but all declined to act except Mr. Davis,

Mr. Nealon moved that a committee of five be appointed from common council. Here it was that the levity took place. The motion was voted down by a vote of 12 to 3, Nealon, Whitfield and lark voting for it.

Mr. Masters then moved that the judiciary and legislation committee of select be appointed to act. This motion was about to be put, when Dr. Fletcher, of select, moved to adjourn. The latter motion was lost, however. Musters motion was carried and the judiciary committee, Messrs. Mannion, Fletcher and Davis are to act with the sanitary policeman.

Though common council strongly prodded select council to act on the mayor's appointees, it was unsuccessabsent factor.

An effort was made to have select council meet after the joint session to successful.

No Change in Patients.

There is no change in the small-pox situation. The older of the two patients continues on the road to recovery, while the younger one, whose condition brought them face to face with the is critical, is about the same. His is the confluent type, the most dangerous pitched into the select branch for all kind. His body is covered with pusthey were worth. They sought to throw tules and at times he is quite delirious,

GOES TO ROCHESTER.

June Kilpatrick of Class of '02, High School, Secures Position.

The first of the class of '02 of the Carbondale High school to enter into the strife of life is June Kilpatrick, son of Mr. and Mrs. Frank E. Kilpatrick, of

Mr. Kilpatrick has secured an acceptable position in Rochester, N. Y., and left for that place yesterday afternoon.



JUNE KILPATRICK.

Salutatorian of High School Class of Who Starts Career in Rochester.

He will be employed in the counting room of Jenkins & Co., manufacturers of boots and shoes. His brother, Frank Kilpatrick, has been well-located with this concern as bookkeeper for some

Mr. Kilpatrick was salutatorian of hi class, ranking with the valedictorian for first honor. He is a bright young man, full of push and energy, the qualities that count for success these days, and he can be relied upon to make good use of his school advantages.

The well wishes of his associates in Carbondale go with him to encourage in his first undertaking in life.

MISS JOSLIN RESIGNS.

Abandons Teaching Because of Her

Mother's Poor Health. Miss Lucy Joslin, who is the oldest teacher in point of service in Carbon-

dale, having taught for thirty years, has decided to relinquish her professional duties, because of the frail health member of the High school faculty. Miss Joslin's withdrawal from school Russell Hazzard, Dunmore: both from among the scholars and the Thatcher, City Mills, Mass.; Miss Josiin was regarded among the teachers was indicated by the High school faculty assembling at her home on Saturday evening and presenting her with three volumes of the works of Mrs. Mary E. Stone-Bassett, Van Dyke and Paul Lawrence Dunbar. Many sincere words of regret at the severance of ties were passed among the teachers. Those present were; Professors W. D. Bryden and A. Wilson Geary and Misses Harriet Hutchins, Cora Estabrook, Kathryn Pace, Barah Swigert

and Angela Birs. Miss Joslin has been teaching since 1\$70, continuously, with the exception of three and one-half years spent at New Jersey State Normal school. Her record is one which justifies a good deal o pride. Former State Superintendent Apgar, of New Jersey, declared she was one of the best primary teachers in the state. Her influence will survive among the hundreds of children who shared in her honest, earnest and unselfish efforts, all of whom are her sin-

cere well wishers, Today's Nuptials.

Today occurs the marriage of Miss Helen, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. George Morss Patterson, of Lincoln avenue, to Clayton P. Dairymple, of Dunmore. The ceremony will take place in the ly true. I am willing, if necessary, to Berean Baptist church at high noon, attach my affidavit to it." Name given Miss Patterson entertained her bridesby Postum Co., Battle Creek, Mich. | maids at tea on Friday last, when she Elaborate preparations have been made

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presented each with handsome brooch Miss Schlager, of Scranton, entertained the intended bride and her evening they were the guests at dinner of Miss Eleanor Jones. Following the rehearsal at the church, the entire act on the appointees, but it was not bridal party were entertained at the home of Miss Mabel Davis, on Seventh avenue, and yesterday Miss Bessie Teets was hostess at luncheon of the young ladies and the ushers who will take part in the bridal procession.

TEACHERS ENTERTAINED.

Those of Primary Grade Prove Delightful Hostesses. The city teachers of the High school

and the intermediate grade passed a delightfu! evening last night as the guests of the teachers of the primary department.

The festivities were in the High school auditorium, which was resplendent with floral decorations, the handiwork of the more artistic ones of the primary teachers. There were various siversions to maintain interest and make the evening thoroughly enjoyable. Refreshments of ice cream, cake, salted almonds and bonbons were partaken of. A varied musical programme

SMITH LEAVES US.

The "Red Wonder," Old Crescents' Pitcher, Goes to Albany.

Bernard Smith, the clever pitcher, tho is known as the "red wonder," has resigned his position at Frank P. Brown's cafe, and has left for Oneonta. man, Lamoreaux, S. L. Carlton, Wright, N. Y., his home, where he will remain Estabrook, Pregnell, Newton, Faatz, short time, prior to going to Albany, where he has secured a position. Smith leaves with the best wishes of host of admiring friends, who kindly egarded him for his numerous social qualities as well as his cleverness on the diamond. He was a tower of strength while with the Crescents, and lately he pitched for the Carbondale team.

Golden Wedding Festivities. Mr. and Mrs. James K. Utley, of Foster, Susquehanna county, who have relatives in Carbondale, where they were married a half century ago at the residence of Nathaniel Hallstead, now of Scranton, happily celebrated the event

last Thursday.

The family circle of Mr. and Mrs Utley remains unbroken: Mr. and Mrs Monroe W. Whitney, of Chicago; Mr. annd Mrs. Orin L. Utley, of Carbondale Dr. and Mrs. P. Schoonmaker, of New fork city; Mr. and Mrs. F. T. Doran, of Foster, and Miss Grace Doran were all present. Displayed among the many gifts was a copy of a Carbondale paper containing an account of the wedding of fifty years ago, the bridal fan, and the gloves worn by the groom. gifts were numerous and beautiful. Among the guests from out of town were Messrs and Mesdames M. A. Allen, of Horseheads, N. Y.: A. L. Kent and family, E. P. Bailey, Rodney Kent, Brooklyn, Pa.: Charles Utley, Lenoxville; Stevens, George Burdick, Dunmore; A. M. Finn, Dalton; Nash Gardner and family, Edwin Oakley, Clifford; W. O. Finn, Montrose; W. M. Stone, Waverly: M. J. Titus, O. D. Roberts, A. O. Austin, Foster, and Miss Stone, Waverly; Charles F. Whittemore, Scranton; Charles A. Whittemore, Bosof her mother, Mrs. P. S. Joslin, and ton, Mass.; Frannk Hallstead, Frank will therefore not make application as Hallstead, jr., Walter Hallstead, Miss Margaret Hallstead, Scranton; Master life will meet with deep-seated regret, Finn and Miss Finn, Foster; J. B. Lester teachers of the public schools. How Utley, Nicholson; Mrs. Osterhout, Dun-

Unclaimed Letters.

List of letters remaining in the Car bondale, Pa., postoffice, June 25, 1902. or persons unknown: Edward Egan, lohn Graylis, Curtis Huff. William E Hunt, Timothy Jones, D. J. Jones, Joe b. Oppenheimer, Arthur Osborne, E. H. Reese, John Walsh, jr., Lock Box 183, Mrs. John Brownell, Mrs. Fannie A. Clark, Mrs. E. Greenslade, Miss Ruth Hughes, Miss Helen Jenkins, Miss Charlotte A. Newpass, Miss Lizzie Watkins.

J. H. Thomas, Postmaster.

A Bold Robbery.

A bold daylight robbery was perpetrated near Wilson Creek mine at noor on Monday. While Mrs. Heath was going from her home to a meat market she was held up by a man, who sprung from his hiding place. He grabbed all the money she had-\$9-and fled.

Lawn Festival This Evening. What will undoubtedly be a smart social affair will take place this evening

at the home of the Misses Carey in Reynshanhurst, provided the weather be propitious. The enterprise will be the lawn festival which it was necessary to post-

pone by reason of unfavorable weather.

for the night's enjoyment, and a depins, designed in the shape of a wreath lightful evening is rightly anticipated. with an amethyst set in the center. The Patriotic Order Sons of America band will be present to discourse sweet music. The social will be under the maids on Saturday, and on Monday auspices of the Berean Baptist church.

> Position in Hartford, Conn. Michael Brennan, of Dundaff street, has left for Hartford, Conn., where he has secured favorable employment. Mr. Brennan is a well known young man of the town. A few months ago, while working in Philadelphia, a felon appeared on the index finger of the right hand, which developed until amputation of the member was necessary. Later it was necessary to remove all the bones of the finger. Mr. Brennan

> has fully recovered from the effects and

is able to resume work, after four months' idleness. Home from Philadelphia.

Joseph Walker, formerly one of the efficient firemen on the Ontario and Western road, has returned from Philadelphia, where he has been employed since being thrown idle by the coal

strike. Mr. Walker has been employed in the Baldwin Locomotive works, where there are several other Carbondale young men, but is uncertain as to returning to his position, which is still open to him All of the other half dozen young Carbondalians, who are in the Baldwin works are prospering, Mr. Walker says

At Mrs. Hetzel's Anniversary.

Miss Helen Wade, daughter of Mr.

Miss Wade was an associate of the

Meetings of Tonight.

Pioneer castle, Knights Mystic Chain,

Carbondale lodge, Knights of Pythias.

THE PASSING THRONG.

John McCarthy, circulation agent for

the Scranton Truth, made a business

William H. Malia, of Scranton, assist-

int general manager of the Lake Lo-

iore Improvement company, was in the

Globe Warehouse, in Scranton.

Fidelity conclave, Heptasophs.

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of the Republic,

city yesterday.

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on Monday night.

The following were guests at the recent birthday anniversary celebration or Mrs. Clarke Hetzel: Rey, Dr. Whalen and wife, Mesdames

Davenport, Fitch, Emery, Rolls, Tallgate and Benjamin Dimock Bridesmaid at Scranton.

and Mrs. John Wade, of Washington

street, was bridesmaid yesterday at the wedding of Dr. E. F. Scanlon and Company B, Thirteenth regiment, gave Miss Mary T. Sheridan, at Scranton. a clam bake on the rifle range on Fribride, both having been employed at the

forty cents per load for hauling coal for parties. Now they charge seventy-five cents per load in town. William H. Davies post, Grand Army

> men engaged in the butcher business, was served with a list of people that are working at the different mines abouts, and was also informed pickets would be on the lookout for peoole going to and from the different stores the responded by closing up his place of business, and our people, both union and Olyphant to get meat for their Sun-

The quarantine against small-pox has

Miss Mary Griffiths, of the West Side, and Rhoda Hazen, of River street, have left for New York city, where they will Miss May Campbell returned to her nome in Honesdale yesterday, after a few days' visit with Miss May Gaughan. Johnson colliery by Constable and were held in bail for court. Miss Campbell was one of the guests at the dance in honor of the graduates

JERMYN AND MAYFIELD.

The street commissioners' attention eded to repair the damages done by the recent heavy rains. Portions of Main street presents a deplorable condition. the washing away of the earth supporting the car rails. The culvert near the Dela ware and Hudson station has been under mined, making it unsafe to drive over. The remedying of these defects might possibly save the borough damages. John Casleg and daughter, Mrs.

Lenard Rogers, and son, Lenard, former esidents of Jermyn, are visiting the for daughter, Mrs. John Wilson, of West Mayfield.

A game of base ball between Mendle-son's Philippines and Hendricks Tigers was played in Fowler's park yesterday afternoon and was won by the Tigers by the score of 24 to 17. Hendricks and Tollet were the battery for the Tigers, and Maynard and Mendelson for the Philip-pinos. Both pitchers did excellent work but neither received the proper support The game was watched with considerable interest by a large crowd of spectators.

The Century club will meet at the home of Mrs. W. S. Badger on Cemetery street Friday afternoon

will hold a public meeting in the Meth odist church Thursday afternoon at which time the mite boxes will be called in. An interesting programme of exer-cises has been prepared and the meeting will be an interesting one. The public are cordially invited to be present.

Mrs. Isaac Benjamin and two children of Vandling, have been spending the pas

Women's Home Missionary society

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\$1.00 Thin White Waists—Usually \$1.50. White Lawn, front trimmed with pleats and hemstitching, pleated back. Tucked collar, with hemstitched turn-overs, soft cuffs.

\$1.50. Finer white Lawn, trimmed with pleats and lace or embroidery insertion. Soft

cuifs. Usually \$1.75 and \$2. Embroidered Pongee Waists, \$5. Shantung pongee-what stylish waists it makes. These are embroidered with small colored dots. Collar trimmed with silk embroidered turn-over to match the dots. Worth \$6.75.

White Lawn Dressing Sacques, \$1. Made

with a deep sailor collar and trimmed with bands of fancy lawn. Pretty enough and fine to sell for \$1 50—but this is White Sale month.

Summer Underwear

By persistent work, day in and day out, we raise the standard of our underwear every year without increasing the cost.

Women's Underwear. 50c. Fourteen styles of genuine Swiss lace

and crochet trimmed low neck, white, ribbed lisle vests, that would bring 75c just as easily 50c. Lace trimmed, ribbed, white, lisle,

knee drawers. 50c. Ribbed, white, lisle knee tights. \$1.50 Genuine Swiss ribbed, white, lisle

union suits. \$2.00. Genuine Swiss, ribbed, white, lace trimmed, lisle union suits.

75¢ for low neck and sleeveless; and \$1 for neck and long sleeves-genuine Swiss, ribbed. white, merino vests. \$2.25, \$2.50, \$2.75, according to style—genuine Swiss, ribbed, white, silk vests,

What people want we sell. What we sell, people want. Judging human nature is as much a part of store keeping as judging goods.

Men's Underwear

\$1.00. English white and ecru lisle shirts or drawers; shirts with long or short sleeves, and sleeveless; drawers with long or short legs. \$1.50 for better quality English liste shirts

or drawers. Union suits made in three proportions of body and leg measurements; will fit the long as well as the short man-will fit the medium man too. \$1.75 for white lisle.

Connolly & Wallace Linens

What do you think of a splendid fullbleached table linen two yards wide for 75c a yard! Stores who buy in this country from im-

porters would pay as much wholesale. Hemmed Huck Towels, washed ready for use, with white borders-17x34 inches, loc; 19x36 inches, 1234c.

About as striking a money's worth as the table linen mentioned above.

All-linen Toweling, for polishing glass or china, red or blue plaid, 18 inches wide, 14c a

Much of this kind of toweling nowadays is made of union cloth—cotton mixed with linen; but here is stuff at the same price that the mixed costs, and all-linen into the bargain.

Muslin Underclothes

The sale goes on busily as though there were no end to this lovely stuff made of nainsook and cambric being sold for so much less than you usually have to pay. Of some things we still have plenty; of others we have only a few. No detail today-things are conveniently arranged at the department for quick and satisfactory

Keep in touch with the store when you go away this summer, and vou will never want long for the things you need.

Connolly & Wallace

few days with her sister, Mrs. T. E. Griffiths, of North Main street.

PRICEBURG.

A meeting of the borough council will be held on Wednesday evening. Richard James and George Dingleberry will leave next Monday for South Africa.

Their destination is the Kimberley gold The Boycott, issued by some of the inhave any effect. The business men are not running business on that line and they will use all alike that have the

Twenty-one applicants were the num ber that applied for relief to Local 1910

Nearly all of the employes-firemen and imp-runners-at Johnson colliery, are back at work again. William J. Oliver, one of our busines

Annie Harwin was arrested on Saturday y Constables Barron and Brozdosky, When her place was scarched, material, consisting of mine frogs, rails, fish-plates piping and various other things, was found on her premises. She was held in bail for court. On Friday evening her two sons were caught in the act of carrying away an axle of a mine car from the

OLYPHANT .

The Sunday school scholars of St. George's mission attended the excursion of the Episcopal Sunday school of Scran-ton to Lake Ariel yesterday. Mrs. D. W. Harris, of Delaware street,

Mrs. Daniel Phillips and Mrs. David Phillips, of Frackville, Schuylkill coun-ty, and Miss Mary Davis, of West Scranon, were the guests of Mrs. Thomas B. Miss Lucy Farrell has returned from Port Jervis, N. Y., to spend the summer it her home here. Mrs. W. C. Belch has returned home

after a week's visit with Susquehanna rel-Rev. Owen James, of Connecticut, is visiting relatives in Blakely.

Mrs. John McGovern, of Green Ridge. visited relatives in town yesterday.

Mrs. John Shields, of Greenfield, is

Mrs. M. E. Dardis and daughter have

eturned home after a visit with Honesiale relatives. A pleasant day's outing was enjoyed by the following at Nay Aug park yesterday; Mrs. T. J. Parsons, Mrs. E. J. Hull, Mrs. T. E. Williams, Misses Agnes Hull, Alice David, Mame Serge, Olive Murphy Hull, Sadie Lillibridge, Flora David, Mary Hull, of Blakely, and Rose Vandebill, of Port Allegheny.

pending a few days here.

PECKVILLE.

Mrs. Horace Frear and son, Carl, leave oday for Niagara Falls, where Mr. Frear secured employment. Mr. Herbert Frear returned yesterday rom Niagara Falls, N. Y. Frank Richards has returned fråm a

cek's stay in Chicago. The Woman's Christian Temperance inion will meet on Thursday at 3 p. m., it the home of Mrs. John English. Mr. and Mrs. F. C. Ledyard are visit-ng friends at East Lenox. Mr. John Bembo is improving nicely he Lackawanna hospital, at which

stitution he underwent an operation re-

FOUR PALMISTS

They Call Upon Mayor Laedlein and Cause His Honor Some Uneasiness.

From the Williamsport Gazette and Bu

Mayor Laedlein, was seated in his office Monday afternoon, going over some official documents, when four sleek-appearing strangers slowly into the room. The dignified head of the municipality looked up from his desk, and perfunctorily requested them to be seated. One of the visitors approached the mayor, and

said: "Mister Mayor, we are experts in palmistry and want a license to practice in your city. We are game birds and on the square, and having operated in all the principal cities of Europe, as well as America, can furnish all the necessary credentials and recommen dations to prove our reliability and expertness in the profession-a profession, sir, in which we excel."

Mayor Laedlein eyed the visitors closely, and then informed them that the ceremony. he did not believe in palmistry and could not license them to practice such a profession. He said, furthermore, that not long since a well-known member of the bar had been palmed out of a diamond stud, and still later another had parted with a well-filled wallet through the agency of similar practitioners, and under the circumstances he would not countenance such a doubtful business "But, Mr. Mayor," said the spokes

man, "we are strictly on the square." "That makes no difference," replied the mayor. "We don't want any of your palmistry in this city." Then the mayor sat down and tried to resume his work. He shifted uneasily in his chair, and manifested the fact that he was being bored. But the palmists were not to be put off so easily. They insisted on a license, and finally the mayor said he had no authority to issue one, even if he desired. "Go to the city solicitor," he said, "and get a written opinion as to my right, and then I will

onsider your application." "But, Your Honor," replied the pokesman, "the city solicitor can be usily fixed. We will toss him a hundred and he'll give a satisfactory opinion and you'll have to issue the license. Now, why not take the hundred yourself-

"Sir!" thundered the mayor, arising quickly. "Now, don't get excited, Mr. Mayor, said the chief palmist, "for, you see, we have had these experiences before Here you have a chance to turn a hun-

city solicitor and he should divvy with you, why your share could not be over By this time the mayor was making a movement as if to summon the police when one of the other palmists stepped in front and impeded his passage, at the same time requesting an opportunity to read the official's

dred yourself, whereby if we go to the

Taking his hand, he said: "Why, how do you do, Mr. Mayor!" "Who are you?" queried the mayor, becoming suspicious that he was being made the victim of a practical joke. introduce you to Mayor Price, of Wilkes-Barre," said the sleek palmist, who, by the way, was E. R. W. Scarle, of Scranton, cierk of the United States court, and he presented the original applicant for the palmistry In turn he introduced John Shea, of Wilkes-Barre, and Superintendent of Public Buildings Reilly, of Scranton, and there were peals

laughter, and hearty handshakings all

around. "That is one on me, gentlemen," said IN WILLIAMSPORT Mayor Landlein, and he led the paint ists out and there was an exchange of the compliment made famous by the governor of South Carolina, in his in-tercourse with the governor of North arolina. Mayor Laedlein entertaine his visitors with notable hospitality during the rest of the day.

TAYLOR. Emblem division, No. 57, Sons of Tem-perance, nominated the following offi-cers at their meeting on Monday evenng: Worthy patriarch, Mrs. George Edmonds; past worthy patriarch, Miss Mary 1. Howells; worthy associate, Miss Mar-garet S. Thomas; chaplain, Herbert Hall; conductor, David Reese conductress, Miss Mary Jones; recording secretary, Richard Roberts; assistant, Miss Sarah M. Howells: financial secretary, Evan tinel, David Cugh; outside sentinel, Edward Hooper; trustee, W. J. Thomas. Griffith W. Owens, who had his foot amputated a few weeks ago was removed

to the West Scranton hospital yesterday at the advice of the family physician, Dr. J. W. Houser. This afternoon will occur the marriage of Miss Rebecca Williams, of Grove street, and Mr. McHenry, of Liverpool, D. Rev. Dr. H. H. Harris will perform This evening Miss Ida M. Courtright and Thomas Evans will be M. Courtright and Thomas Evans will be united by Rev. C. B. Henry, and Evan A. Davis and Miss Eva C. Davis, of West Scranton, will be made man and wife. Rev. S. W. Matthews will perform

this ceremony.

John A. Jones, our well known furmture dealer, is making a number of improvements about his business property. Taylor lodge, No. 40, Knights of PS thias, and Minooka tribe, No. 247, Improved Order of Red Men, will meet this evening in their respective halls. The Taylor juvenile choir will meet this evening in Llewellyn's hall when busi-

less of importance will be transacted. A

full attendance of members is requested. The Taylor Reds will cross bats with the West Scranton Athletics on the latter's ground this afternoon Messrs, W. G. and David M. Davis, of North Taylor, have left for a month's visit with relatives at Niles and Youngsthe little child of Mr. and Mrs Joseph Woodworth, of North Main street

s dangerously ill.

Mr. and Mrs. David Williams and so George, of Washington street, and Mr. Thomas Griffiths, of High street, left of Monday for Chicago, Ill., to visit rela Miss Gertrude Simmons, of South T.

or, is attending the summer school The Taylor Orioles and Minooka Me roons will cross bats on the Riverside grounds tomorrow afternoon.

MOOSIC.

Miss Mabel Hutchings left on Saturda for Denver, Col., where she will visit he dister, Mrs. Aubrey Williams. William Galbraith left Monday for Ohio where he will join his wife, who is visiting her brother, Henry Kirk, of tha

Bert Copp. of Throop, spent Sunda, with friends in town.
Mr. and Mrs. Ed. Nagle, of West Pitt In and Mrs. Ed. Asgie, of West Pitt ton, were callers in town on Sunday. Union meetings will be held this we under the auspices of the Christian E deavor society of the Presbyterian church and the Epworth league of the Metho ist Episcopal church. This evening the meeting will be held in the Presbyteria

Miss Nora Dix attended a party in Wes Pittston last evening. Miss Anna Watkins has returned ate spending two weeks in Dallas.

Charters Granted.

By Exclusive Wire from The Associated Press. Harrisburg, June 24 .- Charters were ed at the state department today flows: The Berwick Illuminating company; capital. \$1,000. Scranton company, Scranton; capital