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POLITICAL MATTERS.

Democratic primaries will be held today, between 4 and 7 p. m., for the election of delegates to the county, senatorial and Third Legislative district conventions. The county convention will be held at Music hall, Tuesday morning at 10 o'clock. The senatorial district convention which is made a mere matter of formality, by reason of there being but one candidate, P. F. Calpin, will be held in conjunction or ten per cent. increase would result with the county convention. The Third in a call for a convention to settle the Legislative district convention will take place at the St. Charles hotel, Tuesday afternoon, at 2 o'clock. The Third district convention will also be a mere matter of form, as only one candidate, W. P. Litts, of Clarks Summit, is seeking the nomination. The county convention will likely have two lively contests, the first between T. P. Hoban and Hon M. F. Sando, for the orphans court judgeship nomination, and the second between Victor Burschell and ready for work. Charles Graf for the other place on the ticket for county commissioner John J. Durkin is assured of a renom-

Richard J. Bourke and John B Jordan the rival candidates for the Republican senatorial nomination had a conference, yesterday morning, with Chairman E. P. Kingsbury to arrange for the conducting of the primaries, next Monday, and convention next Wednesday. A proposition was made that each candidate select a confered and these two select a third, which two should choose between the two as the candidate, thus saving the expense and trouble of primaries and convention The proposition, however, was not agreed to and the regular method of nominating will be proceded with.

The convention of the First Legislative district Depocrats will take place at Mulherin's hall, North Scranton, next Wednesday night at 7.30 o'clock The candidates are Tmothy D. Hayes, Esdras Howell and D. B. Replogle, Mr. Hayes is the only one of the three who has made an active capivass and will likely be the nominee.

LUMBER IS SCARCE.

Is Delaying Work on the McClave & Brooks Plant. The construction work on McClave

Diamond Land company's tract is progressing slowly, owing to the scarcity of building materials.

The brick work is finished, and some

of the buildings are under cover, but Contractor Moyer is waiting for shipments of lumber with which to com-

Brooks' new foundry plant on the

plete the roofing. The plant was to have been ready for occupancy by September 1, but by reason of the unavoidable delays, it is unlikely that the buildings will be used much before the first of the year. The scarcity of building material may ilso necessitate the abandonment, for the present, of a number of improvements contemplated by the Delaware, is unexcelled, do it promptly and at Lackawanna and Western company at lowest rates. A trial order will convarious points along the line

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ESTIMATED TO BE OVER 18,000 TONS A DAY.

Companies Having Their Headquarters Here Turn Out More Coal Now Than All the Collieries of the Region Did a Week Ago When the Dun's Agency Estimate Was Published - People's Coal Company Contracts to Deliver 1,000 Tons of Egg and Grate at \$10 a Ton.

Estimates of the daily output of the coal companies printed so frequently in he metropolitan papers, has come to be the subject of much discussion on both sides of the conflict. The local companies' officials say the figures fall far short of what they should be. The mine workers' leaders declare they are great-

A table that fairly represents the true

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The estimate of a week ago made by Dun's agency gave 17,600 tons as the total output of the whole region. Since then three collieries have beeen started in this district.

District President Nicholls said Thursday that he was computing figures on the output in the First district and would probably have a statement ready by Monday. The number f cars sent out from the breakers and washeries on which strikers have been keeping tabs, show, according to Mr. Nicholls that the printed figures are away in excess of what they should

AT THE OXFORD.

The Oxford colliery of the People's Coal company is now turning out between 450 and 500 tons of coal daily. President Crawford yesterday made contract with a New York party for 1,000 tons of egg and grate coal at \$10 per ton, to be delivered within three days. The company is supplying all demands made upon it by local trade at an advance of only twentyfive cents a ton on the pre-strike prices despite the fact that three times as much could be gotten for the produc n New York.

The talk about the teamsters' union preventing the hauling of Oxford coal to local consumers is not causing the company any worry. If the coal is not sold locally it can be readily disposed of at a much greater profit to New York dealers. The company has had signs painted reading "People's Coal Company Coal," and no teamster is allowed to take away a load of coal who will not agree to attach these signs to

Mr. Crawford now has all the men he can use, he says. A "fall" has made it impossible to work the mine to its full capacity. When it is cleaned up ie will put on more men.

Superintendent Smith, of the Delaware, Lackawanna and Western company's washeries stated, yesterday, that the output of the five washeries on Wednesday was 5,800 tons, \$6,500 ons on Thursday, and 5,800 tons yester day. He has arranged for a record breaking run, today, and barring unlooked for accidents will turn out

CAME FROM DURYEA.

A committee of strikers from Duryea, yesterday, went to the Delaware and Hudson company's Legetts Creek colliery, where a gang of carpenters are working on an addition to the breaker and induced them to quit work. The contractor expects the men will be

back at work today. District President Nicholls said that he said an offer of five per cent. strike. What Mr. Nicholls said was eye. simply that it might so result.

The Erie company is engaged in bringing their mules in from their summer homes. Nearly every day long files of frisky workers can be seen bound for their old haunts beneath the ground. The mules belonging to the Delaware and Hudson company, used at the Manville breaker, were brought down from Clifford yesterday to be shod and made

DOUBLE HEADER TODAY.

Shooting Match and Base Ball at Athletic Park. The much-talked-of shooting match

between A. C. Monies, of the city hall, and John Von Bergen, of the court house, will take place this afternoon at Athletic park, commencing at 2.30 o'clock. The match is for \$50 a side, each con-

testant to shoot at twenty birds, 21 yards rise, 80 yards boundary, with one barrel gun below the elbow. Schuylkill rules will govern the match. At 3.30 o'clock a base ball game will

begin, between the Scranton Semi-Professionals and the crack Montrose team. The line-up of the players will

Scranton-Wirth, c.; Bray or Griffin, p. Francis, ss.; Owens, lb.; Touhill, 2b.; McCue, 3b.; Culkin, lf.; Madenspacher, cf. Montrose - Conklin. c.; Hoover, p.; Shaffer, ss.; Kurrans, lb.; Carey, 2b.; Lott, 3b.; Connors, lf.; Hollister, cf.;

TENNIS TOURNAMENT.

Finals in Singles and Doubles to Be

Played Today. The concluding matches of the Country club tennis tournament will be played this afternoon. beginning

promptily at 1.30 o'clock. There yet remains to be played the final match in singles between Glazebrook and Shafer, the last semi-final in the doubles, with Corser and Marss opposing Peck and Cool, and the final in the doubles with the winner of this

match opposing Glazebrook and Bes-Tea will be served by the entertain-

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CHANGE OF OFFICIALS.

Sydney Williams Has Tendered His Resignation to Pennsylvania Co. To Go to Markle & Co.

Sydney Williams, general superin endent of the Pennsylvania Coal comeany's mines, has tendered his resignation to the officials, to take effect on September 20. He has accepted the superintendency of J. B. Markle & Co.'s mines at Hazleton. Mr. Williams came to Scranton six years ago from Phila-

W. W. Inglis, superintendent of the Hillside Coal and Iron company, will succeed Mr. Williams as general superintendent for the Pennsylvania Coal company. District Superintendent Petersen, of Forest City, will succeed Mr. Inglis, and in all probability one of the Hillside company's mine foremen will succeed Mr. Peter-

HOWARD FAMILY REUNION.

Children, Grandchildren and Greatgrandchildren Meet at Waymart.

The children, grandchildren and great-grandchildren of Mrs. Sophia Howard, met at her home in Waymart, Thursday, September 11, to celebrate her eighty-sixth anniversary.

Those present were, Mr. and Mrs r. J. Anderson, Mr. and Mrs. Lawrence Manzer, of South Gibson; Mr. A. W Howard and son, Mrs. W. G. Conrad and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Keech, Mr. and Mrs. G. W. Rice and two daughters, Mrs. S. H. Rice, Mrs. Jasper Chamberlain, of Scranton: Mr. and Mrs. H. H. Howard, Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Sweeney, of Olyphant; Mr. and Mrs. Oscar Wells, Mr. and Mrs. A. G. Howard and daughter, Mrs. John Enslin, Mr. and Mrs. Laren Fielding and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Howard Shaffer and daughter, Mr. Alyn Rockwell, of Waymart.

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cently torn out, and in place of the opaque brick and plaster wall a prism season, and is today the acknowledged wall has been substituted. Through peer of any artist before the public. this wall of glass the light easily passes and makes a most remarkable change recital may have an opportunity to see in the place. It must be conceded that and hear her to advantage an entirely the colors and quality of clothing can new diagram has been arranged fo better be determined by natural light the new armory, after careful study, than by artificial light, and the prism by Architect Harvey J. Blackwood. By gives the customer all the opportunity to inspect goods with a most critical in the center of the north side of prism is also most pleasing.

Kramer Bros. have also branched out and added to their clothing and furnishing store a shoe department. The space devoted to the children's department has been greatly enlarged and improved, and the stock correspondingly enlarged. The high standing of the firm as clothiers will be maintained equally as well in the shoe department. where they carry one of the finest assortments of men's and boys' footwear to be found in the city. Kramer Bros. s one of the oldest and best established houses in the city, and their new departure in the shoe business in connection with the clothing business bids 'air to still farther add to the firm's popularity. The opening of the fall season is very well set forth in their large adv. on page 2 of today's paper, and will be well worth a perusal.

\$4.35 to New York and Return, via the Lehigh Valley Railroad, September 16.

Tickets on sale September 16, good to return to and including September 20, and will be honored on any train except the Black Diamond express, Fare from Scranton, \$4.35. Consult agents for further particulars.

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MADAME SEMBRICH

the famous Madame Sembrich at the new armory on the evening of October 21. Madame Sembrich, by her universally recognized talent, worthily sus tains the high standard set by the illustrious and gifted artists whom I had the honor to introduce last season, and her appearance in Scranton will be an event of rare interest. Madame Sembrich is the leading soprano of the Metropolitan Opera company and her artistic services, which are in great demand, are held in the highest esteem. Her opera engagements will not permit of more than ten recitals during the season, and only the largest musical

The reputation achieved by Scranton our time, influenced Madame Sembrich n line with the enterprise of the popu- further honored in the fact that she return from abroad. Madame Sem-The rear wall of the building was re- brich was the most popular artist of

In order that all who attend the the new arrangement the stage will b The effect of the light on the the armory, and the seats are so placed that all will face the stage and be near enough to admit of seeing and

hearing perfectly. Nothing will be left undone in the nanagement of the coming recital, to insure the comfort of the public, while the same artistic standard which won approval for my efforts last season is fully assured by the engagement of the gifted and incomparable soprano, Madame Sembrich.

Yours respectfully. Fred C. Hand.

Scranton Business College.

New students are enrolling almost A number have arranged to enter next week; also next month. The night school numbers nearly 150 aleady.

The day school 120. On Monday a manufacturing concern elephoned for gentleman stenographer; on Tuesday sent Spencer Kimble to the Pennsylvania Casualty company; on Wednesday a corporation telephoned or young man stenographer; Abble C. Erk goes to work on Monday for T. B. Clark & Co., glass-cutters, Honesdale, The aforementioned corporation has asked five times for young man stenographer. Have done our best, but unable to supply.

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MISS YEAGER'S **BIG ADVANCE**

GOES UP FOUR PLACES IN THE TRIBUNE'S CONTEST.

Thompson and Sherwood Both Make Good Returns, but Are Still Tied for Sixth Place, Although They Are Now but Four Points Behind Fifth. Madden Returns the Largest Number of Points, Going Up One Place.

Standing of Contestants

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Gity 31 30. Eddie Morris, South Scran-31. Harry Danvers, Provi-

There is a very hot race for the higher positions in The Tribune's

Educational Contest. All but two of the first ten leaders made returns yesterday, still there were no changes in this part of the table, although the conditions are becoming more and more interesting. Herbert Thompson, of Carbondale, and William Sherwood, of Harford, who were tied for sixth place yesterday morning, each made good returns, but they are still tied. Albert Freedman, of Bellevue, who is next above, also increased his score, but only centers wil be favored by a visit from leads the two young men from out of town by four points. Harry Madden, of Scranton, made

clothiers, have been making extensive last year in according a liberal patron-improvements at their store, 325 Lacka- age to some of the greatest artists of nineteen points and passing Hendrick Adams, of Chinchilla. Miss Mary Yeager, of Green Ridge, carried off the palm for the greatest result, however, as she advanced four places, and it will take but little more

to place her still further up the list. The contestants who scored, with th number of points, follows: Harry Madden, Scranton......19 A. J. Kellerman, Scranton12 William Sherwood, Harford 9 Herbert Thompson, Carbondale., 9 Charles W. Dorsey, Scranton Miss Mary Yeager, Green Ridge.. 6 Oscar Kipp, Elmhurst (Albert Freedman, Bellevue Frank B. McCreary, Hallstead.... 2 Wm. T. S. Rodriguez, Scranton., 2

Maxwell Shepherd, Carbondale ... 1 Seven of the first ten leaders for the September prizes scored, Mr. Rodriguez and Mr. Dorsey both advanced, and Mr. Kellerman succeeded in getting among the favored ten, holding ninth

Later.-After the above summary had been prepared, Mr. Freedman came in with twelve more points. If these had been received earlier, he would have remained among the leading ten.

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Oscar H. Kipp..... 2. Herbert Thompson..... . Wm. T. S. Rodriguez..... 4. Don C. Capwell....... 5. William H. Sherwood......5 6. Joseph A. Havenstrite......38 7. Maxwell Shepherd......37 8. C. W. Dorsey33 Kellerman......28

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ELOPERS GONE FOR GOOD.

Mr. Smith's and Mrs. Anderson's Whereabouts Unknown. No trace of Harry Smith, and Mrs. Norman E. Anderson, of Detty avenue,

who eloped on Tuesday has as yet been obtained by the police. Mr. Anderson conferred with Superintendent Day, yesterday about the matter, and has made up his mind to apply for a divorce on the grounds of lesertion.

He stated that his wife was previousy divorced before he married her sixeen years ago.

POLITICAL NOTICE.

The Republican voters of the twentieth senatorial district of Pennsylvania, will please take notice that the standing committee of said district met according to the regular call at the Central Republican Club rooms on Washington avenue, Scranton, Pa., Saturday, September 6, 1902, and it was decided to hold the primary election for said district on Monday, September 15, 1902, between the hours of four and seven p, m., and the convention on Wednesday, the 17th day of September, 1902, at 10 a. m., in the Central Republican Club rooms, Washington avenue

Scranton, Pa. It was unanimously resolved that the basis of representation to the convention be in accordance with the rules of the convention which were in vogue prior to the adoption of the present Crawford County system, to wit.: Each district shall be entitled to at

least one delegate and for every additional one hundred (100) votes, or frac-tion thereof, for the highest state office at the last preceding election, said district shall be entitled to an additional delegate.

It was decided that the vigilance committees elected at the last county primaries, shall conduct and manage the said senatorial primaries. In the event of any vacancies on any primary board in said senatorial district the present chairman is empowered to fill such vacancy. E. P. Kingsbury, chairman.

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