The Gem Food Chopper

good things to eat find their way to the dining room. It displaces the chopping knife and bowl entirely-saves time, labor and money. Prices,

\$1.25, \$1.50, \$2.00

Foote & Shear Co. 119 Washington Ave.

and luxuries that go with it by and persistent saving

1 MAN

gets rich by craze speculation. Like the habit of wasting, the habit of saving can be cultivated, and in no way so well as by opening a bank account. The strong

Dime Deposit

Dicount Bank

offer the means to cultivate this rift. Information cheerfully ven to inquirers. 3 per cent. and upwards received.

Wyoming Avenue and Spruce

The Hardenbergh School of Music and Art

Private and class instruction. A complete and broad education from foundational to normal and post-graduate

Catalogue mailed. Correspondence solicited. Carter building, 604 Linden street.

1. F. MEGARGEL & CO., desire it, and President Mitchell, of the Stocks, Bonds and Securities

Connell Building. Both Phones.

The Gateway

to a new ambition is to be reached through a

The People's Bank

3 Per Cent. Interest Paid.



PERSONALS.

Misses Sarah and Margaret Gilroy, of Jackson street, are the guests of friends in Moscow.

Mrs. Henry Sayers, of Price street, has returned home from a visit with relatives in Rhode Island. W. E. Richards, of Bloomsburg, is vis-

iting Mr. and Mrs. George Bengle, of South Main avenue. Mrs. David Davies and daughters, Annie and Bessie, of Jackson street, are visiting at Miners' Mills.

Mrs. Wegan and son, Orval, of Carbon-dale, are guests of Mr. and Mrs. James McLoughlin, of Fourteenth street. Misses Flossie and Emma Frank,

Jackson street, are home from a visit with friends in Brooklyn, Susquehanna Mrs. Philip H. Warren, of North Lincoln avenue, is visiting at the home of her brother, Rev. Peter Roberts, in

Robert Beavers, of Washington, D. C. has returned home from a visit with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Jacob Beavers, of North Hyde Park avenue.

Platt B. Walker, sr., of the Mississippl Valley Lumberman, published in the in-terests of trade at Minneapolis, is in the city, where he expects to spend the win-

ter with relatives. MISS HOLLAND'S NEW PLAY.

Was Received with Enthusiasm at Wilkes-Barre.

At Wilkes-Barre last night Mildred Holland presented her new play, "The Lily and the Prince," before an enthusiastic audience.

It is a romantic play of the sixteenth century and the scenery and costumes are very elaborate.

Dressmaking

Done at your home. Kellogg system; experienced. Address S. A. Herring, 412 Madison avenue.

City and School Taxes 1902. The above tax duplicates are now in my hands for collection.

F. S. BARKER,

SXXXXXXXXX PROGRAMME OF THE HEARINGS

OUTLINE OF WHAT THE MINERS WILL PRESENT.

National President Mitchell, of the United Mine Workers, Will Read a Lengthy Opening Statement of What His Side Proposes to Show, and Then Go on the Stand as the First Witness-Those Who Will Follow and What They Will Deal with-Arrangements for Sessions.

At 10 o'clock this morning, the mine strike commission will reassemble at the Superior court room in the county court house, to enter upon the task of taking testimony. All the commissioners, and nearly all the lawyers and parties in interest, had arrived last night, and everything is in readiness for the sessions.

At 9.30 this morning, the commissioners will meet at Hotel Jermyn for a preliminary conference. At its conclusion they will proceed in a body to the court room and formally open the sessions. Judge Gray, president of the commission, will state the commissioners' ideas of the method of procedure, and then will likely follow suggestions of the lawyers as to modifications of what plans of the commissioners do not agree with their ideas.

The procedure being settled, President Mitchell, of the mine workers, will present a 6,000 word statement of miners' side of the case, embodying what they propose to prove and outlining how they prove it. This being concluded. President Mitchell will take the stand to present documentary and oral testimony. Attorney Clarence S. Darrow will conduct the direct examination of Mr. Mitchell. It is likely he will be on the stand for several days. It had not been decided, last night what attorneys for the operators would cross-examine him, and probably no decision will be reached regarding this detail until after his testimony is all in.

Second Miners' Witness.

The second witness for the miners will be Rev. Peter Roberts, D. D., of Mahanoy City, who has been working for the past three weeks with President Mitchell and others, at Wilkes-Barre, in preparing the miners' testimony. Dr. Roberts will testify as to the economic side of the anthracite coal question and the social conditions of anthracite

Then will follow testimony from Dr Walter E. Weyl, statistician, who will go, in detail, into the matter of wages and cost of living. He will also deal with the matter of miners' children being compelled to go to work at a very early age as compared with children of other workmen.

District President Nicholls, of District No. 1, and District President Duffy, of District No. 7, will then be called to tell of the general conditions in their of New York; ex-Justice Alfred Hand, districts. District President Fahy, of District No. 9, will not go on the stand Bedford, of Wilkes-Barre, for Markle & for the session of the commission which it is expected will take place in Potts-Should it be decided that no Pottsville session will be held, the tesimony as to conditions in that district will be given here. A Pottsville session s not likely, it might be incidentally mentioned, as the commissioners do not

nine workers, does not favor it Minor officials of each district, such as secretaries and executive board members, will then be examined on general conditions, and then will come the examination of miners from every nining center in the whole anthracite egion as to the details of the miners' ase. There will be about fifty wit-lesses from the First district, twentyive from the Seventh, and thirty from the Ninth. It is possible that all of these will not be called. Much will depend on the developments.

Closing Testimony.

The miners will finish up by presentand school teachers from different parts of the region as to health, morality and education among miners and their tary, Miss Elizabeth C. Morris; Miss families, with a view of showing that the poverty of miners is not due to the mine workers' headquarters at Inunhealthy occupation, and that miners' graphic work; District Presidents Fahy children are the first to leave school.

as a surety that they will occupy quite as much if not more than the miners of the time and peter of the time and the time and peter of the time and attention of the com-

Recorder Wright and Assistant Recorders Mosely and Neill spent a good Informal conferences between officials part of yesterday arranging the super- and counsel of the companies were for court room for the sessions of the commission. The seven commissioners will occupy the bench seats of the seven superior court judges. Judge Gray, president of the commission, will sit in the center. On his right, in the order named, will be Colonel Wright, Mr. Watkins and Mr. Clark. On his left, General Wilson, Bishop Spaulding and Mr. Parker. To the extreme right of the bench will be reserved a seat for any judge of the local or federal courts who may drop in as a spectator.

Immediately in front of the bench the two assistant recorders will have a desk. To their left will be the stenographer's desk and adjoining that will be the witness box.

The Press Gallery.

At right angles with the bench and against the easterly wall will be the press gallery. It will occupy what is usually the jury box. Two rows of long tables and chairs, capable of acthought, will suffice to accommodate ex-Sheriff Robinson last night. the newspapermen who will make detailed reports of the proceedings. Spe- after a conference with a number of his with front sents among the witnesses.
Three long tables, set at right angler

Stepped Against a Hot Stove.

A child of Mrs. Geo. T. Benson, when getting his usual Saturday night bath, stepped back against a hot stove which burned him severely. The child was in at 8 o'clock p. m. At said meeting an great agony and his mother could do amendment to Article VIII. Section 1. nothing to pacify him. Remembering of the by-laws is proposed, increasing that she had a bottle of Chamberlain's Pain Baim in the house, she thought she would try it. In less than half an hour after applying it the child was quiet and asleep, and in less than two weeks was well. Mrs. Benson is a well known resident of Kellar, Va. Pain Baim is an antiseptic liniment and especially valuable for burns, cuts,

J. ALFRED PENNINGTON, Director.

Class and Private Instruction in Pianoforte.

VISITORS WELCOME.

with the bench and surrounded by twenty-four chairs have been allotted to the attorneys. The miners have been given the table most distant from the witness box while they are presenting testimony, so that their witnesses may be prompted to keep their voices up and thereby make it more certain that the commissioners on the end of the bench farthest from the witness box will hear all the testimony. If the examiner is close to the witness the latter, as experience in every court room teaches, naturally speaks just loud enough to make his voice reach his questioner. After getting into the habit of talking loud on direct examination, the witness will continue to keep his voice up during the cross-examina-

The central table will be for the rep resentatives of the coal carrying companies, and the table nearest the witless box will be for the lawyers of the independent operators and the nonunion men.

The rest of the space within the bar enclosure will be devoted to the parties in interest, such as the general managers and superintendents of coal companies, officials of the mine workers' union, and the expert accountants and statisticians assisting the attorneys of the different parties.

Seats for Witnesses.

The eighty stationary seats for wit esses and spectators have been augmented to one hundred by the addition of two rows of chairs in the space just outside the bar enclosure. There is little possibility of any except those for whom special provision has been made, being able to gain admittance to the court room. The witnesses will take up all the seats outside the bar enclosure, and, of course, the general public will not be admitted within the enclosure.

The attorneys on the operators' side will be Francis I. Gowan, of Philadelphia, for the Lehigh Valley Coal company; A. H. McClintock, of Wilkes-Barre, for the Lehigh and Wilkes-Barre Coal company; Simon P. Wolverton, of Sunbury, for the Philadelphia and Reading and Coal and Iron company; David Wilcox, of New York, and James H. Torrey, of Scranton, for the Delaware and Hudson company: Wayne McVeagh, of Philadelphia, and Major Everett Warren, of Scranton, for the Erie company; W. W. Ross, of New York, for the Delaware, Lackawanna tell of the general conditions in their and J. E. Burr, of Scranton, for the Co.; H. A. Fuller, of Wilkes-Barre; I. H. Burns and H. C. Reynolds, of Scranton, for the independent operators of the Lackawanna and Wyoming regions.

John T. Lenahan, of Wilkes-Barre and Joseph O'Brien, of Scranton, will appear in the interests of the non-union

The miners' attorneys are: Clarence S. Darrow, of Chicago: Henry D. Lloyd. of New York; James Lenahan, John Shea, James Shea, of Wilkes-Barre, and John J. Murphy, of Scranton.

Dr. Weyl, though not an attorney will sit in with the miners' counsel. James Marwick, of New York, an expert accountant and student of sociology, who was associated with Dr. Weyl, Rev. Dr. Roberts and Mr. Lloyd in assisting Mr. Mitchell in preparing his case, will also participate in the hearings.

. Mitchell Arrives.

Mr. Mitchell and his party came last night from Wilkes-Barre and took up ing the testimony of ministers, doctors quarters at the St. Charles. Besides those already mentioned, there were accompanying him his private secre-Estella Lightner, a stenographer from anything in the way of dissolute hab- dianapolis; Miss Catherine Murphy, of ts; that mining is a dangerous and Archbald, who is assisting in the stenoand Duffy: District Secretaries George When the miners close their case it Hartlein, of Shamokin, and J. P. Gallas likely a recess will be taken to give gher, of Hazleton; National Board the operators' side opportunity to pre- Member John Fallon, of Wilkes-Barre, pare their response. What the opera- and the following district board memtors will present is not known, but bers: Terry Ginley, of Girardville; from their preparations it can be taken Miles Dougherty, of Shamokin; T. J.

Mr. Mitchell had a conference at the Jermyn, last night, with Attorneys Darrow and Lloyd, and at 10.30 retired. taking place in the hotel all evening. Commissioner Wright and Assistant Recorders Mosely and Neill met General Wilson, Judge Gray and Mr. Parker upon their arrival over the Jersey Central at 10.30 p. m. and accompanied them to the Jermyn. Bishop Spaulding was met by Rev. J. J. Griffin, private secretary to Bishop Hoban, and escorted to the episcopal residence on Wyoming avenue, where he will be entertained during his stay.

A dozen or more out-of-town newspaper men and special writers for magazines and other periodicals had arrived last night. A number of others will come this morning.

CANDIDATE FOR RECORDER.

Ex-Sheriff Robinson Formally An nounces His Candidacy.

"At the solicitation of a number o my Democratic friends, I have decided commodating twenty-four persons, have to become a candidate for the Demo-been placed in the box. This, it is cratic nomination for recorder," said The formal announcement was made

ial writers will be accommodated friends at the Scranton house last night.

Annual Meeting of Hahnemann Hospital. The annual meeting of the Hahne mann hospital will be held at Guernsey hall, Washington avenue. November 20,

Emeline K. Richmond, Secretary.

Dr. D. B. Hand's Office.

Is in the Rookery building, corner Washington avenue and Spruce street and not on Penn avenue. Dr. Hand All members of city committee are will be found in his office from 2 to 5 urgently requested to attend this meetbruises and sprains. For sale by all in the afternoon and from 7 to 9 in the ing.

INQUEST IN RYAN CASE.

Deceased Was Burned with Electricity While Trying to Cut a Live Wire.

An inquest was held in the court house last night in the case of Martin Ryan, who was so badly burned with electricity on November 6 in front of 227 Lackawanna avenue, by grasping a live wire, that he died soon afterwards. The jury empanneled by Coroner J. F. Saltry consisted of B. T. Jayne, John Eisele, Joseph Murphy, G. W. Snyder, J. F. Mitchell and J. F. Hammes, and it returned the following verdict:

We find that Martin Ryan came to his death on November 6, 1902, by being burned by electricity while employed in connecting wires in front of 227 wanna avenue, Scranton, Pa.; that the accident was due to a mistake on the part of Ryan in cutting the wire in the wrong

We find that the Lackawanna hospital responded to the ambulance call as romptly as possible.

Michael McManus testified that Ryan was in the employ of the local electric light company. He was a lineman of ten or eleven years' experience and was a very careful and competent man. With the deceased he was engaged in putting wires in the building at 227 Lackawanna avenue on the day of the accident, but was not present when the accident occurred. Ryan had put in a "jumper," a piece of wire which connects the two wires used to complete a circuit. This makes the wire beyond the "jumper" "dead" and connections can be made with safety. having his "jumper" in place Ryan started to cut the wire to make a connection to run into the store. seems for some reason, that no one can understand, to have attempted to cut the wire on the "live" "jumper" and received the shock which

aused his death. Dr. S. A. Voorhees, who tried to reive Ryan after he fell to the sjdewalk, said a call for the ambulance was sent to the Lackawanna hospital, and after waiting thirty or forty minutes Ryan was placed in a wagon and taken to the hospital. Had proper treatment been at hand more could have been done for Ryan, Dr. Voorhees said, but he could not say that Ryan's life would

have been saved. Morris Lipson and F. W. Thomas, who worked in the store in front of which the accident occurred, said that in their judgment it was from thirty to forty minutes from the time the accident occurred until the man was taken to the hospital in a wagon.

Dr. Lindsay, who is in charge of the surgical ward at the hospital, and Dr. Noacker, the ambulance surgeon, testified that when the call came to the hospital, Kelly's livery was 'phoned to send the ambulance to the hospital. In less than ten minutes the ambulance came which contained Ryan. Dr. Lindsay said the man was dead when taken into the operating room.

Dr. P. F. Gunster was in the hospital at the time the call came and coroborated the doctor as to the promptness of the response. Joseph Kelly, at whose livery the am-

pulance is kept, said he received the all at 3.50 and four minutes later the ambulance left the stable. It would each the hospital inside of three min-

BIG EUCHRE PARTY.

Nearly 500 Persons Played at St. Thomas College Hall Last Night for Benefit of New Church.

The largest and in every way the nost successful progressive euchre party ever conducted in this city was held last night in St. Thomas college by the ladies of the congregation of St. Peter's cathedral, for the benefit of the new church which is soon to be established in South Scranton.

The entire hall, from the stage to the ntrance doors, was packed with the 480 players who were seated at 120 tables. Play began at 8 o'clock and continued until 11 o'clock. It would eem that with such a large number playing some confusion would result. but things moved with remarkable smoothness and there were no hitches. The prizes and those who won them are given below, the winners being decided by cutting the cards: Ladies' first prize, oil painting, Mrs. Collins; ladies' second prize, sofa pillow, Miss Sarah Holley; ladies' third prize, centre-piece, Miss Anna O'Dea; ladies' fourth prize, salad dish, Miss Mary Walsh: ladies' fifth prize, fern, Mrs. Fleming: gentleman's first prize, \$10 gold piece, P. McCrea; gentleman's second prize, umbrella, James W. Buck; gentleman's third prize, pair of shoes, M. J. Burns; gentleman's fourth prize, box of cigars, Robert Campbell; gen-tleman's fifth prize, box of handkerchiefs and atomizer, Hugh Devers.

The committee of ladies which so sucessfully managed the affair comprised the following: Miss Kate E. O'Malley, Miss Jennie A. Kenney and Miss Kate

CORA EVANS PLEAD GUILTY. To the Larceny of a Trunk from the

D., L. & W. Station. Cora Evans, the woman who was prought back to Scranton from Baltimore by Superintendent of Police Day, was arraigned in police court yesterday on the charge of larceny,

Republican City Committee.

Notice is hereby given that a meetng of the Republican city committee for the city of Scranton will be held in the cooms of the Central Republican club, 126 Washington avenue, Scranton, Pa., on Tuesday evening, the 18th day of November, at 8 o'clock p. m., for the purpose of fixing a time for holding the primaries for the nomination of a city recorder, and such other offices as may ome up for nomination under the rules of said Republican city committee. All members of city committee are

C. E. Chittenden, Chairman. George W. Marshall, jr., Secretary.

VIADUCT IS

SATISFACTORY PLANS HAVE BEEN SUBMITTED.

They Have Been Approved by the D., L. & W. Co. and the Scranton Railway Company, and Are Satisfactory to the City, Except in a Few Minor Details-Accompanied by a Bond for \$100,000 from the D., L. & W. Co .- What th Plans

The West Lackawanna viaduct is now n sight. Plans that are satisfactory to th ity, with the exception of a few minor details, have been submitted by the Delaware, Lackawanna and Western company, after having received the approval of the Scranton Railway company, which two corporations are to pay for the construction. Accompanying the plans was a bond for \$100,000 from the Delaware, Lackawanna and Western company guaranteeing the cost of construction.

The revised plans show a much more serviceable, durable and ornate structure than was provided for in the orig-

inal set. From the easterly end of the tracks to Ninth street, the grade will be practically level, and from the same starting point to Seventh street the grade is a little less than seven per cent. The reduction in grade of one per cent. is accomplished by lowering the viaduct where it crosses the tracks, so that it will have only an eighteen feet clearance instead of twenty-one feet, as could be legally demanded by the company.

Width of Viaduct.

The width of the viaduct and its roadways and sidewalks remain the same. The total width of sixty feet will occupy the street from curb to curb. The ten-feet sidewalks at present on each side of the street will be given to the abutting property holders in part compensation for the damages the city will have to pay.

Solid concrete, instead of block stone, will be used from Seventh street to the easterly side of Eighth street, and from the westerly side of the tracks to Ninth street. From the easterly side of Eighth street to the tracks the viaduct deck will be supported on Iron pillars, set on a concrete base. Steps, with broad heads and broken midway by a spacious platform, will lead to the viaduct from Eighth street. The sidewalks of the viaduct will b

of flagstone, with solid concrete curbing. The level part of the roadway, from the easterly end of the tracks to Ninth street, will be payed with asphalt and the rest of it with Warren's Bituminous Macadam, a new paving material which Director of Public Works Roche wants to test. The railings will be highly ornamental and nothing about the construction will be cheap. Provision will be made for carrying

double tracks, and telephone and tele-

graph wires, and manholes to the sew-ers and other conduits will be carried

up through the masonry from the pres-

ent street grade. Materials Used. Following is a synopsis of the material features of the structure: Foundation exeavation, cubic yds., 1.360 Darrowed filling, cubic yards . Concrete. cubic yards Steel and iron, pounds346,300 Iron railing, feet Bituminous macadam square yards

Asphalt paving, square yard,s 1,589 Flag sidewalks, square yards 1,435 It is thought possible that the Delaware, Lackawanna and Western company has had some contractors figuring on the work of construction, and that bids will be received just as soon as the

city advertises for them. Director Roche will do all in his power to get the work under way at once. It is a surety, almost, that the long-wanted viaduct will be a reality efore next summer.

"WHY I BECAME A BAPTIST."

Dr. Madison C. Peters to Lecture in Scranton on the Above Subject. Rev. Madison C. Peters, D. D., of Ball timore, is to lecture at the Penn Avenue Baptist church, next Monday evening, on "Why I Became a Baptist." The Baptist Social union of Scranton under whose auspices Dr. Peters speaks, was formed for the strengthening of a helpful fraternal and mission

ary spirit among the Baptists of this With this end in view, meetings are held during the year for social intercourse and to bring the various Baptist churches and their individual members in closer touch with each other Prominent speakers are engaged from time to time to address the union. In securing Dr. Peters for an address, the union has been exceptionally fortunate, and owing to the national prominence of the speaker the meeting Monday night will be thrown open to the public, and all will be welcome. No charge for admission.

Important Changes

In train service on the Delaware and Hudson, taking effect Sunday, November 16. Time-table showing changes can be had at local agents, Saturday, No-

Oh, They **Are Delicious**

That is what the people aay about our preserved

PINEAPPLES, RASPBERRIES. STRAWBERRIES, JELLIES AND JAMS. Put up in glass jars.

CALL AND INSPECT

Coursen, FANCY GROCER.

SEVEN MORE NAMES.

There were seven more lists of words submitted yesterday in The Tribune's Junior Educational Contest, from the ollowing young people; Maurine C. Kennedy, 104 Birkett

treet, Carbondale. Jeanie Powell, Duryea, Bennie T. Kipp, Greentown, William Johns, Vandling. William Helmer, 220 Franklin avenue. Harley Joslin, 444 Quincy avenue, Rena Spencer, 313 North Blakely treet; Dunmore.

Dr. Lindabury, Surgeon, diseases of women a specialty, 215 Connell building. Hours: 11 a. m. to 4 p. m.; 7 to 8.30

Pay your poor tax to avoid costs. H. G. Dale, Collector,

FRIDAY SPECIAL

Bartmar''

Button and lace, patent and kid tip, all styles and leathers. Advertised and sold the world over at \$2.50. Pair.

Novelties in Fancy and Art Goods For Christmas

> Nothing nicer for Xmas gifts than a beautiful handmade piece of art or fancy work.

> We have many new novelties-too numerous to mention-and also all necessary material for working.

Cramer-Wells Co., 130 Wyoming Avenue.

Atkin's Saws....

Are of superior quality. Our assortment is complete.

want your say business.

Bittenbender & @ 126-128 Franklin Ave.

Do You

used, at prices from \$75.00 to \$900.00.

Perhaps you have an instrument that you want to exchange. Let us make you an estimate on it. We also have a few or-

gans that are bargains.

High or low tops, solid

Walnut cases, \$10 to \$60.

A. Hulbert, 117 Wyoming Ave.

CHORAL CONCERT

The Scranton United Choral Society

consisting of the best voices in this city will give a grand concert at the Lyceum. Monday evening, Nov. 17, 1992, ct which the competitive pieces of the Brooklyn Festival will be sung. Ladies' Chorus 112 voices.

Men's Chorus 113 voices. Grand Chorus 225 voices. Regular Prices.

HENRY BELIN, JR.,

General Agent for the Wyoming District for Dupont's Powder Mining, Blasting, Sporting, Smokeless and the Repauso Chemical Company's

HIGH EXPLOSIVES. Safety Fuse, Caps and Exploders. Room 401 Consell Building ,Scranton.

CAPITAL AND SURPLUS ONE MILLION DOLLARS

For Safe and Conservative Investments paying 5 Per Cent Interest Consult the

Title Guaranty and Trust Co.

Pays 3 Per Cent. Interest on Deposits. Insures Titles. Acts as Trustees. Becomes Surety. L. A. WATRES, President.

EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE: THOMAS E, JONES ABRAM NESBITT WM. F. HALLSTEAD THOMAS H. WATKINS O. S. JOHNSON

LOUIS A. WATRES

F. L. PHILLIPS. Third Vice President and Treasuter.

Established F. L. Crane High-Class Furs

lowing high-grade furs : ALASKA SEAL PERSIAN LAMB ERMINE RUSSIAN SABLE HUDSON BAY SABLE

BAUM MARTEN STONE MARTEN ISABELLA FOX SABLE FOX BLUE FOX BLACK FOX

Cash Paid for

It is often a source of great satisfaction to purchasers to be able to make their own selection of skins for garments. We are now in the exclusive fur business, and prepared to show you a large line of the fol-

MINK CHINCHILLA BLACK LYNX BLUE LYNX

Remodeling and Repairing Is Given Special Attention.

Raw Furs.

324 Lackawanna Avenue.