ANGELICALS **PLAN MERGER**

Branches Are Holding Conferences This Week at Allentown

arriving to-day for the annual ses-of the East Pennsylvania conferity, and the latter in the Emmanuel

State Grange, Master John A. McSparren, on education and the Rev. Ernest Johnson, of New York, on sociology. Clinton A. Howard, of Rochester, N. Y., will address the Evangelical confer-

nce. It is expected that there will be many astoral changes at both conferences.

Many Attend Big Rally

Carlisle, Feb. 24.—Hundreds of Endeavorers representing the various C. E. societies of this place and vicinity crowded the Sunday School

notice notwithstanding. Order at current prices to-

WHITE ROCK MINERAL SPRINGSCOMPANY

PRELIMINARY

of C. E. Unions in Carlisle Supreme Council Will Have Draft Ready Upon Wilson's

iving to-day for the annual sesting the East Pennsylvania confers the United Evangelical and the slical churches, the former of will be held in Bethany church, y, and the latter in the Emmanuel, Catasauqna. The delegates are set of the old Evangelical church, redivided into two factions nearly years ago and separate conferhave been held ever since. A ission representing the two factions wever, now working on a plan for wever, now working on a plan for the manual sestivation in the Endeavorers are making articles. The Endeavorers are making articles and the sunday School room of the First Lutheran church last evening. A special program was ing character were obtained at the meeting of the council of the great powers. Saturday when resolutions were adopted requiring such a speeding up of all important branches of the work of the Christian Endeavor Work." Mrs. E. S. Schilling of Harrisburg C. E. ent member of the Harrisburg C. E. ent member of the Harrisburg C. E. ent member of the Harrisburg C. E. societies of tims p. C. E. societies of the sunday School ing character were obtained at the meeting of the council of the great powers. Saturday when resolutions were adopted requiring such a speeding up of all important branches of the work of the Christian Endeavor Work." Mrs. E. S. Schilling of Harrisburg C. E. entered the quarterly rally of the quarterly really of the quarterly rally of the quarterly rally of the quarterly rally of the great powers. Saturday when resolutions were adopted requiring such a speeding up of all important branches of the work of the Christian Endeavor Work." Mrs. E. S. Schilling of Harrisburg C. E. Societies of the Christian Endeavor Work." Mrs. E. S. Schilling of Harrisburg C. E. Societies of the council of the great powe s have been held ever since. Anission representing the two factions sowever, now working on a plan for erger.

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BOY STEALS \$400

Authorities from Hagerstown, Md., are expected to arrive to-day and take charge of seventeen-year-old Ellsworth Moats, arrested at the Pennsylvania Raiiroad station Saturday night on the charge of having stolen \$400 from his uncle's house, in Hagerstown, Saturday evening, after he had been ordered away from home by his stepmother because he could not pay his board.

TO CURE A COLD IN ONE DAY Take LAXATIVE BROMO QUI-NINE (Tablets). It stops the cough and Headache and works off the Cold. E. W. Grove's signature on each box. 30c.

ASKS ROTARIANS TO AID CONVICTS

PEACE TREATY Prisoners' Relief Society Says Business Men Must Help **Ex-Prisoners**

Paris, Feb. 24.—Results of far-reaching character were obtained at the meeting of the council of the great power.

In a letter to the Rotary Clubs it was stated that during the last six years through the Prisoners' Relief Socciety 20,000 employers have opened their plants to men released from prison and that, of more than 10,000 men sent to positions, 95 per cent. have proved worthy. The Rotarians were asked to use their influence to keep the doors open to men who have served prison sentences and who want an opportunity to prove their worth.

Middletown

Liberty Band Members **Hold Annual Banquet**

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The Liberty band held its annual banquet in the hall on Swatara street on Sunday afternoon. The following were present: Valentine Baumbach, Sr., Valentine Baumbach, Charles Baumbach, son Walter Baumbach, Harry Baumbach, Son Herman Baumbach, Jacob Shelly and son, Archie Shelly, Charles Sellers, John Zimmerman, John Hatfield, William Weidner and two son, William Ricker, Eugene Barbush, Robert Flury, Paul Flury, Erney Spangler, Frank Meinslar. The newly elected officers of the band are: President, William Rider; secretary, Charles Baumbach, treasurer, Valentine Baumbach, Sr., who has held this office since 1870; musical director, Charles Sellers; assistant musical director, Harry Baumbach. They had as their guests T. B. Boyd and A. B. Cressler.

Emilin Rehrer was given a hearing before Squire C. E. Bowers, Swatara street, on Saturday afternoon charged with stealing some copper wire and two watches. He pleaded guilty and was sent to the house of detention lockup until the next term of juvenile court.

The funeral of Miss Anna Hendrickson was held from the home on North Spring street this afternoon with services at 1.30 o'clock. The Rev. T. C. McCarrell, pastor, of the Presbyterian church, officiated. Burial was made in the Middletown cemetery.

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The boy scouts of town will give a dance in the Luna Rink Wednesday evening, March 5.

Mr. and Mrs Andrew Sinnegar, of Spring street, entertained a number of friends at their home on Saturday evening in honor of their son Frank's eleventh birthday. Games of various kinds was played after which refreshments were served to the following: Vinetta Tritch, Vondena Tritch, Vivian Tritch, Fae Bachman, Freeda Roop, Kathryn Weidner, Helen Bauder, Agnes Matula, Zoe Stife, Mary Wealand, Marian Brown, Charlotte Weidner, Charles Rhodes, Alpheus Cachman, Samuel Huntzberger, Edward Weidner, Edward Byerly, Earl Roop, Claude Green, Morris Green, Joseph Hipple, James Hipple, Frank Sinnegar, Andrew Sinnegar, Mr. and Mrs. A. C. Sinnegar, Mr. and Mrs. A. C. Sinnegar, Mr. and Mrs. Green and Mr Frank Parthemore.

The Ushers' Association of the St. Peters' Lutheran Church will meet in the parish house Thursday evening.

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The Christian Endeavor Society of the St. Peters' Lutheran Church will hold a social in the Sunday school room on Thursday evening.

Miss Beal, a returned missionary from Africa, gave a talk in the Methodist Episcopal Church last evening.

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Mrs. H. L. Quickel, of Washington, D. C., is spending some time in town as the guest of Mr. and Mrs. A. S. Quickel, Nissley street, Major Quickel spent Sunday with his parants.

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Wilbur Carlson, of Buffalo, N. Y., is spending several days in town as the guest of his brother, C. M. Carlson, East Emaus street.

The Sunday school board of the Methodist Episcopal Sunday School held a special meeting yesterday afternoon to complete their plans for the grading of the primary department.

Sunday School Celebrates 103 Years of Service

Members of the four departments of the Market Square Presbyterian Sunday school, crowded the church auditorium to capacity yesterday at the one hundred and third anniversary which was observed with appropriate services.

Addresses were made by W. G. Landes, general secretary of the Pennsylvania State Sabbath School Association, who spoke on "Possible Progressive Lines," and the Rev. Dr. George Edward Hawes, pastor of the church, who gave a talk on "The Vision of the Individual."

The program opening with the singing of "The Star Spangled Banner." John DeGray, superintendent of the school, and Judge S. J. M. McCarrell, former superintendent for many years, took part in the service. Features were a rainbow bookmark drill by twenty-five boys and sirls of the junior depariment, Miss Anna R. Keller, superintendent, and a song. "Tiny Little Snowflakes," by the primary department.

Total contributions during the year were \$3,190.68 received from the various department, \$1.174.70; intermediate department, \$1.329.33.

Enrolled in the various departments are: Cradle roll, 121; primary department, 162; junior department, 142; intermediate department, 140; home department, 90; total, 1,056.

JOHN CUMMINGS DIES Gettysburg, Pa. Feb. 24.—John Cunningham died today at the home of his daughter. Mr. Cunningham is perhaps our town's oldest citizen, being ninety-six years of age. Store Closes Regularly On Saturdays at Six

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A special lot and others from our regular stocks comprising all the desirable patterns and colors. Every kind of a handkerchief at a big saving. These are made of sheer lawn, batiste, Crepe de Chine and Linflax. Some have neat embroidered designs in corners, others are plain. We will sell these at prices that cannot fail to make a quick clearance of the entire lot, when the qualities and designs are seen, for they will be sure to interest you.



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Full size, beautiful patterns and colors. Less than pre-war prices,

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Full 11-inch fancy corners and borders. Narrow hem,

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Large size, narrow hem. Made of finest linflax. Pure white, ready

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Cotton Fabrics For the **New Spring Frocks**

The most complete assortments of fine cotton fabrics are now at their best. In anticipation of those cool dainty frocks for Spring and Summer wear that can be made during the cool and comfortable sewing weather of the few months to come, will bring you pleasure. The newest and best designs, that the originators could produce in pretty fabrics

A patron told us the other day that she had just returned from New York, but purchased a half dozen dress patterns from our stock; and remarked that, her satisfaction was complete, because we showed good taste and our service proved most efficient to her. We hear those comments daily. Thus we invite your patronage, and we will prove the reliability of our statements.

40-inch printed voile; light and dark tones; 48c to \$1.39

36-inch silk barred tissues;

44-inch bordered voiles; 44-inch plain voiles; 50c

40-inch Roubaix. Plain

voiles; \$1.00 yd. gandies; 59c yd.

36-inch plain colored or-

27-inch nurse stripe and check ginghams; 35c yd. 36-inch Irish colored

colored linens; \$1.25 yd. 36-inch Ulster suiting; 45c yd.

30-inch ginghamette. 1919 novelty; 59c yd.

domestic zephyrs; 75c yd.

ging ams; 50c yd.

30-inch printed organdies; 32c yd. 32-inch imported and

32-inch finest American

BOWMAN'S-Main Floor.

Men's Madras Shirts in New Spring Patterns \$3



Our first showing of shirts for Spring 1919 comprises a smart assortment of the seasons newer styles.

Tailored from firm and strong woven Madras cloths; with all the details of made to measure shirts; even neckbands; perfect buttonholes and sleeves correctly set in; assuring a

All the newer stripings and plain effects in subdued neat colorings, appealing to the man of discriminating tastes. These shirts are \$3.00.

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Special Offering of Separate Skirts Shows Entirely New Style Tendency For Spring



Women who appreciate smart and attractive wear in a separate skirt will find great interest in the proportion of new offerings in which numerous pleats and other novelties are

As to material we show many in the popular plain woolen besides a host of dainty skirts of crepe de chine, georgette, tricolette and other silks many made up in unusual combina-

Plaited skirt of gray and blue striped plaid with wide belt; \$10.00.

Navy serge tailored skirt. Wide belt and tucked side trimmed in large covered buttons; \$10.50. Black silk poplin skirt plaited from yoke and trimmed with

covered buttons; \$10.95. Dark blue, red and green plaid skirt. Fullness in back. Plain tailored pockets finished with bias bands and buttons;

Large plaid skirt in Navy with shades of brown and tan. Wide belt and fancy pockets; \$17.50.

Tailored plaid skirt in Navy and Rookie check. Yoke effect top and bias bands; \$27.50.

Scotch plaid skirt. Green and brown in narrow model. Button trimmed, sides and patch pockets; \$29.50.

Red and green plaid skirt. Box plaited in cashmere, velour cloth. Beautifully tailored at \$32.50.

BOWMAN'S—Third Floor.

Rug Specials

Axminster rugs made of panel borders on ends only. Floral and conventional patterns; 9x12 feet, \$29.50.

Tapestry rugs; seamless wool faced rugs in floral, allover or conventional patterns; 9x12 feet, \$20.00.

Boyd Brussels Rugs-Whittall's rugs in new patterns; 8.3x10.6 ft. \$50.00; 9x12 ft. \$55.00; 27x54 inches \$5.50. Mottled Rugs-Whittall's mottled Axminster rugs in blue, green, red and brown; 27x54 inches, \$3.25.

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