COMMENCEMENT

We have a select line of examination of forty-six candidates for mine foremen certificates, at the court house, yesterlay and concluded their labors to-day.

HOOKS & BROWN

PERSONAL MENTION.

Mrs. Mary Doveydaltis spent yesterday in

Misses Mame Brocker and Hannah Ginley

Miss Beckle Scigle, of Reading, is visiting the family of B. J. Yest, on West Central Ashland.

Miss Hannah Davis, one of the High school Thomas Dovie, Pottsville; Thou Holohan, Silver Creek, and David Tucker, Pottsville.

Democrate licycle.

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Misses Mame Davis, Margaret Vaughn.

Sophia Schmicker and Gertrude Evans, of Ashland, are the guests of Miss Hannah

Pa., when you have a deat animal. They will hant it away at short notice, free or will hant it away at short notice, free or 6-7-1m lished at Kreateh fish to

William of Phoenix Park, are the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Joseph W. Porcell, on West Mesers, Bernard Durkin, Joseph Whitaker

and Timothy Giblin, students at St. Charles Seminary, Overbrook, are home to spend Misses Hannah Bartsch and Mary Wade, who graduated last night, are in Kutstown to-day to stand an examination before the

State Board at the Normal school. Rev. D. I. Evans, Luke Bowen and Edward Capper, representing the Weish Baptist church of town, left to-day for Andenried to participate in the ceremonies attending the ordination of Bev. D. M.

He Wheeled the Baby.

Two well known young men of town yester day made a wager that one of them would not show sufficient caurage to wheel a baby couch from O'Neill's furniture, store, out tak street, down Jardin street and return with the laby in it. The bet was accepted, and the young man in question earried out its provisions much to the amosement of his friends along the route. As a result there's a 'Pempest in a tea pot' over the affair.

Advertised Letters,

Letters addressed to the following named people remain uncalled for at the post-office: Miss Maria Brent, Mrs. Maggie Doley, Mis-Mary Devers, Abraham Hawk and Dr. A. S.

STORE NEWS.

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FORTY-SIX APPLICANTS.

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SEE OUR LOWER WINDOW.

Twenty questions were submitted to the applicants yesterday, to be answered before the close of the day's assion, and as many more were given to-day. All of the applicants are from the authracite district, nive from the Sixth, twenty from the Seventh

and seventeen from the Eighth.

The applicants from this (Sixth) district, are as follows: Patrick J. Priol, New Boston; Wm. Brady, Park Place; Michael Mo-Nelis, Mahanoy City; William S. Davis, Henry Lowis and John M. Jones, Audenreid;

David R. James and Edward Ratchford, Shen-andoah; Wm. Dodes, St. Nicholas. The examination is being conducted under the direction of the following men well

known in mining affairs: Sixth District—Wm. Stein, ex-officio; Wm. H. Lewis, Wm. Penn; Frank Wilcome, Shenwere Ashland visitors to-day.

Miss Pears Stanffer, of Noremberg, is andone, and M. J. Breunau, East Malannoy the Cherry and Jardin street side of the township.

II Lewis, Wm. Penn; Frank Wilcome, Shen-inid around the Lithuanian church on both the Cherry and Jardin street side of the township. township, Seventh District-Edward Brennan, ex-

YESTERDAY'S BASEBALL GAMES.

National League. At Philadelphia-Rt Louis, 8; Philadel-streams, 518, 5, At New York-New York, 5; 8 (hydrodon), 6, At Baltimore-Baltimore, 5; Philadelphia, 8, At Washington-Wash-

Eastern Lourne.
At Scranton-Scringfield, 7; Scranton, 3 Al Wilkestarra-Providence, 7; Wilkestarra-Providence, 7; Wilkestarra-Providence, 8; Syncome, 6; At Rochester (19 Innings)—Buffalo, 18; Bochester, 8.

Leaves." Everybody welcome.

The services in the Calvary Baptist church, to-morrow, will be conducted by Miss Fannie Morgan. Preaching at 10:30 a.m. Sanday school at 2 p. m. Praise service at 6:15 and preaching at 6:30 p. m. Miss Morgan is a fluent speaker and a cordial invitation is extended to all to be present.

Children's Day will be also conducted.

Children's Day will be observed to-morrow WAISTS.

Children's Day will be observed to morrow in the Methodist Episcopal church. At the morning service the infant department exerctes will be held, followed by a brief sermon by the church by the pastor, with an hemse by the church choir. At 6:30 p. m., the main school will render the full Children's Day program. The church will be appropriately decorated. These services are of special interest. Mr. John Kerslake will have charge of the Suntana, and the church will be appropriately decorated. The members of Prosperity Council No. The members of Prosperity Council No. The members of Prosperity Council No. John Kerslake will have charge of the Sunday morning class meeting. The Usher's Association meet the needs of the congregation of David Davis at Morea to-morrow morntion. A cordial welcome to all.

in rich brocades, 39c. to "Dend Stuck" for bugs. Used by U. S. \$1.00. Satin Duchesse Government, A liquid insect powder, Wou't

The Tent Was Overcrowded.

Standing room was the only available space. The deceased is survived by a wife and three of be had at the performance of Welsh Bros. children. He located in Mahanoy City in circus above the Reading station has night. Isse, and from that time up to 1888, when he the moment the ticket office opened there was one continuous stream of people filing store. He has since been interested in businate the canvass until long after the performance began. This accounts for the success and the reputation the Welsh Rus shore in St. Clair where the Boone we are the leaders in this giving the public more than the actual value and our goods are marked at rock-bottom prices, necess and the reputation the Welsh Brus, store in St. Clair, where he was taken sick overybody eagerly waiting and watching every act as it was announced. The show morning of dightheris, Interment will be closes its engagement here with another made to-morrow. erformance to-night, when it leaves for Hazleton, where it will exhibit next week.

All those who have not availed themselves of the opportunity of witnessing Welsh Bros. Supt. W. N. Ehrhart, of the Mahanoy City performances, should do so by attending the honors bestowed upon that efficient and honors bestowed upon that efficient and

Letters of administration were granted to Lawrence Coleman on the estate of Elizabeth Coleman, late of the township of Bufler, deeased; to G. F. Wiest, on the estate Christiana Wiest, late of Minersville, de-

Letters festamentary were granted to LECTO STREET.

Josiah Lineaweaver on the estate of Alfred
D. Saitzinger, late of Tamuqua, deceased; to
George D. Stamm and John W. Stamm, on the estate of Israel Stamm, late of New Ringgold, deceased.

Letters of administration d. b. n. were noted to Thomas A. Hanlon on the estate

ilberton, deceased.

Latiers of administration were granted to Mahanoy City in securing so efficient an educator to preside over their public schools, which have made great advancement during Avid P. Manzer, on the estate of Andrew Erdman, late of the Township of Upper Mahantongo, deceased.

testamentary were granted to of Superintendent. heed, late of the Township of Pine Grove,

The Geezers Now Winning.

Not disheartened by their recent defeat at the hands of the Peerless nine, the Geeners yesterday afterneou faced another the trip. On the road between here and my in the Shenaudoub High school team.

Although the runs were piling up fast, the contine game was an interesting one, many beautiful plays being made at different intervals. The Genzers appeared on the grounds with new life and made the students of the horse being caught and quartered in notable features of the game were the home runs made by W. Powell, Davis and Merrick, and the battery work of the winning team.

Campbell was credited with striking out 13 held for trial by Justice Shoemaker last night men. The umpiring was done by Mader, on complaint of Joseph Marowski, who and it required 2 hours and 15 minutes to charged them with breaking a sewer pipe play the game. The score is as follows:

0 0 4 8 2 2 2 0 4 20 Commission Becerved, Recorder Jonkyns to-day received from the Secretary of the Commonwealth a notary public commission for Walter I. Rahn, of Pottsville. A charter was also granted to the The Young People's Social Gathering have elected the following officers: President, Berthn Deater; Vice President, William San Walenta Lithuanian Society, of Middle Mader; Treasurer, George Knott; Secretary, port.
Peter Hollenbuch; Assistant, John Lee;
Usber, Frank Gradwell; Chaplain, Katie
Jus

PITHY POINTS.

Chronicled for Haxty Perusal.

tax at 13 mills this year.

It is reported the potato crop will be small

A marriage license has been issued to Wasyl Kreniczky and Alexandra Piroch,

both of Shemandonh.

The Famous base ball fram of town will play the Mahanoy Plane team at the Trotting park to morrow afternoon.

The Harleton Water Company have taken legal action to condemn a stream of water in

the first time in its history, has jost paid the stockholders three per cent, on their invest-

Tramps arrested at Harrisburg are required to pay a fine of \$20 or be compelled to work 30 days on the municipal improve-

A substantial flag atone pavement is being

A petition is being circulated among the

citizens of Gilberton borough asking that people give up the use of Mind Run water and substitute water to be furnished by

The total number of words sent from the Western Union Telegraph Company's office at Bloomsburg during and relative to the Wintersteen Knorr trial, amounting to 183,-

000 a sufficient number to fill 150 columns of

Prof. Coles, in "Storms and Signs," published at Kingston, Pa., says the best days to catch fish this month will be Monday, 21st; Tuesday, 22nd; Wednesday, 24rd; Monday,

29th, and Tuesday, 20th. These dates are the so-called "high flood" dates in rivers and

MAHANOY CITY.

The Bicycle Meet Was Well Patronized and a Success

mile professional—Thompson, \$15; Lindlev, \$10; Wenzel, \$5. 2-mile professional—Star-bock, \$20; Wenzel, \$15; Dickinson, \$5.

A force of men are engaged in placing a 90-ten pump at the North Mahanoy colliery.

Shilkauczas, of East Centre street, died this

Prof. Ehrhart Honored.

popular educator. The people of Shenandoah are especially pleased with each succeeding

advancement made by their former town

selection as one of the examiners of the

been called on by the State Superintendent to assist in the examinations at the Stat

Normal schools, twice while principal of the High school in this town. He examined the

students in the following branches: Juniors— Latin and botany. Seniors—Latin and English literature. Special branches—Caesar, Cicero, Virgil and chemistry. In the latter

branches, while Prof. Ehrhart was examiner in four, the other examiners were assigned

the past year that he has filled the position

Where Have They Gone?

On Thursday afternoon two young men, James Donovan and Dennis Medico, of town,

set out for a carriage drive to Ashland. They

their destination the party met with a mishap

ing smashed into splinters. Nothing was heard of the men or the team until yesterday

morning, when the liveryman was notified

of the horse being caught and quartered in a

Just try a 10c box of Cascarets, the fluest

liver and bowel regulator over made.

Shenandoah water werks.

Packer township, Carbon county.

Pres. McKinley's Pastor.

The Shamokin School Board has fixed the The Eminent Washington Preacher Advises Paine's Celery Compound.



MAHANOY CITY, June 19.—The paid ad-

At William Sort of the Company of th Rev. Erastus Rowley of Kentucky.
Rev. Friber A. Quellett of New Brunswick.
Rev. A. K. Sanford of New York.
Rev. II. L. Cranfemard of New York.
Rev. R. D. Winn of New York.
Chronic rebeumatism. kidney affections and nervous exhaustion do not come like a thunder elap without warning. All those blood and nerve disorders cast their shadows before them in the shape of intermittent.

> Li Hong Chang Reads "The Century" Li Hung Chang's secretary has recently written to the Century Co. expressing the pleasure the Vicercy is taking in General Hornee Porter's articles "Campaigning with Grant," now appearing in The Century. Mr. Cethick, the secretary, mys: "His Excellency has had read to him General Porter's articles Cethick, the secretary says: "His Excellency has had read to him General Porter's articles on General Grant, and has been greatly interested in studying the character of his campaigns for the preservation of the Union. It is a mre privilege to read of such deeds related so elequently by one who honorably lated so elequently by one who honorably being protected with leather covers participated in them."
>
> Having been engaged with the New York

remises in Swatara.

From Maria Welsh to Lehigh Valley Coal will be presented with a finer quality of company, at Swatara.

avening: Singing; prayer; scripture read-ing, Harry Powell; quartette, Hilton and party; reading, Miss Lillie Llewellyn; solo, Miss Anna Heebner; debate—Resolved that the action of the United States Congress in our action of the United States Congress in not acting on the Morgan resolution is not in ; feeling with the sentiment of the people; affirmative, George L. Hafner and J. T. Lawson; negative, Charles Bushore and George James; singing; critic's report. Marriage Licenses

Charles H. O'Neill, of St. Nicholas and Mary A. Cantwell, of Gilberton. students at the State Normal School at Chrion, this being the third time he has William A. Kramer and Mary E. Williard,

PROGRESS...

Will open on Saturday, June Edward F. Smith, died at his home in Philadelphia on Friday, aged sixty years. The deceased is survived by a wife and three children. He located in Mahanoy City in Peeds Recorded.

Cascarets stimulate liver, kidneys and Progress Hat and Cap Company, for many years, which has dissolved business, and whose stock I have retained consisting of Soo dozen different styles. From John Droshman et al to Amandus of caps, will be disposed of at the following prices: Children's and men's caps, 5 cents and upwards; ladies' and misses' tau o'shanters at less than half Burke, premises in Ashland.

From James Muir and wife to Maggie L.

Shisaler, premises in Pottaville.

From Wm. Atwater, et al., to Maria Welsh.

marked in plain, lowest cash figures, will cap in proportion to the amount of their

> "Y" Program.
>
> One lot of dress goods at exceedingly low figures. Also a lot of children's a meeting of the "Y" in Mellet's hall this nobby suits at bargain prices. LADY CLERKS IN ATTENDANCE.

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The Greatest Sale of Shoes

Ever had in this section is now going on at our store. We've bought the entire stock of a retail shoe store that failed.

The goods will be sold without regard to former price or their real value.

There are a great many very fine shoes in this stock, and the former owners would weep if they could see the little bits of prices we are now

Come quick for the goods can't last long when people know what we are doing.

Factory... ... Shoe Store,

al. A. Moyer, Mgr.

GENTLEMEN:---

Remember we are now at the new stand, No. 12 West Centre Street, (Ferguson House Block) the most central location in town. We have competent journeymen, ever willing to cater to you in the best of taste, style and workman-slip. If you want to look dressy, you must also have a neat facial appearance. We can fill all these requirements. Soliciting your patronage I remain,

W. G. DUSTO

MISCELLANEOUS.

WANTED.—A young man for permanent position Catholic preferred. Call or or address. W.W. Helm, 308 South West street. WANTED.—Active reliable man to travel and solicit orders for nursery stock; permanent employment; expenses and salary or commission. For terms address the R. C. Chase Co., South Penn Square, Philadelphia. FOR SALE.—Lot 30x150, situate on West Coal F street. Two single houses, one on the front wod the other on the reise of lot. For price and terms apply to T. R. Beddall, Attornoy-at-law, corner of Main and Course streets.

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MEN'S EXTRA SIZE SUITS AND SINGLE PANTS.

SIZES, 44 to 50. If you want a nice Plain White Vest or Mixed Goods, you can get them here. In fact we do not know of anyhow to the prowess of the boys from the stable near Dark Corner. The men have thing that a man, boy or child needs in our line that we cannot supply. If there is any customer who cannot be fitted in ready-made clothing, we take his measure and have it made for him inany style of goods he selects, and without

any extra charges. Our Hat and Gents' Furnishing Dept. is Complete. REMEMBER THIS IS OUR SPECIAL SALE.

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SAMUEL BLOCK, Proprietor.