The salaries for the evening schools will be be same as last year, \$35 per month for the

of \$34,053,43 to be raised by tax levy. The committee recommended that the tax levy by



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THESE are several of the departments of our store which we are about to close out entirely. This is done to make room to add a new branch which we will announce shortly. These goods will go at prices that will sell themselves. These are no remnants but the choicest of manufacture. Don't delay but come and save money when you have the opportunity.

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INGRAINS---New styles, extra qualities. RAG GARPETS--All kinds and prices. polsoning has set in and his many friends will hear of his dauger with much regret.

#### ATTEMPTED ROBBERY. Mrs, Hardeman, of Yatesville, Has an Ex-

citing Experience With Robbers.

A bold attempt at robbery was made at 3 o'clock yesterday morning at the home of Mrs. Hardeman, a widow residing with her two children at Yntesville.

Mrs. Hardeman was awakened by a noise in the kitchen, but, thinking it to be her son returning beine from work on the night shift, she paid no attention and fell ssleep again.
Shortly after she was again awakened by a latch on a trunk in her bedroom faling to the floor. She opened her eyes and was startled to see two strange men in the om. Both were masked and had their coat collars turned up. The woman sprang to her feet and was stopped by a drawn revolver held close to her face by one of the burglars. She paid no attention to the threats made and screamed for help. The screams awakened her son and daughter who were sleeping in adjoining rooms. When the robbers heard the approach of the children they fled from

A palmleaf fan given with a 10e purchase or over on Saturday. At Girvin's. 7-29-2t that Misses Julia Miles and Maggie E. Palmer and Mr. Martin Devitt had been appointed assistant librarians. This report was also accepted by the Board.

The supply furnished by the borough's plant has for some time been exhausted. We are supplying the entire borough, and all the sollieries in the vicinity, and have been doing collieries in the vicinity, and have been doing that one new teacher be appointed as lesson. The amendment was defeated and the original motion carried.

Trip Through the Mines.

The workings of the Shenandoah City colery were visited yesterday afternoon by Charles Ebinger and Charles Ries, two of the grand officers of the Order United German Red Men, and Messrs. Martin Umbach, John Welter and John Cashner, of town. It was Fruit Jars.

Parafine Wax for Your Jellies.

the initial trip for the visitors and proved of vast interest to them. Every point of interest in the large mine was shown the party by Silas Frost, the inside foreman, and his many courtesies were much appreciated.

Don't miss Girvin's glassware sale en Saturday.

Held For Assault.

Frank Antinowicz and Martin and Annie Ignatowicz were each placed under \$300 bail Maggie E. Cavanaugh, Nellie Baird, Jane T by Justice Toomey this morning, on a charge of assault and battery made by Matt. Regaitis, The latter was released from jail under bail

Defender Picnic.

A grand picnic will be held by the Defendard A. Lynch, Julia Miles, Maggie Palmer, Mary der Hose Co. No. 3, in the Turkey Run base E. McGuinness, Annie L. Williams, Kate ball ground, on Saturday, July 29th. The Cunningham, Sadie Daniell, Sallie E. Fadden, proceeds will be used to liquidate the debt on Annie M. Kimmell, Corinne Tempest, Patrick the company's hose house. A game of ball

Rare bargains in glassware for Saturday only a limited number

Large 25c. cake stands for 10c. Large 25c. fruit stands for 10c. Large 20c, bouquet holder for 10c.

A hig assortment in our window for 10c 8 South Main St.

First Delivery. The People's Artificial Ice Company made se first delivery of its product about town to-day. The product was a subject of much curious inspection and very favorably commented upon. The plant is now in full operation and it is intended to keep a regular. The only tea

supply upon the market. Sunday School Picule. The Sunday school of the United Evangeli- \$50. The reduction equalizes all salaries in stone and died almost instantly. eal church held its annual picnic at Lakeside that grade to-day and it was well patronized. This The Boa

morning's train carried 225 people and the soon and afternoon trains carried many

To Whom It May Concern. This is to certify that I performed an autopsy on the body of the late John Groody, who died at his home, 227 West Lloyd street, on February 6, 1899. And further state that I found no trace of poison in his system, and that I am of the opinion that mid John

The Board Groody died from fatty degeneration of the minutes and, heart, kidneys and liver. heart, kidneys and liver.

WILLIAM N. STEIN, M. D. Seaside Excursion Fourteen residents of town participated in the Philadelphia and Reading excursion to ceived 2 votes each and Cantlin and Giblon

Atlantic City this morning.

to take effect August 5th next. John Tanney Very Sick. John Tanney, of Green Ridge, the fire boss who was so badly burned about two weeks ago, is in a precarious condition. Blood

At KEITER'S. Try Our Meats, Butter and Eggs.

They are sold as cheap as staple goods can be sold for. Always fresh and well leed. A. Stanten, 4; Lizzie North, 4; James Bauser's, Cherry and Chestaut streets. tf

### TEACHERS ELECTED

schools and superintendent for assignment.
The term of the evening schools is to be feur months and the date of opening is to be fixed at a later meeting of the Board. Miss Lambert Succeeds Miss Coogan a Teacher of Drawing Salaries Rehigh school, \$35 for Turkey Eun, and the rest \$25 per month. main as Last Year With One The finance committee submitted a longthy report showing the estimated expenditures for 1899-1900 to be \$77,950 90, and the estimated resources \$43,905.57, leaving a balance Exception-Twelve Night School Teachers

The burglars gained entrance to the bonse through the rear kitchen door. They lit the kitchen lamp and left it burning without putting on the globe. When the frightened occupants came down stairs the kitchen was filled with smoke. An examination revealed that the trunk in Mrs. Hardeman's bed room had been ransacked, but the robbers secured nothing.

Mrs. Hardeman states that one of the Scartery Harms read a communication commissions and exonerations amounting to \$2.000. Martin, Holvey, Breslin, Country, Kerrigan, Britt, Whitaker and Lee.

mothing.

Mrs. Hardeman states that one of the robbers hailed from Shenandoah, that she was positive of having seen him at intervals on the streets. Several weeks ago an attempt was made to rob her home. It was not discovered until the following morning.

Several palings had been torn off the fence and the windew was raised several inches.

Britt, Whitaker and Lee.

Secretary Hanna read a communication from the County Commissioners, stating that the pioint tax duplicate will be ready for writing next Monday. The secretary and financial committee were instructed to have it written and have the proper officers prepare the warrant for the tax receiver.

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Britt, Whitaker and Lee.

Secretary Hanna reported that the joint tax duplicate will be ready for writing next Monday. The secretary and financial committee were instructed to have it written and have the proper officers prepare the warrant for the tax receiver.

432: total, \$2,428,492. The valuation was accepted by the Board and ordered recorded.

Toe Board of L brary Trusters reported.

"J. H. Martin,
"Frank Hanna,
"Grorge Holvey,
"John T. Lee,"
"Teachers and Salaries Committee,"

hours later.

Certainly we engrave. Peep in our window

Besieged With Applicants.

Dr. H. G. Reitzel, of Mahanoy City, sine

ters, containing the applications, have brief

biographies of the sender attached, which make very amusing reading.

A special lot of ladies and misses hostery, reduced from 20 and 15 cents, to 10 cents per pair. Bargains in ladies' separate shirts corsets, ribbons, laces, feather A special lot of ladies' and misses' seamless

Mrs. Boone Awarded Damages.

"I suffered for mouths from sore throat.

Death in the Far West,

Editor James' Wisdom

om the Ashland Local

E. B. BRUMM.

The report was accepted and the recommendations taken up scriatim, Messrs.
Whitaker and Brealin dissenting because they did not concur with the recommendation in the third paragraph of the report, regarding salaries.

The first recommendation of report, on the immediately to extinguish the flames, which they succeeded in doing, but not until the Board elected the 59 old teachers applying. as follows:

Clara B. Cline, Michael H. Britt, James R Lewis, Auna M. Dengler, Bridget A. Burns Annie E. Mansell, Lizzie M. O'Connell Mahala Fairchild, Richard A. McHale Lambert, Herbert C. Hoeks, M. J. Whitake Ella M. Clauser, Mary A. Lafferty, Mary A. Counelly, Mary E. Fox, Margaret Coughlin yesterday on a charge of assault made by the Mary Roberts, Eliza J. Finnerty, Annie Me parties he now accuses.

Noslis, Hannah B. Morrison, Annie L. Sheeby, Frank B. Williams, Maggie C. Bren-nan, Alice Lehe, Amelia C. Schoener, Mary the company's hose house. A game of ball will be played in the afternoon between local teams.

"A Big Windowfull."

Sullivan, Annie Burke, Mary Monaghan, Maud Kelper, Martha Shields, Bridget Flynn, Annie R. Bierman, Julia Creary, Nora Graham, Julia Donahue, Mattie Baugh, Hattie Jones, Mary C. Rassier, Martin H. Devitt, Bridget McGuire, Lizzie Bellis, Nellie L. O'Hara, Maggie A. Campbell, Sallie Roche, James M. Mullahey, Mary A. Connors.

skirts, corsets, ribbons, laces, feather cushions, curtains, cil-shades and pillows. A fine assortment of wash goods and dress Miss Annie E. Coogan, who was teacher goods o and supervisor of drawing and modeling, was 7-15-6t goods of all kinds. Headquarters for capets. not an applicant for appointment this year.

The balance of the teachers and salaries muittee report was then taken up by sec tions and adopted, there being no opposition,

The Board then proceeded to fill the vacant position caused by Miss Coogan not being an applicant. Mr. Hanna nominated Miss Jane M. S. Gist, Hawesville, Ky.

T. Lambert, who taught in the first grade

Double in the Far West. grammar school. Mr. Whitaker nominated Mr. P. J. Sullivau, of the second grade primary. Miss Lambert received 11 votes and

The Board then took a receas for five ninutes and, upon re-assembling, proceeded to fill the vacancy in the corps. The nominees were: Luther B. Edwards, Mary Giblon, Lizzie L. Hand, Agnes Cantlin and Cornelius Campbell. Edwards was elected, receiving 9 votes. Hand and Campbell re-

Glance at our show windows for beautiful caucy in the first grade grammar department, jewelry. Special prices on Ladies' Buckles and Neck Clasps. Orkin's, 7 South Main street.

An election was taken and the first grade grammar department, caused by the promotion of Miss Lambert. Mr. Martin nominated Lather B. Edwards, Mr. Breslin nominated Miss Sallis Rocket. M. L. Smith, of Mahanoy City, a member Mr. Coughlin nominated Miss Sallie Roche and Mr. Britt nominated Miss B. McGuire. of the Coal and Iron police, was arrested at Reading on the charge of disorderly conduct. Governor Stone yesterday appointed David
J. Henning, the Republican nomines for
sudge in this county, to fill the vacancy
aused by the resignation of Judge Pershing.

An election of twelve even
teachers from a list of thirty-six He drew a revolver when arrested and snapped it at the police officer. He was inwards, 8; Campbell, 5; Roche, 1; McGuire, 1. An election of twelve evening school seachers from a list of thirty-six applicants toxicated. Smith was locked up and the next orning was released upon the payment of a was next taken up, and the following shows the vote cast, the first named tweive being declared elected : Mary Giblon, 14; Ague Cantlin, 14; Katie Brogan, 14; M. A. 13; Michael E. Reilly, 12; Katio Flahorty, 12; Lizzie L. Haad, 11; A. McMenamin, 11;

FREE LUNCHES TO-NIGHT, BICKERT'S. Special free lunch to-night. Clam soup to row morning. Mary Parker, 10; M. Barnhardt, 9; L. M. Llewellyn, 9; Millie Boyer, 9; Mary Downey, 6; M. E. Lechleitner, 5; Annie G. CHAS, RADZIEWICZ'S.

Rice soup will be served, free, to all patron Rice soup, free, to-night.

#### Fitzgerald, Margaret Burke, Kate O'Connor. E. P. Graeber and Celia McAndrew 2 votes each. The eleven applicants not named here received no votes. Among these not SECY. ALGER elected were six who taught evening schools last year, namely: Gortic Levine, Mary Lochieltner, M Jessie Glover, Lizzie North, GOES OUT! Cecelia Younge and Harry Gable. On motion of Mr. Dove it was decided that

Miss Giblon be assigned to the boys' evening high school and Miss Parker to the Turkey Run school; and the remaining teachers were referred to the committee on evening President McKinley. President McKinley,

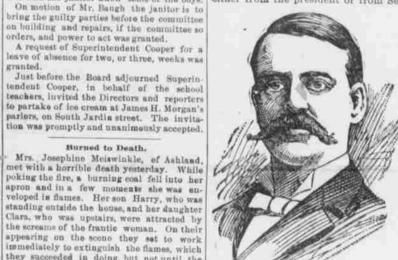
AND IT WILL BE ACCEPTED

Assistant Secretary Meiklejohn in Temporory Control.

GOSSIP AS TO THE SUCCESSION.

No Official Information as to Who Will Be Called Upon to Enter the Cabinet, But the Names of General Horace Porter, Governor Roosevelt, General Harrison Gray Otis, General Corbin and Assistant Secretary Meiklejohn Are Again Brought Forward by the Political Gossips.

Washington, July 20 .- Secretary Alger yesterday tendered to the president his resignation of the war portfolio The resignation will become effective Aug. I, though it was tendered "at the pleasure of the president." Gossip has begun already as to his successor, but is entirely speculative, for, notwith-standing the reports that Mr. Alger would not long continue at the head of the war department, his actual resig-nation came suddenly and unexpectedly. That it would come by the end of the year was generally believed, but so



talk on the subject. Nor was the let-ter of resignation obtainable at this and see samples on gold, silver, aluminum time. For the present nothing will be made known officially concerning the severance of the official relations beister, but later on the official corres-pondence closing the latter's career as his recent appointment as supervisor of cen-sus for Schuylkill and Berks counties, is in chief of the war department doubtless receipt of scores of letters daily from appli-cants who desire to be employed as census will be given to the press.

cause who desire to be employed as census on merators under him. Many of the letters, containing the applications have held information as to the intentions of the president respecting the appointment of a successor to Mr. Alger as secretary of war. Names are mentioned but they are only those which have already been suggested with more or less of plausibility in the press dis-patches without securing either confirmation or denial from any well in cabinet were all disinclined to talk about the succession, though one did remark that the president had made no mention of a name to him, and he Mrs. Boone Awarded Damages.

The Supreme Court yesterday sustained the findings in the lower court, which awarded Mrs. Anna E. Boone \$2,000 damages made immediately, but that Mr. Meikletions and adopted, there being no opposition, except as the third paragraph, relating to salaries. This paragraph was adopted by a vote of 11 to 4, the dissenting members being Messrs. Whitaker, Breslin, Sullivan and Kerrigan.

The only teacher affected by the action is Richard A. McHale. He taught in the same grade last year at \$55 per month, while all other teachers in the same grade received but the same grade received but the same grade received but the same and died almost instantly.

It is findings in the lower court, which amade immediately, but that Mr. Meikle-John would be allowed to direct affairs for some time to come. Among the names which have been mentioned for the names which have been mentioned from time to time in this discussion when talk of Secretary Alger's forthcoming resignation has been rife have been those of General Horac Porsus and died almost instantly. France, Governor Roosevelt, of New York, General Harrison Gray Otis and Assistant Secretary Meiklejohn.

The name of General Corbin has been mentioned in connection with an ad interim appointment, pending the selection of a permanent occupant Mrs. Michael Dougherty, an erst-while of the office, but an officer close to the eaident of Schuylkill county, now residing general said there was no basis for the Mr. Sullivan received 4. He received the votes of Messrs. Whitaker, Kerrinan, Breslin ful death on the 7th last, by the igniting of General Corbin might be given the gasoline which she was using in cleansing portfolio permanently, although this bads. among General Corbin's friends. There would be precedent for such a course, however, as in the case of General Schofield's cabinent service.

Newspapers that raise the cry of nationality and try to make it an issue in Schuylkill and try to make it an issue in Schuyikili politics will discover that they are making a great mistake. Nationality should not be considered in selecting a ticket. Nationality neither makes a man better nor worse than his fellews.

Policeman Smith Arrested. coming before the war department as make it desirable that its executive of-ficer should be a man of legal attainments and experience. In this same connection the name of Hon. Elihu Root, the well known New York law-yer, is mentioned. General James H. Wilson, of Delaware, now in the volunteer establishment and governor of the province of Matanzas, Cuba, is also spoken of. General Wilson was a well known soldier in the civil war and since has been prominently identified with business enterprises.

Adjutant General Corbin was seen during the evening, and while not wishing to discuss any of the facts con-(Continued on Fourth Page.)

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