

CENT A WORD COLUMN

WANTED—A kitchen girl at Hotel Wayne. 83tf

I am offering for sale desirable Honesdale residences and Wayne county farms at prices that should make them go like an express train through a corn field. See me before buying a place. **DORIN**, the real estate man.

FOR SALE—Ray house, on East Extension street. Large lot with sixty feet front. M. E. Simons. 38eoltf.

MISS HARDENBERGH, teacher of piano, all grades, from the kindergarten to the graduate; also theory and harmony. Scranton Tuesdays, Wednesdays, and Thursdays; Honesdale, Fridays, Saturdays and Mondays.

LOCAL MENTION.

The grand jury for the October term of court, meets next week.

The Pennsylvania Telephone company have a gang of men at work rebuilding their lines in Hawley and vicinity.

The stork visited the home of Mr. and Mrs. Jno. Torrey Fuller and left a good little girl Wednesday, Oct. 13, 1909. She will be called Esther.

On Friday evening the Weber Stock Co. will present "Lynnwood," a beautiful Southern romance, and on Saturday evening "Kathleen Mavourneen," will be given.

G. W. Piel, the druggist, has sold his residential property on corner of Spring and 13th streets to B. F. Warwick, of Cold Spring; consideration, private, and possession given Dec. 1st.

Owing to an error of a political organization (which polls less than two thousand votes) in filing their certificate, the ballot which should be in the hands of the printer is held up for five days.

The pastor of the Presbyterian church will preach next Sunday morning from this subject: "A Dash For the Pole, and Something More Worth While." In the evening his subject will be "A Call to Men."

At 10 o'clock yesterday Stanley Nazarko and Thomas Willis, the latter a negro, were hanged in the Wilkes-Barre jail yard. Nazarko shot a woman with whom he lived at Pittston, while Willis was convicted of murdering Samuel Cool.

The following real estate transfers have been recorded: Electa L. Courtright, of Binghamton, 110 acres of land in Buckingham township to Christopher A. Murphy of Buckingham township; the heirs of Thomas Carlton, property in Dreher township, to Rebecca Carlton.

There will be a corporate communion of the officers, teachers and older scholars of the Sunday school at Grace church Sunday, Oct. 17, at 8 a. m. At the 10:30 a. m. service the litany for Sunday school workers and their work will be said. This is part of a world-wide movement for the uplift of the Sunday schools and those who conduct them and attend them.

The Alerts held their annual ball in their company home at East Honesdale on Tuesday, Oct. 12th. The attendance was large, the dancing hall being filled to its fullest capacity. The supper served by the ladies was a credit to their skill and taste, as it was a feast "fit for the gods," and everybody showed their appreciation by displaying a good and vigorous appetite. All hands had an enjoyable evening. Thanks to the Alerts and their ladies.

The new officers of the Honesdale Golf Club are: President, F. S. Merritt; vice president, Clara R. Torrey; treasurer, W. J. Yerkes; secretary, Miss Nellie Hulsizer; governors, Mary A. Menner, Chas. P. Searle and R. M. Salmon. Election was held Saturday afternoon of last week. A supper was served, some speech-making indulged in, and all rejoiced over the conditions of affairs. They expended over \$1,000 last year in improvements and operating expenses and have enough money left in the treasury barrel to cover the bottom.

Protection Engine Co. held their regular monthly meeting Tuesday evening, it being the first meeting of their new year. The reports of trustees and various committees for proceedings cover the past year were received and read. Trustees reported on the condition of apparatus and other properties of the company. The committee on Old Home Week reported that the total expense for that celebration was \$350, all of which had been paid out of their own treasury with the exception of a few bills which needed correction. This committee also reported that they had not as yet received any contributions from the General Old Home Committee. A vote of thanks was tendered W. W. Kimble, the retiring treasurer, who had served faithfully and without pay, during the past years. A committee of three were appointed with power to purchase two hose carts, to equip them with hose, etc., and place them at such points in the borough as the town council deem as being advantageous for better protection against fire. A motion that all those present at the meeting attend the ball and supper of Alert Co. at East Honesdale, was adopted. As the ball was then in progress the meeting was adjourned and the members proceeded to the hall of the Alerts in a body.

Herman Wolff, of Atco, has made application to the court for citizenship.

Myron Dodge and wife have accepted a position with the new manager of the Allen House.

The High school football team will play the High school team of Damascus at the latter place on Saturday.

The contributors to the Needle Work Guild will please remember to send in their articles by the last week in October.

A dance at the Lyric Theatre Hall on Friday evening, the 15th inst. Freeman's orchestra will furnish the music.

The Business Men's Association held a meeting Wednesday evening. There was no business transacted as there were only a few members in attendance.

It looks very fishy in the Pittsburg-Detroit championship series that the managers alternate their games with pitchers that the opposite team can hit easily.

East Honesdale has been in darkness for several months. The lamps have not been lighted owing to the fact that the Ladies' Improvement Society could not meet expenses.

When a stranger comes to your door asking for subscriptions to a paper or magazine it would be well to have him prove to you that he has the authority to take your money.

By all means go and hear the Rine Bros., the sweet singing evangelists, at Waymart. An evening with them will be very helpful. They will be there for the next two weeks.

On Friday evening of this week a public meeting will be held at Meyer's hall. The purpose of this meeting is to make arrangements for lighting the streets of that part of the town.

The alligator owned by Dr. Brady and which has been the admiration of a number of people the past summer, has grown five inches since last April. The reptile weighs 7 3/4 pounds and measures 36 inches.

A gang of Delaware and Hudson surveyors have been in town the past few days, working in the vicinity of Terrace street. The town council has recently ordered the company to lay a walk at the crossing on Terrace street.

The services at the First Baptist church on next Lord's Day will be at 10:30 a. m. and 7:30 p. m. Sunday School at 11:45 a. m. Young People's Meeting at 6:30 p. m. Sermon topics: Morning, "The Glorifying of Life"; evening, "Abounding Grace."

About 8:30 o'clock Wednesday evening fire destroyed a large barn and several buildings owned by Gustave Hynes of Cherry Ridge. The origin of the fire is unknown. The horse and cattle were rescued, but a large quantity of hay and farm implements were destroyed. Mr. Hynes carried an insurance of \$800 in Bingham's agency.

The residence of former Sheriff Richard Brush was destroyed by fire at Susquehanna last Sunday, entailing a loss of about \$4,500, while the insurance is only \$1,500. Mrs. Brush became hysterical over the fire, and is attended by Dr. M. L. Miller. She will recover all right. The fire is believed to have started through a defective flue in the chimney.

Martin E. Galvin and Henry N. Theobald have formed a partnership and entered the hardware business. The firm leased the J. C. Reilly building on lower Main street and will open their store in a few weeks. Mr. Galvin has had 23 years' experience in the plumbing business, having been for many years foreman in Graham Watt's shop.

About a week ago John Loy, of Rutledge, and Thomas Gilroy, of Galilee, drove a herd of cattle from the former place to Bucks county. They returned home this week. While Mr. Loy was driving along the road near Lake Clemons Monday two men jumped from ambush and ordered him to hold up his hands. Each of the men carried revolvers. Mr. Loy had two ten dollar bills with him at the time. He was relieved of this amount.

New Misses for Weddings. It is quite singular how of late years a decided objection to the ancient custom of rice and slipper throwing after the bride and bridegroom has sprung up, so much so that several comparatively new ideas have of late come almost universally into vogue.

Instead of the hard rice pellets, which occasionally are thrown with too much vehemence to be pleasant, some brides go in for substituting the finest ladies' slippers as well as horseshoes made entirely of soft silver paper. These resemble a sparkling shower of silver. Other brides can be providing their friends with dried rose or other sweet smelling leaves to be thrown after them.

SINGING EVANGELISTS. The Rines Brothers, the singing evangelists, will conduct services in the Waymart M. E. church from October 18th to 31st. ALL ARE WELCOME. These sweet singers and inspiring talkers will interest and help you. 83tf.

Haven't gone yet. Never mind about the reports you hear that we have left town. We will give notice of our last week in town. On account of the increasing demand for those 24 for 25 cents we have decided to stay a while longer. 81tf.

PERSONAL MENTION.

Leo McGarry, of Scranton, is visiting relatives in town.

Theodore Brunig is recovering after a severe illness.

Mrs. Paul Gardner, of Scranton, is visiting relatives at this place.

Austin Lynch, of Olyphant, was a business caller in town this week.

Mrs. Isaac Tibbitts and Mrs. C. M. Betz were callers in Scranton on Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. E. T. Smith are visiting their son Horace, at Scranton.

John Erk, of the firm of Erk Bros., was in Scranton on business last Monday.

Austin Lynch, representative for Brooks & Co., Scranton, was a business caller in town this week.

James Miller, clerk at the Grand Union Tea store, is spending the week in New York City.

Thomas Quinney, of New York, who has been visiting relatives for the past four weeks, returned home Tuesday.

Mr. Edwin Tears, of Denver, Col., and Mrs. Daniel Wade, of Montgomery, N. Y., are visiting Mrs. Oscar Bunnell.

Mrs. Ella Jones and daughter, Mabel, have returned to their home at this place after a visit with relatives in Scranton.

Mr. Spettigue, bookkeeper for O. M. Spettigue, will occupy the rooms vacated by Mr. and Mrs. R. T. Whitney, on East street.

Miss Helen Fowler has returned to Scranton after a few weeks' visit with her mother, Mrs. Thomas Fowler, of North Main street.

Edward Murphy of White Mills, and first baseman for the local team, the past season, left Monday to enter St. Bonaventure's College.

Senator Miles Rowland, of Kimbles, was in Honesdale on Monday in connection with business concerning the Kimble Lumber company.

Misses Margaret McGettigan and Anna Kean, trained nurses of Scranton, spent part of the week with the former's mother at this place.

William Bodie, the obliging clerk at O. G. Weaver's jewelry store, has resigned to accept a similar position in Miss Petersen's jewelry store.

Theodore Vetter, catcher for the fast Briar Cliff team the past season, has returned to his home at this place after a very successful season with his team.

Mrs. C. R. Brady and Mrs. Josephine Whitney attended a card party given by Mrs. Silas McMullen at her home in Carbondale on Wednesday.

Thomas Cavanaugh and family, who recently removed from New York to Honesdale, having purchased the Shilling farm, left Tuesday for Los Angeles, Cal., where they will make their future home.

Anthony Gill, a student at the Stroudsburg State Normal School, spent several days this week with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Gill, of White Mills. Mr. Gill is captain of his school's basketball team.

How the children enjoy exchanging those good photographs with their school mates. What a nice keepsake! 24 for 25 cents.

"BILLY, THE KID."

Honesdale Theatre-Goers Have a Treat in Store Next Week.

"Billy, The Kid," the great Western play, which will be seen here at the Lyric on Wednesday, Oct. 20, while melodramatic, is consistent and tells a story that is full of interest, having for its big climaxes incidents and situations that are exceptionally dramatic. The comedy element is furnished by a good natured Irishman; a fine type of old Southern Colonel and his colored orderly. The story of the play opens on a home divide of a big New Mexico ranch. Here are living the hero, his mother, who, thinking that her first husband is dead, has married a second time), and his stepfather. The hero is a lad full of life who is at that age when the sensational appeals and he has decided to become a bandit. The home life is ideal until one day the shadow creeps across the threshold in the coming of Mrs. Wright's first husband who, driven from the East by his misdeeds, by accident finds the wife he deserted and who believed him dead. Danvers tries to persuade her to assist him in a new crime, the abstraction of certain deeds belonging to her second husband, and finding that she would rather tell her husband the entire truth than do so, plans the diabolical plot of making Billy, his own son, a thief and outlaw. By the aid of liquor he succeeds in this but even then he does not get possession of the coveted papers even though he murders both Wright and his wife and being found almost red-handed by Billy who takes an oath to avenge their deaths. Billy becomes an outlaw in reality and there is a reward upon his head, for the second act finds him at the head of a band, the most feared man in the territory. Many are the traps laid for him but he escapes them all and returns to the East to lead an honest and God-fearing life, accompanied by the girl he has loved from childhood. The love interest that is developed in the telling of the story is exceedingly strong and the types which are introduced are taken from life and well and clearly drawn.

HYMENEAL.

Miss Sylvia Degroat, of Hawley, and James Crow, of the same place, were united in marriage by Justice of the Peace Robert Smith on Wednesday afternoon.

Kathryn M., daughter of Mr. and Mrs. John Meyers, was united in marriage to George F. Southerton on Monday. The ceremony was performed at St. Magdalen's parochial residence, Rev. Wm. Dassel officiating.

OBITUARY.

O'ROUKE.—Margaret, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Michael O'Rourke, of White Mills, died at their home at that place on Wednesday afternoon. The deceased was fifteen years of age and has suffered from lung trouble for the past year. The funeral will be held from St. Julian's church this morning and interment will be made in the Catholic cemetery at Hawley.

SOUTHERTON.—William J. Southerton died at his home on Cottage street early Wednesday morning after a two weeks' illness of typhoid fever. Deceased was seven years of age. He was born in New York but has resided in Honesdale for a number of years being employed as glasscutter at this place. Besides his parents he is survived by one sister, Beatrice, and the following brothers: George, Richard, and Jerome. The funeral will be held on Friday afternoon and interment will be made in Glen Dyberry cemetery.

JONES.—Mrs. Solomon Jones, whose maiden name was Smith and a native of Smith Hill, Pa., died at Ariel, Pa., on Tuesday, aged 71 years. She is survived by her husband, and the following children: George of Oneida, Nebraska; Mrs. Mattie Swartz, Clark's Summit; J. F. Williams, Beech Grove; Mrs. Lizzie Rozenthal, New York city; George of vis, and Horace in the west; one vis and Horace in the west; one brother, Isaac Smith, Dunmore; one half brother, Frank Mills, of Honesdale, and one half sister, Mrs. Anna Boucher, of Carbondale.

JACKSON.—Mrs. Harvey T. Jackson died at her home, No. 57 Park street, Carbondale, at 10 o'clock Tuesday morning. Deceased had been confined to her home for the past several months and her death was not unexpected.

She was born in this place, May 6, 1857, being fifty-two years of age at the time of her death. Her maiden name was Frances Cornelia Benny. Mrs. Jackson was a woman of gracious manner and possessed a pleasing disposition, which endeared her to all who knew her. She was a member of the First Presbyterian church, of Carbondale. She is survived by her husband, H. T. Jackson, and one daughter, Mrs. Leon L. Bly, of Carbondale.

A short funeral service was held at the home in Carbondale at 4 p. m. Thursday. Rev. Charles Lee officiating. At 8:40 o'clock Friday morning the remains will be taken to Honesdale, where the funeral will be conducted by Rev. Dr. Swift, of the Presbyterian church. Interment will be made in Glen Dyberry cemetery.

Worth Knowing.

All houses are more or less overrun with mice, and, as the tiny creatures are capable of doing a great deal of mischief, it is only natural that the careful housewife should try and get rid of them.

A simple and ingenious plan consists of standing a small tub of water on a chair almost on a level with the pantry or cupboard shelf the mice most frequent, and then sprinkling the water thickly with oats.

The oats float on the water, and impart such an appearance of solidity to the surface that the unsuspecting mice, having a liking for oats, venture upon it at once, and, of course, are drowned.

LEGACY BY MURDERER.

Leaves All He Has to Wife and Man She'll Wed After He's Executed.

Wilkesbarre, Pa., Oct. 14.—There were two dramatic episodes in the last hours on earth of Stanley Nazarko and Thomas Willis, who were hanged here today.

Nazarko in the presence of the Rev. Joseph Sergalski presented to his wife and Michael Mazroski, whom she is to marry a few days after Nazarko's death, a dowry of \$1,200, the small fortune which he leaves.

Thomas Willis, the negro charged with the murder of Cameron Cool, admitted robbing Cool, but denied murdering him and forgave those who brought about his conviction.

The men were executed separately.

JUDGE ANDERSON'S DECISION.

The Department of Justice Apparently Not Taken by Surprise.

Washington, Oct. 14.—There is no disposition of the department of justice to discuss the action of Judge A. B. Anderson of the United States district court for Indiana in releasing Delevan Smith and Charles P. Williams, the Indianapolis publishers, whose extradition to the District of Columbia was sought by the government to have them tried on the Panama canal libel charge.

It is evident that the attorney general and his assistants were not taken by surprise. There is reason to believe that they will be much relieved when the case can be relegated to the judicial scrap heap.

MUCH HOSPITALITY SHOWN TEACHERS AT LAKE COMO

INTERESTING AND INSTRUCTIVE MEETING HELD ON OCTOBER FIRST AND SECOND.

At Lake Como Oct. 1st and 2nd was held the twelfth meeting of the Wayne County Teachers' Association. Eighty-five teachers were present to enjoy a good educational meeting. By the hospitality shown the teachers they were convinced that the people of Lake Como welcomed.

Friday Evening.—The session was held at the M. E. church. Rev. Emil conducted the devotional exercises. The Lake Como choir rendered a selection, a solo by Miss Florence Gilchrist and recitation by Miss Jennie Gilchrist were much appreciated. The lecturer, Mr. C. F. Hoban, superintendent of Dunmore Public Schools, was introduced. Besides thoroughly acquainting the audience with the ways of the English schools he described many peculiarities and historical settings of the British Isles. The lecture was exceptionally instructive and a large audience was present to enjoy it. The teachers appreciated the strenuous efforts made by the lecturer to be present at their meeting.

The day session was held at the school house Saturday, Oct. 2. Rev. Emil conducted the devotional exercises. Robert Sanford presented the subject "High School Libraries." The library is one of the essentials of success and is the culminating of all school work. The object of a school is to fit boys and girls to become citizens of the township, commonwealth and nation, to put them in position to further educate themselves. The test of education is to read discriminately and to practice what is read. Children should appreciate a library, not use it as a pastime and should be educated to choose books suited to them. The best books are those used as lights to pilot the child to highest literature. The object in teaching a child to read is to create an interest and interest them. Forcing a child to learn by heart is a practice more fitted to a Jack-daw. Reading dime novels indicates a trait to cultivate. Substitute good books and give the boy a start, then after creating an interest, substitute heavier books and also the classics. The classics required in school work need not be in the library. A child should buy his own books and by furnishing them it defeats the purpose. The library is incomplete without reference books. Research work adds to ability.

Mr. Koehler opened the discussion by stating that many books are not suited to the children; most of them are too old. The history and physiology can more effectively be taught in story form, told by the teacher in the lower grades. Too much time is wasted with text books, when the children cannot fluently read them. It is too much to ask a child to write a reproduction of a story before telling it. It takes an enthusiastic teacher to teach classics.

Mr. Dooley discussed the dangers of a discriminate library. A few good books well read are more essential. Teach rather than read the classics. The popular literature is stagnating the literary efforts of the country.

Mr. Oday gave some experience he has had in the kinds of literature used in the grades and stated the fact that very few High school pupils did any other reading of classics except the required list. As they have a love for popular literature rather than the classics and will soon be the teachers how can they instill the love for the classics in the pupils. Few love poetry and it is not necessary for them all to love it. Reading depends on the aim, whether for recreation or work. Popular novels were discussed and the question was whether they were right or wrong.

Mr. Dietrich stated that tastes change and new books ought to be available. Miss Gillen and Mr. Kennedy further discussed the subject.

Maggie Smith read a paper on "Primary History." The importance of teaching history, the method of presenting it by beginning with biographies and leading to actions of communities, studying the boyhood of prominent men, then leading the learner to understand the later development of character, incidents relating to the lives of great men, connecting events transpiring with past historical events, the use of pictures and poems were all well discussed in the paper.

Florence Gilchrist rendered a solo.

Mary A. Menner read a well-prepared paper on "Teachers' Pensions." "Contents of Children's Minds on Entering School" was the subject Vincent Van Horn presented. He stated the tests given in determining the knowledge of the children at that time. The tests reveal the fact that boys have more concepts than girls. City children have better concepts of objects in motion, while country children have concepts of animals and nature, although all their ideas are queer. It is the function of the Primary teacher to surround children with rich environment.

"Primary Helps" was well presented by Marguerite Kennedy. Her suggestion on busy work were very practical. The results of seed gathering and caterpillar raising were interesting and helpful. With the use of good educational papers many aids can be applied. "Orlando and Rosalind," recited by F. Gabrielle Blair, was much enjoyed.

Louise Lynch read a carefully prepared paper on "The Twin Sisters of the Soul." Articulate language and thoughtful are the twin sisters. Intelligent conversation is a true index of a highly cultured mind. Language, culture, good conversational power is one of the finest arts on which it would be worth while to bestow any amount of labor and time. Many vocations in life depend on our ability to converse. Thought is the key that controls our conversation. A thoughtful and well balanced mind will be seasoned with charity and good sense. Exaggeration causes more than two-thirds of the lying in many communities, dividing homes, friends, neighbors and churches. The most precious and imperishable treasure of a nation's treasures is its language. There can be no higher standards in fitting words.

"Do Rural Schools Meet the Needs of the Times" was introduced by Prof. Dietrich. A child should be put in position to fulfill the purpose of life. Rural schools fall short of their mission. They are deficient in fundamentals. They are expensive institutions. There is a lack of supervision, the haphazard methods used in the schools, unprepared teachers, irregular attendance, lack of enthusiasm, and lack of organization keep the schools at a low standard.

Addie Rauner carefully compared the "New versus the Old in School Work." She described the methods of old and the new methods, advising a choice between the two. The new methods are less severe than the old in punishments. Love and reason are used instead of fear.

Charles E. Martz talked on "The Profession." He discussed the causes of lack of respect for the profession and the remedy for enticing the patrons to become interested and inspiring respect.

Schools are run on too independent a system; a supervising agent is needed. Teachers must get at the true spirit. Elementary school teachers are at fault of a gap in the system between high schools and college. A true education is lacking and pupils are unfitted for entrance to such colleges as Harvard and Yale.

After casting a vote of thanks for the kind hospitality shown and the aid received in the program, the session was adjourned.

CLARA A. ECK, Secretary.



THE STORE QUESTION ?

It is easily solved by a visit to this store. We have such a splendid, complete selection of Silk, Lisle, Kid, Golf and Cashmere Suede in colors and black.

Our Ladies' Furnishings

are well worth your attention in Knit and Muslin Underwear, Corsets and Hosiery. We carry the best selected stock at the lowest prices.

Tell your friends when they want Ready-made Garments to visit our store, where they find ANYTHING and EVERYTHING that's NEW in wearing apparel.

KATZ BROS.