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FREELAND, PA., MONDAY, APRIL 27, 1896.

\$1.50 PER YEAR.

FOUR DARING ROBBERS.

POLICEMEN AND BURGLARS HAVE A FIGHT AT WHITE HANEN.

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solutely no particulars concerning his comrades.

When there was a lull in the shooting a figure was seen moving on the top of the box car and when commanded to come down he did so. He said he was an actor and a member of the Empire Star Company, which has been playing in Mauch Chunk, and he was innocent of any connection with the robbers. He was retained, however, but later in the day was released.

Three empty revolvers were found in the coal car, the latter showing the marks of over fifty bullets. An old stocking containing several sticks of dynamite was found in the postoffice, together with two very fine drills and some hammers, all making a fine collection of burglars' tools.

The wounded men were taken to Mauch Chunk and placed in jail.

Beware of Ointments for Catarrh

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Beware of Ointments for Catarrh
that contain mercury, as mercury will
surely destroy the sense of smell and
completely derange the whole system
when entering it through the mucous
surfaces. Such articles should never be
used except on prescriptions from reputfable physicians, as the damage they will
do is ten-fold to the good you can possibly derive from them. Hall's Catarrh
Cure, manufactured by F. J. Cheney &
Co., Toledo, O., contains no mercury,
and is taken internally, acting directly
upon the blood and mucous surfaces of
the system. In buying Hall's Catarrh
Cure be sure you get the genuine. It is
taken internally, and made in Toledo,
Ohlo, by F. J. Cheney & Co. Testimonials free.

Sold by druggists; price, 75c a bottle.

When Baby was sick, we gave her Castoria When she was a Child, she cried for Castoria When she became Miss, she clups to Castoria m she became Miss, she clung to Ca m she had Children, she gave them C

A pair of Wear Well shoes will outlast anything bought at the same price.

ground to death under the wheels of the engine.

Suspension at Several Collieries.

All colleries owned and operated by the Lehigh Coal and Navigation Company throughout the Panther Creek valley, which includes Lansford and vicinity, closed down on Friday evening and will remain idle until May 4. This move on the part of the company is discouraging to the miners, who have only been averaging about half time for several months. This will be the longest continuous suspension that has occurred in the Panther Creek valley for a number of years.

Upper Lehigh, Sandy Run and all colleries which ship via the Jersey Central suspended operations on Friday and will not resume until next Friday or Monday.

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Alleged Heir of Penn Wants Land.

R. Penn Davis and his attorney are at the county seat looking up certain tracts of land which originally belonged to William Penn. Mr. Davis claims he is the nearest living relative to the great Quaker and says hedys a great-great-great-great-grandson. The land claimed by Mr. Davis is near Nanticked and is a part of the Sunbury manor laid out by the Penns in the last century. Mr. Davis claims that he can from living witnesses prove that he is a great-great-grandson of John Penn, and by documentary evidence that the latter was a grandson of John Penn.

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Joseph Stevenson, of Butler Valley, by his attorney, John M. Garman, brought suit last week against the Jeddo Tunnel Company, the Markles, Pardees and various other persons interested in the Jeddo tunnel, for \$100,000 damages. The plaintiff was conducting a manufactory of woolen goods on one of the small streams into which the mine water which is drained by the tunnel now empties and thereby destroyed his machinery by the action of the sulpher water and making the stream unit for the purpose of following his business.

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Interviewed Superintendent Smith.
A number of Freeland business men had an interview on Friday afternoon at Drifton with L. C. Smith, superintendent of the D. S. & S. Railroad and the Coxe Iron Manufacturing Company. Mr. Smith assured them that the prospects of increased work on the railroad and in the shops were never brighter, and that a marked improvement in the business of both companies was expected this summer. The superintendent also promised to inquire into the advisability of extending the D. S. & S. into Freeland.

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Daniel J. McCarthy has entered the
political field again, and as a candidate
for the Democratic nomination of state
senator, he expects to be successful. If
nominated D. J. can be counted upon to
make the next election one of the
liveliest that the district has ever known.

PLEASURE CALENDAR.

28.—Fair of Division 20, A. O. H.,

April 28.—Fair of Division 50, 70.
at Eckley.
May 29.—Ball of the Fearnots Athletic
Association, at Cross Creek hall. Admission, 50 cents.
May 30.—Seventh annual pienic of the
Tigers Athletic Club at Freeland
Public park.

Killed a Dog on Saturday.

Last Thursday Nellie, the seven-year-old daughter of Burgess McLaughlin, was bitten in two places on the arm by a dog on Walnut street. The little one's father was unable to learn whose dog it was, and on Saturday took the girl out with him in the hopes that they would meet the animal. The dog, after bitting the girl on Thursday, ran into the saloon of Joseph Lutz, and there the burgess called on Saturday, leaving the little one outside.

Mrs. Lutz called her two dogs and twen they arrived the burgess opened the bar-room door to call in Nelle.

Ill mediately, the animal which was wanted darted ort on the street and y again attacked the child.

Hearing her screams Mr. McLaughlin ran out and found the dog tearing vitt clously at the girls clothes. He drew his revolver and shot the brute. The wound was not fatal, but with the assistance of Daniel Felier the animal was likeled.

Residents of Walnut street will feel a little safer since there is one canine less to bother them.

Police Raid Vehicles.

Early Friday morning the police of Hazleton in company with a number the service of the city, and the company with a number Hazleton in company with a number the service of the city, and the company with a number t

children, 10 cents.

Erecting Scales at Collieries.

The Lehigh Valley Coal Company has men engaged in fitting up weigh scales at their various collieries. The idea is to weigh all the coal after the cars are run from under the chutes at the breakers instead of hauling it to such points as Packerton. There will be two scales arranged, one to weigh the empty cars before they are run under the breaker, and another to weigh them after they are loaded. All the Lehigh Valley collieries will be equipped with scales before September 1.

fore September I.

Undue Violence in Chastising a Pupil.

M. F. Shannon, principal of the Blackman school, in Wilkesbarre township, was arrested on a warrant sworn out by Mrs. Mary Berry. He is charged with using undue violence in chastising her son, Patrick, aged 12 years. The beating is alleged to have been administered February 12. Mr. Shannon entered ball for court. The testimony of two pupils to the effect that Mr. Shannon merely shook the boy, was given at the preliminary hearing.

nary hearing.

Wassil Convicted of Murder.

The verdict in the Peter Wassil case, which was tried at Wilkesbarre last week, was guilty of murder in the first degree. The case went to the jury at 6.30 o'clock on Friday evening. The first ballot was unanimous for conviction. Wassil heard the verdict without betraying any emotion. He said he expected to escape with manslaughter. His wife and little daughter wept as they said good-bye to him.

Building Notes.

John M. Cunnius has entered into a contract with A. J. Keenan, Jr., to build a large double block of buildings on the east side of Walnut street, west of Ridge.

Mr. Cunnius will shortly break ground for a double block for Daniel O. Krommes at Abuston.

tor a double block for Daniel O. Krom-mes at Alvinton.

The masons have commenced work upon the foundation walls of the overall factory building.

Does Advertising Pay?

Two weeks ago the bicycle ad of C. D. Rohrbach appeared in the TRIBUXE. Four wheels sold for spot cish since is the result. This paper is read by the buyers of the North Side, and the money spent for advertising in it is well invested.

Reported by C. A. Snow & Co., Wash-ngton, D. C. J. Auble, Wilkesbarre, lawn-sprayer. M. Berger, South Bethlehem, valve or steam-eylinders.

r steam-cylinders. H. Hunt, Wilkesbarre, pencil.

Klotz.—At Freeland, April 23, Lillian A., daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Walter Klotz, aged 4 years, 10 months and 19 days. Interred on Saturday at Free-land cemetery.

Hazleton Firebugs Found Guilty.

James Passarello, James Carone, camerani and Michael Speri, the Haz ton Italians who were tried for ars were found guilty at Wilkesbarre Friday. Passarello and Carone we convicted of robbery at the last term court and were sentenced to five yein the penitentiary. If all the cases; pressed against the gang they will spe the remainder of their lives in jail.

When taken into court on Saturd

Special Election to Be Held.

At a special meeting of the borous acts about on Thursday the commutee on new building made its report of the committee had made investigation and inquiries regarding the kind building that could be creeted with it money obtainable, and reported in faw of erecting another school. It is to of brick and will contain eight rooms. Richard Kealey has been engaged draw up plans, and Attorney Carr we authorized to make the necessary preparations for a special election on May? when the voters will decide whether not the school debt shall be increased.

Judge Cool and Son Hurt.

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Judge Cool, aged 88 years, and his son.
C. L. Cool, both of West Pittston, were
quite seriously injured in Hazleton on
Thursday evening. While driving from
Beaver Meadow, Judge Cool's formet
home, to Hazleton, their horse became
unmanageable and ran away, throwing
out the occupants of the earriage. They
were dragged a considerable distance,
Judge Cool had his right wrist sprained
and received a bad cut on the right
knee. His son had three large cuts on
the head and was otherwise bruised and
scratched.

and 7 o'clock p. m., for the purpose of obtaining the assent of the electors thereof to such increase of indebtedness.

Last assessed valuation of property, \$182,113,00 Present existing indebtedness. 2,350,50 Present existing indebtedness. 2,350,50 Present existing indebtedness. 12,474,11 Proposed increase. 12,474,11 Proposed increase. 12,474,11 Proposed increase in the indebtedness is to be increased is to raise funds with which to creat a new school building, in the held at the following polling places:

North ward, First district—At the town council room on the north side of Frant street. North ward, fourth district—At the base-west corner of Walnut and Ridge streets.

South ward, Second district—At the building of Peter Timony on southeast corner of Centre and Sarthey South ward, Second district—At the office room lately occupied by Mrs. Charles A. Johnson, now occupied by Daniel Honer, on the west side of Centre and the phose street.

President board of directors, president board of directors, president board of directors, president board of directors, Preeland berough school district.

BRIEF ITEMS OF NEWS.

PARAGRAPHS GATHERED FROM ALL PARTS OF THE REGION.

The Wear Well has just the kind of hoes you need for this weather.

High Constable Mollick, who is also night watchman, has purchased a police number and uniform. Junior Mechanics of town will pay a raternal visit to the West Hazleton council this evening.

has resigned, and will enter business for himself here.
Edward Carr, of Beaver Brook, has been missing from his home since Tueschday last, and his family fears that he has been foully dealt with.
Hazleton councilmen are considering an ordinance which restricts bicycle riders to a speed not greater than four miles an hour within the city limits.

The annual meeting of the German Social Club Thursday evening was held at the Central hotel, where the members and their guests enjoyed an elegant banquet.

Mildred, the four-year-old daughter of I. L. Edmunds, who was formerly a eacher in the borough schools, died at leveland, Ohio, last Tuesday, from liphtheria.

William D. Evans, of Wilkesbarre, committed suicide on Saturday afternoon by deliberately walking into the river in cront of the Wyoming Valley hotel and drowning himself.

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C. D. Rohrbach, who aspires to the Democratic nomination of tax collector, is the first to make a formal announcement of his candidacy. His card appears in today's issue.

The funeral of the late Fred Haas was attended by many friends and relatives on Thursday afternoon. Rev. J. H. Schmidt and J. J. Kuntz preached eloquent sermons over the remains.

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Rev. J. V. Moylan, who has for several years assisted Rev. Cummisky in St. Gabriel's parish, Hazleton, has been appointed to the parish at Honesdale, to which place he will go on Tuesday.

Robert Kresge, a young man who recently came to town, was taken to Laurytown almshouse yesterday by Geo. Wise, Esq., of Jeddo. He has been ill for some time and has no relatives in these parts.

Patrick March.

mainder of his days.

James J, Ward will be an applicant for truant officer, a position which the new compulsory education act has made necessary. The appointment will be made by the school board after the reorganization next June.

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Wanted.—A reliable lady or gentlema:
o distribute samples and make a houseb-house canvass for our vegetable toile
saps and pure flavoring extracts. \$4
so \$75 a month easily made. Addres
rofts & Reed, Chicago, Ill.

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POLITICAL ANNOUNCEMENTS.

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R. E. DONAUGHEY,

of Hazleton,
Subject to the decision of the Republic

THOMAS M. POWELL, of Hazleton.
Subject to the decision of the Republic egislative convention.

DANIEL J. McCARTHY,

of Freeland.
Subject to the decision of the Democra
senatorial convention. FOR TAX COLLECTOR

C. D. ROHRBACH.

39c

The fine laundered Percale Shirts, which we sold till now for 48c, are reduced to 39c.

49c

We just received a line of extra fine, double yoke, laundered Percale Shirts, regular make, full sizes and newest designs, worth 75c, which we will let go now at 49c. Better grades a little higher.

25c

Will buy a nobby Golf Cap in any shade you like. For 40c we will give you a little better quality.

48c

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99c

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erfect fit guaranteed and style up-to-date. rices equally as low as any house in town.

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