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MISCELLANEOUS ADVERTISEMENTS

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POLITICAL PICKUPS.

Slates are being made for the Democratic county convention, which meets on August 25. The Newsleader proposes this one: Congressman, John M. Garman, Nanticoke; senator, Dr. E. W. Rutter, Freeland; treasurer, George H. Shiffer, Mill Creek; register, John J. Brislin, Sugar Notch; commissioners, John Guiney, Wilkesbarre, and C. H. McGraw, Beach Haven, or J. Sterling Koons, Huntingdon. The Leader thinks the following would be a good one: Congressman, Judge D. L. Rhone of Colmel R. Bruce Ricketts, Wilkesbarre; senator, Peter A. O'Boyle, Pittston; treasurer, Rudolph C. Hitchler, Nanticoke; register, Anthony Reilly, Hazleton; commissioners, Thomas M. Dullard, Wilkesbarre, and either John Guiney, Patrick Finn, Frank Baab, J. R. Coolbauger, Deemer Beidelman or J. Sterling Koons. Slates are being made for the Dem-

ling Koons.

In our advertising column appears the card of John J. Brislin, who announces himself as a candidate for register of wills and clerk of the orphans' court. Should the Democrats decide to recognize the claims of Mr. Brislin on Augus nize the claims of Mr. Brislin on August 25 they will perform a service which the party owes this aspirant. He has been a candidate for county offices before, but in the interest of harmony and for the sake of unity has stepped aside voluntarily whenever the party'y success seemed endangered by a contest. He has been an earnest and hard worker in the ranks for years, and is applying for something which his three years experience as deputy proves him capable of fulfilling.

A meeting of the Republican county

fulfilling.

A meeting of the Republican county candidates was held on Monday and L. P. Holcomb, of West Pittston, was elected chairman of the county committee. Mr. Holcomb is at present chief clerk in the office of Prothonotary Llewellyn. Watter B. Koons was elected secretary. Fred Theis, of Wilkesbarre, was chosen treasurer, and the vice chairmen are J. B. Williams, of Wilkesbarre; Williams, of Wilkesbarre; Williams, of Hazle township, and John Mainwaring, of Plymouth.

Pennsylvania Democrats can breathe easier now. William B. Singerly, of the Philadelphia *Record*, who is one of the electors on the state ticket, gave notice

BRIEF ITEMS OF NEWS.

PARAGRAPHS GATHERED FROM ALI PARTS OF THE REGION.

ynopsis of Local and Miscellaneous Oc-currences That Can Be Read Quickly. What the Folks of This and Other Towns are Doing.

Rev. Father Neale, of Hartford, Conn., is visiting at the home of Dr. H. M. Neale, Upper Lehigh. Services at the P. M. church for Sun-

day next are as follows: Preaching at 10.30 a. m. and 7 p. m. Sunday school

A case of diphtheria was reported to-day to Health Officer Ward. It is in the family of August Wonderlick, East Main street.

Pretty dress goods at Oswald's.

The Lorretta Club of Philadelphia, which was granted permission last May to use the Public park next month, wil arrive here on Saturday and go into

An infant child of Thomas Gould and All man child of Inolas doubt and wife died yesterday at their home or Ridge street. The funeral takes place tomorrow afternoon. Interment a Freeland cemetery.

Freeland cemetery.

Foster township school board met on Monday evening and awarded the contract to Lewis Lentz, of Freeland, to build the new school at Hazle Brook, for \$716, which was the lowest bid.

A farewell hop was given at Cross Creek hall last night by the young ladies of Drifton in honor of Miss Ross Higgins, who leaves today for Philadelphia, where she intends to reside in the future.

B. & G. carrets are sold at Oswald's Big Sale This Week!

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R. & G. corsets are sold at Oswald's.
Matthew Dennion, a well known resident of this region, died at Hazleton hospital on Monday, and was buried from the home of his sister, Mrs. Michael Whalen, at Leviston yesterday.

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The bicycle race to be run from Free-land to White Haven tomorrow will be started at 4 p. m. at the borough line, near South Heberton. The racers are Mitchell C. Gallagher and John T. Danaker, both of White Haven.

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four members present. The sale of the
bonds was then postponed until Saturdays evening.

The directory issued by the Hazleton Sentinel for that city and Freeland has appeared and is a creditable piece of work. The population of this town is placed at 5,616, which is about correct. The publisher, C. B. Suyder, has our thanks for a copy of this valuable book.

For bed bugs, roaches and moths, buy 'Tebnoy," the best insect destroyer in he world. Sold at A. Oswald's.

According to an order lately issued by the postoffice department all railroad, railway and stage route lines are prohibited from carrying letters or parcel between postoflice towns. The govern-ment claims considerable business is done by them which should be go through the local postofic m which should legitimately

Severe Thunder Storm.

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A heavy downpour of rain and hail, accompanied by lightning and thunder, took place here on Monday afternoon. For more than an hour the storm raged with remarkable fury, and the vivid lightning flashes and loud thunder crashes caused much alarm. Lightning did slight damage in pearly all the surdid slight damage in nearly all the sur-rounding towns, but no serious results were roported.

Will Build a Parsonage

More than a dozen liquor dealers of Hazleton were arrested on Tuesday for

MINE INSPECTORSHIP.

Applicants Are Receiving Some Knotty
Problems These Days.

The examination of applicants for
mine inspector was continued at Wilkesbarre on Monday. The questions asked

Give a concise but comprehensive ex planation of the following terms: 1, aerpophore; 2, motive column; 3, equivalent orifice; 4, co-efficient of friction; 5, Shaw's gas testing apparatus; 6, barrier system; 7, water gauge and the constant 5.3; 8, volt; 9, amphere; 10, ohm

ohm.

What are the necessary qualifications of an anthracite mine inspector under the ulne law of 1891, in order that he may properly discharge the duties of his office? Explain fully.

the family of August Wonderlick, East
Main street.

Freeland people are large users of
oostal cards. Postmaster Boyle's sales
ure from 4,000 to 4,500 per month all
the year round.

Source Steplain fully.

If an airway measuring 7x7 has 30,000
cubic feet of air passing per minute,
what should be the dimensions of a
square airway to pass 55,000 cubic feet
of air per minute with the same pressure?

sure?

A volume of 155,650 cubic feet of air enters the mine at temperature of thirty-two degrees Fahr. What is the volume at the outlet, temperature being sixty-live degrees Fahr.?

Quote the law in relation to appli-

ances for escape and means of ingre-

What is the theoretical water gaug What is the theoretical water gauge due to a perlphery speed of 3,600 feet per minute by a Guibal fan twenty feet in diameter, the density of water to that of air being as 1,000 to 1.2?

What are the duties under the anthracite mine law of 1891, of a mine owner, operator or superintendent, of a mine foreman or his assistants?

If the water gauge is eight-tenths of

If the water gauge is eight-tenths of an inch for 20,000 cubic feet of air per minute, what will be the water gauge for 50,000 cubic feet?

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A shaft is 1,200 feet deep, the plough steel hoisting rope is 1½ inches in diameter; the ascending cage with loaded car weighs ten tons; the descending cage with empty car weighs six tons; the ropes are unbalanced. Calculate the movements of load on the engines at five different points in the shaft, taken from the position of ascending cage, viz: 1,200 feet, 900 feet, 600 feet, 300 feet, and at top.

J. Harvey Faulda, of Wilkesbarre, yesterday dropped out. There remains fifteen applicants.

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Summer shoes cheap at the Wear Well. The Cross Creek Coal Company has completed arrangements to drive a tunnel from No. 4 slope, Beaver Meadow, to Quakake valley, one and a half miles in length, to drain several collieries in that section. It will be on the same plan as the famous dedot tunnel.

Grand mid-summer clearing sale now in progress at the Wear Well Shoe House.

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At St. James' Protestant Episcopal church, Drifton, an offering was taken up on Sunday for the families of the entembed miners at the Twin shaft, Pittston, at the morning service and in the Sunday schools in the afterneon. The total offerings amounted to the magnificent sum of \$807.52, which has been forwarded to the treasurer of the Relief Fund. This is a grand showing for our neighboring town, and it should spur neighboring town, and it should spur the people here to do a little for their unfortunate fellows creatures of the oal fields.

Situation at Pittston.

Only soventeen men are now at work on each shift in the Twin shaft at Pitts-ton. Of these, seven work in the fact of the slope removing the rock. The other ten patrol the workings, keeping a sharn lookout for as and strengthena sharp lookout for gas and strengthening the timber in the weak places. Very little progress is being made.

A reduction in the wages of the reso gangs was made yesterday, and all stop-ped work as a result. The company says that the work will be continued at the cheap rate,

On Monday John Shigo sold his vacant lots, 50x130 feet, at the southeast corner of Luzerne and Ridge streets, to the trustees of St. John's Slavonian Catholic church. The congregation will soon begin the erection of a parsonage there for the pastor, Rev. John Stas. The location is an excellent one, being directly opposite the church and across from the Grand opera house.

Will Try It Again.

On Saturday evening the members of the Citizens' Hose Company will try once more to hold the pienic which had to be postponed on July 4 and July 25 on account of rain. The committee claims that special arrangements have been given by the weather man for this occasion, and a beautiful evening has been promised them. If the firemen get had a chance on Saturday night they propose to make it the picnic of the

electors on the state ticket, gave notice yesterday that if elected he will vote in the electoral colleges for Bryan and Sewall. We thought all along the colonel was only joking when he talked of bolting.

The Prohibitionists of the county will meet in convention on Saturday at Wilkesbarre, and place in nomination candidates for congressman, senator, treasurer, register of wills and two commissioners. Other matters of importance will be transacted.

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The New Telephone Company.

McAdoo's First Election.

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Read - the - Tribune.

MARRIED YESTERDAY. Open Air Wedding at Hazle Parl Attracted Much Attention.

An Open Air Wedding at Hazle Park
Tracted Much Attention.
From the Hazleton Plain Speaker.
The wedding of Miss Lena Graaf, of
this city, to Thomas Oberrender, of
Drifton, at Hazle Park yesterday afternoon, was a brilliant and also a unique
social event. It was the first wedding
that ever occurred at Hazleton's pleasure resort and as such will long be
remembered as one of the novel nuptial
affairs that occurred in this vicinity.
The pleasant weather, combined with
the delightful atmosphere within the
park, made the occasion an enjoyable
one for the contracting parties and their
namy guests.

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The pavilion where the wedding occurred was tastefully decorated, every portion of the frame work being hidden from view either by potted plants or fragrant flowers, which arranged artisically, presented a most beautiful effect tically, presented a most beautiful effect.
On the trees surrounding the pavilion
were hung in endless profusion Chinese
lanterus, bunting, etc., which also added
to the gayety of the scene.
As the guests arrived they were escorted to seats by the ushers, Messrs. Stanley Oberrender, Dr. H. W. Monroe and
Joseph Gabrio.
At 3 o'clock, the time set for the ceremony, all were seated in the spacious

At 3 clock, the time set for the cere-mony, all were seated in the spacious auditorium awaiting the entrance of the bridal party, who, at the appointed hour, entered the pavillon from the ante-rooms which had been erected on the balcony

entered the pavilion from the ante-rooms which had been erected on the balcony in the rear, Hazle orchestra rendering in soft tones Lohrengrin's wedding march.

The groom and his best man, Harry Haworth, of Drifton, were preceded by the ushers, the flower girls, Helen Schlenker and Katle Seybert, and the bridesmaids. Misses Maggie Doerflinger bridesmaids, Misses Maggle Doerfilinger, of Pottsville; Sophia Kastner, of Philadelphia; Lillian May Birkbeck, of Freeland, and Annie Wiegand, of Hazleton, following. Then came the bride leaning on the arm of her father, J. W. Gratf, Rev. J. O. Schlenker, the officiating clergyman, being in waiting in the public.

pulpit.

The bridal party took positions in The bridal party took positions in front of the altar under a large bell, where in solemn tones the pastor pronounced the words binding the happy couple for life. Hazle orchestra in the meantime, in low tones, rendered sweet strains of music.

The bridal couple departed on the 8:15 train on their wedding tour which will comprise a visit to Buffalo, Niagara Falls and a trip on the St. Lawrence river in Canada. From the latter trip they will tour the country to Boston and then to

tour the country to Boston and then to New York, where it is their intention to New York, where it is their intention to be present at a dinner to be given in honor of Captain Thalehorst, an inti-mate friend of the bride's father. Re-turning from the metropolis, Mr. and Mrs. Oberrender will take up their resi-dence on Ridge street, Freeland.

Blackberry Pickers Buried. While picking blackberries on a m

tain near Tamaqua on Tuesday after noon, Fred Lousch and James Aiken Jr., of Seek, walked into a mine breach

Jr., of Seek, walked into a mine breach for the purpose of securing some fine berries which grew there, at the same time warning a little girl who accompanied them, to remain above and wait for them.

Hardly had the men reached the bottom of the hole, when the ground gave way beneath them, carrying them several hundred feet beneath the surface, which is known as the "first lift" in No. 11 mines.

The alarm was instantly given, but

The alarm was instantly given, but too late. They were already covered with thousands of tons of earth. Miners working in the second lift heard the

noise.

Two Men Killed on Monday.

William Quinn and Mike Brazil were killed at Bear Ridge colliery, Mahanoy Plane, on Monday by an explosion of gas which wrecked the mine. The colliery was idle and there were but few men in the slope when the explosion occurred. If the colliery had been in operation the result might have been appalling. Quinn was instantly killed and his body horribly mutilated by the force of the explosion, which threw him down the manway of a breast. Brazil was shockingly burned and lived a short time after he was taken out.

THE WESLEY LEAGUE. ONE-HALF

SCHUYLKILL DISTRICT CONVENTION WILL BE HELD HERE

Annual Meeting of the Leaguers of Low er Luzerne and Schuyikill Countie Takes Place on Tuesday Next-Pro gramme of the Session.

On Tuesday, August 4, the Wesley League convention of the Schuylkill district will be held in the P. M. church, Freeland, commencing at 10.30 a. m. and 2 p. m. A mass meeting will be held at 7.30 p. m., when addresses will be delivered by Dr. Bateman, of Girardville, and other visiting ministers. Recitations, reading and songs will be given during each session. The young people's societies of town are invited by Rev. S. Cooper, the pastor, to be present. MORNING SESSION.

G. Lees, Presiding.
Devotional exercises, conducted by President George Lees.
Address of welcome, Miss M. Bell, Freeland. Freeland, commencing at 10.30 a.

Freeland.

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Response to welcome address, Rev ames Moore, Shenandoah.

Reception of delegates.

Appointment of committees.

Miscellaneous business.

Election of officers.

AFTERNOON SESSION Devotional exercises, conducted by

esident-elect. Anthem, Freeland choir. Recitation, Master Clarence Evans

Seek.
Paper, on "The League's Relation to
the Community," Rev. H. V. Sharpe,
Wade. Discussion opened by Rev. S. T.
Nicholls, Mahanoy City.

Paper, on "League Etiquette," Miss da M. Bateman, Girardville. Discus-tion to be opened by Rev. Richards, St.

Recitation, Miss Millie Willing, Seek EVENING SESSION.

Devotional exercises, by president

elect.
Anthem, Freeland choir,
Recitation, Miss Gallop, Hazleton,
Paper, on "Is the League Living Up
to Its Privileges and Dutles? If Not,
Why Not?" Rev. G. Lees, Hazleton,
Discussion to be opened by Rev. W. F.
Nicholls, Famonum

Nicholls, Tamaqua. Solo.

Paper, on "How to Make a Junior League a Successful League," Mrs. J. Dunn, Seek. Discussion opened by Rev. T. M. Bateman, D. D., Girardville, Address, by Rev. T. M. Bateman, D. D., Girardville, Singing, Freedand above.

D., Grardville.
Singing, Freeland choir.
Benediction.
The officers of the league are as follows: President, Rev. G. Lees, Hazleton; vice president, Mrs. J. Dunn, Seck secretary, W. J. Harper, Mahanoy City treasurer, Miss Laura Thomas, Wades

Attorney Ruddy Means Fight.

P. J. Ruddy, who has been acting as prosecutor in the efforts to have money paid to the Messrs, Quigley and O'Brien surcharged to the county commissioners, has addressed a note to Controller Lloyd in which he says:

"I desire to inform you of the fact that Messrs, Quigley and O'Brien have presented a claim against the county of

that Messrs, Quigley and O'Brien have presented a claim against the county of Luzerne for alleged services in certain criminal cases, and that they have already received upon the same the sum of \$1,440 which is far in excess of any fees they are intitled to, and that an effort will be made by them to collect the balance. Therefore, I wish to notify you that they have no contract upon which they are entitled to any compensation for such services in such cases other than those that are allowed by law; and that if you approve their bill for such alleged services and indorse the warrant of the commissioners of the same, I will be forced to take legal proceedings against you and protect the county from the unlawful payment of the money." presented a claim against the county of

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An Unknown Body Found.

The body of an unknown man was found in some bushes on the west side of the river below Plymouth Monday afternoon. It is so badly decomposed, however, that the cause of the death cannot be determined by a postmortem. The body is unrecognizable. It may be that of John Bragg, of Edwardsville, the disappeared several weeks ago. bys. Dry Goods, half a chance on Saturday night they propose to make it the picnic of the season.

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that of John Bragg, of Edwardsville, them. They offer one hundred dollars of any case it fails to cure. Send for circulars and testimonials. Address, the was a sober, industrious fellow and his disappearence caused great surprise.

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