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A writer in the New York Sun says that the ladies in foreign lands are fol-lowing the American ladies in de-manding the paper patterns for all sorts of wearing apparel, and with their assistance learning to do their awn drespmaking

Never think that the feet will grow urge from wearing proper shoes, inching and distorting make them row not only large, but unsightly. A roper natural use of all the muscles takes them compact and attractive.

RAILROAD TIMETABLES BRIEF ITEMS OF NEWS.

PARAGRAPHS GATHERED FROM ALL PARTS OF THE REGION.

Services will be held as usual in St. aul's P. M. church on Sunday by Rev.

Paul's P. M. church on Sunday by Rev. S. Penglase.

Mrs. Andrew J. Collins, formerly of Freeland, died in Wilkesbarre last week. She had been ill for some time past.

Owing to a misunderstanding, "Tennessee's Pardner" will not be played here next Monday evening, as stated in our last issue.

A number of boys began work in the silk mill this morning, and the force will be gradually increased until twenty-five or more are employed.

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Iden Mayfield Portser, of Freeland, has registered at the county seat as a practicing physician. He is employed as an assistant by Dr. Geo. S. Wentz, of Drifton.

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M. Bloom, of Mt. Carmel, has been arrested and held under \$300 bail charged with a violation of the law prohibiting the sale of cigarettes to boys under sixteen years of age.

No services will be held on Sunday morning in St. John's Reformed church, Freeland, on account of confirmation at Eckley. Services here at 7.30 in the evening, in English.

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Through the courtesy of Superintendent Smith, of Jeddo, the Bachelor Club of Highland has been granted the use of a dwelling house in that town. The building is being fitted up for club purp>:es and will open in a short while.

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Detective R. P. Riley, who has instituted suits against several physicians for non-compliance with the state laws relating to their profession, was in town this week, and says he intends to also prosecute all undertakers who are doing business without a license.

Carr.—At Freeland, April 12, to Mr and Mrs. Peter B. Carr, a son.

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Catarrh Cannot Be Cured
with LOCAL APPLICATIONS, as they cannot reach the seat of the disease. Catarrh is a blood or constitutional disease, and in order to cure it you must take internal remedies. Hall's Catarrh Cure is staken internally, and acts directly on the blood and mucous surfaces. Hall's Catarrh Cure is not a quack medicine. It was prescribed by one of the best physicians in this country for years, and is a regular prescription. It is composed of the best tonics known, combined with the best tonics known, combined with the best tonics known, rembined with the best tonics known, rembined with the best tonics known, combined with the best tonics known, rembined with the remove the remove that the remove the remov

Councilmen in Session.

An adjourned meeting of the borough council was held on Monday evening with all members present except Messrs. Smith and Keck. An opinion from the solicitor in reference to the publication of the financial statement, which council had decided to publish in but two papers, stated that the law made no provision for a foreign paper. Before proceeding, to open the bids it was decided to return the letter of the Slavonian Truth. A motion prevailed, with the bidders' consent, that iff the two lowest bids should vary in price the difference would be averaged.

The bids were then opened and found to read as follows: TRIBUXE, 862.80; The work was awarded the Press and Progress at \$61.20 each.

The auditors were instructed to add the date of maturity of the several objections of the borough for publication.

Was There a Square Deal?

Citizens and newspapers in the upper end of the county are exercised over a scandal connected with the award of the new courthouse to a Pittsburg architect. It is alleged that there was undue influence in the matter, and further developments are anticipated from the testimony of one of the county commissioners, Mr. Guiney, who was not in accord with his two conferers in disposing of the half million dollar contract.

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Denis Boyle a well-known saloon man of Hazleton, was married on Tuesday to Miss Mary E. Sweeney, of Allentown. The bride is a young lady who has a large acquaintance in this vicinity.

Scott & Ashman have accepted the agency for a new style gasoline lamp. One was placed on exhibition last evening in George W. Faltz's barber shop and gave forth a brilliant, white light.

The new bell recently placed in position on St. Mary's Greek Catholic church will be dedicated with the societies connected with the church will be one of the features.

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Aged Lady Dies of Heart Fallure.

Mrs. Anna Elizabeth Haas, relict of the late Fred Haas, died on Tuesday at the residence of her son, John H., in Hazleton, after an illness of two weeks due to heart failure. Mrs. Haas was born in Harring, Germany, March 5, 1826, and emigrated to this country in 1850. The family resided in New York, Tamaqua and Hazleton. Afterward they occupied a farm in Beaver Valley, and later moved to Freeland, where they built the Cottage hotel and embarked in the hotel business. Three years ago this month her husband died, since which time she has resided with her son. She is survived by three son's, John Volkenand, of South Heberton.

Asking Central to Come Here.

relating to their profession, was in town this week, and says he intends to also prosecute all undertakers who are doing business without a license.

School Directors Koons and Richards, of Banks township, have been finally beaten in the famous case instituted against them. The supreme court has stricken their appeal for a new trial off the records, and they must now pay their fine of \$5, costs of prosecution and be ousted from office.

The children of poor people in Hazleton are emptying their little savings banks in their efforts to raise the necessary \$5,000 to buy a stee for the silk mill which has offered to locate there. In the meantime the well-to-do classes have depossits in the local banks aggregating \$2,650,397,94.

The statement in the Tribune on Monday that Patrick Marley had been appointed to succeed the late Daniel Marley as mine superintendent of Markle & Co's. collieries was notcorrect. Joseph Birkbeek, of Ebervale, has been appointed to the position, and Patrick Marley succeeds Mr. Birkbeek as mine foreman at Ebervale.

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Suicide of a Lumber Dealer.

Townsend W. Boone, a member of the Lehigh Lumber Company, committed suicide on Monday at his home in Hazleton by sending a thirty-two calibre builet through his brain. Some weeks ago W. V. Larkins, the president of the company, died, and it was found that the company was insolvent and Mr. Boone lost all his money. Brooding over these financial difficulties was the cause of the deed.

MEN HAVE GRIEVANCES.

Held to Settle Difficulties.

Trouble is again brewing at the collieries of the Lehigh and Wilkesbarre Coal Company and at the Silver Brook colliery on the South Side. Yesterday's Plain Speaker says that at Silver Brook the company was asked to reduce the rent and also the price on coal, which the men claim is the highest in the region. Every family occupying a company house is obliged to pay \$2.75 per month for coal whether any coal is issed or not.

against some of the men. It is said that the company is gradually discharging the old hands and replacing them with new ones, which is considered unjust, as it is alleged no valid reasons exist for the discharge of the experienced hands. A meeting of Local 166, of the United Mine Workers, has been called for Thursday evening when this and other grievances will be considered. It is altogether likely that a committee will be appointed at this meeting to confer with

Mrs. Hugh McGroarty, Mrs. Thomas Elliott, Mrs. Daniel Boyle, Mrs. Bernard Gallagher, Mrs. Edward McGeehan and F. H. McGroarty are at Wilkesbarre today attending the funeral of a rela-tive, John Shearon, formerly a resident of Drifton.

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Hugh Malloy, Jr., has resigned his position as machinist in Drifton shops, and has gone to Jersey City, where he has been assured of employment.

Miss Sarah Dever, a young lady well known here and a niece of Mrs. Edward Gallagher, of Main street, is lying seriously ill in Philadelphia.

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Miss Annie Goeppert has returned to her home on Walout street after spending the winter in Brooklyn, N. Y.
Mrs. Rose Burns and family, of Upper Lehigh, removed yesterday to Bayonne City, N. J.
Abe Stroh, father of C. O. Stroh, Esq., is lying seriously ill at his home in Coxe addition.

Miss Bid Curran, of Drifton

Thomas Quigley, of town, has taken up his residence in Bethlehem. James C. Boyle removed his family from Eckley to town yesterday.

Africa's Large Lake.

Lake Superior is in danger of losing its distinction of being the largest fresh water lake in the world. African syplorers begin to think that Lake Victoria Nyanza is larger. Superior covers 31,200 square miles and Nyanza has been credited with 30,000, but recent explorations have discovered a hitherto unknown bay on its southern side which so increases its known area as to make it a question whether it is not larger than Superior. Fuller explorations and more careful surveys must be made, however, before a decision can be reached.

An Important Matter.

"He said he wanted to consult a privately on a matter of vital important thought it was a proposal."

"Wasn't it?"
"No, he wanted."

Death of Mrs. James McClellan.

Mrs. James McClenan died suddenly
at her home on "Adams street yesterday afternoon. The summons came
unexpectedly and the sad news caused
genuine sorrow among the many people
of the community who enjoyed her
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During the forenoon she attended her bousehold duties as usual and felt no warning of the impending danger. After preparing dinner for herself and son Harry she complained of pains, which were followed by vomiting spells. Medical assistance was summoned and every effort was made to relieve her. The end came at 5.30 o'clock in the afternoon, she remaining conscious to the last. Gastritis, aided by rheumatism in the system, caused her death. Mrs. McClellan was aged 65 years and 7 months. She was a native of Ireland. With her parents she went to Canada when young. Later they took up their residence at Summit Hill, and afterwards removed to Eckley. At the latter place she was married to Jahn Williamson, a brother of William and James Williamson and Mrs. Joseph Lindsay, of Freeland. When the call to arms came in the sixties, Mr. Williamson responded and fell fighting for his country. He was killed in the battle of the Wilderness in May, 1864, leaving his wife and one daughter, Tillie, now Mrs. John C. Berner, to survive him.

After her removal to Buck Mountain, Mrs. Williamson some years later was married to James McCllenan. They removed to Freeland about seventeen years ago. The following sons and daughters were born to them: John. Robert, Harry and Joseph McClellan, all of whom reside here. Mr. McClellan died on June 12, 1897.

The following step-children survive the deceased: Mrs. J. L. Dwyer, Perth Amboy, N. J.; Mrs. M. Dutter, Mauch Chnink; William McClellan, Weatherly.

James McCllenan, Mahanoy City, and Samuel McClellan, Weatherly.

James McCllenan, Weatherly.

The funeral will take place at 2 o'clock Saturday afternoon. The interment will be made at Freeland cemetery.

Reforms in Carbon County.

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various constables throughout the
county to visit all hotels and public
houses in their districts and to report to
court all such hotels containing slot
machines and other gambfing devices.
The judge said all such machines must
go. He also impressed upon the officers
his determination to keep all barrooms
closed tight on Sundays and asked their
co-operation.

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In his address to the grand jury he instructed that body to take legal steps towards collecting certain amounts surcharged the county commissioners in years past by the boards of county auditors. He consumed almost an hour in expatiating upon and instructing the grand inquest how to act on alleged irregularities in publishing the last annual statement of county receipts and expenditures by the present board of commissioners.

Wilkesbarre Postoffice Muddle.
Ex-Representative Morgan B. Willams, of Wilkesbarre, was in Washington on Monday and visited the postoffice
department in connection with matters
touching the Wilkesbarre office. An
inspector of the department who has
been examining the condition of the
Wilkesbarre office has recommended
that the present superintendent of
carriers, Long, be removed and that L.
W. Line, a clerk in the office, be promoted to be superintendent. Mr. Williams added his endorsement of this report, and suggested that the change
would be beneficial to the service.
Mr. Williams is anxious that a new
postmaster be appointed at Wilkesbarre, and would have discussed the
matter with the postmaster general,
but the latter is out of the city. It is
understood that Mr. Williams' son is an
applicant for the position, and will probably receive the appointment.

Iron Works Resume Operation.

The Vulcan Iron Works, of Tamaqua, one of the best equipped plants in the state, and which has done very little work for many years, resumed operations Monday morning. The plant is owned by Wilkesbarre capitalists, and while only a limited number of men began work Monday the number will be gradually increased, as the firm has sufficient contracts on hand to run the plant for several years.

Patents Granted.

Reported by C. A. Snow & Co., Washigton, D. C.

H. D. Hermany, Mahanoy City, dental

PLEASURE CALENDAR.

April 22.—Second annual hop of the ood Wills Athletic Association at Yan-es' opera house. Tickets, 25 cents. April 29.—Benefit hop at Yannes' pera house. Tickets, 25 cents.

TIMELY HINTS FOR THE WOMAN WHO WOULD PRESERVE HER BEAUTY

Everything Depends Upon the Condition of the Blood-The Necessity for a Com-plete Change of Diet-Efficacy of Some Old Fashloned Recipes.

Old Fashloned Recipes.

It is an utter impossibility for any woman to be beautiful who will not take the time to care for her body properly, suppræss all emotions that decrease vitality and see to it that her blood is in a pure condition, says a writer in New York "Toilettes." Es pecially on the latter everything depends. There are so many foes that



or cream guipure decorate the drapery. Sleeves of shirred violet liberty silk. Baths, Hot or Cold, 25 Cents. Belt of violet mirror velvet.

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