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FREELAND, PA., WEDNESDAY, MARCH 27, 1901.

TRI-WEEKLY

Spring Clothing!

We now have in our store the most com-plete line of Spring Clothing that has ever been placed on sale in the town.

We Have Nobby Suits in Stripes, Plaids, Neat Checks, Etc.

Our clothing speaks for itself. We depend for its sale entirely upon its merit, and we're selling lots of it because the merit is there. It's made to fit and to wear from edge to edge, and from inside to outside you'll find nothing but honest work. To wear it once is to wear it always. It will pay you to become acquainted with our stock and our prices.

Refowich's Wear Well

Clothing and Shoe House, Freeland.

"Next Door."

The Great Fire

Latest Songs and Music

Funniest Show on Earth

Royer Troupe of Acrobats

The Trick Trolley Car

Ten Great Specialties.

Seats on sale at McMenam

ROUND THE REGION.

David Clark, of Hazleton, aged 80 years, for thirty-nine years in the employ of the Lehigh Vailey Railroad Company as master mechanic on the Hazleton division, inventor of the Clark steam brake and other appliances, president of the Hazleton Gas Company and vice president of the First National bank there, is dead from pneumonia. Mr. Clark assisted in placing the first modern built cab on a steam locomotive.

Several freight conductors and other

Several freight conductors and other employes of the Delaware, Lackawanna and Western Railroad have been dis-charged at Kingston, it being alleged that they broke a rule prohibiting the company's employes from entering

Patrick Dever, a resident of Penr Haven Junction for over half a century died yesterday at the age of 74 years.

DETECTIVES.—Men wanted; experience not necessary; if experienced state particulars. Enclose stamp. Box 125, Phila., Pa.



Watches from \$1 to \$40.

BUTTERWICK'S

Cor. Front and Centre Streets Sheet Music at Cut-Rate Prices.

AMANDUS OSWALD.

Dry Goods, Groceries Prices: 25, 35 and 50 Cents. and Provisions.

FRESH ROLL BUTTER AND EGGS celebrated brand of XX flour

Latest Hats and Caps. All kinds of household utensils.

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AND MEDICINAL PURPOSES.
Centre and Main streets, Freela

CURRY'S

Groceries, Provisions. Green Truck,

Dry Goods and Notions

drug store.

J. W. Johnston has been appointed postmaster at Demund's Corners, Luzerne county and J. A. Daubert postmaster at St. Johns, Luzerne county.

John Daniels, of Hazleton, purchased an old frame house in that city a few weeks ago and while engaged in tearing down the building found a shot-bag among the rafters. The bag contained nearly \$800 in gold coin.

Patrick Dever, a resident of Penn Patrick Dever, a resident of Penn are among the finest sold in Freeland. Send a sam-ple order and try them.

E. J. Curry, South Centre Street.

EVERY BUYER

OF SHOES

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Wanted, Ladies of Fine Appearance,
Was an advertisement which brought responses from many, and a larger percentage of applicants were rejected because of unattractive hair than for any other season. Women who have beautiful hair without assisting nature in producing it, are fortunate and few. We will mail you a free sample of "Luxura," and tell you how to assist nature in the most scientific and successful manner known to the ablest hair and scalp specialists in the world.

"Luxura" contains all the ingredients necessary to produce a healthy scalp, by exterminating the parasite. This being accomplished, the invigorating properties of "Luxura" will do the rest in producing a fine, luxuriant growth of hair. When you write for sample, enclose 2-cent stamp to cover postage. Three months' treatment \$1,00, sent postage paid in plain wrapper, accompanied by a written guarantee, providing for the return of your money if it falls. Boston Drug and Chemical Co., 506 Pelham Building, Boston, Mass. is neglecting his duty to his purse if he fails to learn our prices and examine our qualities and styles before investing money in footwear.

We Sell Shoes

and nothing else. You can buy to better advantage here than in stores where shoes are carried as a side-line, and if you give us the op-portunity we will prove to you that this is true.

STAR

SHOE STORE

ARBITRATION PROPOSED

State Senate Acts on the Strike Situation.

Legislators Propose the Appointment of a Committee of Seven to Solve the Mining Difficulty.

currence:
"Whereas, The miners of the anthractic region through their organization, the United Mine Workers of America, have requested the coal operators to meet the national president of their organization, their national board and officers of Districts 1, 7 and 9, to mutually agree upon and establish a scale of wages for the term of one year; and "Whereas, In the resolution adopted by the Hazleton convention of the United Mine Workers it is resolved that in the eyent of the failure of their officers to secure a joint conference they may by a majority vote decide the policy of the movement of the United Mine Workers, even if it is necessary to resort to a suspension of work to enforce the justice due them as producers of wealth fully equal with their employers; and "Whereas. If a suspension of work or "Whereas. If a suspension of work or

"Whereas, If a suspension of work or strike takes place it will be a calamity to the people of the anthracite region and may be the cause of great expense to the state; therefore, be it.

Resolved (if the house of representatives concur), That a committee, consisting of three members of the senate and four members of the house of representatives, be appointed to conferiemediately with the anthracite coal operators and with the officials of the United Mine Workers of America to endeavor to bring about an amicable solution of the difficulties now existing between the operators and the miners, said committee to report as soon us possible and to serve without expense to the state."

GOOD NEWS AT SCRANTON.

Scranton is filled with rumors of an immediate conference between the mine operators and the executive officers of the United Mine Workers. The manner and speech of leaders at the United Mine Workers' headquarters conveyed the assurance that a conference or some equally favorable turn was about reached. News had been received from President Mitchell on which the hopeful opinions of a conference were based.

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TO SEE J. P. MORGAN.

Hazleton will be represented by Father
Phillips and A. T. McAllister at the conference between J. Pierpont Morgan
and committees of the Boards of Trade
from that city, Pottsville and Wilkesbarre, in the former's office, in New
York, in reference to an amicable settlement of the threatened anthractic coal
strike. These committees action on public at large throughout the coal fields, expect to effect an adjustment of the difficulty satisfactory to both opera-tors and the mine workers.

THE WORK IN NEW YORK.

The Tribune is reliably advised that the visit of President Mitchell and the three district presidents to New York will likely come to an end tomorrow. While the eyes of the country have been upon J. P. Morgan and his offices, a great deal of work has been performed in other directions. Every day is placing the necessity of a strike further away, and when the officers of the union deem it a proper time to make known what they have so far accomplished they will receive more credit than the people are at present ready to accord them.

On Friday there will be a meeting at Wilkesbarre, which will be attended by a number of men prominent in the order.

New Rules for Base Ball.

A number of changes have made in base ball rules for the co season, some of them being as fo

The stomach controls the situation. Those who are hearty and strong are those who can eat and digest plenty of food. Kodol Dyspepsia Cure digests what you eat and allows you to eat all the good food you want. If you suffer from indigestion, heartburn, belching or any other stomach trouble, this preparation can't help but do you good. The most sensitive stomachs can take it. Grayer's City draw store.

all the time; the first two fly fouls not caught afe called strikes if the batsman has no strikes charged to him prior to making the fouls; an unfairly delivered ball will not be counted against the pitcher; a batsman will not be permitted to take his base on being hit by a pitched ball, but it will be counted as a ball against the pitcher; the umpire is authorized to call a ball on the pitcher if he holds the sphere in his hands for 20 seconds without delivering to the

Clerks' Union Prospering.

proportion to the number of people who are eligible to membership is the organization formed a few months ago by the retail clerks. The few who took hold of the movement to improve the condition of this class of workers have labored energetically to build up a strong association, and so successful were they that at the present time every eligible person in Freeland is an active and enthusiastic member, with the exception of the employes of one store.

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One of the first matters to receive attention from the union has been early closing. The members have at several meetings discussed the question, always keeping in view their employers' interests and the convenience of the patrons of Freeland business houses, as well as their own desires, and they have finally selected upon an hour to close which they expect will meet with the approval of all the interested parties.

At a meeting which was largely attended last evening in the Municipal building, the union decided to petition the merchants today to agree to close every evening at 7 p. m., except on Mondays and Saturdays. The new rule is to go into effect on April 15. A strict observance of Sunday is also a part of the proposed regulation.

There is a strong sentiment among the employers in favor of early closing and but little, if any, opposition to the petition of the clerks is anticipated. The clerks also have the support of the United Mine Workers and other local labor organizations in their efforts to make their daily tasks more congenial.

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Among the changes in residence which will soon take place are the following: John McKinley from South to North Centre street, Reuben Kresky from North Centre to Pine street, and Joseph Wadilinger from Chestnut street to the house to be vacated by Mr. Kresky.

Frank Everitt, who conducted the Freeland House up to a year ago, is preparing to remove from the Woodring hotel to the Freas hotel in Butler valley.

Jesse L. Fairchild, for many years a resident of East Foster, will soon remove to Freeland, where he will make his future home.

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Lewis Snyder, of Butler valley, will remove to Hazleton next week to assume the position of agent for the Yuengling Brewing Company.

Bros. Rover in "Next Door."

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The famous Brothers Royer, who are to appear on Saturday evening at the opera house, in the acrobatic farce frolic, "Next Door," are said to be the greatest pantominic and acrobatic actors in the world. It is difficult to class their entertainment under any particular title, but "spectacular comedy" seems to fit it best. It is a novelty in its line, and there is nothing else quite like it on the road. The pantomimic and spectacular features are prominent, but there is an abundance of farce comedy, in the line of laughable acrobatic feats and grotesque dancing. The trick scenery is wonderful.

The first thunderstorm of the s

Counterfeits of DeWitt's Witch Hazel Salve are liable to cause blood poisoning. Leave them alone. The original has the name DeWitt's upon the box and wrapper. It is a harmless and healing salve for skin diseases. Unequalled for piles. Grover's City drug store.

Architect Osterling is meeting daily with the judges and county commissioners and the new court bouse plans are being discussed. The work will go on until it is done. Changes are being made and the architect is noting the suggestions advanced.

LOCAL NOTES WRITTEN UP

Short Items of Interest to All Readers.

Happenings of the Past Men's Shirts: Two Days in and Around Regular li Freeland Recorded With out Waste of Words.

The county commissioners will be here The county commissioners will be here on Friday to hear appeals from the assessment fixed upon real estate in Freeland and Foster. Judging from the widespread dissatisfaction caused by the levying of a rate in certain parts of town out of all proportion to the actual value, the commissioners will be kept busy listening to protests from the citizens affected.

zens affected.

D. S. & S. engine No. 16, which has been helping D. S. & S. trains from Penn Haven to the Lumber Yard, ever since those runs have been put on, was taken off on Saturday, and hereafter the Lehigh Valley pushers will assist the trains up the hill. This system will be tried for one month and if found more economical than the former plan it will be continued.

Easter baskets and novelites—Kelper's
Members of Coxe Bros. & Co.'s survey
corps are at work today staking out a
plot of ground on South Centre street,
below the Lehigh Valley Railroad station. The plot, it is said, is to be purchased by the Mining and Mechanical
Institute and the building to be erected
by the school will be located thereon.

The bond of Michael Dutko, treasure The bond of Michael Dutko, treasurer of Drifton Local, No. 1519, United Mine Workers, was filed yesterday at Wilkesbarre. James Timony is the bondsman and the amount is \$500.

Gentlemen, for hats and caps go to A. Oswald. He has a nice variety.

The condition of Mrs. John McMenamin, William F. Ward and William O'Donnell, all of whom are seriously ill, has not improved much during the past few days. Joseph Birkbeck is also confined to his home with a dangerous cold.

William Howard, a son of Councilman

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William Howard, a son of Councilman and Mrs. Joseph Schnee, of the Second ward, died yesterday and will be buried tomorrow afternoon at Freeland cemetery. The child was aged 3 months and tery. 2

See that you get the original DeWitt's Witch Hazel Salve when you ask for it. The genuine is a certain cure for piles, sores and skin diseases. Grover's City drug store. rug store.

The Lehigh Valley Railroad auditor

made a business trip to town yesterday and found the accounts of Station Agent James McHugh and his force in first-class shape.

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Thomas Gallagher, who was an inmate of the Miners' hospital for several
weeks, suffering from injuries received
in the mines, is improving at his home
in Highland, but he will not be able to
resume work for some time.

The lingering cough following grippe

The lingering cough following grippe call for One Minute Cough Cure. For all throat and lung troubles this is the only harmless remedy that gives im-mediate results. Prevents consumption. Grover's City drug store.

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Mr. and Mrs. H. W. Fackler, who will soon leave for Sea Isle City, N. J., where they will spend the summer, were tendered a farewell party on Wednesday evening by several of their friends.

Morris O'Donnell, of Bayonne City, N. J., arrived here this morning to see his sister, Miss Annie, who is dangerously ill at her home in Coxe addition.

Several of the churches of town are making extensive preparations for observing Easter Sunday, which falls this year on the 7th of next month.

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spect to have the plant in operation
efore the end of April.

Miss Martha Laubach, of Fairmount Springs, is visiting her brother, B. C. Laubach.

Burgess Michael Leonard, of Mahandity, was the guest of friends here th

veek.

J. S. Jacobs, of Hazleton, has been appointed steward of the Laurytown almshouse by the board of poor directors.

PLEASURE.

April 8.—Ball of St. Patrick's corner and at Yannes' opera house. Admis-on, 50 cents.

made and the architect is noting the suggestions advanced.

When you are billious, use those famous little pills known as DeWitt's Little Early Risers to cleanse the liver and bowels. They never gripe. Grover's City drug store.

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up the band, here

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Big Reduction In Men's, Boys', Ladies', Children's Shoes. I must have room for the spring stock. I sell the sweet Orr Overalls.

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Delivery and supply wagons to all parts of wn and surroundings every day.

Property for Sale.

A twelve-room house on the corner of Washington and Luzerne streets and a double block on the alley adjoining.

Apply to H. M. Breslin, Freeland.