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Will be important to buyers of Dry Goods and exceedingly profitable, especially to purchasers of Dress Goods. We have just finished our annual inventory, and previous to opening our new spring stock, have several lines that must be disposed of.

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We offer all odd Jackets and Newmarkets and all the accumulation in Cloak Department at less than one-half, and many instances at less than one-quarter of the cost, TO CLOSE AT ONCE, that we may have no old styles to carry over, and that our entire spring stock may be new and bright.

CLARK'S GREEN GATHERINGS.

Newly Gleanings of Personal Gossip and Other Information.

CLARK'S GREEN, Pa., Jan. 19.—The remains of Frederick B. Wickizer, the young man who was injured, and died in Carbondale on Saturday last, arrived here at noon on Tuesday and was interred in the Clark's Green cemetery.

Frank Sample, of Bethlehem, visited his cousin, W. S. France, on Wednesday.

A donation is billed to occur at the house of J. B. Austin on Tuesday evening for the benefit of Rev. F. H. Parsons.

M. H. Coon is now located in his new residence.

C. P. Matthews is filling his ice house, being the first to gather ice in this vicinity.

B. H. Stone was married to Miss Nellie Tiffany, of Scranton, on Wednesday evening at the bride's home. They left via Buffalo, Niagara Falls and Cincinnati for Chattanooga to spend a couple of weeks with Mr. Stone's brother.

The Epworth League has announced its first entertainment, consisting of recitations, essays, choruses and solo singing.

Herbert Pelham, who died on Wednesday at noon, will be interred at Factoryville on Sunday next.

Mrs. Boardman visited friends in Fleetville on Monday last.

Mrs. E. J. Chapman is visiting friends in Dalton.

The farmers are aroused and are holding meetings, one of which was held at Summit last Saturday and another will be held in the election room on Saturday next. They are working up the dairy interest.

J. D. Knight is visiting friends in New York state.

William Brown, of Stroudsburg, who has been visiting his friend, H. E. Northrup, returned to his home on Wednesday morning.

Mrs. Samuel Polhamus, who has been sick for some time, is still in a critical condition.

Mrs. E. J. Hincley is seriously sick with Bright's disease, but is reported as in a somewhat easier condition.

A Quarter Century Test. For a quarter of a century Dr. King's New Discovery has been tested, and the millions who have received benefit from its use testify to its wonderful curative powers in all diseases of Throat, Chest and Lungs. A remedy that has stood the test so long and that has given so universal satisfaction is no experiment. Each bottle is positively guaranteed to give relief, or the money will be refunded. It is admitted to be the most reliable for Coughs and Colds. Trial bottles free at Matthew Bro's Drug Store. Large size 50c, and \$1.00.

Quincy troubled me for two years. Since I started using Dr. Thomas' Electric Oil, have not had an attack. It cures sore throat at once. Mrs. Let a Courant, Standish, Mich., Oct. 34, 1893.

THE NEWS OF NEARBY TOWNS

(Out-of-town correspondents of The Tribune will send their names in full to each news letter, not for publication, but to guard against deception.)

CARBONDALE CHURCH NEWS.

Themes and Hours of the Various Services Tomorrow.

Special to the Scranton Tribune. CARBONDALE, Pa., Jan. 19.—Exercises will be observed in the different places of worship in this city, Sunday, at the following hours: At the Methodist church, Rev. William Elgar, pastor, preaching at 10.30 a. m., and 7.30 p. m. Sabbath school 12 o'clock. Epworth League, 6.30.

Presbyterian church—Rev. Charles Lee, pastor. Preaching at 10.30 a. m. and 7.30 p. m. Sabbath school 12 m. Junior Christian Endeavor meeting at 4 p. m. Senior Christian Endeavor 6.30 p. m.

Baptist church, Rev. T. E. Jepson, pastor, preaching at 10.30 a. m. and 7.30 p. m. The theme of the evening services is "Converted in a Prison," and the sermon is the fourth in the series of sermons on the "New Testament." Conversations of Ordinances of baptism will be administered at close of sermon. Sabbath school at 12 o'clock. Junior Endeavor society meeting at 4 p. m. Senior Endeavor society at 6.30 p. m.

Congregational church, Rev. Abraham Jones, pastor. Preaching at 10.30 a. m. and 6 p. m. Sabbath school at 2 p. m.

Trinity church—Rev. E. J. Balslev, pastor. Preaching, 10.30 a. m., 7.30 p. m.; Sabbath school, 12 o'clock.

Young Men's Christian Association—Meeting for men only at 3.45 p. m.

Sabbath school in township school house under the auspices of the Baptist Christian Endeavor society, B. R. Hall, superintendent, at 3 o'clock p. m.

CRISP CARBONDALE CHIPS.

Some of the Minor News Occurrences of One Day.

Special to the Scranton Tribune. CARBONDALE, Pa., Jan. 19.—The section of the Epworth League under the direction of Miss May Kilpatrick are making preparations to hold a "Mum social" at the home of Frank Kilpatrick on Darte avenue on Wednesday evening, Jan. 24. The proceeds will be devoted to the amount promised by this section to decrease the indebtedness of their church.

Mrs. R. H. Trillas and Mrs. H. S. Bolton, of this city, called on their relatives in Honesdale today.

On Thursday the Delaware and Hudson company laid off twenty-six of their shop hands aside from several other sides of the plant.

The comedy "Ole Olson" will be presented at the Academy of Music on Monday evening next.

Philip R. Bevan, of Knoxville, Tenn., is the guest of John B. Hoyt, on River street.

On Tuesday morning of next week the Presbyterian Endeavor society of the Presbyterian church will hold a luncheon social in the lecture room.

A meeting was held in City Treasurer Gramer's office by the Republican candidates for city offices tonight to name a city committee.

Mrs. J. S. Bassett, of Thorn street, is visiting friends in Scranton.

Miss May L. Davis, of Scranton, who has been the guest of Miss Sarah McComb, of Garfield avenue, returned home this evening.

Tomorrow morning at 9.30 o'clock will occur the funeral of Thomas Burke, who was killed on Wednesday evening while attempting to board a coal train on the Delaware and Hudson railroad. A requiem mass will be celebrated at the church of St. Rose, after which the body will be interred in St. Rose cemetery.

Mrs. J. S. Bassett, of Thorn street, is visiting friends in Scranton.

Miss Millie Salem, of South Main street, is the guest of Miss Wormser, of Scranton.

Bucklen's Arnica Salve. The best salve in the world for Cuts, Bruises, Sores, Ulcers, Salt Rheum, Fever Sores, Tetter, Chapped Hands, Chilblains, Corns and all Skin Eruptions, and positively cures Piles, or no pay required. It is guaranteed to give perfect satisfaction or money refunded. Price 25 cents per box. For sale by Matthews Bros.

MAPLE-CITY BREVIETIES.

Short but Interesting Glimpses at the Honesdale Field.

Special to the Scranton Tribune. HONESDALE, Pa., Jan. 19.—Miss Catherine Gaylord will leave Honesdale Monday for an extended visit with relatives at Philadelphia.

Miss Lucy Heft left town this morning to visit relatives and friends in the valley.

Mr. W. E. Graesley and son, Raymond, of Scranton, are the guests of Honesdale friends.

Percy L. Cole will spend Sunday with his parents at Dunmore.

Mr. John Taylor, of Scranton, was a caller in town yesterday.

Miss Virginia Koss attended the Cornet reception at Scranton tonight.

Physicians report that the decrease in the number of cases of sickness the past two weeks over the few weeks preceding has been remarkable, the number of calls a week having fallen off about 75 per cent.

Dr. C. E. Parks, C. Bolwell, jr., Scranton; R. P. Schwarz, Stroudsburg and E. Peck, Carbondale; were among the Allen House guests today.

Bernard Moll, of Scranton, is visiting his parents here.

Mrs. Joseph Gillispie is the guest of friends here this week.

My physician said I could not live, my liver out of order, frequently vomited greenish mucus, skin yellow, small dry tumors on neck, stomach would not retain food. Horlock Blood Bitters cured me. Mrs. Adelaide O'Brien, 372 Exchange street, Buffalo, N. Y.

SUNDAY CHURCH SERVICES.

Times and Services in the Various Maple City Churches.

Special to the Scranton Tribune. HONESDALE, Pa., Jan. 19.—Methodist Episcopal Church—Rev. C. A. Benjamin, pastor. Morning services and sermon, 10.30 a. m.; Sunday school 12 m.; Epworth League, 6.30 p. m.; evening service, 7.30 p. m.

German Lutheran Church—Rev. William Schmidt, pastor. Morning prayer and sermon, 10.30 a. m.; Sunday school, 1.30 p. m.; evening prayer and sermon, 7.30 p. m.

Presbyterian Church—Rev. William H. Swift, pastor. Morning service

and sermon, 10.30 a. m.; Sunday school, 12 m.; Christian Endeavor, 6.30 p. m.; evening service and sermon, 7.30 p. m. Baptist Church—Rev. G. H. Hall, pastor. Morning service and sermon, 10.30 a. m.; Sunday school 11.45 a. m.; Christian Endeavor, 6.30 p. m.; evening service and sermon, 7.30 p. m.

MINOR AVOCA AFFAIRS.

News Happenings of an Enterprising Borough Briefly Narrated.

Special to the Scranton Tribune. AVOCA, Pa., Jan. 19.—Miss Maggie Shubert, of Sayre, Pa., was a visitor here Thursday evening.

A baby boy has arrived at the home of Mr. and Mrs. John Garroy.

The Langcliffe Coal company paid their employees today.

The Avoca Coal company will pay tomorrow.

Miss J. J. O'Brien, of Carbondale, was a visitor here Thursday.

Miss E. O'Brien was in Scranton yesterday.

Mrs. Henry and Miss Agnes McMillan, of West Pittston, were callers here yesterday afternoon.

Misses Katie MacIn and Nellie Donnelly, of Sturteville, are the guests of Miss Katie Dougher.

Miss Mand Morrison, of Providence, is visiting friends here.

Misses Clara Doyle and Kittie Hopkins, of Scranton, were visitors at the fair Thursday evening.

Miss Lizzie McDermott, of West Pittston, is the guest of Miss Minnie Leonard.

The Republicans held their caucus in the Albion ball room on Thursday evening and nominated the following ticket: Burgess, Hollister; council, G. B. Seamon, E. E. Reynolds; school directors, Jacob Webster, D. C. Marton; tax collector, D. W. Boone; constable, L. B. Williams; high constable, J. P. Boass; registry assessors, North district, W. J. Williams; South district, E. C. Kalliam.

William Brown, sr., is on the sick list.

The remains of Miss Anna Gilmartin, who died Wednesday at her home, West End, N. J., and who is well-known in this place, are expected to arrive here this evening. The funeral will take place tomorrow afternoon in St. Mary's cemetery.

Thursday evening was one of the mammoth nights of St. Mary's fair. The entertainment was given by talent from Pittston and was highly appreciated. There were 1,300 paid admissions. A large number of valuable articles were changed off.

PITBY PECKVILLE POINTERS.

General Events and Personal Movements Reported in Few Words.

Special to the Scranton Tribune. PECKVILLE, Pa., Jan. 19.—Cal Rolla, of Jail street, who had the misfortune to sprain his ankle last week, is so as to attend to his work again.

Richard Wren will dispose of his property on Brook street and take his family to England, his former home.

There are three candidates for a Third ward caucus to be held at the borough council room Saturday evening, Jan. 20, for the purpose of nominating the ward officers and as the people are to have a vote on the question of light or no light it is important that the voters turn out in full force.

Horace Erser, who has been clerking in the Oliphant Ready Pay store, has moved his family into rooms in William O. Ber's residence on Jail street.

N. H. Johnson, of Brook street, is building a double house in the back end of his lots.

Virgie Stevens, of Maple street, is the happy possessor of the finest doll in town. It is as large as a child 5 years old.

R. J. Uren, of Maple street, was called to Lanesville, Pa., last week by the serious illness of his father, who died last Sunday. He returned home Thursday evening.

Miss Blanche Shaffer, of Plymouth is visiting her aunt, Mrs. W. S. Bloes.

Miss Blanche Taylor entertained a number of young folks at her home on Hickory street last Wednesday evening.

Mrs. Major Reichardt, of Providence, accompanied by her mother, Mrs. Bennett, of Colfax, Iowa, spent Wednesday with Mr. and Mrs. E. Milroy.

Thomas Swales, who has been suffering with rheumatism resumed work last Thursday.

Miss May Jenkins is suffering from the grippe.

Charles Gray, who has been visiting friends at Poyntelle for the past few days, returned home Thursday.

Whit Wall is visiting with relatives at Belmont.

Born to Mr. and Mrs. James Tullill on Thursday last, a young daughter.

Dan Wilcox has returned home from a few days' visit with relatives at Benton.

Mrs. Jessie McKean, who has been very sick for the past week, is improving.

OFFICERS PUBLICLY INSTALLED.

Interesting Programme Rendered in Christian Association Hall.

Special to the Scranton Tribune. CARBONDALE, Pa., Jan. 19.—In the Young Men's Christian Association hall tonight occurred a public installation of officers of Council No. 932, Junior order United American Mechanics. The principal addresses were delivered by J. C. Turner, of Mayfield, and B. F. Kilmer, of Wilkes-Barre.

The following entertaining program was also rendered: Singing, opening ode, address by J. C. Turner, of Mayfield; recitation by Mrs. L. B. Merritt; instrumental trio by Mamie Maxwell and G. W. Bly, with violins, and Miss Lizzie Maxwell, with piano accompaniment; beautiful recitation of anti-slavery vocal solo by Miss Mamie Dale; piano solo by Professor A. P. Thomas; installation of officers; singing, America.

FINEST SKATING IN THE STATE.

If You Want to Enjoy It Go to Number Seven Pond.

Special to the Scranton Tribune. CARBONDALE, Pa., Jan. 19.—Skating parties are nightly occurrences among the young people of this city. This evening a merry party took the 6 o'clock train for Scranton, where they enjoyed the beautiful moonlight evening in participating in the healthful exercise on the smooth ice of No. 7 pond. The party returned home on foot.

It is reported there is no better skating in this section of the state than on No. 7 pond. The ice in perfect condition.

Several thousand parts of the art portfolio came yesterday. A nickel takes this book of handsome pictures.

When Baby was sick, we gave her Castoria.

When she was a Child, she cried for Castoria.

When she became Miss, she clung to Castoria.

When she had Children, she gave them Castoria.

THIS CURIOUS THING

Is a Sweat or Excretory Gland. Its mouth is called a PORE. There are 7,000,000 in the human skin. Through them are discharged many impurities: To close them means death. Sluggish or clogged pores mean yellow, mothy skin, pimples, blotches, eczema. The blood becomes impure. Hence serious blood humors. Perfect action of the pores Means clear, wholesome skin, Means pure blood, Means beauty and health.

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Bad Complexions Sluggish action of the pores also causes the complexion and skin to become dark, yellow, oily and mothy, giving rise to pimples, blackheads, roughness, redness, falling hair and itchy lesions. The only reliable preventive and external cure is CUTICURA SOAP, the most effective skin purifying and beautifying soap in the world as well as the purest and sweetest for toilet and nursery.

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WHALEN OFF FOR KANSAS.

The Noted Detective Will Bring Suspect Wilbourne Back.

WILKES BARRE, Jan. 19.—Detective Whalen, of the city, left here today for Baker, Kan., with requisition papers to bring back J. C. Wilbourne, who was arrested there yesterday.

Wilbourne is the man who so brutally murdered Contractor John Johnson on the Delaware, Lackawanna and Western railroad at Hanover a few weeks ago.

HIS RIGHT ARM CRUSHED.

Thomas Bracey Sustains a Painful Accident at the Erie Peckota.

HONESDALE, Jan. 19.—Thomas Bracey was badly injured at the Erie Peckota yesterday morning. His right arm was caught between the bumpers of coal cars and horribly crushed between the wrist and elbow.

Dr. O'Connell was called, and assisted by Brady and Burns, gave relief to the sufferer.

STORES DESTROYED BY FIRE.

Six Thousand Dollar Business Experienced at Avoca.

WILKES BARRE, Jan. 19.—Hollister & Bowman's company stores at Avoca were partially destroyed by fire this morning. Loss on building \$2,000, on stock \$4,000, fully insured.

The origin of the fire is as yet unknown.

Hood's Cures



A Week of Writing Would Not Tell the Story

Soreful for Seven Years—Cured by Hood's Sarsaparilla.

"A week devoted to writing would not be sufficient to tell of the good Hood's Sarsaparilla has done me. Seven years ago a running sore appeared on my ankle, which grew worse until it entirely covered my foot and the bones came out of my toes. Then the sores appeared on my other foot, right arm and hand. Hoies were eaten in my lower limbs, my arm was one great sore from the shoulder down, and the bones came out of two of my fingers. Words

Cannot Tell My Sufferings. I could not sleep and had no appetite. About three years after the first appearance of the disease my husband read of what Hood's Sarsaparilla had done for others, and urged me to try it. I was confined to the bed at the time, had given up all hope. However, I commenced taking the medicine, and before I had finished the bottle, could sleep, and not only eat, but enjoy my food. Now the

Sores are All Healed Up with the exception of one spot on my limb. I thank God for having directed my husband's attention to Hood's Sarsaparilla, otherwise I should have been in my grave. I can now move about with the aid of crutches, and will always need their assistance, but anyone who had seen my condition when I commenced to take

Hood's Sarsaparilla would marvel that I am now alive to move at all." Mrs. MARY SPEAKMAN, 2725 Latona Street, Philadelphia.

Hood's Pills cure liver ills, constipation, biliousness, torpidity, sick headache, indigestion

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