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SCRANTON, APRIL 5, 1895.

THE SCRANTON OF TODAY.

Come and inspect our city. Elevation above the tide, 740 feet. Extremely healthy. Estimated population, 185, 105, 000.

The wonder is not that one boy has been killed on Adams avenue by the twenty-mile-an-hour cars of the fenderless Scranton Traction company, but that there has not been a larger number of fatalities in consequence of the inhuman speed at which these cars are operated.

England's Alleged Ultimatum. The accuracy of the dispatch which credits Great Britain with having sent, through Ambassador Bayard, an impertinent and highly offensive message to this government concerning its peaceful overtures in the boundary dispute between England and Venezuela may well be doubted.

Limit the Trolley Cars. There cannot be two opinions as to the continual peril in which the present fast running of trolley cars down the grades on several of our central streets endangers our playing children.

In the face of the clearly defined doctrine of President Monroe, which has been religiously reaffirmed by every succeeding administration called upon to cope with European aggressions on American territory, Great Britain, for a number of years, has been making steady encroachments upon Venezuela and Nicaragua soil; and is, at this time, unless appearances deceive, planning a culminating raid upon the fertile bottom lands of the Guyana river in Venezuela; and near the Bluefields of Nicaragua, in close proximity to the surveyed route of the proposed Nicaraguan canal.

The present circumstance, whatever its intrinsic importance, is, however, significant in its emphatic demonstration of the need, among our legislators and executive officials, of a thorough comprehension of the supreme importance of preserving the western hemisphere from the unrighteous covetousness of European diplomacy. There is no nation in Europe which has any right to one new square foot of American territory.

The killing of boys playing on our streets is cheaper to the Scranton Traction company than the cost of safety fenders. It's money that talks.

The Bible and the Schools. The opinion of Dr. Edward Brooks, the scholarly superintendent of the Philadelphia public schools, concerning the advisability of reading the Bible in the public schools coincides exactly with the view expressed in this paper the day following Judge Gunster's now celebrated ruling in the Waverly school case.

that pure morality which is taught in its pages.

"From the standpoint of literary culture, I would not have the Bible excluded from public schools, for in it we find some of the finest models of prose, simple and vigorous English. In lofty thought, richness of imagination and wealth of expression it stands above both Homer and Virgil, and in expressing those far-reaching aspirations of the human heart it is without a peer in literature.

It is not a trifle singular that the reduction of telephone rentals ordered by the Central Telephone and Supply company touches towns of 10,000 population and misses Scranton? Why is this thus?

One Way Out. The Record quite agrees with the esteemed Scranton Tribune that moral teaching should not be banished from the public schools.

IS OUIDA A PLAGIARIST? Letter by E. A. Niven. Those who read Ouida's interesting story, "Ouida," which appeared in your columns last week, and who had previously perused the late Mr. Hanson's novel, "Vengeance Is Mine," must have been struck with the similarity of the two.

RELIGION IN THE SCHOOLS. From the Philadelphia Times. The decision of Judge Gunster, of Lackawanna county, in the Waverly school case, is a reminder that "denominational religious exercises and instruction in sectarian doctrines have no place in our system of common school education."

Hill & Connell, 131 and 133 Washington Ave.

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reason to believe that the Scranton Traction company, however successful in appearance at this time, will one of these fine days discover a formidable Richmond in its field.

The Chicago Times-Herald takes George B. Swift's big Republican plaudit for mayor very good naturally. "Democrats," it says, "accept defeat with cheerful philosophy. They know in their hearts that it is undeserved; that an unthinking populace has been misled by the casuistries of shrewd Republican politicians, who have unloaded upon the Democratic party responsibility for all economic or industrial ills from railroad strikes to inclement weather."

Councils, in any other city, would pass an ordinance limiting the speed of street cars on much-traveled streets to five miles an hour. But in Scranton, councils appear to be constructed on another basis.

Scouts the Monroe Doctrine. From the Richmond, Va., Times. We do not believe there is a corporal's guard of Americans, compared with the entire nation, that care one rap for the "Monroe Doctrine."

Too Much Speculation. From the Wilkes-Barre Record. The Scranton Tribune is of the opinion that "the present advance of two cents in the price of meats, while forced upon local dealers by speculative wholesalers, is nothing less than a hold-up of the masses in order that a few manipulators of the market may be rapidly enriched."

TOLD BY THE STARS. Daily Horoscope Drawn by Ajaachus, The Tribune Astrologer. Astrologer cast: 1.38 a. m., for Friday, April 5, 1895.

Useful and Ornamental Goods. LADIES' DESKS. CABINETS. BOOKCASES. LADIES' DRESSING TABLES. TEA TABLES AND LIBRARY TABLES, BRASS AND ONYX. TABLES AND CABINETS (OF A GUARANTEED QUALITY.) AN ELEGANT STOCK OF PICTURES AT MODERATE COST. FANCY BASKETS AND LAMPS. CALL EARLY AND MAKE YOUR SELECTIONS WHILE OUR ASSORTMENT IS COMPLETE.

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to see that it is eradicated." The case will thus go on trial upon the facts, and the court will presumably have occasion to define the limits of allowable religious exercises in the common schools, if it is possible to make any limit short of absolute secularization.

From the Wilkes-Barre Record. Another newspaper man has laid down his pen forever. He founded the Carbonado Leader nearly a quarter of a century ago. His vigorous pen dealt mighty blows for reform and good government in that city and he stirred up the dry bones of official incapacity until they rattled. At one time his strictures on the officials of the mayor's court were so severe that his office was raided by a gang of hoodlums and his type thrown into the Lackawanna river. He secured new type at once and went on with the good work. He conducted the Leader for six years and then with the Bohemian spirit of a true newspaper man drifted into other ventures. Finally his genius for story writing in the fancy of the New York Sun and Tribune and for several years he contributed interesting tales of birds, beasts and fishes to the columns of these papers. Then the Sun gobbled him up, and took everything he wrote in that line. His style was exceedingly entertaining and he seemed to know the woods and their denizens like an old trapper. Scranton, through him, became known everywhere as the center of a vast forest through which the bear, the deer, the wild cat and the panther roamed at will. The imaginary forests with these animals related by Cook possessed such freshness and originality that they were not only printed in the Sun, but copied extensively throughout the country. Peace be with him. He has not lived in vain. Around many a fireside have his innocent tales been told, and many a reader of the Sun will remember the clever rascals of the Lackawanna valley has told his last story.

Must This Be the Arbitration. From the Philadelphia Record. The question of the division of tonnage among the anthracite coal roads is a matter that does not admit of ready settlement. The people would be rapidly enriched. The wholesalers are the victims of the speculators.

A child born on this day will have a voice like Arthur Frothingham's steam trombone, and will take delight in singing in church choir.

Also a full line of handsome goods suitable for presents in CHINA, CUT GLASS, SILVERWARE, BRIG-A-BRAC DINNER, TEA and TOILET SETS.

GLEMONS, FERBER, O'MALLEY CO., [LIMITED.] 422 LACKAWANNA AVENUE.

SPALDING'S BICYCLES ARE THE BEST COASTERS.

Consequently they must run easier than any other wheel. Call and examine them.

C. M. FLOREY, 222 WYOMING AVENUE, Y. M. C. A. BUILDING.

—The secret is out. Not only do they say we do washing for a living, but that we do it well. So keep it going. Tell everybody you see, but tell them not to tell.

EUREKA LAUNDRY, 322 Washington Ave.

GOLDSMITH'S BAZAAR.

DRY GOODS AT HALF PRICE.

From the GREAT RECEIVER'S SALE OF E. S. JAFFRAY & CO., NEW YORK.

This house was one of the oldest and longest in the trade, having been in existence over 50 years, and at last have been forced to go into liquidation. We have taken advantage of the opportunity and bought a large quantity of their stock for cash, at our own price.

And as soon as it all comes in, can be examined and placed in stock, will announce further particulars.

This great sale will begin Monday morning April 8th.

EASTER CARDS AND BOOKLETS. ALL THE Leading Publications, Prang's Latest Easter Lilies and Sweet Violets. They Are Beautiful.

Episcopal Hymnals and Prayer Books in Sets and separate; also, Hymnals with Music. New line of Catholic Prayer Books, single and in sets.

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April 5, 1895. We Have Moved to No. 121 North Washington Avenue, Next First Presbyterian Church



DR. E. GREWER, The Philadelphia Specialist, and his associated staff of English and German physicians, are now permanently located at Old Postoffice Building, Corner Penn Avenue and Spruce Street.

DISEASES OF THE NERVOUS SYSTEM. The symptoms of which are dizziness, lack of confidence, actual weakness in men and women, biliousness in throat, spots floating before the eyes, loss of memory, inability to concentrate the mind on any subject, easily startled when suddenly spoken to, and dull distressed mind which unites them for performing the actual duties of life, making happiness impossible, distressing the action of the heart, causing flush of heat, depression of spirits, evil forebodings, cowardice, fear, dreams, melancholia, nervousness, trembling, constipation of bowels, depression, constipation, weakness of the limbs, etc. Those so afflicted should consult us immediately and be restored to perfect health.

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