



THE RING OF THE SCHOOL BELL means more wisdom. And we are all ready to supply it.

AT NORTON'S, 322 Lackawanna Ave.

HARD TO GET Good Oats on this crop. We have as good as anybody.

BUT We still have OLD CLEAN OATS Higher in price but really cheaper.

THE WESTON MILL CO., SCRANTON, OLYPHANT, CARBONDALE.

BEWARE OF COUNTERFEITS. THE GENUINE POPULAR PUNCH CIGARS.

GARNEY, BROWN & CO., MANUFACTURERS, COURT HOUSE SQ. DR. C. D. SHUMWAY, Diseases of the Lower Bowel a Specialty.

PERSONAL. Mr. and Mrs. I. A. Singer, of New York city, are at the Hotel Jermyn.

THEORY OF THE LAW. The theory of law is and always has been that persons guilty of crimes or misdemeanors should be publicly prosecuted.

TO CURE A COULD IN ONE DAY. Take laxative Bromo Quinine Tablets. All druggists refund the money if it fails to cure.

RECEIVING THEM The Best and Finest Goods That Ever Came to Our Store.

Best Dongola, Best Shape, Best Fitter We Ever Sold, \$3.00 WE WARRANT ALL OUR GOODS.

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COUNTER ARGUMENT IN THE SMITH CASE

Answer to the Disbarred Attorney's Paper Book is Ready.

A PAMPHLET OF FORTY PAGES

When Testimony Was Taken, the Book Says, It Has Failed to Sustain Mr. Smith's Accusations in Any Respect Whatsoever, and No Evidence Taken Warranted Even a Suspicion of Them.

Attorneys E. C. Newcomb, S. B. Price, and City Solicitor J. H. Torrey, whom the court appointed to prosecute the rule against Cornelius Smith, when that gentleman was called to answer Judge F. W. Gunster's charge of impropriety as a judge and charging him with having decided a case and recalled it at the instance of corrupt influence, served a copy of their answer to Mr. Smith's paper book upon him yesterday.

CHARGES AGAINST HIM. The charges upon which Mr. Smith was tried are that he wrote letters to Judge Gunster reflecting upon his official honesty and integrity; that he attempted to induce and prejudice the decision of a matter in the hands of the court; and that his conduct was a violation of his duty and of the laws of the State.

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Paper of Dr. Anna C. Clark Before the State Homoeopathic Society. At a meeting of the Homoeopathic Medical Society of Pennsylvania held in Philadelphia Tuesday, Dr. Anna C. Clark, of this city, read a paper on bicycle riding concerning which the Philadelphia Inquirer says:

SHE DEFENDS THE SILENT STEED. Of the papers read in the morning there was none more interesting and timely than that of Dr. Anna C. Clark, of Scranton. Dr. Clark gave an elaborate dissertation upon "As to the Wheel."

GLASS CASE FINISHED. It went to the Jury at Adjournment and the Verdict Was Sealed. When court convenes this morning the Jury in the case of the B. N. McCoy Glass company against the Lackawanna Hardware company will return its verdict.

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liberate and after agreeing upon a verdict they sealed it. The case depends on the way a contract made between the parties should be construed.

WILLIAM CONNELL CLUB. Was Organized Last Night by South Side Citizens.

A William Connell club with a membership of forty was organized last night in Frank Moore's hall on South Washington avenue.

THE BUILDING PERMITS. Those Issued During September by Inspector John Nelson Were for Improvements Costing \$200,252.

Building Inspector John Nelson reports having issued thirty-seven building permits during the month of September.

Joseph Nitch, single dwelling, three stories, wood, Hamm's court, Nineteenth ward.

George Boster, extension to dwelling, two stories, wood, Neptune court, Eleventh ward.

John Williams, single dwelling, two stories, wood, Washington street, Fifth ward.

John D. Evans, double dwelling, two stories, wood, Archibald street, Sixth ward.

Charles Hartman, single dwelling, two stories, wood, Union street, Tenth ward.

MONTROSE BOY KILLED. By the Cars at Factoryville Where He Was a Student.

Stanley Newton, aged 15 years, a student at Keystone Academy at Factoryville, was instantly killed by the cars at that place yesterday afternoon.

The Season for Book Work Has once more arrived, and our facilities can be readily applied to this class of work without any detriment to the various other classes of commercial printing.

Feed the Nerves upon pure, rich blood and you will not be nervous.

ENDEAVORERS WILL GATHER TONIGHT

Last Big Gathering Before Next Week's State Convention.

RALLY IN PENN AVENUE CHURCH

Programme includes a Combination of Religion, Business and Sociality—United Choir Will Sing. Practical Illustration of the System Proposed for Handling Delegates.

This will be a big night with the local Endeavorers. In the Penn Avenue Baptist church they will hold the last and big rally preceding the convention.

7:45—Prize service. 7:50—Devotional service, Rev. W. G. Watkins, secretary.

CHINA HALL, MILLAR & PECK, 134 Wyoming Ave. "Walk in and look around."

MIDSUMMER CLOSING SALE. Sterling Silver Shirt Waist Sets, worth \$5 to \$15; choice for \$3. Worth \$1.25 to \$1.75; choice for \$1.00.

REXFORD'S. Toilet Sets. A FORTNATE BUYING OF TOILET SETS THAT WILL SET YOU THINKING SINCE YOU ARE TO SHARE IN THE GOOD THING.

10-Piece Sets. We were all out of cheap sets when the new ones came, so these reductions are on fine goods only.

12-Piece Sets. Handsome slip jars with every set and all handsomely decorated. These are all fine sets, no common ones in this lot.

Here's the New Lot. These have not been reduced by us—the manufacturer had to stand the reduction on this lot.

Single Prints. The handsomest single print in the market, plenty of decoration, but all in one color.

Gold Decorated. One color, with heavy gold decorations. Every piece edged and splashed with gold.

Ask Your Dealer for McGarrah's Insect Powder, 25 and 50-cent boxes. Never sold in bulk. Take no other.

LAMP OPENING TUESDAY, WEDNESDAY, THURSDAY AND FRIDAY, Sept. 29, 30, * Oct. 1 and 2.

LAMPS AS ORNAMENTS. Did you ever consider that a pretty Prized Lamp on a side table, a Piano Lamp on the floor, or a handsome Banquet Lamp, shedding its light through delicately tinted silk and chiffon shades, are elegant parlor ornaments,

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Also the Newest, Also the Cheapest, Also the Largest.

R. E. ROGERS, Jeweler and Watchmaker, 216 Lackawanna Ave.

Welsbach LIGHT makes an abundance of electric light cast a shadow. Will really give more light than three of them burning gas.

MT. PLEASANT COAL AT RETAIL. Coal of the best quality for domestic use and of all sizes.

THIELE School of Music, 520 Spruce St. Mrs. Katharine Thiele, Voice Training, Solo Singing.

THE KEELEY CURE Why let your home and business be destroyed through strong drink or morphine, when you can be cured in four weeks at the Keeley Institute, 700 Madison street, Scranton, Pa. The Cure Will Bear Investigation.

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Ever Attempted in Scranton. Only a very small portion of our stock was DAMAGED BY WATER, but past excellent reputation for only carrying a choice stock compels us to make

SACRIFICES UNPRECEDENTED. Every vestige of our stock, DAMAGED OR NOT, has been marked at prices THAT WILL MAKE THEM MOVE QUICKLY.

NOTE THESE PRICES: DUNLAP HATS, NOW \$4.00, REDUCED TO 2.25

MANHATTAN SHIRTS, colored bosoms and all colored, REDUCED TO \$1.12

YOUNG BROS.' \$3.00 Hats, REDUCED TO 2.25

All \$1.50 Hats, NOW MARKED 1.12

All \$2.00 Hats, NOW ONLY 1.50

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SCHOOL SUITS FOR BOYS.

All Sizes, All Styles, All Prices.

Bring us your boy and let us fit him out in one of our nice, strong, durable and stylish suits.



Look Them Over. However, critically. Try them on, whatever your size or shape.

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CHRISTIAN 412 Spruce Street, 205 Lackawanna Avenue