MR. PEFFER WOULD LIMIT THE COURT

Important Resolution Affecting the Supreme Bench.

WOLCOTT'S BILL IS INTRODUCED

Murphy's Bill Providing for a New Custom House for New York Is Reported Favorably--Army Appropriation Bill Passed in Senate Without Question or Remark--A Number of Bills Approved in the House.

Washington, Jan. 18.—In the senate today Mr. Peffer, of Kansas, presented a memorial from his state, proposing that the power of the supreme court shall be so limited as to require the court, in case of an intended decision against the constitutionality of an act of congress, to furnish congress with an advance copy of its decision, as in the case of a presidential veto, so that congress may have the right by a two-thirds vote, to affirm the constitutionality of the act.

Senator Murphy's bill for a new custom house building in New York, was reported back favorably and placed on the calendar. The present custom house site is to be used, and the limit of cost is to be $5,000,000. The building commissioners are to be Charles N. Taintor, George B. Post, Hugh J. Grant and James T. Kilbreth.

The bill to provide for a representation of the United States by commissioners at any international monetary conference was introduced and is to be taken up tomorrow without reference to a committee. It is known as Senator Wolcott's bill, but in the absence of that senator in England, it was introduced by Mr. Chandler, of New Hampshire.

The army appropriation bill, appropriating over $23,000,000, was passed without question or remark. There were a few minor amendments which will probably be concurred in by the house without the formality of a conference.

The Nicaraguan canal bill was taken up and made the unfinished business, and after a two hours' speech in support of it by Mr. Morgan, of Alabama, the senate at 5.15 p. m. adjourned until tomorrow.

The senate committee on the judiciary today reported favorably the bill introduced by Senator Hill, which regulates the term of office of postmasters, fixing it at four years from the date of his commission.

HOUSE BILLS PASSED.

The house spent the day in consideration of miscellaneous matter, business of the District of Columbia occupying the greater portion of the session. Aside from the measures of purely local interest, the following bills were passed:

To prohibit and punish the sale of liquors to Indians over whom the interior department exercises guardianship; extending for two years the time for the completion of the Kansas, Oklahoma, Central and Southwestern railway through the Indian territory and Oklahoma; amending the patent laws along the lines proposed by the American Bar association; to give to the United States benefit of the devices patented by naval officers; authorizing the construction of a bridge across the Rio Grande at El Paso, Tex., also of a bridge across the Monongahela river from Braddock to Mifflin, Pa.

An order was agreed to setting aside tomorrow's session for the consideration of private pension bills.

Mr. McCall, of Massachusetts, gave notice that he would call up the Yost-Tucker election case Wednesday.

At 4 o'clock the house adjourned until tomorrow.

PECKVILLE.

A social and oyster supper will be given in the Presbyterian church Saturday evening, Jan. 23, for the benefit of the kindergarten mission schools at Dolph's and Bell Place. A first-class supper for 25 cents. Let everyone patronize the cause.

Oriental Star lodge, Free and Accepted Masons, will hold a regular communication this evening.

Three more new cases of diphtheria in the Second ward and two cases of scarlet fever in the First ward have been reported to the board of health this week.

The Republican candidate for burgess of Blakely borough, Saboth B. Williams, the subject of this sketch, was born in Wales in 1842 and came to this country in 1844 and settled in St.

SABOTH B. WILLIAMS.

Clair, Schuylkill county. He resided there three years; then moved to Pittston, and when at the age of 8 years started to work as a slate picker in the first breaker that ever cracked coal in Luzerne county, in what was known as the Butler breaker. In this breaker he worked three years, after which he entered the mines, starting as a door boy. He steadily advanced in his mining career until the year 1860, when he was made driving boss. At the first sound of the drum and fife he left his home, work and friends, and entered the service of Uncle Sam, enlisting as a private in Company I, Fifty-second regiment, Pennsylvania volunteers. After serving all through the rebellion Mr. Williams returned to his native town and again resumed his position as driver boss. In 1877, during the great greenback movement, he was appointed deputy sheriff. After serving a short time he resigned, and when the law was passed which compelled mine foremen to have certificates, was one of the first to receive them. Since that time he has had charge of two collieries in Pittston, one at Laflin, and served two years as mine foreman under the Southern Pacific Railroad company in Mexico. In the year 1893, when J. M. Rice took charge of the Rush Brook, now known as Blue Ridge colliery, Mr. Williams was made inside foreman and served three years, after which he was made general superintendent of all the collieries under the company, which position he now holds.

OLD FORGE.

Extensive improvements are being made at the Delaware, Lackawanna and Western station.

Work was resumed at the Old Forge breaker on Monday.

The Brick church choir is arranging for a good entertainment to be held next month

Rena, the little daughter of H. L. Edsall, who has been seriously ill with diphtheria, is improving.

Mrs. John Faraday's Sunday school class of the new Methodist Episcopal church, will give a box social on Wednesday evening in the basement of the church. A pleasing programme has been prepared to entertain all those who attend.

Colonel Urquhart will deliver his famous lecture on "Libby Prison" this evening in the Brick church. Members of the Patriotic Order Sons of America and Grand Army Republic are cordially invited to attend. Admission 15 and 25 cents. Lecture to begin at 7.30.

I wish to say to the voters of Old Forge township that I have not withdrawn from the race as candidate for treasurer as runners prove it. Thomas Pickell.

Fred Desh was injured in the mine, Jermyn No. 1, on Monday.

James Salmon, from the Sibley, is a candidate for justice of the peace.

The Republican caucus will be held at E J. Fallon's hall, Wednesday night, Jan. 20.

BENEFIT PERFORMANCE.

Entertainment Given at Factoryville by Paulowna Rebekah Lodge Independent Order of Odd Fellows.

Special to the Scranton Tribune.

Factoryville, Jan. 18.—Last Friday evening Paulowna Rebekah lodge, No. 54, Independent Order of Odd Fellows, gave a benefit entertainment in Mathewson's hall, which netted them a nice little sum to be used for the good of the order. A small admission fee was charged at the door, and soon after the doors were opened the hall was comfortably filled with friends and

MISS ISABELLE MILLER.

members of the order. The entertainment consisted principally of home talent and the programme was very carefully arranged and composed of vocal and instrumental music, recitations, drapery, attitudes, etc. Miss Isabelle Miller, of Pittston, Pa., who so ably assisted with the character impersonations (drapery attitudes) and recitations, was worthy of special mention, and showed long and careful training.

Following is the programme in detail:

"Jolly Robbers" .....Von Suppe
S. R. Lilly.
"The Diners," .....Miss Irene Hanson
"The Light House Light," William T. Hutchinson
John T. Richards.
(a) 'Two Golden Curls."
(b) "Tit for Tat"
Miss Isabelle Miller.
"Palm Branches" .....James J. Freeman
C. H. Wilson.
Select reading .....Miss May Armstrong
"Out on the Deep" .....Samuel K. Cowen
F. E. Bond.
Drapery Attitudes—Roman Figure, Sudia, Shame, Distress, Ah There! Stay There! Protection, Triumph, Coquette, Thought, Grief, Exultation, Mischief, Storm, Peek-a-Boo.
Miss Isabelle Miller
"I Fear No Foe" .....Pinsuti
John T. Richards.
"William Tell" .....John T. Davis
Impromptu Cis Moll .....Chopin
Mrs. Cross.
(a) "Rock Me to Sleep."
(b) "So Was I."
Miss Isabelle Miller.
"Asthore" .....H. Trotere
F. E. Bond.
"Mrs. Smart Learns to Skate."
G. L. Beardsley.
Tannhauser March .....Wagner
S. R. Lilly.

At the conclusion of the entertainment the "Rebekah quilt" was disposed of. Amzi Harmon and A. A. Brown were the judges, little Archie Carr pulled the lucky ticket from the box, which was No. xx44 and was held by Rupert Bart, of this place.

This concluded the public exercises, after which a committee consisting of members of the order escorted those that took part in the entertainment, to Rebekah lodge room, where a hastily, yet very carefully prepared supper awaited them

Those who sat down to the table were: S. R. Lilly, John T. Richards, C. H. Wilson, F. E. Bond, John T. Davis, G. L. Beardsley, Frank Harrington, A. A. Brown, Lewis Armstrong, A. F. Dershimer, M. B. Worden; the Misses Watkins and Burdick, May Armstrong, Irene Hanson, Isabelle Miller, Mrs. Cross, Mr. and Mrs. N. A. Gardner, Mrs. A. B. Rought, Mrs. Charles Knapp, and Mr. and Mrs. Davis.

The evening was very pleasantly spent in entertainment and sociability and every one present enjoyed the hospitality of the Rebekahs, and we are sure that the labor and efforts that our sisters put forth to furnish this evening's entertainment and pleasure were crowned with success.

If the Baby Is Cutting Teeth.

Mrs. Winslow's Soothing Syrup has been used for over fifty years by millions of mothers for their children while teething, with perfect success. It soothes the child, softens the gums, allays all pain, cures wind colic and is the best remedy for diarrhoea. Sold by druggists in every part of the world. Be sure and call for "Mrs. Winslow's Soothing Syrup," and take no other kind. Twenty-five cents a bottle. **

Chicago Live Stock.

Chicago, Jan. 18.—Cattle—Receipts, 16,000 head; market firm for choice, steady for others; common to extra steers, $3.50a5.50; stockers and feeders, $3.10a4.15; cows and bulls, $1.75a3.85; calves, $3.50a6; Texans, $3.50a4.25. Hogs—Receipts, 52,000 head; market strong; heavy packing and shipping lots, $3.25a3.47½; common to choice, mixed, $3.30a3.50; choice assorted, $3.40a3.50; light, $3.30a3.50; pigs, $3.10a3.50. Sheep—Receipts, 15,000 head; market stronger; inferior to choice, $2.50a3.80; lambs, $3.50a5.25.

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MARKETS AND STOCKS

Wall Street Review.

New York, Jan. 18.—The opening dealings at the stock exchange were characterized by firmness. Trading was on an unusually large scale and commission houses for the first time in a month or so transacted a good share of the business. The rise during the first hour of trading was equal to ½a2¾ per cent., Lackawanna, Jersey Central, Sugar, Manhattan and the Grangers leading. The demand for stocks abated during the afternoon and at the same time traders began to reduce their lines. The result was a general decline of ¼a2¼ per cent., Manhattan leading. Wheeling and Lake Erie Preferred dropped from 13 to 10¾. The heaviness of the bituminous coalers is due to the unsatisfactory condition of the trade. Sugar jumped to 118 at the opening and later settled back to 116. In some quarters the afternoon selling was attributed in part to the Kentucky bank failures. Rumors were also current of embarrassments in up-town business circles, but the reports could not be confirmed. Speculation closed weak in tone. Net changes show losses of ¼a1⅝ per cent. Total sales were 302,000 shares.

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	Opening.	High-est.	Low-est.	Closing.
Am. Tobacco Co. ...	77⅝	78¼	77¼	77¼
Am. Cotton Oil	14¾	14¾	14½	14½
Am. Sug. Ref. Co. ..	117½	118	116	116⅛
Atch., To. & S. Fe..	15	15⅛	14⅞	14⅞
At., To. & S. Fe Pr...	25	25¼	24¾	24¾
Canada Southern ...	46	46	46	46
Ches. & Ohio	18¼	18¼	18	18
Chic. Gas	79⅜	79½	78⅛	78⅛
Chic., & N. W.	105	105	104¾	104¾
Chic., B. & Q.	77¼	77¼	75½	75½
C. C. C. & St. L. ...	30	30	29¼	29¼
Chic., Mil. & St. P. .	77¼	77⅜	76⅜	76⅜
Chic., R. I. & Pac. ..	70	70	68⅝	68¾
Del. & Hudson	112½	112½	111½	111½
D., L. & W.	157¾	157¾	157¾	157¾
Dist. & C. F.	14⅛	14¼	13⅞	13⅞
Gen. Electric	35½	35½	34½	34½
Lake Shore	153¾	154⅛	153¾	154
Louis. & Nash.	52	52	51¼	51¼
M. K. & Tex. Pr. ...	31¾	31⅞	31	31
Man. Elevated	93	94	90¾	90¾
Mo. Pac.	24	24¼	23¼	23½
Nat. Lead	26	26¼	26	26
N. J. Central	103⅛	103⅛	102	102
N. Y., L. E. & W. ...	15½	15¼	15⅛	15⅛
N. Y., S. & W. Pr. ...	25⅞	26½	25¾	25¾
Nor. Pac. Pr.	34⅝	34¾	34	34
Ont. & Western	15¾	15¾	15⅛	15⅛
Omaha	52½	52½	50¾	50¾
Pac. Mail	26	26⅜	26	26¼
Phil. & Reading	27⅞	28⅛	27⅜	27½
Southern R. R.	9¾	9⅞	9¾	9⅞
Southern R. R. Pr. .	29½	29⅞	29¼	29¼
Tenn. C. & Iron	31	31¼	30	30
Texas Pacific	10⅛	10¼	10	10
Union Pacific	7⅞	7⅞	7⅛	7⅛
Wabash	7⅛	7⅛	7	7⅛
Wabash Pr.	17	17⅛	16⅞	16⅞
Western Union	85⅞	86	85⅛	85½
W. L.	3	3	2¼	2½
U. S. Leather	9½	9½	9½	9½
U. S. Leather Pr....	62¼	63	62¼	63
U. S. Rubber	25	25	24⅞	24⅞

CHICAGO BOARD OF TRADE PRICES.

	Opening.	High-est.	Low-est.	Closing.
WHEAT.				
May	81⅛	81¼	80⅛	80⅛
July	76⅞	76⅞	76	76
OATS.				
May	18⅞	18⅞	18⅛	18¼
CORN.				
May	24¾	24¾	24¼	24¼
July	25¾	25¾	25⅛	25⅛
LARD.				
May	4.12	4.12	4.07	4.07
PORK.				
May	8.07	8.12	8.02	8.07

Scranton Board of Trade Exchange Quotations--All Quotation Based on Par of 100.

Name.	Bid.	Asked.
Scranton Lace Curtain Co. ..	...	50
National Boring & Drill'g Co.	...	80
First National Bank	650	...
Scranton Jar & Stopper Co. ..	...	25
Elmhurst Boulevard Co.	...	100
Scranton Savings Bank	200	...
Bonta Plate Glass Co.	...	10
Scranton Packing Co.	...	95
Lackawanna Iron & Steel Co.	...	150
Third National Bank	350	...
Throop Novelty M'f'g. Co.	...	40
Scranton Traction Co.	15	20
Scranton Axle Works	...	80
Traders National Bank	118	120
Weston Mill Co.	...	250
Alexander Car Replacer Co. .	...	100
Scranton Bedding Co.	...	105
Dime Dep. & Dis. Bank	145	...
BONDS.		
Scranton & Pittston Trac. Co.	...	20
Scranton Pass. Railway, first mortgage due 1918	110	...
People's Street Railway, first mortgage due 1918	110	...
Scranton & Pittston Trac. Co.	...	90
People's Street Railway, Second mortgage due 1920	110	...
Dickson Manufacturing Co....	...	100
Lacka. Township School 5%..	...	102
City of Scranton St. Imp. 6%.	...	102
Mt. Vernon Coal Co.	...	85
Scranton Axle Works	...	100
Scranton Traction Co.	...	95
Economy Steam, H. & P. Co..	...	100

New York Produce Market.

New York, Jan. 18.—Flour—Dull, steady; winter wheat, low grades, $2.30a3.35; do. fair to fancy, $3.50a4.75; do. patents, $4.95a5.15; Minnesota clear, $3.50a4; do. straights, $4a4.45; do. patents, $4.35a5.15; city mills, $4a5; do. patents, $5.20a5.15. Wheat—Dull easier; f. o. b., 97⅝c.; ungraded red, 78a98c.; No. 1 northern, 92⅝c.; options closed steady; January, 89⅝c.; March, 90⅝c.; May, 86⅝c.; July, 83⅝c. Corn—Dull, weaker; No. 2, 28⅜c., elevator; 29⅝c., afloat; options weak; January, 28⅝c.; May, 30⅛c.; July, 31⅛c. Oats—Spots dull; mixed firm; options quiet, easier; January, 22c.; February, 22¼c.; May, 22⅝c.; spot prices, No. 2, 22½c.; No. 2 white, 24½c.; No. 2 Chicago, 23½c.; No. 3, 20¾c.; No. 3 white, 22c.; mixed western, 22a24c.; white do. and white state, 23a30c. Beef—Quiet, firm; family, $9.25a10.50; extra mess, $7a8. Beef hams—Steady, $18. Tierced beef—Firm; city extra India mess, $13.50a14.50. Cut meats—Firm; quiet; pickled bellies, 4⅜c.; do. shoulders, 4¼a4⅜c.; do. hams, 8¼a9c. Lard—Quiet, firm; western steam, $4.25; city, $3.85; January, $4.20; refined dull; continent, $4.60; South America, $4.80; compound, $4¼a4½. Pork—Firm; new mess, $8.50a9. Butter—Firm; state dairy, 10a15½c.; do. creamery, 13a19c.; western creamery, 13a20½c.; do. factory, 7a14c.; Elgins, 20a20½c.; imitation creamery, 11a16c. Cheese—Strong; state large, 7½a11½c.; do. small, 8a11¼c.; part skims, 4a8½c.; full skims, 2½a3c. Eggs—Steady; state and Pennsylvania, 16a16½c.; ice house, 12½a13½c.; western fresh, 15c.; do. case, $1.75a3; southern, 14½a14¾c.; limedi 13a13½c.

Philadelphia Provision Market.

Philadelphia, Jan. 18.—Provisions were steady and in fair jobbing demand. We quote: Beef hams, $18a18.50, as to age and brand; pork, family, $10.50a11; hams, S. P. cured, in tierces, 8a8c.; do. smoked, 9¼a 11c., as to average and brand; sides, ribbed, in salt, 4½a4¾c.; do. do. smoked, 5¼a5½c.; shoulders, pickle cured, 5¼a5½c.; do. do. smoked, 6½a6¾c.; picnic hams, S. P. cured, 5¼a5¾c.; do. do. smoked, 6¼a 6¾c.; bellies, in pickle, according to average, loose, 5a5½c.; breakfast bacon, 6½a 7½c., as to brand and average; lard, pure city refined, in tierces, 4¼a5c.; do. do., in tubs, 5a5½c.; do. butchers', loose, 3¾a4c.; city tallow, in hogsheads, 3¼c.; country do., 2½a3½c., as to quality, and cakes, 3½a 3¾c.

Chicago Grain and Provision Market

Chicago, Jan. 18.—The leading futures ranged as follows: Wheat—January, 78⅝c., 77⅞c.; May, 80⅞c., 80⅛c.; July, 76⅞c., 76c. Corn—January, 22⅝c., 22½c.; May, 24⅝c., 24¼c.; July, 25¼c., 25⅛c. Oats—January, 16⅝c., 15⅞c.; May, 18⅞c., 18¼c.; July, 19⅝c., 18¾c. Mess pork—January, $7.87½, $7.87½; May, $8.07½, $8.07½. Lard—January, $3.97½, May, $4.12½, $4.12½. Short ribs—January, $4.12½, $4.12½; May, $4.15, $4.17½. Cash quotations were as follows: Flour, quiet and unsteady; No. 2 spring wheat, 77⅝a78¾c.; No. 3 do., 76a76½c.; No. 2 red, 87¼a89⅝c.; No. 2 corn, 22¼a22¾c.; No. 2 oats, 16½c.; No. 2 rye, 37a37½c.; No. 2 barley, 35a36c.; No. 1 flaxseed, 74½a78½c.; timothy seed, $2.65; mess pork, $7.90a7.95; lard, $3.97½a4; short ribs, sides, $4.02½a$4.27½; shoulders, $4.25a4.50; short clear, sides, $4.12½a4.25; whiskey, $1.18; sugars, cut loaf, $5.26; granulated, $4.63; standard A., $4.26.

Buffalo Live Stock.

Buffalo, N. Y., Jan. 18.—Cattle—Active and stronger; best heavy steers, $5a5.15; good to choice shippers, $4.65a4.90; light to medium, $4.35a4.60; half fat to good butchers', $3.80a4.25; good to prime fat heifers, $4a4.35; do. cows, $3.30a3.75; mixed butchers' stock, $2.50a3.75; good butchers' bulls, $3.25a3.50; good stockers, $3.35a3.60; feeders, $3.75a4. Veals—Easier; $6.50a6.75. Hogs—Active at 5c. decline; Yorkers, $3.65a 3.70; light and pigs, $3.75; pigs, $3.70a3.80; mixed packers, $3.55a3.60; roughs, $3a3.10; stags, $2.25a2.75. Sheep and lambs—Slow with lambs, 15a20c., and sheep 10a15c. lower; best lambs, $5a5.15; fair to good, $4.35a 4.90; culls and common, $3.50a4.25; mixed sheep, good to choice, $3.60a3.75; fair to good, $3.25a3.50; bulls and common, $2a 3.10; export ewes, $3.50a3.65; wethers, $3.90a 4.

Oil Market.

Oil City, Pa., Jan. 18.—Option oil not quoted; credit balances, 88c.

Inflammatory Rheumatism Cured in 3 Days.

Morton L. Hill, of Lebanon, Ind., says: "My wife had inflamatory rheumatism in every muscle and joint her suffering was terrible and her body and face were swollen almost beyond recognition; had been in bed for six weeks and had eight physicians but received no benefit until she tried the Mystic Cure for Rheumatism. It gave immediate relief and she was able to walk about in three days. I am sure it saved her life." Sold by Carl Lorenz, druggist, Scranton, 418 Lackawanna avenue.

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	42-in.	45-in.	50-in.	54-in.	7-4	8-4	9-4 10-4
Bleh.	8c.	9c.	10c.	11c.	12½c.	14c.	16c. 18c.

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Black Rock ..	5c.	Lonsdale	6c.
Cameron D ...	4½c.	Fruit of Loom...	6c.
Atlantic P	5c.	Dwight Anchor..	6c.
		Pride of West....	10c.

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Best twilled cotton crash, bleached and brown, at 3½c.

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And our entire stock of Linen Crashes at Cut Prices.

Table Linens

Impossible to go into the details of quoting prices here, but we want to say that we are going to make this Linen Sale interesting for you. We met an unusual opportunity in the way of a "Linen Purchase," and were quick enough to snap it up. That was good buying. Every yard of the lot and also our entire regular stock bears red ink prices for this occasion, which means that this is to be good selling and quick selling.

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The same story of the table linens applies to the napkins. Hundreds of dozens of good napkins worth from $1.00 to $5.00 a dozen, will be sold at greatly reduced prices.

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FOR SALE—A LOT OF HOUSEHOLD furniture, as good as new. 822 Monroe avenue.

FOR SALE—A SILVER-PLATED CONN double bell euphonium, nicely engraved with trombone bell, gold lined; nearly new and cost $90; will sell at a bargain. Address this week to E. W. GAYLOR, LaRaysville, Pa.

FOR SALE—HORSE, AGED SIX YEARS, weight 1,000 pounds; can be seen at 1021 Price street.

WANTED—TO RENT.

WANTED—A HOUSE WITH 10 OR 12 rooms; modern conveniences; from April 1. Address, GRIFFITH, Tribune office.

FOR RENT.

FOR RENT—ELEVEN-ROOM DWELLING house, with all modern improvements; rent moderate. Apply 422 Madison avenue.

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FOR RENT—SINGLE HOUSE, 9 ROOMS; furnace, hot and cold water, beautiful location, 1721 Penn avenue, Green Ridge; $20 a month. C. L. HAWLEY, 241 Wyoming ave.

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TRUSTEES' NOTICE.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN TO ALL persons indebted to the firm of Chapman & Boughton, successors of the firm of Bell & Chapman, lately doing business in the borough of Blakely, Lackawanna county, Pa., and to all persons holding property belonging to the said firm, to pay over and deliver all such sums of money and property due and belonging to said firms to the undersigned, who have been duly appointed trustees for the firm of Chapman & Boughton by the Court of Common Pleas of Lackawanna county; and also all creditors of the above firm will present their accounts or demands to the undersigned.

JOSEPH G. BELL, Peckville, Pa.
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CORNS, BUNIONS AND INGROWING nails cured without the least pain or drawing blood. Consultation and advice given free. E. M. HETSEL, Chiropodist, 330 Lackawanna avenue. Ladies attended at their residence if desired. Charges moderate.

STOCKHOLDERS' MEETING.

THE ANNUAL MEETING OF THE stockholders of The Moosic Powder Company will be held at their office in the city of Scranton, Penn'a, on Wednesday, January 27, 1897, at 8 o'clock p. m., for the purpose of electing directors for the ensuing year, and transacting such other business as may come before them. No transfer of stock will be made for ten days next preceding the day of the election.
JOHN D. SHERER, Secretary.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT THE annual meeting of the Stockholders of The Lackawanna Valley Traction Company will be held on the 1st day of February, 1897, at 10 o'clock a. m., at the office of the Company at Scranton, Penn'a, for the purpose of electing directors for the ensuing year, and for the transaction of such other business as may properly come before the meeting, in accordance with the by-laws of the company.
P. S. PAGE, President.
Attest: ROB'T C. ADAMS, Secretary.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT THE annual meeting of the stockholders of The Scranton and Pittston Traction Company will be held on the 2nd day of February, 1897, at 10 o'clock a. m., at the office of the company at Scranton, Penn'a, for the purpose of electing directors for the ensuing year, and for the transaction of such other business as may properly come before the meeting in accordance with the by-laws of the company.
L. A. WATRES, President.
Attest: ROB'T C. ADAMS, Secretary.

THE ANNUAL MEETING OF THE Thouron Coal Land Company will be held at the office of the company, Room 605 Commonwealth Building, Scranton, Pa., on Wednesday, January 27th, 1897, at 4 p. m., for the election of directors and the transaction of such other business as may be presented.
THOS. H. DALE, Secretary.

THE ANNUAL MEETING OF THE stockholders of The Enterprise Powder Manufacturing Company, for the election of directors and the transaction of such other business as may properly come before it, will be held on Wednesday, January 27th, 1897, at the office of the company in Scranton, Pa., at 2.30 o'clock p. m. No transfer of stock will be made for ten days next preceding the date of the above meeting.
E. P. KINGSBURY, Secretary.

THE ANNUAL MEETING OF THE stockholders of The St. Clair Coal Company, for the election of directors and the transaction of such other business as may properly come before it, will be held on Monday, January 25, 1897, at the office of the company in Scranton, Pa., at 2 o'clock p. m. No transfer of stock will be made for ten days next preceding the date of above meeting.
E. P. KINGSBURY, Secretary.

BOARD WANTED.

FOR MAN AND WIFE, NEAR PUBLIC Library. Address A., Tribune office.

NOTICE—ROCK CONTRACTORS.

PROPOSALS WILL BE RECEIVED TO January 25, 1897, at noon, for driving a tunnel at Sterrick Creek Colliery, Peckville, Pa.; tunnel to be driven from the Clark or Ross vein to the bottom split of the Dunmore or Red Ash vein; size to be 7 feet by 12 feet, and 1,400 feet long, more or less; contractor must furnish all power and tools.

The company reserves the right to reject any or all bids.

Specifications for same may be seen on application to JOHN R. BRYDEN, Supt.
Peckville, Pa., Jan. 5, 1897.

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