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127 WYOMING AVE.



## CITY NOTES.

Special service in Grace Reformed Episcopal church this morning at 10:30 o'clock. Supper was served last evening in the parlors of the Penn Avenue Baptist church.

The Delaware and Hudson company paid yesterday at the Martine and Leggett's.

The Lackawanna and Western company will pay today at the Sloan and Hampton mines.

There will be a regular meeting of the Board of health at their rooms, in the Municipal building, Thursday at 3 o'clock.

The Lady Oxford union, Veteran Relief union, will hold their next meeting on Thursday, March 6, at 2:30 o'clock, in the new hall on Wyoming avenue.

Alex. Sinko, of Petrovitsky, who was indicted for shooting his son on Jan. 18, to fifteen months for attempted criminal assault. He was on Monday released from the Eastern penitentiary.

George Sanderson will give a talk on Egypt, her pyramids, temples and tombs at the Green Ridge library on Thursday evening. In connection with the talk a large number of illustrations will be shown and commented on. The evening cannot fail to be pleasurable and instructive.

An English syndicate is negotiating through a representative now in the city for the purchase of the Scranton Glass company, located in Green Ridge. An offer has been received from the plant. Experienced glass men are represented in the syndicate. The works have been in the lead about a year.

The failure of the Suburban Electric Light company to furnish light to their patrons yesterday was due to a leakage in one of the pipes. The Scranton Gas and Water company, which necessarily immediate repair, causing the current to be shut off. The damage was repaired by 6 o'clock last evening.

## RECEIVER FOR COLLINS & HACKETT.

**Judge Gunster Appoints B. Moses to Wind Up the Firm Affairs.**

After hearing the arguments in the Collins & Hackett case yesterday morning Judge Gunster decided that a receiver should be appointed and when the litigants could not come to an agreement as to who should be selected, he appointed B. Moses to the position.

The official order was handed down yesterday afternoon. It places the receiver in full charge of the affairs of the firm and directs him to wind up the business and report from time to time what is being done, to bind all the other members of the firm.

## THE SPECULATOR LAST NIGHT.

**Cleverly Produced by Seabrook and Company.**

Thomas Q. Seabrook and his evenly balanced company produced "The Speculator" before a large audience at the Frothingham last night.

"It is a very amusing comedy and in it Mr. Seabrook and his company were seen to good advantage. "The Speculator" is a very clever comedy and gives Mr. Seabrook a most congenial role.

## CANNED GOODS.

Everything REDUCED in this department. We offer only new pack and can assure you our best canned vegetables are perfectly fresh and tender when canned; are better than most so-called "fresh vegetables" that the markets offer. We have Canned Corn, at 50c per dozen. Fancy Canned Corn, at 50c per dozen. Fancy Tomato, 50c per dozen; Fancy Early June Peas, \$1.50 per dozen.

Bargains in California fruits.  
E. G. COOPER,  
Wholesale and Retail.

## Bought Mr. Christian's Stock.

Frank P. Christian has sold his hat and men's furnishing business which he has conducted during the past ten years to J. A. Waters. He will be succeeded in the office of treasurer of Foote & Shear Co., by Fred G. Poole. Mr. Waters was formerly in the furnishing line in New York state.

## COLLARS OF STYLE

that wear; that fit. J. A. Waters, successor of Christian, the hatter, 205 Lackawanna avenue.

## CASTORIA

For Infants and Children.

The firm signature of *Chat. H. Fletcher* is every where.

## THEY WERE FOOLS FOR ONE NIGHT

**ANNUAL CARNIVAL OF THE SCRANTON LIEDERKRANZ IN MUSIC HALL.**

## IT WAS A VERY MERRY EVENING

**EVERYBODY ENTERED HEARTILY INTO THE SPIRIT OF THE OCCASION WITH MERRY ABANDON AND A JOLLY GOOD TIME WAS THE RESULT.—KLEINE RATH SPRANG A PLEASANT SURPRISE, ARRANGED IN A VERY CLEVER MANNER.**

The Germans are staunch believers with the poet that "a little nonsense now and then is relished by the best of men," and among the most faithful adherents of this creed is the Scranton Liederkranz. Once a year to show the faith that is in them they hold what they are pleased to term a fool's carnival. It is in line with an old German institution that prevailed in Flanders and which has been transplanted in every portion of this country where there is a large settlement of Germans. Like the Mardi Gras it is a

entered the balcony the surprise came. The real Friederich had been secreted there and instead of his prototype he himself appeared and waved his hand gaily to the astonished audience. Some of them did not detect the fact that the real Friederich had been substituted for the counterpart on the way through the wings to the balcony and for a long time were puzzled to know whether or not they had not better quit the carnival right there and then. When the musical voice of the jolly little wit was heard however all doubts were set aside and he was given an ovation that fairly shook the building.

The Kleine Rath was composed of Frank Hummer, Charles Nier, Fred Hummer, Fred J. Widmayer, Charles Wagner, Philip Wagner, Frank Leutner, Theodore Ross, William Wachter, Joseph Brunner, Charles Wenzel and Herman Landau.

## DIED IN THE STREET.

**HENRY CUBY, OF THE SOUTH SIDE, FOUND DEAD LAST NIGHT--HEART DISEASE THE CAUSE.**

A hostler employed by John Schreiber at 10 o'clock last night found the dead body of Henry Cuby lying not far from



grand jollification just before the Lenten sackcloth and ashes are taken on.

Last night's event was one of the most successful that the Liederkranz has conducted in many years both in point of attendance and the excitement of the entertainment purveyed by the Kleine Rath. The ball which the committee of arrangements is designated.

The hall was one mass of bunting, flags, and banners and everybody wore some gayly badge of the festival—the men a multi colored foil's cap, with bells, and the ladies, a fancy rosette and ribbons.

The Kleine Rath sat at a long table on the stage with the president of the carnival in the center. The president wore evening dress, with the inevitable foil's cap, but all the rest were in fancy costume representing various characters now foremost in the mind of the public.

SOCIETIES THAT ATTENDED.

The other revellers sat at six tables extending the entire length of the room which skinned a merry corps of waiters who saw to it that no one would go away saying it had been a dry evening. The Schlaraffia, Saengerunde, Arion, Grutti Verein and Turners of Scranton, and the Liederkranz, of Homestead, occupied one or the other of the tables.

The programme opened with the entrance of the first detachment of the Kleine Rath dressed to represent Spanish officers, General Weyler leading the way on a prancing hobby horse. To the air of an old German polka, they mounted their steeds and sang to the tune that they would do dire things to the Cubans, General Weyler, of course, doing all the talking. In the midst of their bragging in comes the second portion of the Kleine Rath, attired as Cuban insurgents and under the leadership of General Gomez attack the Spanish forces. While the tumult of battle is at its height, the president of the carnival, Frank Hummer, comes in and reminds them that this is the night of the Liederkranz carnival. They cease their strife at once, don foil's caps and proceed to make merry.

Cuby's body was yet warm when first discovered and inquired after showed that he left Henry Croft's hotel, corner of Pittston and Alder street, only a few minutes before his body was found lying in the alley. Coroner Longstreet was notified and after an autopsy corroborated Dr. Kolb's verdict.

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Inquire of ticket agents for time of trains and rates.

Notice.

We are still doing business at the same old stand where we have been for

twenty-two years past and most re-

spectfully solicit the patronage of the

public as heretofore in awnings, tents,

thugs and all kinds of society goods

and decorations.

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