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Linen Slip Covers made for parlor furniture.

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Visit our Drapery Department, the largest and most complete in this part of the state.

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CITY NOTES.

Charles Bacon, charged with desertion and non-support by his wife, Emma, was held in jail before Alderman Howe on Saturday for a further hearing today.

A suit of damages in the sum of \$1,000 was filed against the Scranton Traction company on Saturday. It was filed by Attorney C. H. Somer for Joseph Moller.

A suspension of company drills has been ordered by Colonel Cousins. The order will be in force until Monday, Oct. 4, when they will be resumed without further orders.

Walter Miller, colored, was fined \$5 by Alderman Howe on Saturday for stealing a ride on Delaware, Lackawanna and Western trains. He paid the fine. Special Officer Durkin made the arrest.

Mrs. Elizabeth Wilmore, of Nay Aug, through the efforts of Congressman Conner, has been allowed a pension of \$8 per month from April 19, 1864, and \$2 per month for her minor children, a total grant of \$10.

The Hon. George Farber, association, known as "Farber's Heroes," held their annual outing through the medium of a clam bake yesterday at Dugan's farm. There were about thirty-five of the "Heroes" present.

The committee of arrangements of the Scranton Liederkreis excursion have put forth every effort to eclipse all other similar events. The excursion will go to Farview tomorrow morning. Tickets for sale by members or at the train.

Prothonotary Pryor filed the bonds of John W. Mohr, collector of school tax in Carbonate, on Saturday morning. The sum of the bond is \$40,000, and the sureties are John W. and Nicholas Mohr, Frank Hollenbeck, George S. Kimball and Anton Krahl.

Cyrus C. Weiss, national representative, and other state officers of the J. O. U. A. M. will visit Lackawanna Valley Council, No. 31, at Taylor's Sunday evening. All members of the order throughout the county are invited. A reception will be given at the W. G. Hotel.

The annual meeting of the stockholders of the Scranton Board of Trade Real Estate company, will be held at the general office of the company at 2 o'clock today. Directors for the ensuing year will be elected and such other business transacted as may be legally brought before them.

Charles Baird is after \$2,660 damages for alleged slander by Lewellyn N. Roberts. He entered suit before Prothonotary Pryor through his attorney, Joseph N. Brown, on Saturday. Baird claims that Roberts told Daniel J. Jenkins on June 3 last that he (Baird) had stolen Joseph Stanton's bicycle.

A new engine of larger horse-power and improved machinery has been placed in the Meadow Brook Silk company's mill since its shut down, on July 3. Today it is expected that the double and winders will resume, and by the end of the week the whole mill will be in operation. It employs about 35 hands.

Buffalo Hill (Colonel W. F. Cody) is known the world over as one of the bravest scouts in history. His greatest example of courage, however, was when he started out to move his enormous exhibition—in every detail the same as the Chicago World's fair—from city to city in a night. It seemed simply impossible, but he does it and never fails to begin his exhibitions promptly on time as per announcements.

Big

Line of MARKET GOODS, at

THE SCRANTON CASH STORE.

Today,

Extra help in every department.

NEW TRANSFER SYSTEM TODAY

Passengers Must Now Get Aboard at Certain Points.

COMPANY IS PROTECTING ITSELF

And the Claim is Made That Transit Will Be Facilitated—Where the Transfer Is Issued the Passenger Must Board the Second Car—Two New Light-Wheel Cars of the Steam Railroad Type Are in the City.

Beginning with today the Scranton Railway company will institute new transfer rules and will issue a new series of transfer tickets. The arrangement differs very little from the transfers in use for the past six months.

Superintendent Fox stated last night that the change is made with the single idea of making the transfers recently in vogue more easily understood by the traveling public. The rules as posted in the dispatchers' office of the Railway company yesterday bear out Superintendent Fox's statement. The time limit—one half hour—will be retained, as also will the custom of issuing transfer tickets at only certain points on the line.

As will be remembered, the cause of the change six months ago was born in the practice of clerks who live in opposite parts of the city. The scheme was for one clerk to ride into the city and upon paying five cents receive a transfer for a certain other part of the city where his companion lived. This transfer would be given to clerk No. 2, who would ride home on a Traction car gratis.

TWO ARRESTED.

Two young lady clerks, one from the West Side and one from the South Side, were arrested as "examples." Soon afterward the new transfer was sent out. This was that curious-looking, many-shaded ticket with a row of faces along the top edge. These transfers were issued at only certain points on the lines and have worked with much satisfaction.

But now comes another step. Several weeks ago a young man named Gurrell, living on Ninth street, was ousted from a North Main avenue car because he had a transfer punched "Hyde Park." The rules of the company stated that a transfer good for North Main avenue must be stamped "North Main." "Hyde Park" would not be accepted. Gurrell did not know this and boarded a North Main avenue car. Gurrell made objections, with the result that he was forcibly ejected from the car. He brought suit against the company, but Alderman Wright after a hearing dismissed the case. It was to do away with similar misunderstandings that the new transfers are issued.

In form they are similar to the old one, only the familiar faces are not on it. The markings, however, which were known only to conductors, will be eliminated and instead the transfers will be marked with the names of the several lines. The line giving the transfer, as well as the line to receive it, will be punched on, so that there can be no mistake made by the passenger.

DR. PEARCE PREACHED.

Former Elm Park Pastor Greeted by a Large Number of His Old Parishioners.

A large congregation greeted Rev. Dr. W. H. Pearce, of the First Methodist church, Wilkes-Barre, as he occupied his old pulpit at Elm Park yesterday. His morning subject was from the text Hebrews 1:23: "Esteeming the reproach of Christ greater riches than the treasures in Egypt, for he had respect unto the recompense and the reward."

The sermon was a series of lessons drawn from the life of Moses, his abandonment of luxury and assumption of responsibility that led him through difficulties and suffering, and his wonderful endurance because of the vision ever in his mind of the future of his race. Moses by his military prowess, his executive ability, his moral balance and many other attributes, Dr. Pearce remarked, was about the largest specimen of a man ever made in the image of God.

When he found out, we know not how, the story of his life and when he realized that the brave men and great workers in the sun moulding bricks beneath the oppression of a cruel task master were his kinsmen, he hesitated not to yield his place in the luxuries of Pharaoh's court and go forth to their rescue. Many brave men and great leaders bent their energies to the emancipation of the southern slaves, but this one man single-handed took upon himself the task of liberating a nation and accomplished the mighty deeds that cause him to stand in the foremost place of earth.

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Where do we find an explanation of this one man's power and endurance? It is because he saw through the years the oppression and reward, and endured the weary marches through the wilderness; because of the hope that landscape fair and fruitful that lay beyond, endured the tremendous care and responsibility because of the triumph at the end.

There, lay, remarked Dr. Pearce, many who saw beyond the present a vision of the future and their recompense. Socrates, Savonarola, John Huss, Luther, John Brown, Cyrus Field, Livingston with a large outlook saw the reward to come, the martyrdom, the toll, the tears and discouragements. We who seek something from the great work of life should look afar and beyond the dearth, the penury of today and see the years of abundance to come.

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NO MORE REBATE.

The 7 1-2 Per Cent. Rebate on Brewers' Revenue Stamps Is Cancelled.

Sugar, in Scranton, at least, is not the only thing that is being rushed about to escape the new tariff rate. The Dingley bill provides for the cancellation of the 7 1-2 per cent. discount in vogue for many years upon revenue stamps purchased by brewers. A telegram to that effect was received at the internal revenue office in this city Saturday.

The brewers sent messengers for large quantities of the stamps required by them in their business. This saves them considerable for some time to come. Some purchases show as high as \$10,000 in one sum. As a result of this rush here has changed hands about \$150,000 of stamps and the present supply hereabouts was exhausted during the day.

V. M. C. A. EXAMINATIONS.

Five of the John Raymond Institute Pupils Were Successful.

The results of the Young Men's Christian association examinations have been received. Five of the pupils who studied in the John Raymond institute during the term of 1897, were successful in passing these examinations. The following are their names: Miss Alice A. Hine and Fred Seeling, elementary bookkeeping; Joseph Jennings and Stephen Richards, elementary arithmetic; Thomas F. Roche, advanced arithmetic.

The following are the names of the members of the ladies' freehand drawing class, who were successful in passing an examination given by R. A. Lyons, instructor, classes Bell Dunne, Marilla Mott, Grace Shelly and Elizabeth Sanderson.

SUNDAY MORNING FIRE.

Did Slight Damage in Peddler Fire-stine's Raymond Court Home.

When Jacob Firestone, a peddler of 221 Raymond court, left home early yesterday morning to take his family for a drive he left everything in the room which he occupies in a safe condition. Upon his return at 4 o'clock the appearance of at least one room had changed.

In the family's absence fire broke out among the peddler's outfit in a corner of the room on the first floor. An alarm was sent in from box 23 about 8:30 o'clock but the flames were put out before the fire company had ar-

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Hand-painted novelties, with gold inside; large size, cheap at 10 cts. Sale price..... 10c

ENAMELED BERLIN SAUCEPANS, with cover, a 2-quart size, was 40c. Sale price..... 29c
Larger sizes equally low prices.

SOAP DISHES.
ENAMELED, 1 to 1 1/2 quart size, was 24c. Sale price..... 10c

ENAMELED BERLIN COOK POTS, with cover, 4-quart size, was 30c. Sale price..... 39c

10-QUART SIZE, with enameled cover, worth \$1.24. Sale price..... 64c

Enameled TEA and COFFEE POTS.
With tin covers, 2-quart size, worth 44c. Sale price..... 19c

ENAMELED PRESERVING KETTLES, holds 5 quarts, was 34 cts. Sale price..... 19c

ENAMELED DISH PANS, 10 quart size, was 40c. Sale price..... 24c

ENAMELED MILK PANS, 2, 3, 4, 5 and 6-quart sizes, worth 10c to 24c. Sale price..... 10c

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ENAMELED CHAMBER PAIL with enameled cover, worth \$1.25. Sale price..... 49c
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