

NEW BOOKS AT NORTON'S
The Christian by Hall Caine,
author of the Manxman, Deemster, etc.

M. NORTON,
322 Lackawanna Ave.

Have a Cigar?
Thanks—Don't care if I do. Ah, this is a Popular Punch I'm in luck. It's my favorite.
Garney, Brown & Co.

Norman & Moore
FIRE INSURANCE,
120 Wyoming Ave.

Well Tested and with One Acclaim
The Public Proclaims

Lackawanna,
THE LAUNDRY.
Established 1885.
208 Penn Avenue. A. B. WARMAN.

DR. W. B. HENWOOD,
DENTIST
216 LACKAWANNA AVE.

CHRIS McMULLEN & CO.
Have opened a General Insurance Office in
The Traders' National Bank Bldg.

UNION LABEL
BEFORE BREAKFAST.

Henry Bellamy's new book, "Equality," contains one prognostication which will appeal to the race of woman-kind looking out upon this Monday morning with more or less painful anticipations.

TENTH WARD GETS IT.
New Silk Mill is to be Located at Little England.

Mr. Bellamy's theory is that in the Twentieth century "wash days" will be an unknown terror, as paper will have taken the place of wash linen and collars. We shall then wear a pretty gown until it is soiled and instead of sending it away to the laundry to be ruined it will be packed off to the manufactory to be made over into pulp and perhaps come back to us in a new pattern.

He was tired and he sat down to rest on about the third step at the Commonwealth entrance. He was also possessed of that article known in street parlance as a "jag." He crossed his knees, securing a comfortable position, and then proceeded to take a nap. He would lean far back, almost touching his head, and then recovering the sense of gravity would bend forward again. Somebody, maybe it was the elevator manipulator, had been watching the performance with considerable interest. Finally he could resist the offered temptation no longer and he went up to the office of an acquaintance in the fifth story, secured a paper bag and proceeded to prepare a missile which for originality and utility may be commended to the public. He filled the bag with water and watched from the window the proper inclination of the "dozer" down below, when a carefully directed shot would do the most good. The time came. The sleeper leaned over backward, his bag of water dropped, a real estate man, a lawyer and another prominent citizen in the vicinity received their share of the contents, but there was also a suddenly and very much awakened individual discovered rubbing his eyes, mopping the top of his head and muttering, "Th' fellar must a been on the reef; devilish good shot, anyhow! Yeah, it wash-so!"

Not from Scranton.
A Harrisburg paper laments the antics of convicts in this town thus: "An out-of-town laid,

Early Fall Shades and Colors.
WATERS,
Hatter,
Furnisher,
Haberdsasher.
205 Lackawanna Ave.

most of whose members had lagged too long over the flowing bowl, were seen on Market street yesterday morning playing several games, while two drunken hayseeds standing on the curb were endeavoring to sing "Nobody Knows How Dry We Are" to the same tunes."

PERSONAL.

Miss Lizette Plumer, of Honesdale, is the guest of Miss Lily Boyer, of Adams avenue.

Mr. and Mrs. N. F. Hine and daughter, Alice, have returned from Buffalo and Niagara.

Cadet Edward L. Jackson, of the Annapolis Naval academy, is home on a 20-day furlough.

Miss Frances Wetzel, of Philadelphia, is visiting at the home of E. S. Jackson, No. 15 Rockwell place.

Miss Fannie Field, of Adams avenue, returned Saturday from a two weeks' stay at Ocean Grove.

Major Robert Warren and family returned Saturday from Macreola, Mass., where they have been spending the summer.

Myer Davidson, of the Davidson shoe house has gone on a trip to Atlantic City, Washington and Boston for one week.

MARKSMEN OF THE 13TH.

Capt. Kamback Leads in the Pistol Matches—Regimental Team Off for Gretna Today.

The officers of the Thirteenth regiment on Saturday shot the second of the series of five pistol matches on the Dickson range. Out of the eleven scores Saturday the leading five men were Lieutenant Cox, inspector of rifle practice, Major Stilwell, Captain Kamback, Company B, Lieutenant Wood, battalion adjutant, Captain Smith, Company E, in the order named.

In the first three matches each contestant is to have five shots at 25, 50 and 75 yards. The Colt 38-calibre revolver, the regulation United States army weapon, is used. Saturday's score was:

Table with 2 columns: Name and Score. Includes Major Stilwell (61), Captain Kamback (58), Lieutenant Wood (58), Captain Smith (58), etc.

Adding the scores of the first shoot to that of yesterday the total of the first four contestants to date is: Kamback, 126; Stilwell, 125; Cox, 123; Wood, 121. The second match showed higher scores than the first. In the two final matches each contestant must fire his five shots in ten seconds, which is according to the conditions of the National Pistol Shooting association.

The regimental rifle team of the Thirteenth will leave today for Mt. Gretna, where the matches will continue throughout the week. The team is composed of The Tribune's advertising manager, Private W. W. Youngs, the champion National Guard sharpshooter of the state; Sergeant Rees Watkins, Private Grant B. Williams, Private G. W. Stout, Captain Frank Robling, and Lieutenant H. B. Cox, the regimental inspector of rifle practice. The winner of the regimental trophy this year will possess it permanently if it falls to the First, the Eighth or the Thirteenth regiment team, as each has twice won the prize. The Scranton cracks are veteran sharpshooters. They have been shown up well in recent practice and are sanguine of bringing the coveted regimental trophy home with them.

SCRANTON BUSINESS COLLEGE.

Informal Reception 8 to 10 o'clock, Friday Evening, Sept. 3.
In accordance with the custom established by them three years ago, Principals Buck and Whitmore will hold an informal reception in the College building Friday evening, Sept. 3, from 8 to 10 o'clock. Lawrence's orchestra will render delightful music. Old students, prospective students, business men—all who would like to inspect the College quarters and enjoy the music are cordially invited to be present. The members of the faculty will take pleasure in showing the visitors around and in explaining courses, methods, etc.

Those who have never been in the building have but a faint idea as to the size, beauty, and adaptability of the rooms. Those who have been frequent visitors will be interested in noting the numerous improvements. Every square foot of space has been utilized and everything has been done for the comfort and convenience of the student. There is no better equipped Business College in the country.
Day and evening sessions open Monday, Sept. 6.

SILK STRIKERS HOLDING OUT.

Refused to Accept a Compromise Offered by the Foreman.
The girls strikers at the Simpson Silk mill, on the South Side, will not resume work today.

Ninth Ward Republicans.
The Ninth Ward Republican club is hereby called to meet at rooms of Central Republican club Tuesday evening, August 31, at 8 o'clock, to elect delegates to coming League convention at Williamsport. By order of EVERETT WARREN, Pres. W. M. Dickson, Secy.

EIGHT-HOUR TIME FOR DUNNING'S MEN

The New Act Will Be Put in Operation Here Today.

BACK PAY MATTER IS UNSETTLED

City Solicitor McGinley Does Not Make His Answer to This Query as Lucid as the Street Commissioner Would Desire—Members of the City Engineer's Corps Are Not Affected by the Bill—They Are Not Workmen in the Meaning of the Act.

Employees of the street commissioner's department, with the one exception of office clerk, will work but eight hours a day hereafter. City Solicitor McGinley, in answer to Mr. Dunning's request for an opinion as to whether or not the eight hour law affected his department, on Saturday replied as follows:

Mr. A. B. Dunning, Street Commissioner, Scranton, Pa. Dear Sir—Replying to your communication of the 28th instant, requesting an opinion regarding act of assembly approved July 25, 1897, known as the Farr eight hour law, would say that the act provides that eight hours shall constitute a legal day's work for mechanics, workmen and laborers in the employ of the state, or any municipal corporation therein, or otherwise engaged on public works.

The persons employed in your department, with the exception of clerks, are within the meaning of this law. Under its provisions, eight hours constitute a legal day's work, upon which basis the persons employed by you, with the exception aforesaid, are entitled to pay at the regular per diem rate.

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