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FALL

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The United States Playing Card Co., of Cincinnati, sends out the following:

"Here is a letter that was received a few days ago by a prominent firm of blcycle dealers: 'deer Surs. I live or my farm near Hamilton Kansas and am 57 years old and a little Sporta. My neffew in Indiana bot hisself a new bissikle, and sent me hos old one by frate, and I've learned to ride sume. pile of fun, but my bisikle jolts considerable. A feller com along yes-tiddy with a bissikle that had holler injun rubber tires stuffed with wind. He let me try hissen and mi, it run like a kushen. He told me you sell injun rubber just the same as hissen? Mine is all iron wheels. Do you punch the holler hole through the injun rubber, or will I have to do it myself? How do you stick the ends together after you get it done? If your injun rubber is already holler will it comany cheaper empty? I can get all the wind I want out here in Kansas free. 'P. S. How much do you charge for the doodad you stuff the wind into the rubber with and where do you start?' ' . . .

It is seldom that a prominent citizen has passed away from Scranton when so many expressions of shocked surprise and sorrow have been heard as were uttered last night when the news Mr. Amerman's death became known.

. . . The members of the Otis Whist club will hold an important meeting this morning at the rooms in the Mears building. Every member is urged to be present as the sersion will be brief.

### PERSONAL.

The Misses Jermyn are spending the week in New York city. Ralph W. Carroll, of New York city,

is at the Hotel Jermyn. John Vicaro, editor of the Italian Her-ald, returned to New York city yesterday.

President Zehnder, of the Dickson Man. ufacturing company, left Wednesday for Louisville.

Alderman John T. Howe and Clerk Curtis Powell saw the parade at Wilkes-Barre yesterday.

The engagement of Miss Florence C. Hunt, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Jesse Hunt, of Falls, Pa., to Chauncey H. Derby, of the Times, is announced.

Alderman O. B. Wright and Mrs. Wright went to Wilkes-Barre last evening to see Mr. Wright's grandson, who was born re-cently to Mr. and Mrs. William Lewers, of that city.

Connelly & Wallace will be closed all day Friday on account of removal their new store. Will open Saturday morning at the store, 127 and 129 Wash ington avenue.



S. McAnulty, Mrs. A. E. Connell, Reading; Lebanon Hook and Ladder Mrs. Megargel, Mrs. W. A. Connell, Miss Schlager, Miss Birch.

## PAIR OF ILL-TREATED HUSBAND'S.

nna McAnulty, Mrs. Laubach, Mrs.

#### Clark and A. L. Wallace Apply to Court for Divorces.

Two divorce suits were instituted yesterday, by attorney George W. Beale, Willis A. Clark, of Mulberry Street seeks separation from his wif Minnie Beacom Clark on the grounds of desertion. They were married in Binghamton June 5th, 1894, and lived together until July, 1895, when it is alleged Mrs. Clark left the libellant without just cause or provocation. Albert L. Wallace is sucing for divorce from his wife Jennie Culster mented. Wallace on the grounds of cruelty and desertion. According to the libellants declaration his married life unlike that of Mr. Coleman's was a brief and unsacharated ditty. They were mar-ried March 2, 1891, and on March 15, 1897, the wife it is claimed, began a system of ill treatment and cruelty that compelled the husband to with-

draw from her conpanionship in the month of June, following.

### FREE CONCERT.

Bauer's orchestra will render the following attractive program at Mears & Hagen's Saturday:

AFTERNOON PROGRAM. 1. March, "Under the Double Eagle,"

2. Overture, "King Mydos" Eilenberg pany. The visitors were taken to Tur-3. Selection, "The Wizard of the Nile" ......Herbert 4. Gavotte, "The Lady of the there refreshed before being escorted White House".....Boll 5. March, "The Stars and Stripes Forever".....Sousa 6. Medley, A Gay Old Time"....Byer 7. Selection, "Brian Boru"....Edwards 8. Waltz, "Anita" (Mexican waltz) Barnard 9. "Tairy Dawn" (Characteristic riece) ......Herman "Coortown Capers"......Morse EVENING PROGRAM. I. March, "Gayest Manhattan." Bratton

7. Selection from "The Serenade,"

8. Waltz, "Hochzeitsreigen"....Strauss Herbert 9. Medley, Mother Was a Lady," Recker 10. March, "Kansas City" ..... Wheeler

BORN.

WEICHEL-In Scranton, Oct. 4, 1897, to Mr. and Mrs. Jacob Weichel, of 430 Wil-low street, a daughter.

MARRIED. SMITH-HANCOCK-At the residence of the bride's parents, Wyoming, Pa., Oct. 6, 1887, by Rev. Thomas B. Barker, of

Scranton, assisted by Rev. Samuel Barnes, of Philadelphia, J. Franklin Smith, of Wyoming, and Miss Anna bushel if ordered this \$

# DIED.

BISBING-In Scranton, Pa., Oct. 6, 1897, Crawford Oliver, son of Edward and Emma Bisbing, sge 5 months and 6 days, Interment in Dunmore cemetery THE SCRANTON CASH STORE 

She then described the salle in the house purchased by the Baroness company; Lebanon, Enterprise Hose Langenhan and given by her to a company; Forest City, ; Young Ameri-Wesleyan Methodist society, where ca Chemical company, Allentown. every Sunday services thronged with Three other companies, the names of followers were held under the direcwhich could not be learned, will also tions of a minister who preached with

be here. The visiting organizations alone would make quite a showing but with the augmented display by the sixteen city companies, eight bands and the galaxy of visiting chiefs, the display will be a memorable one. Possibly yesterday's rain interfered

Hampton Engine

Danvilla:

with many proposed decorations. In any event the use of flags and bunting had not up to late last night been as general as the occasion deverves although it is possible that many ouildings now bare of fabrice will be orna-

OPEN HOUSE.

From one end of the city to the other the firemen will keep open houses, ome on an elaborate scale that will include a running service of liquid and solid refreshment and others on a more modest scale. The most notable receptions will be at the Hook and Ladder, Phoenix, Franklin, Nay Aug, Relief and Neptune quarters. At Music hall this evening the day

will witness a grand wind-up at a firemen's ball to be conducted by

Columbia Hose company of the North End. The Lebanon Hook and Ladder company reached here on the 8 o'clock evening Delaware and Hudson train and was met by a delegation from Wagner the Scranton Hook and Ladder comner hall, where the Scranton Hooks

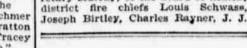
.....Bollag to the St. Charles hotel.

Scranton Firemen at Wilkes-Barre Yesterday's state firemen's conven-

tion at Wilkes-Barre was attended by the following Scranton city officials: Chief of fire department, P. J. Hickey; chief of police department, Frank Robling; City Treasurer Boland, City

Solicitor McGinley, City Engineer Phillips, Building Inspector Nelson, Mayor's Secretary Beamlsh, Detective John Moir, Chairman Durr and Zeidler, of the fire department committees; Secretary Murray, of the board of health;

week.



Joseph Birtley, Charles Rayner, J. J. 

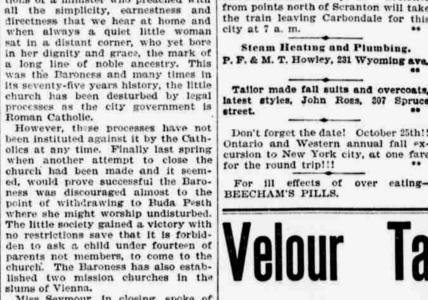


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Write for circular of information, or call at the Y. M. C. A., Scranton, Pa.

Reservations at City Ticket Office, 309 Lackawanna avenue. Lackawanna avenue.

The girls who took an umbrella from Miss Kennedy's, 433 Adams avenue, are known. .If not returned in three days will be prosecuted.



Miss Seymour, in closing, spoke of the America Board of Mission and urged the need of more prayer and more effort to raise the burden. Mrs. McLeod, after prayer by Miss Seymour announced that Mrs. Hunt would give an appeal for the child widows and girls who are suffering under the famine in India and a collection was taken.

godly lives amid all the evil.

### Y. W. C. A. NOTES.

Mrs. Huslander's class in English literature will meet tonight at 7.30 o'clock. This class will be free to all members of the association. It is a rare opportunity for the study of literature. Let the class dining room tables. be large. Mrs. J. Alfred Pennington's Bible class

will meet tonight at 7.30 o'clock. The subject, "Woman in the Bible," will be of special interest. A large class will gratify the religious committee.

All who wish to enter the afternoor French class are requested to register their names at once. SIEBECKER & WATKINS, Lackawanna Avenus The reception given by the committee of

the Girls' Branch was large and enthus-iastic. The committee had carefully planted for the entertainment of the ned for the entertainment of the many guests, and the girls enjoyed their free-dom, fun, games and refreshments, Miss an a sha a sha

dom, fun, gance chairman, was ably as-Edith Pierson, chairman, was ably as-sisted by the Misses Sanderson, Buck, Derman, Ripple, DeWild, Guernsey, Northup, Burns, Sherwood and Stelle.

### Twenty-six Subjects Taught

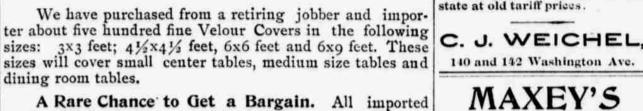
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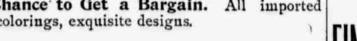
Passengers for New York city should take Lehigh Valley railroad. Sleeping **BURNING, LUBRICATING** car placed on track at Wilkes-Barre 2.00 p. m. for occupancy. Leaves at 2.30 a. m., arriving New York 8.23 a. m.





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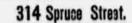
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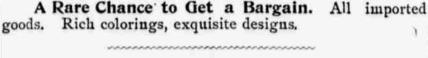
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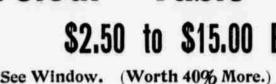
To join the new classes (day and evening) in FRENCH, GERMAN AND ITALIAN, which are forming at the

SCRANTON CONSERVATORY OF MUSIC,

(Adams Avenue and Linden Street,)

MALONEY OIL AND MANUFACTURING CO.

The second edition of the Prospectus is now ready. Your name on a



the train leaving Carbondale for this city at 7 a. m. Steam Heating and Plumbing. . F. & M. T. Howley, 231 Wyoming ave.

Excursion to Hazleton.

city will leave the Delaware and Hud-

son station Monday, Oct. 11, at 7.49

on a special train to participate in the

annual parade at Hazleton. Fare for

round trip, \$1.25. Returning train will

leave Hazleton at 6 p. m. Societies

Tailor made fall suits and overcoats, latest styles, John Ross, 307 Spruce