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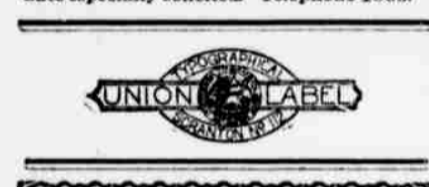
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CHAS McMULLEN & CO. Have opened a General Insurance Office in The Traders' National Bank Bldg.



BEFORE BREAKFAST.

The first compass whist game of the season will be played by the members of the Otis Whist club tomorrow afternoon, beginning at 2 o'clock.

James R. Burnett, one of the most efficient news reporters in this section of the state, has retired from the Truth staff.

THE FRANKLIN FEAST. What a feast they had! A merry crowd Of Franklin members Laughing loud, And saying: "Old Huntington was there, And Jolly fellows Filled with glee, Good things for you and me To eat, Given by Franklin boys—A treat!"

THE DUNMORE CONTEST. Court yesterday and Thursday, Oct. 21, as the last or filing exceptions to and making motions concerning the report of the commissioners in the Dunmore contest, filed last Saturday.

PERSONAL. Miss O'Malley, of Second street, is entertaining Miss Mary Myers, of Carbonate.

HEAVY WEIGHT Wool Fleece Underwear Fifty Cents. Nothing of equal value ever offered in this town before.

HATTER, FURNISHER, HABERDAASHER, 205 Lackawanna Avenue.

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TWO OFFICERS OF THE VOLUNTEERS

They Were Heard Last Night in the First Presbyterian Church.

COLONEL HOLIMOND'S ADDRESS

He Defined the Attitude of the Volunteers of America Toward the Churches—Organization He Represents Wants to Be Considered in the Light of an Auxiliary—Captain Smyth Sang Several Hymns in an Excellent Manner.

Post No. 1 of the Volunteers of America of this city and an audience of friends which filled the First Presbyterian church last evening listened to Colonel Holimond, secretary to General Ballington Booth, and A. D. C. Smyth, of New York city, who sings hymns better than any person heard in this city for a number of years.

They will before reaching New York visit several other cities enroute. Last night a very interesting service was conducted. Captain Hunter, of Post 1 and his wife with the two visitors occupied seats on the platform. Colonel Holimond in a very fine address endeavored to further the work of the volunteers.

IT IS AN AUXILIARY. "The relation of the Volunteers to the Christian churches is not a state of hostility. It is rather an auxiliary. We are doing their work. And one of the primal principles of our organization is that we should avoid the building of a new sect or denomination. There are too many denominations already," said Colonel Holimond.

While Mr. Notz was commenting upon an alleged mistake in the designation of the number of primary grades to be furnished by the school board, the pay roll of \$15,234.74 for teachers and \$136.26 for substitutes was approved.

AN HEIRESS WANTED.

Miss Annie Martin, of Philadelphia, is in This City Looking for Miss Annie McGettigan.

Miss Annie Martin, of Philadelphia, is in this city trying to locate Miss Annie McGettigan, who, it is supposed, is a resident here. Miss Martin has information which would be of advantage to Miss McGettigan. The last heard of the lady was in 1890, when she addressed a letter to relatives in Ireland saying that she was then at Scranton. Miss Martin will receive all communications addressed to the general delivery, Postoffice.

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