

Smooth as Ice. Is a slang phrase indicating superior excellence. So we might say that our DRESS SHOES FOR LADIES are as smooth as ice, because they are stylish and elegant and good in every way. We are selling them at \$3.00. Made for us exclusively. SCHANK & SPENCER, 410 SPRUCE STREET.

CITY NOTES. The registers of the county will be sworn in today by the county commissioners. The Elk Bowling club challenges the Backus club to a ten-game tournament...

Mr. Brooks Wanted. It was concerning the manner of sending in bills from the home. NEW PLAN HAS BEEN ADOPTED. Hereafter the bills of Dr. Strang will come in with those of Superintendent Beemer...

Pittston Scots Entertained. The Scranton Caledonian club held a social session at Blatter's hall, Lackawanna avenue, last evening. In honor of the visit of twenty-five of their brethren from the Pittston club...

Very Much Sought For Little Dog. It made a longer stay here than was contemplated. VALUED AT TWO HUNDRED DOLLARS. Dog was en route from Owego, N. Y., to Hempstead L. I., and at the D. L. & W. Station in This City...

Small Grips and Telescope Sale. Second Floor Dept. At Ridiculously Low Prices This Week Canvass Cornered Telescopes. leather corners, with strong handles and three straps...

Of Course It's Libbey's. It sparkles and glistens. So clear is the glass, so rich the cutting, that each ray of light is transformed into a blaze of dazzling sparks. A new shipment just unpacked. WE ARE SOLE AGENTS. China Mall. MILLAR & PECK, 131 Wyoming Ave.

Task Occupied Nearly Ten Hours' Constant Work. From 8 o'clock yesterday morning until 5:30 o'clock last evening Judge Archibald and Jury Commissioners Mann and Matthews were engaged in the annual filling of the jury wheel...

For Brain Workers. We particularly call the attention of our readers to the display advertisement in our advertising columns of the Kline Shoe Company. Do not fail to read this advertisement, as it may be the means of making you \$25.00 in gold for an evening's work...

Unusual Watch Selling. For Friday we offer four extraordinary values in watches. Every one is warranted—what's more—we cheerfully refund your money if not as represented. By far the largest line of watches in Scranton to select from.

THE GREAT 4c. STORE. 310 Lackawanna Ave. J. H. LADWIG. BROWN'S BEE HIVE. STORE OPEN EVENINGS DURING DECEMBER. BROWN'S BEE HIVE. 224 LACK. AVENUE.

THE KLINE SHOE CO. 326 Lackawanna Avenue. "Famous Old Stand." THE REXFORD CO., 303 Lacka. Ave.

Death of James T. Whale. Prominent Green Ridge Business Man Dies in New Mexico. Word was received yesterday of the death of James T. Whale, of Green Ridge, in Las Vegas, New Mexico, where he went three weeks ago in the hopes of recuperating his falling health...

Grammar A Pupils. Over 500 Examined Under Superintendent Howell's Direction. An examination of 500 Grammar A pupils was conducted by Superintendent Howell, assisted by eleven Grammar A principals, in the High school building yesterday afternoon...

Delightful Mexican Tours. Mexico, with its grand natural scenery, its semi-tropical climate, its interesting history, and its strange civilization, is a most attractive region for tourists...

St. Leo's Twelfth Annual. The St. Leo's Battalion will hold its twelfth annual ball at St. David's hall on North Main avenue, Tuesday evening, Dec. 7, '97. Great preparations are being made and the ball promises to be the grandest of the season...

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FELS-NAPTHA soap takes the sting out of wash day. No boiling clothes nor hard rubbing. In cold weather use with lukewarm water. FELS & CO., Philadelphia.

Steel Pierced His Leg. Peculiar Accident by Which Michael Flynn Was Injured. Michael Flynn, a young man, whilst working at the South Steel mill yesterday, suffered a painful injury. A bar of five-eighths steel pierced his leg for several inches...

Headpath's History of the World. Join the Wanamaker History Club. For information inquire at Tribune office.

A Friend in Need. From the "Recollections of Aubrey de Vere." A young man was tried for murder, having killed a member of a rival faction in a faction fight. The judge, about to sentence him to death, on account of his youth, turned to him and said: "Is there anyone in court who could speak as to your character?"...

She Stood Corrected. "Have you any bicycle bloomers?" asked the New York girl, entering a Boston store. "No, miss," replied the salesman, adjusting his glasses. "I was not aware that bicycles wore bloomers. I can show you some nice patterns for ladies who ride bicycles."—Vancouver Statesman.

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Dyspepsia, Heartburn, Gas, Stomach Disorders. Grover's Peppermint Cure. Grover's Peppermint Cure is a specific. One dose moves all distress, and a permanent cure of the most chronic and severe cases is guaranteed. Do not suffer. A 50-cent bottle will cure the most obstinate.

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