

MAIN SEWER OF FOURTH DISTRICT

Some Detailed Facts Concerning It Were Submitted to Councils.

WOULD COST \$3,137 TO REPAIR IT

Much of the Trouble Comes from Absence of River Current at Its Outlet, the Drainage of a Large Area of Fields, Improper Connections with Private Sewers and the Various Diameters of the Main Sewer.

An important communication from Joseph P. Phillips, city engineer, and A. H. Dunning, street commissioner, in reference to the Fourth district main sewer was received by councils Thursday night.

From a point under the Dickson boiler works to a point under Pine street, there is quite a little sediment; this is due to a slight sag in the bottom, but this is not a serious obstruction.

FLOW IS RETARDED.

At Washington avenue there is also several cubic yards of stones and debris of all kinds, thus retarding the flow of the sewerage at that point. All this sediment or debris should be cleaned out.

There are several places where the rip-rap or bottom has been broken up and should be repaired to prevent further damage.

The arch at a point a short distance west of Washington avenue is slightly damaged and requires repairing.

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A 25c vial leads to a dollar flask. At druggists or sent on receipt of price. Ask for Dr. Humphrey's Specific Manufactured at Scranton, Pa. Sold by all druggists.

An Overcoat

Gives no warmth. It merely prevents the heat of the body from passing off, people with a poor circulation are cold, no matter how thick their clothes may be.

Duffy's Pure Malt Whiskey,

prepared for medicinal and domestic use, is a wholesome stimulant for blood and nerve. It creates and preserves bodily heat. It acts on all the organs, and protects the system from chills and depressed vitality.

Ask your Grocer or Druggist.

P. S.—As the tracks, or rails, of the street car company are between three and four inches below the paves at this point, and it is impossible for the water to flow into the basin, from between the rails, the company should be required to make a connection, between the rails, with the sewer at said point.

There is now all that territory between Phelps street and Poplar street and Delaware and Hudson railroad and Washington avenue without any sewer, hence all the rain falling on that water shed flows to a point on Phelps street, where there is but two street basins connected with the sewer.

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It is Blackmail! Read about it in the Sunday News.

MANY APPLICATIONS FOR RELIEF HEARD

Interesting Meeting of the Poor Board Yesterday Afternoon.

BONDS OF THE NEW OFFICERS

Those of the Treasurer and Collector Are in the Sum of \$40,000 Each. Secretary Langstaff Filled a Bond in the Sum of \$2,000.—Board Empowered the Home Committee to Have the Barns at the Home Removed.

"This woman," said Poor Director Terpe, at the poor board meeting yesterday, "is not deserving." He referred to a thin-clad, pale-faced, middle-aged woman who sat in the applicant chair.

"I move that the case be dismissed," remarked Director Brooks curtly. The motion was seconded and the woman left the room, bestowing protests and dangerous looks upon Director Terpe.

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ONLY ONE IN THE WORLD.

German Temple of Ladies of the Golden Eagle Organized.

The first German Temple in the world of the Ladies of the Golden Eagle was organized Thursday night in Morgan's hall, Hyde Park. The temple starts with a membership of seventy-five and was instituted by District Grand Templar Mrs. Laura Decker and her staff.

SCRANTON CLINICAL SOCIETY.

Listened to the Reading of an Interesting Paper. There was a meeting of the Scranton Clinical and Pathological society in the select council chamber of the City Hall last night, which was presided over by Dr. P. F. Gunster, president of the society.

NEW TRIAL REFUSED.

Judge Harold M. McClure Files an Opinion in the Famous Hartley-Hull Case.

An opinion was yesterday received from Judge Harold M. McClure, of Lewisburg, discharging the rule for a new trial in the case of Silas Hartley against John P. Hull and others, which was tried before him in the local court of common pleas last November.

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Six Weeks of Phenomenal Business

AND THE STORE STILL GROWING. THAT'S A RECORD TO BE PROUD OF. SEVEN WEEKS AGO THE BIG STORE OPENED ITS DOORS FOR BUSINESS—AND THE BUSINESS CAME. EVERY PERSON FOR MILES AROUND BELONGS TO THE HAPPY FAMILY OF BUYERS.

AND NOW COMES SATURDAY—A LONG DAY, TO BE SURE. GREAT BARGAINS THROUGH THE STORE ALL DAY AND EVENING. SPECIAL ATTENTION TO THE MEN AND BOYS FOR SUNDAY NEEDS. BUT NO ONE IS FORGOTTEN. THE DOLLAR OF TODAY WILL GO A LONG WAY—NO MATTER IN WHAT DEPARTMENT YOU WISH TO SPEND IT.

Boys' Clothing. Shoes. Men's Furnishings. Men's All-Silk Garters, worth 25c. Special at 12 1/2c. 3,216 pairs of genuine Pilling & Madley's extra heavy and medium weight Half Hose, in black, tan, etc.; also a lot of lisle finished fast black or tans, with double heels and toes. All special today at 9c. Natural Grey Shirts and Drawers—very good quality, all sizes. Special price 25c. Extra fine close web suspenders, patent buckle and fastenings. Special at 23c. Great variety of handsome patterns in Silk Neckwear, all styles, worth 50c. Special at 25c. Handsomely trimmed Night Shirts, cut full length with reinforcement over shoulders. Very special 27c. Heavy Cloth Working Shirts—the 75c kind. Special at 39c. Extra quality plain white twilled Muslin Night Shirts, cut full length and size, worth 75c. Special at 45c. Warranted Wamsutta Muslin White Shirts, pure linen bosoms—short or long, patent button holes, fully reinforced, closed or open fronts, worth 75c. Special at 45c. English Walking Gloves, with new embroidery trimming, made from selected skins, all the leading shades; also two-clasp mocha (undressed) Gloves, in Gray and tans, worth \$1.25. Special at 95c.

VERY SPECIAL TODAY

Aurora Aromatic Coffee. A Superb Blend of High Grade Coffees, in the bean only, actually worth 20c. a pound. In pound package 11c. On Sale All Day Today and Evening in the "Bargain Booth"—Center of Main Aisle.

JONAS LONG'S SONS THE GREAT STORE.

Winter at Lakewood is like summer at Saratoga, a constant round of gaiety and pleasure indoors and outdoors. The finest kind of roads and most romantic drives are here, and a beautiful lake skirts the village, where skating and ice boating form inviting features. Lakewood is reached only by the Central Railroad of New Jersey, which operates a special and freight train service, including parlor cars, from stations in New York, foot of Liberty street and Whitehall terminal at South Ferry.

CASTORIA For Infants and Children.