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HELP WANTED.

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SITUATION WANTED—BY A LADY bookkeeper; can give good references. Address "E. B.," Dunmore, Pa.

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WANTED—CHRISTIAN MAN TO DO correspondence and office work here. Salary $900. Apply with self-addressed stamped envelope to ELDER, Manager, Box 789, Tribune office.

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NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT an application will be made to the Governor of the State of Pennsylvania, on Tuesday, the 26th day of April, A. D. 1898, by A. B. Stevens, Samuel C. Sillsbee, George B. Jermyn, Andrew J. Casey and Franklin Howell, under the Act of Assembly of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania, entitled "An act to provide for the incorporation and regulation of certain corporations," approved April 29th, 1874, and the supplements thereto, for the charter of an intended corporation to be called "The Scranton Ice Company," the character and object whereof is for the purpose of the supply of ice to the public, and for this purpose, to have, possess and enjoy all the rights, benefits and privileges of the said Act of Assembly and its supplements.

GEORGE D. TAYLOR, Solicitor.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT an application will be made to the governor of the State of Pennsylvania on Tuesday, the 12th day of April, 1898, by F. H. Hewitt, W. H. Hewitt, J. J. Robbins, W. G. Thomas and C. W. Miller, under the Act of Assembly of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania, entitled "An Act to provide for the incorporation and regulation of certain corporations," approved April 29th, 1874, and the supplements thereto, for the charter of an intended corporation to be called the F. H. Hewitt and Son Desicating and Fertilizer company, the character and object whereof is the manufacture and sale of fertilizers and chemicals, and the sale of hides, skins, tallow and grease prepared from the product of animals or vegetable matter, and for these purposes to have, possess and enjoy all the rights, benefits and privileges of the said Act of Assembly and its supplements.

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FOREST CITY.

S. Philip Golden, elocutionist, impersonator and humorist, will give an entertainment in the Methodist church, on Tuesday evening next, for the benefit of the church choir. The price of admission will be fifteen cents.

Mr. Jesse Holmes, of South Gibson, has been spending the past two or three days in Forest City, looking after his business interests.

"Cuba" will be the subject of a sermon to be delivered in the Presbyterian church, tomorrow evening by the pastor, Rev. W. A. Carrington.

Rev. J. Irwin Brodhead, rector of Christ Episcopal church, has moved his family to Dundaff, where they will reside this summer. Mr. Brodhead's parish includes Forest City and Dundaff.

Rich specimens of gold-bearing quartz were exhibited at several places about town by two Forest City men, on Thursday. In the smaller piece, which would weigh about a half pound, there was said to be nearly four dollars' worth of the precious metal and it looked as if that claim was nothing more than the truth. The larger piece was five or six times the weight of the first and also contained a plentiful sprinkling of the yellow mineral. Where the quartz came from was not divulged, but the statement was made that it was not a great distance from Forest City and that there was plenty of it. A man named Arnold had brought the quartz here and was desirous of organizing a company to conduct mining operations. It is surmised that the ore came from the South Canaan mine, over in Wayne county.

The borough poor report has just been published and according to the statement made the liabilities of the board amount to $89 and the assets are $949.51, leaving an excess in favor of the district amounting to $860.51.

AVOCA.

Mr. William Law left this week on a pleasure trip which will include the principal cities of the western and Southern states.

Miss Agnes Gibbons, of Bloomsburg, State Normal school, is spending a few days at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Edward Gibbons.

Miss Annie Callahan has returned home from New York city, where she has been making her spring purchases in millinery.

Mrs. Eugene Decker and daughter, Heluen, are guests of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Newton, of Carbondale.

Miss Mame McArt, of Pittston, was the guest of her sister, Mrs. William Brown, yesterday.

On Thursday afternoon, Mrs. Mary Jennings, a pupil of No. 3 school, fell in the school yard and struck her knee against a sharp stone, inflicting a deep gash, from which blood flowed profusely. She was taken to Dr. Birge's residence a short distance away, where it was found that an artery had been cut. It required several stitches to bind the wound.

Mr. Walter Benner, of Pittsburg, is the guest of his mother, Mrs. Thomas Ellis, of South Main street.

J. H. Anderson will leave next week to purchase goods in New York city.

James, the infant son of Mr. and Mrs. John Duffy, of the West Side, died yesterday morning. Interment will be in St. Mary's cemetery this afternoon.

Mrs. Josiah Jenkins and daughter, Anna, of Edwardsville, spent yesterday at the home of Mr. and Mrs. A. B. Clark.

Supt. T. V. Harrison, accompanied by the board of directors, visited the borough schools on Thursday.

Mrs. John Campbell, of the West Side, spent Thursday at the home of her son, John Campbell, of Scranton.

Horace Frederici was a visitor in Jermyn this week.

Mr. Michael Nealon, of the West Side, has purchased a property in Upper Pittston and will remove his family there at once.

Mrs. Charles Davis has returned home to Jermyn after a few days' visit among friends in town.

In a few more days the darkness of Avoca will become historical. The linemen are now putting the finishing touches to the wirings.

Miss Jennie Newlin has returned home after a few days' visit among friends in Plains.

Misses Nettie Druffner and Kate Cannon spent yesterday with Miss Jennie Kane, of Pittston.

The Hard, Cold World.

Crawford—"It doesn't do a fellow any harm to be thrown on his own resources."

Merritt—"The trouble is it always happens when he hasn't any."—Puck.

Chicago Live Stock.

Chicago, March 25.—Cattle—Steady; extra to choice steers, $5.50a5.75; common to fair, $4.20a5; calves, $4a6. Hogs—Slow at ceipts—Cattle, 3,000 head; hogs, 22,000 $3.92½a3.95. Sheep and Lambs—Steady; sheep, $3.50a4.75; lambs, $4.75a5.65. Rehead; sheep, 9,000 head.

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A Suffering Soldier.

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No man is better known and liked in that rich tier of Illinois counties, of which Peoria is the centre, than genial Chester S. Harrington, of Princeville, Ill.

Mr. Harrington is a veteran of the [illegible] war. Like many another brave soldier, [illegible] suffered not only during that service, b[illegible] for years afterwards from diseases contracted then.

For years his health was shattered; his sufferings increased. He was unable to gain relief, but now he tells a story which is of profit to many:

"I served three years in the 124th Illinois, enlisting at Kewanee, Ill.," said he. "I was in Libby Prison and suffered like many another Northern soldier.

"The strain of army life did its work in undermining my health, although the collapse did not come for sometime after.

"For fifteen years I suffered from general debility and nervousness so badly that I could not sleep. Indigestion resulted and my misery increased.

"My eyes began to fail, and as my body lost vitality my mind seemed to give way. I could scarcely remember events that happened but a few weeks before.

"For two years I was unfitted for business. I was just able to creep around during part of this time, and there were many times when I could not get up.

"My brother is a doctor, but all his efforts to help me failed to give any relief.

"I tried a number of remedies without avail. Finally, having read articles regarding cures that had been effected by Dr. Williams' Pink Pills for Pale People, I decided to try them. That was in 189[illegible] I bought a box and took the pills according to instructions.

"Four days later I had the happiest hours I had known for years. That night I went to sleep easily and slept soundly as a child and awoke refreshed.

"After I had taken four boxes of the pills, I found that I was cured and had also increased 27 pounds in weight.

"This greatly surprised my friends, who thought my case was a hopeless one. I began my work again and have continued ever since in excellent health.

"Another valuable gain to me was, that while I was taking these pills I had been cured of the smoking habit, which had formed when I was a boy and had clung to me all these years. The craving for tobacco left me and I have never experienced it since.

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THE MARKETS.

Wall Street Review.

New York, March 25.—Today's closing prices were the lowest in most cases since the Cuban question became a dominant factor in the situation. Twenty active shares averaged lower than at any time this year and government new fours coupon were down to 118¾ bid. This was on the assumption that new issues were possible if expenditures for war purposes continued long. Before the battleship Maine was blown up they were quoted above 128. It was freely predicted that the Maine report would be extremely unfavorable. The market opened with quotations slightly below yesterday's final figures. The bears, however, were determined to bring about a substantially lower level and hammered many of the leading stocks vigorously in an endeavor to precipitate liquidation. After the day progressed the market dipped frequently, but there was an absence of feature in the general speculation until the final hour, when extensive liquidation set in, which depressed the bulk of the high-priced specialties to the lowest figures of the day. Total sales were 546,000 shares.

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	Open-ing.	High-est.	Low-est.	Clos-ing.
Am. Cot. Oil	15½	15½	15½	15½
Am. Sug. Re'g Co.	112	112	109½	109⅞
Atch., To. & S. Fe	10⅝	10⅝	10½	10½
A., T. & S. F., Pr	23½	23⅝	23¼	23⅜
Am. Tobacco Co	92¾	93	92	92⅛
Am. Spirits	6¾	6¾	6⅝	6⅝
Balt. & Ohio	15⅝	15⅝	15⅛	15⅛
Brook. R. T	36	36	35⅛	35¼
Bay State Gas	2⅝	2⅝	2⅝	2⅝
Can. Southern	45¼	45¼	44½	44½
N. J. Central	89	89	87	87½
Chic. & N. W	97⅝	97⅝	96⅝	96⅝
Chic. & N. W	114¼	114½	113¼	113½
Chic., B. & Q.	87¼	87⅝	86	86¼
Chicago Gas	87¾	87¾	86¾	87
Chic., Mil. & St. P	86⅝	86⅝	85⅞	86⅛
Chic., R. I. & P	81	81	80	80⅛
Chic., St. P. M. & O.	66½	66½	65½	65½
C. C. C. & St. L	26	26	25¼	25¼
Delaware & Hud	106½	106½	106	106
D., L. & W	145	145	145	145
N. Y., L. E. & W	11⅞	11⅞	11⅞	11⅞
Gen. Electric	31	31	30¼	30½
Lake Shore	180	180	180	180
Louis. & Nash	45¾	45⅝	45½	45¼
Lehigh Valley	21¼	21¼	21¼	21¼
Manhattan Ele	95	95⅛	92	92⅞
M. K. & Tex., Pr	30⅝	30⅝	30	30
Mo. Pacific	23½	23½	23	23
Nat. Lead	26⅝	26⅞	26½	26½
N. Y. Central	107⅛	107⅛	105½	105¾
Ont. & West	13⅞	13⅞	13¾	13¾
North. Pacific	20⅝	20⅝	20	20
Nor. Pacific, Pr	59	59	57½	57⅞
Pacific Mail	23½	23	22½	22¾
Phil. & Read	15⅝	16	15½	15⅞
Southern R. R	7⅝	7¾	7⅝	7
Southern R. R., Pr	24⅝	24⅝	24½	24½
Tenn., C. & Iron	18¼	18¼	17¾	17⅞
Texas & Pacific	9	9	9	9
Union Pac., 1st Pr	47¾	48	47⅛	47⅜
U. S. Leather, Pr	55	55	54½	54½
Wabash	6⅝	6⅝	6¾	6¾
Wabash, Pr	14½	14½	14⅜	14⅜
West. Union	83¼	83⅜	83	83⅛
W. & L. E.	2	2	2	2
*Met. Traction Co.	131	131	127	127¼

*Ex-dividend. 1¾ per cent.

CHICAGO BOARD OF TRADE.

WHEAT.	Open-ing.	High-est.	Low-est.	Clos-ing.
May	103	104	103	104
July	82½	82½	81¼	82⅛
CORN.				
May	28½	28½	28¼	28½
July	29¾	29¾	29½	29¾
OATS.				
May	25¼	25⅜	25	25⅛
July	22⅞	23	22⅝	22⅞
PORK.				
May	9.55	9.57	9.37	9.45

Scranton Board of Trade Exchange Quotations—All Quotations Based on Par of 100.

STOCKS.	Bid.	Asked.
Scranton & Pittston Trac. Co.	...	20
National Boring & Drill'g Co.	...	80
First National Bank	700	...
Elmhurst Boulevard	...	100
Scranton Savings Bank	225	...
Scranton Packing Co	...	...
Lacka. Iron & Steel Co	...	15
Third National Bank	385	...
Troop Novelty Mfg Co	...	5
Scranton Traction Co	18	...
Scranton Axle Works	...	75
Weston Mill Co	...	250
Alexander Car Replacer Co	...	100
Dime Dep. & Dis. Bank	150	...
Peck Lumber Mfg Co	175	210
Economy Light, Heat & Power Co	...	45
Scranton Illuminating, Heat & Power Company	85	...
BONDS.		
Scranton Pass. Railway, first mortgage, due 1920	115	...
People's Street Railway, first mortgage, due 1918	115	...
Peoples Street Railway, General mortgage, due 1921	115	...
Dickson Manufacturing Co	...	100
Lacka. Township School 6%	...	102
City of Scranton St. Imp. 6%	...	102
Mt. Vernon Coal Co	...	85
Scranton Axel Works	...	100
Scranton Traction Co., first mortgage, 6's, due 1932	103	...

New York Produce Market.

New York, March 25.—Flour—Further weakened by the decline in wheat; city mill patents, $5.75a6; do. clears, $5.50a5.60; Minnesota patent, $5.10a5.40; winter patents, $4.85a5.25. Wheat—Spot weaker; No. 2 red, $1.02, f. o. b., afloat to arrive; No. 1 northern Duluth, $1.08, f. o. b., afloat to arrive; No. 1 hard Manitoba, $1.10, f. o. b., afloat spot; No. 1 hard Duluth, $1.08, f. o. b., afloat to arrive; options suffered another bad break today, based on further liquidation, enormous Argentine shipments, reported Philadelphia bank failures and unsettled political situation; opening weak at ⅛a⅜c. decline; prices sold off all day, pressure being mostly in near months which