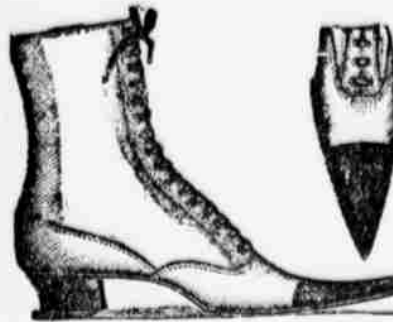


WOMEN'S \$4 AND \$5 KIDSKIN BOOTS AT \$3.00



Button and Lace, some tipped with patent leather, others with kid tips, bull-dog, opera and coin toes. These shoes were to fetch \$4.00 and \$5.00—thousands of pairs like them did fetch these prices, but these must go out at \$3.00

SCHANK & SPENCER, 410 SPRUCE STREET.



The Wilkes-Barre Record can be had in Scranton at the news stands of St. Meinrad, 125 Wyoming avenue; Mac, Lackawanna avenue.

CITY NOTES.

Cards of thanks, resolutions of condolence, obituary poetry and the like will be inserted in the Tribune only when paid for in advance, at the rate of 10 cents per line. Work at the South mill will be resumed today after a week's shut-down. The new bus placed on the street, mention of which was made in Saturday's Tribune, was built especially for Rudolph Blaeser, of the Hotel Rudolph, by William Blume & Son.

NEW RAILROAD OUT OF SCRANTON

Local Coal Men Want to Operate Their Own Line.

CLAIM IS MADE THAT THE DISCRIMINATION IN FAVOR OF BITUMINOUS HAULAGE HAS KEPT 6,000,000 TONS OF SCRANTON COAL ANNUALLY OUT OF THE TIDE-WATER MARKET—ANTHRACITE HANDICAPPED BY AN EXCESS CHARGE OF NINE MILLS PER TON

The Republican of yesterday stated that Scranton capitalists and individual coal operators propose to build a new railroad from this city to New York. The men interested are probably the best known and wealthiest in the upper Lackawanna anthracite region.

WHY IT IS BUILT. A weighty reason, and one not difficult to comprehend, is given for the proposed road which is to be known as the New York, Wyoming and Western. The project is suggested by present rates which discriminate in favor of the bituminous product and further discrimination by coal carrying roads in favor of their own mines.

Individual operators in this region have been able to put on the market only 6,000,000 tons of coal per annum. They say the annual output would have averaged 6,000,000 tons more per year during the last three years but for exorbitant carrying rates for anthracite and a low rate for soft coal.

With a coal carrying railroad of their own, operators would be independent of the present companies. They could get their product on the market at a reduced cost of 9 mills per ton per mile and have a fair and open field to compete with the bituminous article.

THREE BOARDS OF VIEWERS.

Are Appointed by Court on Big Sewer Improvement. Three boards of viewers were on Saturday appointed by court.

STOLEN LEAD PIPE.

Large Quantity of It Was Described by the Thieves. Patrolman Hart on Saturday found a quantity of lead pipe, weighing about 400 pounds on the Delaware, Lackawanna and Western tracks, near West Lackawanna avenue.

ERIE COMPANY'S ACTION.

Will Reinstate the Men Who Enlist in the United States Army. The Erie railroad, which also includes the New York, Susquehanna and Western railroad, has given notice to its employees that if any of them wish to enlist for service in the war between the United States and Spain, they will be given leave of absence during their term of enlistment.

HOMELESS AND ALONE.

Sad Plight of a Woman Who Came from Pennsylvania to seek a better life in the city of Scranton.

PATRIOTIC SERVICE IN A CROWDED CHURCH

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MILLAR & PECK, Sole Agents, 134 Wyoming Ave. Walk in and look around.

the time of peace the fewer we shall need or sacrifice in the time of war. IS NOT POLITICAL. Our patriotism must not be a political party. We applaud when our president speaks plainly to Spain. That is patriotic, but the same man who applauds must be just and honest in his dealings with his fellowmen.

Integrating Patriotic Service in the Scranton Street Baptist Church. Last evening's service at the Scranton Street Baptist church was surcharged with the elements of patriotism. A large national flag was draped about the pulpit and palms and flowering plants added to the pretty effect.

SABBATH NEWS NOTES. Rev. John L. Evans, of Rochester, New Hampshire, occupied the pulpit at the church held prayer and praise service at the church yesterday in lieu of the regular preaching services. Rev. Hugh Davies, the pastor, was absent at the conference at Lynch.

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Crepe Paper Will jump at Admirers. An 144 page book, "Art and Art Decoration in Crepe Paper." Sale 4C price.

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DINNER SETS.

This China Department is the helpfulest of stores. Make the most of it, its every day selling is a series of agreeable surprises to china lovers—and then we have many special lots of goods besides.

Today—Semi- Porcelain Dinner Sets, brown, blue or green, with gold border decoration— 100-Piece Sets, \$5.49 112-Piece Sets, \$6.19 112-Piece Sets, \$6.98

Wedgewood English Dinner sets—Floral decorations, 100 pieces, \$5.98. Worth a fourth more. La Française Dinner Set—112 pieces of plain white china, usually \$7. To move them quick they'll be \$4.98.

Crown Austrian Cream Jug—Floral decorations, gold stippled or gold traced, holds a pint, 10c. Usualty 25c. Garland English Tea Pots—Floral decorations of many kinds. All sizes, all prices. One special number, 29c.

It is somewhat out of lamp season, but it won't do any harm to let you know that we have one number. Squat lamp, lit out fount, china bowl, 10-inch globe, handsomely decorated, \$1.40, others get much more.

THE Great 4c Store 310 Lacka. Ave. J. H. LADWIG.

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Dresses for children from six to eight in French gingham, 512 Spruce Street.

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TAILOR-MADE SUITS At Special Prices. Ladies' Dark All-Wool Cheviot Suits \$ 5.85 Green and Brown Mixed Covert Suits 6.75 Fine Quality, Strictly All-Wool Suits, Grey, Beige and Brown, Mixed Coverts, Jackets lined with Taffeta Silk 12.50 Her Black Cheviot Serge Suits, lined with Silk throughout 15.75 Large assortment of desirable Suits, reduced from \$20.00 to 15.00 Tucked and Apron Separate Skirts in Serges, Mohairs and Silks. Fancy Taffeta Silk Waists, high grade new Blouse Effects; very attractive \$ 5.50 Dress Goods. Vigeroux and Coverts. In Military Blue, Green, Red and Mixtures. 75c goods for 59c Very Large Line of Suitings. Mixtures, Stripes and Fancies. Reduced from \$1.00 and \$1.25. 59c SILKS. Haskin Black Taffeta Silks are Warranted to Give Perfect Satisfaction. We are showing a big range of Colored Taffetas, Burnt Orange, Lemon, Leaf Green, Cerise, Turquoise, Cherry Red, Nile, Etc. 75c New line of Choice Plain Taffetas 75c MEAR & HAGEN. Lackawanna Avenue. Scranton. Pa. 415 and 417