### THE SCRANTON TRIBUNE-MONDAY. DECEMBER 19, 1898.



WEEK'S ENCHANGES. - The exchanges at the Scranton Clearing house by the choir there was a responsive hast week were as follows: Monday, \$15, 755,75; Tacaday, \$150,085,37; Wednesday, \$165,759,55; Tacaday, \$150,085,37; Wednesday, \$165,759,55; Tacaday, \$147,619,43; total, 259, \$218,085,91; Saturday, \$147,619,41; total, 259, \$218,085,91; Saturday, \$218,085,9 4 Tenardista for the week ending Dec. 18, 1897, 8888,071,43.

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ing, December 24. The Star orchestra will furnish music for the dancing. The Excclstor boys have decided to make this bull eclipse any of their previous ones, and wf? have the hall handsomely decorated for the occasion.

WEER OF ARGUMENT COURT.-A week of argument court begins today. Many important matters are scheduled for a hearing, among them the rule for ; for a hearing smooth from the rule for a permanent injunction in the asphalt re-pair matter and the poor board quo war-ranto precedence. It is expected also that several in pertant opinions will be board down this manufactor handed down this morning.

BOARD OF TRADE TONIGHT .-- Officers for 1899 will be nominated at tenight's meeting of the board of trade and bal-lotted for at the January meeting. The manufacturers' committee has an important report to make; action will be taken on the Dun & Co. contract for 1839, and a decision will be reached on the propositon to have a supper in connection with the annual meeting in January,

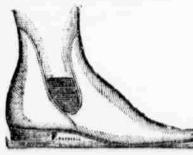
HER IDENTITY UNKNOWN-The un known woman who was arrested Fri-day morning on Eighth street while stealday morning on Eighth street while steal-ing milk from a doorway, was committed to the county jall Saturday afternoon for fifteen days. She refused to make known har name or place of residence and seems to enjoy the mystery she has given the police to solve. At the county and she was registered as "Jane Doe." No one called to inquire for her yesterday and as far as is known she made no effort to communicate with friends outside

PROGARMME FOR TONIGHT .- The Elm Park Chautauqua circle will meet this evening, Dec. 19, 1898, at 7.45 o'clock, The following programme will be reu-dered: Roll call; incidents of the Span-

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If you want to give your lover a sen-sible present, one to keep him in ten-der, grateful thoughts of you when absent from your side, then make him a Xmas present of a pair of our slip-pers. We have them in every style and design.

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the man's fault, usually. Divorce np-The topic of Mr. Pierce's discourse plications ANNUAL HALL.-"The Excelsion Ath-letic club will hold their sixtsenth an-nual ball in Music hall on Monday even-all nations be blessed." God made that promise to Abraham and it was literally fulfilled in after years. The words could be used to indicate a prophecy for Greater America. Free-dom and liberty, the words graven on the escutcheon of American's national honor would be proclaimed throughout the world. Freedom was, is and shall be the keynote of our national life

"Tenting Tonight" was sung in so-

prano solo and chorus as an offertory.

Applause was evoked by one utterance of the speaker. He had referred to the gradual and rather reluctant. way in which the United States had entered the circle of first-class powers and to the odium cast upon her during the process. "But." he exclaimed, other nations have laughed at Ameria for the last time in the world's his-

tory! With some spirit Mr. Pierce spoke in favor of an alliance with Great Britain, a moral alliance at least, for civil and religious liberty.

### HE IS A STRONG FAVORITE.

#### That's What the Philadelphia Inquirer Says of Mr. Farr.

The Philadelphia Inquirer of yesterday contained the following with reference to the fight for speaker of the house of representatives:

John R. Fair, of Lackawanna, con-tinues to be a strong favorite in the rare for the speakership of the house of rep-resentatives. The suggestion of Fair as "a harmony candidate" for the Republican caucus nomination for this honor has been favorably received in many quarters. It is true that some of those who might to the segment of the second of the second s a for concede that it would not be wise nor polite to harbor animosities purely on that score. Farr gracefully acquiesced in the action of the caucus then and he has now announced his determination, if elected, to be fair to all factions and to

do his utmost to bring about harmon do his utmost to bring about harmony in the Republican party. Secretary of the Commonwealth Mar-tin's prediction that all his friends in this city will be found supporting Farr will undoubtedly be borne out in a few days. Representative-elect Reed, of the Third ward; Stub, of the Twelfth, and Yates, of the Thirteenth were ventering motion Gloves of the Thirtcenth, were yesterday quoted as having fallen into line for Forr. The announcement that the three Republican members from Bucks county and that Dr. Mackey, of Luzerne, had joined the Farr forces encouraged the backers of the Lackawanna man vesterday. Ecfore there shall be a general caucus of the Philadelphia delegation to the house the Mittens Quaker City members-elect who are classed as adherents of the Martin lead-ership will hold a meeting this week and

formally go on record for Farr. Senator Magee, of Pittshurg, is expected to have his friends do likewise. Hiss, of Delaware: McClain, of Lan-coster; Voorhees, of Philadelphia: Kreps, of Franklin; Marshall, Ford and Hasack, of Alexborn, or all still holes to had Chatelaine Bags, Fancy Supporters and Garters, Cushions, Pillow Shams. of Allegheny, are all still being talked about for the speakership, but the lines are likely to be drawn in a few days, and and Scarfs, Aprons, Mufflers, Ties, Suspenders, Toques and Jersey Legthere will be a strong drift to Farr gins, Fur Collarettes, Table Linens,

Silks, Dress Goods, Etc. Bargains in gold and sliver-mounted pipes at Garney, Brown & Co.'s. \*\*

### MARRIED.

THOMAS-EVANS.-At Philadelphia, Pa., Dec. 17, 1898, by the Rev. John R. Da-vies, D. D., Mr. John R. Thomas and Miss Dolla P. Evans, both of Scranton, Pa.

stead of rule, should all men do their dren who came to us in welcome. Homes wherein a mother's love exists. homes to which the children return THE HUSBAND'S DUTY.

tainly covers many faults and the girl

who marries a man because she loves

him will seldom prove unfaithful in

clude that if the wife's love falls it is

from school or play, and where a wel-This one word of the Scriptural income awalts them. "Be it ever so junction, "love," contains within itself humble there is no place like home." the whole of the husband's duty. In the love due a wife, from 5 husband, DR. STEWART REESER DEAD. he stands pledged to give her the deep est and most lasting affection of the heart. This pledge is taken in the mar-

yould by the exception in-

His Remains Will Be Taken to Easton for Interment. riage ceremony at the altar. The passing of time should make the bond stronger and dearer. That self-sacri-

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Kid, Dressed Mocha and

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Handkerchiefs

broidered.

Suede.

Wool and Silk.

Dr. Stewart Reeser whose office and Ician advised his removal to the Lacksidence was on Cedar avenue, corner ficing love which Christ bore towards <sup>c</sup> Birch street, died at 1.39 o'clock Savhumanity is the kind of love a man trday afternoon. The exact nature of should have for his wife. All she is, all she expects to be, is at the hospital, where he died, get there were strong symptoms of typhoid

The home without children is only

half a home. The home in its purity

is the nation's bulwark. God's law is

an inflexible one "Righteousness ex-

alteth a nation, but sin is a reproach

to any people. From our homes, kept

nate sweet influences through our chil-

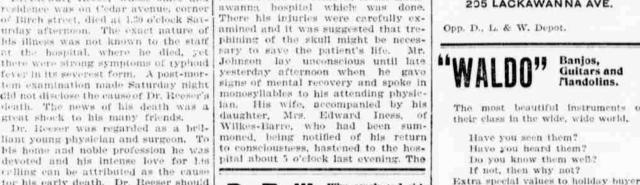
Suggestions for Christmas.

OPEN EVENINGS.

right by prayer to God, should ema-

yielded up to him with absolute con-fidence. No comparison can be made fever in its severest form. A post-morfor such an act in human experiences, tem examination made Saturday night and is a man worthy the name who did not disclose the cause of Dr. Reeser's will thus receive such a heart offering death. The news of his death was a without a deep consecration to the idea. great shock to his many friends. of being wholly worthy of this "gift beyond compare." The love of a good, Dr. Reeser was regarded as a bril-

liant young physician and surgeon. To pure, virtuous wife is returned by the bis home and noble profession he was husband's proofs of his worthiness of devoted and his intense love for his This can be indicated in her love. celling can be attributed as the cause numerous ways. Consult her, be ad-vised by her, let her divide with you in for his early death. Dr. Reeser should have retired to his room three weeks sorrow or joy, show her that she is to ago for treatment and rest, but under you what no other can be and your his care were several patients who were success is sure, but cease for a moment in critical conditions. Unfit for his



C. BEN. JOHNSON'S AFFLICTION.

Seized with a Paralytic Stroke While

Entering His Home.

known newspaper man, was ascending

the steps of his residence, No. 737 Mad

ison avenue, he was suddenly seized

with a paralytic stroke and fell back-

ward, his head striking the stone flag-

was thought to be a serious fracture

at the base of the skull. He was car-

ried unconscious into the house and a

At 9 o'clock in the evening, being

still in a comatose state, and his condi-

tion being considered critical, his phys-

physician summoned at once.

ging below and resulting in what

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3 Cans Fancy Peas ......250

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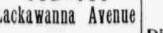
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