

HAPPENINGS IN NORTH SCRANTON

TWO SURPRISE PARTIES GIVEN LAST EVENING.

At the Homes of Henry Danvers and Miss Margaret Willis—Action of Councilman Morris Praised—Operations in Leggett's Creek Breaker to be Resumed Tuesday—Double Tracks Being Laid on Providence Road—A Batch of Short News Items and Personal Notes.

Harry Danvers was the recipient last evening of a very pleasant surprise party at the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. Danvers, of Warren street. The time was spent in playing games, musical selections and various other diversions. Refreshments were served at a seasonable hour, after which the guests departed with many happy remembrances of the joyous occasion.

A large number of Miss Margaret Willis' friends tendered her a surprise party at the home of her father, Joseph Willis, on Va. avenue last evening. The usual routine of pleasures were indulged in and refreshments were served. Those present were Margaret Willis, Bessie Sitterly, Fessie Evans, Keturah Jones, Alice Leonard, Bella Harris, Annie Davies, Lewis Purn, Ben Bowen, Richard Sharpless, William Reid, Robert Castelman, William Walsh and John Richards.

ANENT THE PAVE. The action of Councilman M. V. Morris in the Providence road pave question was freely commented upon and endorsed by our progressive citizens. They have become disgusted with the dilatory measures resorted to by the Girard Construction company and this last move in the controversy is looked upon as a sure winner in the settling of the question.

LEGGETT'S CREEK BREAKER. Contrary to expectations, work was not resumed this morning at the Leggett's Creek colliery. Operations have been suspended at the above place during the past month, in which time the mine has undergone a complete change.

TRACKS BEING LAID. The Scranton Railway company has Paines' Celery Compound . . . . .75c Pinkham's Compound . . . . .70c Pierce's Golden Medical Dis. . . . .75c Mellon's Food . . . . .38c and 55c

GEORGE W. JENKINS, 101 S. Main Avenue.

Extra Values In Silks . . . . .

The new season's silks are not all here yet, although fresh arrivals are coming to hand daily, and it will therefore be our duty very shortly to announce our Annual Fall Opening. Interest in the Silk Department must be maintained, however, and injudicious though it may seem, we have determined to wake things up with an unusually attractive sale of seasonable and strictly desirable Fancy Silks at prices far below actual values. If interested, favor us with a call,

A Few of the Good Things.

- 3 Remarkable Fancy Brocade Bargains. These embrace all the choicest shades and color combinations in strictly reliable weaves. Every yard is therefore perfectly trustworthy. Lot 1: Fancy Brocades that were great sellers at 75c a yard; sale price 59 Cents. Lot 2: Fancy Brocades of exquisite quality that were \$1.00; sale price 75 Cents. Lot 3: Fancy Brocades, strictly high grade and of marvellous beauty, were \$1.25; sale price 98 Cents. Fall Shades in Fine Taffetas, all Color Line. 25 pieces of as nice a medium grade Taffeta Silk as one could wish; sale price 69 Cents. Specially Good Satins in New season's Shades. 20 pieces handsome, soft, rich finish Liberty Satins, for waists, dresses, etc.; sale price 75 Cents. Bargains in Best Black Taffetas. New cord stripe effects in large variety; worth 65c a yard anywhere; sale price 49 Cents. Stripe Taffetas Suitable for Stylish Waists, Etc. The colorings are right and at the price they ought to go fast; were \$1.25; sale price 89 Cents.

Globe Warehouse advertisement for Drink Grain-O.

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PERSONAL NOTES. The many friends of William Powell, of Spring street, will regret to learn of his removal from this end to Elizabeth, N. J. While residing at the latter city a lucrative position was tendered him by a large contracting firm. His acceptance immediately followed. The best wishes of his innumerable friends go with him to his new place of residence.

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DUNMORE DOINGS.

William Riddall, Lately Returned from the Philippines, Tendered a Surprise Party.

The home of William Riddall, of Gypsy grove, was the scene of great merriment one evening the earlier part of the week, at which time all present were entertained in a royal manner. The occasion was the tendering of a surprise party in honor of Mr. Riddall by a number of his friends. A short time ago he returned from Porto Rico, where he saw service in two battles, as a sharpshooter, being detailed in each case to cover the advance guard, which placed him in the thickest part of the fight. He was considered the best shot in the regiment, and when his time had expired, he having responded to the first call for troops, he had many urgent requests to remain.

MEETING OF HEPTASOPHS. Arranging for Their Celebration in This City Sept. 21. A meeting of the general committee of Heptasophs of this county, who are in charge of the arrangements for the reception of the veterans on the 21st, met last evening. The various sub-committees reported having made excellent progress. It is intended to have a general celebration on this day to be held in Nay Aug park. The Paterson club will bring a band with them, which will give a concert in the afternoon and evening. The question of having a street parade is being considered and a large number are in favor of this feature.

RESOLUTION IS DRAFTED. Prescribes that the Paving Must Be Commenced in Ten Days. City Solicitor Corbush has drafted the resolution amending the Girard company's contract for paving North Main avenue and Providence road and it will be presented at the meeting of select council next Thursday evening.

HOSE WAS CONDEMNED. Failed to Withstand the Pressure Guaranteed by the Contract. Five hundred feet of hose supplied by a local firm under the recent contract has been condemned by Chief Walker, because it failed to undergo the pressure test. It was guaranteed to withstand a pressure of 400 pounds to the square inch, but when only 350 pounds was applied it fairly went to pieces.

HOODOO HARD ON HIS HEELS.

Moving Has Changed the Ill-Luck of Anton Sebalski. From the New York Sun. Anton Sebalski, formerly of Van Winkle street, Jersey City, moved to Germania avenue on Wednesday to change his luck. The moving was not a difficult operation, because a fire in the Van Winkle street house had destroyed everything that Sebalski owned except a few carpet tacks which held down the matting, and they were so badly rusted by the water poured by the firemen that they were worthless for pulling up. The matting itself, of course, was reduced to ashes. The fire, however, did not cause so much trouble for Sebalski as it would have done had it occurred a month ago. Since then his wife and three children have died, he doesn't know of what, and he and his 4-year-old boy, the only child left, did not need so much furniture as a family of five.

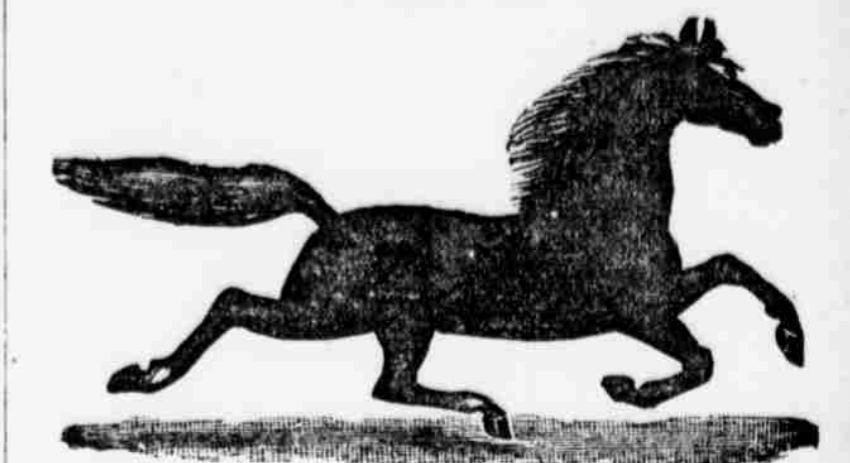
NEW PATROLMEN NOT PAID.

Controller Howell Refuses to Counterfeit Their Warrants. City Controller Howell has refused to draw warrants for the pay of Acting Patrolmen Hockenberry and Davis, on the same ground that he took in the Hickey-Sullivan case. He says the matter will have to be tested in court before he will act.

AN ATHLETIC CARNIVAL.

It Will Be Held at the Park Monday Evening. At Athletic park on the evening of Labor Day, Monday next, a big athletic carnival will be held. Electric

Waldron's BIG HORSE SALE



Today at 1 O'clock. Cusick's Old Stables, Washington Ave

AMUSEMENTS. LYCEUM THEATRE. BURGER & HEIS, Lessees. H. R. LONG, Manager. FRIDAY, SEPTEMBER 1ST. 'Get Your Thrills On.' THE PURPLE LADY. Direct from its long run at the Bijou Theater, New York. 'Oh Dear! Oh Dear! A Great Cuss.' Original Production. (Elin Wheeler Wilcox says: 'A Purple Lady' is the funniest, brightest farce I have ever seen.) Regular prices.

LABOR DAY--Monday, Sept. 4. Extra Special Matinee Labor Day, at 2 P. M. First re-statement here of the Super Revival of HOYT'S World-Famed Comedy, A TRIP TO CHINATOWN. Strongest Cast Ever Organized, Headed by Mr. HARRY GILFOIL, America's Greatest Vaudeville and Imitator. PRICES--Evening, 25c, 50c, 75c and \$1. Matinee, 15c, 25c, 50c.

ACADEMY OF MUSIC, OPENING OF THE SEASON. Week Commencing Monday Matinee, September 4th. Wolford-Sheridan Co. Supporting MAMIE SHERIDAN WOLFORD in her new and Famous Plays, Monday Matinee and Night. On the Mississippi. Prof. J. W. Hampton's Big, Cat and Monkey Circus at 10c and 25c performances. PRICES--10c, 20c and 30c.

EXCURSION. CENTRAL RAILROAD OF NEW JERSEY. SPECIAL EXCURSION FARES TO PHILADELPHIA FOR THE GRAND ANNUAL OF THE REPUBLICAN ANNUAL ENCAMPMENT SEPTEMBER 4 TO 9, 1899. For this occasion excursion tickets will be sold from Scranton to Philadelphia, good to go on all trains Sept. 2, 3, 4 and 5, at the fare named below, good to return on or before Sept. 12, or on or before Sept. 20 on payment of 50 cents additional if deposited with agent at 122 Chestnut street, Philadelphia, between Sept. 3 and 5 inclusive. Fare for the Round Trip, \$4.82.

him that he must clear up a lot of litter that the last tenant had left in the back yard. Sebalski was past resisting any order from anybody, so he went to work on the other man's rubbish. While lifting a board he drove a rusty nail through his right hand, temporarily disabling that arm. This has been particularly unfortunate for him because a folding bed which he had bought on the installment plan the same day proved defective and closed up to an angle of 5 degrees, where it stuck. With only one arm in use Sebalski couldn't push the foot of the bed down to the floor again and every time he has been obliged to sleep sitting up. 'That is worse for him than it might be for some other man, perhaps, because he has a peculiar lung trouble that makes it difficult for him to breathe and sleep at the same time unless he is lying flat on his back. If he did not expect to get rid of the bed in a few days Sebalski might feel despondent, but the law is likely to go. The agent for a life-size crayon portrait concern who got hold of the Sebalski in the Van Winkle street house before death and trouble overtook them, and who got contracts for portraits of all five, appeared yesterday before the father and surviving son's portrait, because he has been so long in the great pressure of business at his home office the photographs of the wife and the three children who had died had been lost or misplaced, but to square things, his company had put heavy gilt frames on the life-size portraits of Sebalski and John, and thrown in a pair of easels, although the contract only called for plain wooden frames. Sebalski refused to take the portraits and the agent went away threatening to return soon with a writ of seizure. In that case he will get the folding bed as satisfaction for service rendered.

Left All to Sweetheart. Wilkes-Barre, Aug. 31.—The will of Arthur A. Shupe, the Ashley undertaker, just probated, directs that the proceeds of the sale of all his property be given to Miss Mary Deener, to whom he was to have been married this month. The estate, with the insurance, is worth about \$5,000.

CASTORIA For Infants and Children. The Kind You Have Always Bought. Bears the Signature of J. C. Ayer & Co.

Cure Unfailing. Men suffering with nervous prostration, loss of memory and other ailments, and who are unable to get any relief, will find relief in the use of Dr. Williams' Pink Pills. It is a genuine food, drink, and tonic, containing nothing but nourishment. Ask your grocer for Grain-O, the new food drink. 15 and 25c.