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ELK BOWLERS LOSE.

The Iroquois Club of Buffalo Wins Two Out of Three Games. In the bowling contest between the Scranton Elks' team and the Iroquois club from Buffalo last night the latter were the victors, taking two out of three games played.

The Elks, however, still maintain their lead, now having 72 more pins to their credit than their opponents. The highest individual score for Scranton was made by Charles Weichel, 207, while J. Plautz made the highest Buffalo score, 159.

Plautz had also the highest average, 175, and Ed Bartl, of the Elks, was next with 167. The games resulted as follows: First game, Scranton, 570; Buffalo, 718. Second game, Scranton, 731; Buffalo, 794. Third game, Scranton, 778; Buffalo, 796.

The individual scores were as follows: Scranton, B. Charles Fowler, 173, 133, 168; Ed Flynn, 144, 156, 169; J. Bartl, 191, 14, 157; J. Madenspacher, 149, 147, 131; Charles Weichel, 207, 141, 151. Buffalo, George Felsing, 177, 151, 138; William Pankow, 152, 134, 139; J. Butler, 162, 129, 157; G. Floss, 167, 143; J. Plautz, 159, 187, 180.

Each team has won three games, and the rest of the series will be played in Buffalo, next Thursday and Friday.

Scranton Business College Notes. Names now on the rolls, 417. Harriet Berry is doing stenographic work in the Commonwealth building.

Harriet Broome has resigned her position with Attorneys Dunn & Walker to accept a better one with the Colliery Engineer company. Stanley Sirell has also accepted a position with this company.

Attention Music Students. The special rate to musicians, students of music and members of church choirs for the recitals by Leopold Godowsky, pianist, and Ernest Gamble, basso, is \$1. For the general public, \$1.50. Tickets now on sale at the Conservatory.

Will Continue Business. Miss Etta Green will continue the pawn broker business at 197 Lackawanna avenue which was conducted by her father, the late Joseph Green.

Beecham's Pills cure sick headache.



A Puzzle

with some people to make both ends meet, and buy what suits them best at the same time. We have studied this question thoroughly, and we know that by selling Hardware, with a small margin of profit to ourselves, we will gain many patrons with the same result. Look it up in our line of Harter Oil Heaters, and it will convince you.

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CHANGE OF LOCATION.

The Removal of the Penn Clothing and Shoe House. The Penn Clothing and Shoe house, which for the past sixteen years has been located at 137-139 Penn avenue, near Spruce street, will soon move from their present quarters to a more convenient location.

There is probably not one person in this entire valley who has not heard of the Penn Clothing and Shoe house, and through judicious advertising and honest dealings Mr. S. L. Gallen, the proprietor, has built up one of the most prominent and successful business establishments in Scranton. Mr. Gallen did not contemplate moving until about six weeks ago, after he had made large contracts with the manufacturers for his stock of fall and winter clothing and as he had to accept all the goods he contracted for, he has an extremely large stock on hand, which must be sold before the removal, which occurs in a short time. The Penn Clothing and Shoe house has inaugurated a removal sale of all their goods and we would advise the readers of this paper, who contemplate purchasing fall and winter clothing for themselves or men to take advantage of this sale, as Mr. Gallen promises to save the people of Scranton thousands of dollars on their purchases.

The Penn Clothing and Shoe house generally gives what it advertises and Mr. Gallen says that anyone who comes for an advertised article is never sent away disappointed. This is probably one of the reasons why he has been able to build up such an extensive business. Everything that a boy or man wears can be found at this store—from the shoes to the hat—and the quality of goods maintained by the Penn Clothing and Shoe house has always been of the highest character.

AT BICYCLE CLUB HOUSE.

Edwin P. Weeks, the Cecilia Ladies' Quartette and Bauer's Orchestra.

The entertainment and social course of the Scranton Bicycle club was opened last night by the Cecilia Ladies' quartette, together with Edwin P. Weeks and Bauer's orchestra. A large audience filled the room when the curtains were drawn at 8:30 o'clock. The stage was profusely decorated with palms, ferns, chrysanthemums and other plants.

Fred C. Hand, chairman of the committee in charge of the affair, welcomed the audience and made a few words concerning the course. The evening was highly enjoyed by all present, nearly every number being enthusiastically received.

Bauer's orchestra played in its usual magnificent manner and the singing of the Cecilia Ladies' quartette was thoroughly appreciated by the audience, as was manifested by its tumultuous applause.

Edwin P. Weeks, humorist and comedian, however, made the hit of the evening. His first effort, "The Crooked Lawyer's Song," was encored and on coming out again he rendered a medley of thirty songs, including everything from Annie Laurie to "Mamma Will Swat You if You Do."

His recitation of the horse trade in David Harum, Edward Weisger's widely known book, was humorous in the extreme, and owing to his clever interpretation of the character, one could almost see the shrewd old country banker, narrating the story of his victory over the financier.

Mr. Weeks also gave an imitation of the popular actor Sol Smith Russell. The concluding number on the programme was an operetta, "The Grasshopper," in which Mr. Weeks was the star, and in fact the whole company, even including the chorus. Altogether the evening was an enjoyable one, and the audience felt thankful to the quartette and Mr. Weeks for a most pleasing entertainment.

The committee in charge of the affair was as follows: Fred C. Hand, chairman; Robert Simpson, secretary; W. W. Berry, W. A. Kemmerer, H. A. Pierce, A. N. LaBar, H. C. Wallace, George M. Mulley, H. P. Decker, Robert T. Gould, Eugene Healey, F. W. Edwards, H. T. Norrup, E. H. Davis.

HARVEST HOME FESTIVAL.

The Grace Reformed Church Sunday School Gives an Entertainment.

In the Grace Reformed church, on Wyoming avenue, a harvest home festival was given last night by the Sunday school of the church. Charles F. Hess, the assistant superintendent, was in charge of the affair.

The platform was literally covered with fruits, vegetables and other products of the autumnal season, donated by the children of the school, to be afterwards divided between the poor of the church and Florence mission. A large audience was present and thoroughly enjoyed the following programme:

- Organ Voluntary. Greeting Song. Responsive Bible Reading. Prayer. Hymn, "America." Bible Lesson. Song. Solo. Miss Elsie V. Brown. Address. Superintendent Lathrop Solo. Miss Anna Huber. Responsive Reading. Song. Exercise. Infant Class Due. Miss Mamie Brown and Chas. Graves. Responsive Bible Reading. Chorus. Hymn. Pastor Geo. L. Aldrich Closing Chorus. Doxology. Benediction.

ALMOST COST HIM HIS LIFE.

Dr. Joseph Miscovitz, of Olyphant, in a Dangerous Condition.

A Russian doctor, Joseph Miscovitz by name, is at the Lackawanna hospital suffering from the effects of chloral and bromide, which came near ending his life. He is not yet out of danger, but at the hospital it is believed that he will pull through.

Dr. Miscovitz lives at Olyphant, is 45 years of age and married, but does not live with his wife. He is subject to fits of depression and during these spells he frequently sought the aid of drugs.

He appealed to them Thursday night and it almost cost him his life. Dr. Miscovitz at one time lived in this city. After leaving here he went to Nanticoke and from Nanticoke to Olyphant.

Do not forget the date of the New York, Ontario and Western's annual fall excursion to New York Monday, October 30. Tickets will be sold at greatly reduced rates.

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GUILTY OF AGGRAVATED ASSAULT AND BATTERY.

So Said the Twelve Good Men and True Who Sat Upon His Case—The McElroys, of Winton, Have Patched Up Their Differences and a Verdict of Not Guilty Was Yesterday Taken—Frank McElroy Married His Half-Brother's Daughter. Many Other Cases Heard.

J. B. Lesh, of Ransom, was yesterday found guilty of committing an aggravated assault and battery on E. F. Rosencranz, one of his neighbors. The case was put on trial Thursday afternoon before Judge McClure in court room No. 3. Lesh, who is one of the familiar figures in the civil and criminal courts of this county, was in trouble with Rosencranz over the ownership of a piece of land in Ransom township. One Sunday about two months ago the trouble over the land was renewed and Rosencranz was shot in the leg by Lesh.

The defense was that Lesh's gun was accidentally discharged and Rosencranz was only slightly injured. When court opened yesterday morning the task of offering evidence for the defense was resumed and consumed the greater part of the morning. About 2 o'clock p. m. the jury returned Lesh guilty of aggravated assault and battery.

Before Judge Edwards Martin Ruane was tried for committing an assault and battery on Michael J. Kennedy. Both of the men live in Dunmore and each was very positive that the other was the aggressor in the trouble. The case was given to the jury at 3:45 and it agreed an hour later and will bring in its verdict this morning.

SPITZ ACQUITTED.

Lewis Spitz was acquitted of a charge of larceny by bailie preferred by John Bulekoff. The latter gave Spitz a watch to have repaired and when it was returned to him he refused to pay the \$1.50 asked for the repairs. The watch is being held pending the payment of the charges. When this state of facts was shown Judge McClure, before whom the case was tried, directed a verdict of not guilty.

Honorable L. Bathe, of New York, did not appear to prosecute Adolph Dreschel for perjury and a verdict of not guilty was taken and the prosecutor directed to pay the costs.

A verdict of not guilty was taken in the case against Michael J. Sizc, who is charged with embezzlement. Mrs. Ann Williams, who lodged the complaint against Sizc, informed the district attorney that she had no desire to prosecute.

Frank McElroy was charged by his half-brother, Benjamin McElroy, with incestuous marriage. The parties live in Winton and some time ago Frank McElroy married his half-brother's daughter. The parties have since come to an understanding about the matter and a verdict of not guilty was taken yesterday before Judge Edwards and the costs placed on the county.

George Spitz was indicted for larceny and receiving at the instance of Patrick Swift. It appeared from the statement made to the jury by District Attorney John H. Jones that the goods were taken by the defendant under the color of right and that the Commonwealth could not make out a case. A verdict of not guilty was taken.

VERDICTS OF NOT GUILTY.

Ora Hammond did not appear to prosecute William Bell for assault and battery, the case having been settled. The county was directed to pay the costs.

W. J. Kann was returned not guilty of having committed an assault and battery on Frank Gadowood. The latter did not appear to prosecute. The county will have to pay the costs.

John T. Boyce prosecuted John E. Hall for passing a worthless check on him. Since his arrest Hall has paid the amount of the check and Boyce had no desire to prosecute. The verdict was not guilty and the county will pay the costs.

Kate Murray, a 16-year-old girl, was charged before Judge Edwards with hitting Kate Mulhern in the eye with a piece of coal, cutting it badly. The battle girl denied having hit Kate with the coal or injured her in any way. The verdict was not guilty and the county directed to pay the costs.

In the case of Patrick Morris, who was charged with extortion by C. H. Keller, a verdict of not guilty was taken and the costs placed on the county. The prosecutor did not appear in court yesterday.

Jacob Ellman, who was tried before Judge Archbald Thursday for pointing a pistol at Anna Balsaravitz, was yesterday found guilty for wantonly pointing a pistol.

It was impossible for the jury in the case of John Cavanaugh, charged with malicious mischief, to agree and a verdict from eleven men was taken. It was a verdict of not guilty and the costs were placed on the county.

KILPATRICK TRIED.

Before Judge Archbald yesterday afternoon Joseph Kilpatrick was tried on a charge of theft. The case went to the jury just before the hour for adjourning.

Joseph Keniskey was indicted for false pretenses at the instance of William...

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