# TWO MORE OF THE SPECIAL REWARDS

## Two Full Courses in the Scranton Business College.

### COMMERCIAL-SHORTHAND

**Description of the School—When It Was Founded—Its Growth and Development—A Thoroughly Practical and Up-to-Date Institution. Graduates Have Little Difficulty in Securing Good Situations—The Courses Form Rewards of Unusual Value.**

Today The Tribune presents to its readers a description of the Scranton Business College, one of the institutions which has been selected for its pre-eminence as a school as one of the special rewards in The Tribune's Educational Contest scholarship rewards. The contest keeps gaining in public favor and even in these days of extreme sultriness is active and growing in interest. As the young men and women more fully realize the liberal nature of this offer they are responding, and either personally or by letter are entering the lists of participants, which has enrolled already a large number of the ambitious of the city and country. But there is plenty of room still for others, and this week should witness a decided swelling of the ranks. There is nothing to lose, but a great deal to gain by taking up this work, and the results of the efforts of those who are already canvassing speaks well for the future, showing the willingness of the public to aid young men and women who are striving for an education. Canvassers in the country and city are meeting with good success, and when the contest gets a little older the results will be even better than they are now, for the friends of the various canvassers will stimulate them by their aid.

Scranton Business College.

**Description of the College.**

The Scranton Business College is one of the foremost of Scranton's educational institutions. Its handsome building at the corner of Linden street and Adams avenue is one of the landmarks of the city, and its central location, opposite the court house, makes it unsurpassed for convenience of access both for its large body of students and for the many visitors who come to the Electric City and make this school one of their objective points while "seeing the sights." The permanent home of this commercial school is a handsome edifice of gray stone, four stories high, with large and commodious floors, well lighted with large windows, and being situated on a corner receives light on two sides, the effect of which is enhanced by the open park in front surrounding the court house, making it a cool and airy location in summer, the ventilation being arranged in accordance with the most modern methods and after the specific plans of the proprietors, Messrs. Buck & Whitmore. This corner is one of the coolest spots in Scranton during the torrid season, and in winter the floors devoted to the use of the school are heated effectively and scientifically, thus conducing to comfort and ability to study either in the "dog days" or when the winter blasts are howling around the corners.

**When Established.**

In 1894 Messrs. Buck & Whitmore established the Scranton Business College. Two floors were added to the building at the corner of Adams avenue and Linden street for the express use of this college, and every effort was made to make the building perfectly adapted to the needs of a modern commercial school. This result has been attained in an eminently satisfactory degree. Not only are the floors devoted to the school fitted and furnished in an up-to-date manner, but the most modern methods of teaching and the latest text books are employed, and the approved standards are also retained. The principals of the several departments give their personal supervision to the instruction, and are all men of long experience and practice in teaching, having been identified with business college work for many years. Professors Buck and Whitmore have been in this line of work for fourteen years, and this long term has qualified them to the highest extent to preside over a large and constantly growing body of students.

H. D. Buck.

**Third Largest in the State.**

According to the report of the Superintendent of Public Instruction the Scranton Business College is the third largest commercial school in the State of Pennsylvania. There are 500 students in actual attendance, this number being nearly equally divided among young men and women, the male sex predominating slightly at present. As an evidence of the high reputation the college enjoys, it is only necessary to state the fact that the demand for its graduates from business houses in this and other cities is greater than the supply. Its graduates are employed in the very best business houses in confidential and responsible positions, and a large number of them are in receipt of very good salaries. The Tribune can testify cheerfully to the thoroughness of the training of the graduates of this college, having several of them in its employ at the present time. The methods of instruction employed are equal the best of the business colleges in this country and are constantly improving, always keeping pace with the expanding business demands of the commercial world.

**Good Positions Easily Secured.**

This college is highly recommended by the most prominent business and professional men, including educational leaders as well as those in other walks of life. The opportunities offered to its students commercially are great, and so eager is the demand for them that a great number are offered positions by business houses before they graduate. Hundreds secure positions from here either directly or indirectly. Messrs. Buck and Whitmore take great pride in those who have passed under their tuition and keep their interest in them alive long after they have received their diplomas or have entered into active employment, striving to help them into better and more lucrative positions and following them up with kindly zeal, knowing that a worthy pupil cannot receive too much encouragement, and will appreciate all that can be done to make his way smooth. They have secured a number of positions for individual students, each better than the last, and their interest in a graduate survives long after the student has left their college. Students have secured positions through the proprietors, not only in Scranton, but in many other cities, including New York, Chicago, Philadelphia, and the principal cities in the country.

**The Two Courses.**

The lower floor of the college is devoted to the stenographic department. Here are taught shorthand, typewriting, manifolding, penmanship, practical grammar, capitalization, punctuation, business correspondence, filing letters, spelling and press copying. On the upper floor are the recitation and large study rooms of the business department, where the students acquire a practical knowledge of bookkeeping, penmanship, correspondence, press copying, commercial law, business arithmetic, short methods, rapid calculation, practical grammar, commercial paper, forms and customs and spelling. A scholarship in either of these departments is unlimited, the student remaining until thoroughly satisfied of being proficient in his elected course.

The list of graduates successfully filling important and good paying situations in Scranton is too long for publication here, but it emphatically indorses the claim of the proprietors of the soundness and substantial merits of their institution. In selecting the special rewards for the Educational Contest The Tribune was led by the logic of this proof of excellence and decided to secure two scholarships in this excellent commercial school, and those who are fortunate enough to secure these scholarships will receive rewards of far greater value than the price placed upon them. One of the certificates given each student upon paying the stipulated fee for the full courses, suitably framed, is on exhibition in The Tribune window. It reads:

This Scholarship is Not Transferable.

No. 1670 | $60.00.

THE SCRANTON BUSINESS COLLEGE.

(Incorporated.)

SCHOLARSHIP.

This is to certify that U. R. Wide-awake, having paid sixty dollars, the required Tuition Fee, is entitled to complete instruction (time unlimited) in the Business Department of this institution.

In accepting this Scholarship, it is agreed that the holder shall conform with the rules and regulations of the Institution, and that his conduct, both in school and out of it, shall at all times be highly creditable to himself and the school. It is further agreed that the holders' attendance be continuous and regular except in case of sickness or when written leave of absence is granted by the principals. Buck & Whitmore reserve the right to suspend or expel for unnecessary irregularity of attendance or gross misconduct.

Seal

SCRANTON BUSINESS COLLEGE.
Buck & Whitmore, Principals.
Scranton, Pa., June 22, 1900.

**Letters of Inquiry.**

All requests for the books of subscription blanks or letters of inquiry should be addressed to the "Editor of the Educational Contest, Scranton Tribune, Scranton, Pa." The Tribune will be pleased to answer any inquiries for additional information and urges those interested to write if in doubt upon any point.

Write to The Tribune at once and secure one of the books of subscription blanks. Remember those who begin now have an advantage.

### RULES OF THE CONTEST

The special rewards will be given to the persons securing the largest number of points.

Points will be credited to contestants securing new subscribers to the Scranton Tribune as follows:

| | | Points. |
|---|---|---|
| One Month's Subscription.. | $ .50 | 1 |
| Three Months' Subscription | 1.25 | 3 |
| Six Months' Subscription... | 2.50 | 6 |
| One Year's Subscription ... | 5.00 | 12 |

The contestant with the highest number of points will be given a choice from the list of special rewards; the contestant with the second highest number of points will be given a choice of the remaining rewards, and so on through the list.

Each contestant failing to secure a special reward will be given 10 per cent. of all money he or she turns in.

All subscriptions must be paid in advance.

Only new subscribers will be counted.

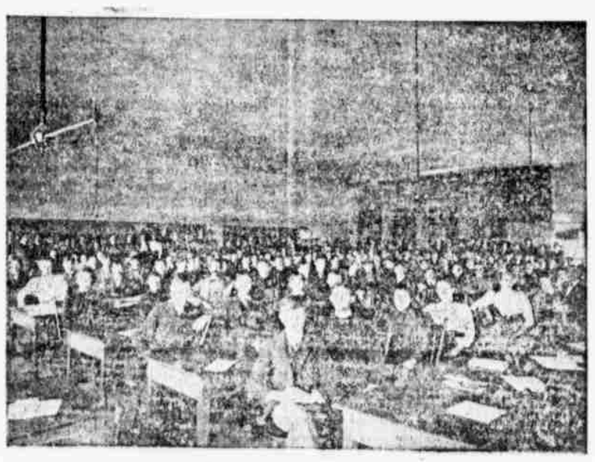
Renewals by persons already on our subscription list will not be credited.

No transfers can be made after credit has once been given.

All subscriptions, and the cash to pay for same, must be handed in at The Tribune office within the week in which they are secured, so that papers may be sent to the subscribers at once.

Subscriptions must be written on blanks, which can be secured at The Tribune office, or will be sent by mail.

The contest will close promptly at 8 o'clock Saturday evening, September 29, 1900.



Business Department.

A. R. Whitmore.

### SPECIAL REWARDS.

1. Scholarship in Wyoming Seminary (4 years) including tuition and board ..... $1,000
2. Scholarship in Keystone Academy (3 years) including tuition and board ..... 564
3. Solmer 5-8 Piano, including stool and scarf (on exhibition at J. W. Guernsey's, 314 Washington avenue) ..... 485
4. Course in Piano Instruction at Scranton Conservatory of Music ..... 75
5. Columbia Bicycle, Chainless, 1900 model (on exhibition at Conrad Brothers', 249 Wyoming avenue) ..... 75
6. Scholarship in Scranton Business College, commercial course 60
7. Scholarship in Scranton Business College, shorthand course 60
8. Solid Gold Watch, lady's or gentleman's (on exhibition at Eugene Schimpff's, 317 Lackawanna avenue) ..... 50
9. Tele-Photo Cycle Poco B Camera, 4x5 ..... 40
10. Lady's Solid Gold Watch, or Gentleman's Solid Silver Watch (on exhibition at Eugene Schimpff's, 317 Lackawanna avenue) ..... 30

$2,439

Each contestant failing to secure one of these special rewards will be given ten (10) per cent. of all the money he or she turns in.

# THE MARKETS.

### Wall Street Review.

New York, July 16.—The movement in Union Pacific was the mainspring of the stock market all day and Baltimore and Ohio was also an active feature. The movement in these stocks was based upon the favorable estimates for the year's earnings now made up. Baltimore and Ohio at one time in the day rose 5⅞c. Another potent fact in the market was the copious downfall of rains in the corn belt. This helped the Union Pacific movement and that stock rose an extreme 2⅞. Other gains ran from 1 to 1⅝ for the corn grangers. Rock Island was held back by sympathy with the Brooklyn Transit. Missouri Pacific broke badly in the late dealings on disappointment that no action on the dividend was taken at a meeting of the directors held today. The extreme decline was 1⅞ and coupled with the weakness in Brooklyn Rapid Transit and the disposition to take profits reactions of about a point were caused in a number of stocks. The closing was heavy at the reaction. Outside of the Grangers the Pacifics and trans-continentals generally the market continued dull and narrow. Total sales, 300,000. The bond market continued dull and prices moved both ways. Total sales, par value, $629,000. United States refunding 2s, when issued, old 4s, the 5s, 3s registered advanced ½c.; 3s coupon ¾ and new 4s ¼ in the bid price.

The following quotations are furnished The Tribune by M. S. Jordan & Co., rooms 705-706 Mears building. Telephone 5003:

| | Opening. | Highest. | Lowest. | Closing. |
|---|---|---|---|---|
| American Sugar ..... | 117½ | 118⅞ | 117⅞ | 118 |
| American Tobacco ..... | 89 | 90⅝ | 89 | 90⅝ |
| Am. S. & W ..... | 32¼ | 32 | 31½ | 32¼ |
| Atch., To. & S. Fe .... | 25½ | 26 | 25⅝ | 25⅞ |
| A., T. & S. F., Pr .... | 60⅛ | 60⅞ | 60⅛ | 60½ |
| Brooklyn Traction .... | 53 | 53 | 51 | 51⅞ |
| Balt. & Ohio ..... | 75⅝ | 78 | 75¼ | 76⅝ |
| Cont. Tobacco ..... | 25⅛ | 25⅛ | 25⅛ | 25⅛ |
| Ches. & Ohio ..... | 27⅛ | 28½ | 27⅛ | 27⅞ |
| Chic., B. & Q ..... | 124½ | 125⅞ | 124 | 124⅞ |
| St. Paul ..... | 110 | 111¼ | 110⅝ | 110⅝ |
| Rock Island ..... | 107⅛ | 107⅛ | 105⅞ | 106⅛ |
| Federal Steel ..... | 32⅞ | 33⅛ | 32¼ | 32⅝ |
| Kan. & Tex., Pr ..... | 31½ | 31½ | 31 | 31 |
| Louis. & Nash ..... | 73 | 73⅞ | 72½ | 72½ |
| Manhattan Ele ..... | 88 | 88 | 88 | 88 |
| Met. Traction Co ..... | 150½ | 151¼ | 149⅞ | 149⅞ |
| Missouri Pacific ..... | 51⅛ | 52⅞ | 50¼ | 50⅞ |
| People's Gas ..... | 98 | 98½ | 98 | 98⅞ |
| N. J. Central ..... | 127 | 127 | 126⅝ | 126⅞ |
| Southern Pacific ..... | 32⅝ | 33⅝ | 32⅝ | 33 |
| Norfolk & Western .... | 35⅞ | 34½ | 35⅞ | 34½ |
| North. Pacific ..... | 40⅞ | 50⅞ | 40⅞ | 50⅛ |
| North. Pacific, Pr ..... | 70½ | 72⅛ | 70½ | 71⅞ |
| N. Y. Central ..... | 128⅛ | 129⅞ | 129 | 129 |
| Ont. & West ..... | 19⅞ | 19½ | 19⅝ | 19½ |
| Penna. R. R ..... | 127½ | 128⅛ | 127½ | 127⅞ |
| Pacific Mail ..... | 27 | 27 | 27 | 27 |
| Reading ..... | 17 | 17 | 17 | 17 |
| Reading, Pr ..... | 59 | 59⅞ | 59 | 59⅛ |
| Southern R. R ..... | 10⅞ | 11⅛ | 10⅞ | 11 |
| Southern R. R., Pr .... | 51½ | 52⅛ | 51½ | 52⅛ |
| Tenn., C. & Iron ..... | 59⅛ | 60⅞ | 60⅛ | 60⅞ |
| U. S. Leather ..... | 8⅛ | 9⅛ | 8½ | 8⅞ |
| U. S. Leather, Pr ..... | 67½ | 67½ | 67½ | 67½ |
| Union Pacific ..... | 56 | 58 | 55⅞ | 57⅛ |
| Union Pac., Pr ..... | 74⅞ | 76⅛ | 74⅞ | 75 |
| Wabash, Pr ..... | 18½ | 18½ | 18⅛ | 18⅛ |
| Western Union ..... | 80 | 80 | 80 | 80 |

**CHICAGO BOARD OF TRADE.**

| | Opening. | Highest. | Lowest. | Closing. |
|---|---|---|---|---|
| WHEAT. | | | | |
| August ..... | 76⅞ | 76⅞ | 75⅝ | 76⅛ |
| September ..... | 78 | 78 | 76⅞ | 77⅞ |
| CORN. | | | | |
| August ..... | 42 | 42 | 39⅞ | 40⅝ |
| September ..... | 43 | 43 | 40 | 40⅞ |
| OATS. | | | | |
| August ..... | 23⅝ | 23⅝ | 23⅛ | 23⅝ |
| September ..... | 24⅛ | 24⅛ | 23½ | 24 |
| PORK. | | | | |
| September ..... | 12.47 | 12.50 | 12.12 | 12.25 |

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

| STOCKS. | Bid. | Asked. |
|---|---|---|
| First National Bank ..... | 800 | ... |
| Scranton Savings Bank ..... | 300 | ... |
| Scranton Packing Co. ..... | ... | 95 |
| Third National Bank ..... | 425 | ... |
| Dime Deposit and Discount Bank .. | 200 | ... |
| Economy Light, H. & P. Co ..... | ... | 50 |
| Lacka. Trust & Safe Deposit Co. .. | 150 | ... |
| Scranton Paint Co. ..... | ... | 80 |
| Clark & Snover Co., Pr. ..... | 125 | ... |
| Scranton Iron Fence & Mfg. Co..... | ... | 100 |
| Scranton Axle Works ..... | ... | 95 |
| Lackawanna Dairy Co., Pr. ..... | ... | 29 |
| County Savings Bank & Trust Co. . | 300 | ... |
| First National Bank (Carbondale).. | ... | 200 |
| Standard Drilling Co. ..... | ... | 90 |
| New Mexico Ry. Coal Co., Pr. .... | 40 | ... |
| Traders' National Bank ..... | 155 | ... |
| Scranton Bolt and Nut Co. ..... | 110 | ... |
| BONDS. | | |
| Scranton Passenger Railway, first mortgage, due 1920 ..... | 115 | ... |
| People's Street Railway, first mortgage, due 1918 ..... | 115 | ... |
| People's Street Railway, General mortgage, due 1921 ..... | 115 | ... |
| Dickson Manufacturing Co. ..... | ... | 100 |
| Lacka. Township School 5 per cent. | ... | 102 |
| City of Scranton St. Imp. 6 per cent. ..... | ... | 102 |
| Scranton Traction 6 per cent. ..... | 115 | ... |

**Scranton Wholesale Market.**

(Corrected by H. G. Dale, 27 Lackawanna Ave.)

Butter—Creamery, 21c.; dairy tubs, 20c.
Eggs—Select western, 14c.; nearby state, 14½c.
Cheese—Full cream, new, 11½@12c.
Beans—Per bu., choice marrow, $2.45; medium, $2.30; pea, $2.20.
Potatoes—45c.
Bermuda Onions—$1.75.
Flour—Best patent, $4.25.

**Philadelphia Grain and Produce.**

Philadelphia, July 16.—Wheat—⅝c. lower; contract grade, July, 75½@75⅝c. Corn—⅝c. lower; No. 2 mixed July, 55½@55⅝c. Oats—Quiet but steady; No. 2 white clipped, 31@31½c. Butter—Steady; fancy western creamery, 20c.; do. prints, 22c. Eggs—Steady; fresh, nearby, 14c.; do. western, 13½c.; do. southwestern, 13c.; southern, 11c. Cheese—Unchanged. Refined Sugars—Strong and ten points higher; powdered, 6.20; granulated and crystal A, 6.10; confectioners' A, 5.90; Nos. 1, 2 and 3, 5.75; No. 4, 5.70; No. 5, 5.65; No. 6, 5.50; No. 7, 5.45; No. 8, 5.40; No. 9, 5.35; No. 10, 5.30; No. 11, 5.30; Nos. 12 to 16, 5.20. Cotton—3-16c. lower; middling uplands, 10 1-16c. Tallow—Steady; city prime, in hogsheads, 4⅛@5; country do., barrels, 4⅝c.; dark, do., 4⅛c.; cakes, 4⅞c. Live Poultry—Unchanged; fowls, 12@12½c.; old roosters, 9c.; spring chickens, 14@16c. Dressed Poultry—Firm; fowls, higher; fowls, choice, 13c.; do. fair to good, 9@12c.; old roosters, 6c.; western frozen chickens, 14@16c.; broilers, nearby, 18@23c.; western do., 18@23c. Receipts—Flour, 1,700 barrels and 695,000 pounds in sacks; wheat, 12,000 bushels; corn, 85,000 bushels; oats, 20,000 bushels. Shipments—Wheat, 1,800 bushels; corn, 800 bushels; oats, 17,000 bushels.

**New York Grain and Produce.**

New York, July 16.—Flour—Market was checked by the drop in wheat and ruled weak all day with buyers and sellers 10 to 20c. apart. Wheat—Spot weak; No. 2 red, 80⅝c. f. o. b. afloat; No. 2 red, 81½c. elevator; No. 1 northern Duluth, 86½c. afloat f. o. b. to arrive; options opened weak and throughout the forenoon declined steadily, an afternoon rally left the market finally steady at ⅞@1c. decline; July closed 83⅝c.; September, 81½c.; October, 82c.; December, 82⅝c. Corn—Spot weak; No. 2, 47½c. f. o. b. afloat and 47¼c. elevator; options demoralized by the heavy rains west and lost over 3c. a bushel under active unloading; later market was inactive, closing weak at 3@1½c. net decline; July closed 46⅝c.; September, 46½c. Oats—Spot weak; No. 2, 28½c.; No. 3, 28c.; No. 2 white, 30@30½c.; No. 3 white, 29½c.; track mixed western, 29@30c.; track white western, 30@34c.; track white state, 29@34c.; options dull and weaker with corn. Butter—Steady; creamery, 16@19c.; factory, current packed, 14@16c.; imitation creamery, 15@17½c.; state dairy, 15½@18½c. Cheese—Firmer; large colored, 9⅝@9¾c.; large white, 9½c.; small white, 9⅝@9¾c.; small colored, 9⅝@9¾c. Eggs—Firm; state and Pennsylvania, 14@16c.; western, 14@15½c. for average lots; western, loss off, 15c.

**Chicago Grain and Produce.**

Chicago, July 16.—The corn market suffered demoralization because of the breakup of the drouth. September closing 3⅝@3½c. over Saturday. Wheat fell and was weak, closing 5@5c. reduced. Oats closed ½c. down and provisions from 7½@10c. lower to 30c. depressed in pork. Cash quotations were as follows: Flour—Easy; No. 3 spring wheat, 70½@71½c.; No. 2 red, 77@77⅝c.; No. 2 corn, 40¼@41c.; No. 2 yellow, 40¼@41c.; No. 2 oats, 24@24½c.; No. 2 white, 26½@27½c.; No. 3 white, 26@27c.; barley, 40@42c.; No. 1 flax and northwest, $1.80; timothy, $3.35; pork, $11.25@12.45; lard, $6.60@6.77½; ribs, $6.10@7; shoulders, 6⅝@7c.; sides, $7.25@7.45; whiskey, $1.26; sugars, unchanged.

**Chicago Live Stock Market.**

Chicago, July 16.—Cattle—Generally steady to 5@10c. lower; butchers' stock steady; western range cattle sold up to $4.75; natives, best on sale today, two cars angus; good to prime steers, $5@5.70; poor to medium, $4.00@5; selected feeders, steady, $4@4.75; mixed stockers, $3.75@4; cows, $3@4.70; heifers, $3@5.10; canners, $2@2.80; bulls, $2.50@4.60; calves, steady, $4@6.75; Texas, best on sale today, two carloads at $4.60; Texas fed steers, $4.15@5; Texas grass steers, $3.25@4; Texas bulls, $2.50@3.25. Hogs—Steady at Saturday's closing prices; top, $5.40; mixed and butchers, $5.05@5.40; good to choice heavy, $5.10@5.40; roughs, $4.90@5.05; light, $5.10@5.40; bulk of sales, $5.25@5.35. Sheep and Lambs—Dull, 10@20c. lower except choice lambs; good to choice wethers, $4@4.40; fair to choice, $3.10@4; western sheep and yearlings, $3.75@4.20; Texas sheep, $3@4; native lambs, $4.50@6.85; western lambs, $5@6.20.

**New York Live Stock Market.**

New York, July 16.—Beeves—Slow and 10c. lower; steers, $4.75@5.70; dit-tillery fed, $5.25@5.70; bulls, $2.50@3.50; cows, $2@4. Calves—Veals, slow but steady; choice firm; buttermilks, weak; veals, $4@6.50; choice, $6.70@6.75; buttermilks, $2.62½@3; mixed calves, $3.37½@4.50. Sheep—Steady; lambs, 25@50c. lower; sheep, $3.25@5.50; export wethers, $5.50; lambs, $5.50@5.75; culls, $4.50@5. Hogs—Slow at $5.60@5.85.

**East Liberty Cattle Market.**

East Liberty, July 16.—Cattle—Slow and lower; extra, $5.50@5.70; prime, $5.40@5.50; common, $3.50@4. Hogs—Lower; prime pigs, best medium and heavy, $5.55; heavy hogs, $5.45@5.55; grassers and common Yorkers, $5.40@5.45; roughs, $5.50@5. Sheep—Lower; choice wethers, $4.50@4.55; common, $1.50@2.50; choice lambs, $5.75@6; common to good, $3.00@5.50; veal calves, $6.50@7.

**Oil Market.**

Oil City, July 16.—Credit balances, $1.25; certificates, no bid; shipments, for three days, 359,607 barrels; average, 78,652 barrels; runs for three days, 253,274 barrels; average, 84,279 barrels.

Japan is a corruption of the Chinese word Shi-pen-kue, which means "root of day," or "sunrise kingdom," because Japan is directly east of China.

**Beware of Ointments for Catarrh That Contain Mercury.**

as mercury will surely destroy the sense of smell articles should never be used except on prescriptions from reputable physicians, as the damage they will do is ten fold to the good you can possibly derive from them. Hall's Catarrh Cure, manufactured by F. J. Cheney & Co., Toledo, O., contains no mercury, and is taken internally, acting directly upon the blood and mucous surfaces of the system. In buying Hall's Catarrh Cure be sure you get the genuine. It is taken internally, and made in Toledo, Ohio, by F. J. Cheney & Co. Testimonials free.

Sold by druggists, price 75c. per bottle.
Hall's Family Pills are the best.

JONAS LONG'S SONS. | JONAS LONG'S SONS | JONAS LONG'S SONS.

**Our Own Goods--The Kind You Know About--Not Mill Ends, Nor Odds and Ends--Contribute to This One Grand**

# July Clearing Sale

Absolutely competitionless! All other sales pale away in the wake of this phenomenal July enterprise. Goods having the Jonas Long's Sons' standard of merit—the thoroughly reliable, dependable kind—that you are buying for almost a song, because we are bound to clear the decks---at some price or other.

## Today==Tuesday

In connection with our Gigantic July Clearing Sale, we shall present one of the strongest attractions ever offered by any mercantile house in America. It should, and will, undoubtedly, crowd the main avenues of this Great Store. We direct your attention to a phenomenal

# Sale of Embroideries

St. Gall, Switzerland, is the embroidery center of the universe. Once a year the extensive manufacturers there gather up all their odd pieces, pack them into case lots, and ship them to their American representatives, where they are sold at tremendous sacrifice. Merchants are indeed fortunate, who get hold of them.

***The Lot Here Consists of Four Thousand Yards of the Daintiest Edges and Insertings, Worth Up to 90c the Yard, to Be Sold Today at***

**17c The Yard** | **17c The Yard**

Some of the edgings are wide enough for flounces, others are narrow and very delicate.

Not a yard in the entire lot is worth less than 35 cents--more than one-half is worth above 50 cents.

We do not believe that any store ever offered so much for so little. We also believe that never before have such exquisite patterns in embroideries been sold in Scranton. There is no limit to the quantities one may buy, though none will be sold to dealers. Mail orders will be promptly filled in the order of their receipt by us.

# Ready This Morning at 9 O'Clock

**50c for Men's $1.50 Shirts.**

Colored shirts, mostly negligees, with separate cuffs; also white shirts colored bosoms and some few in all-colored, laundered. All sizes in the lot, but not in any one style; worth up to $1.50 ..... 50c

**15c for Men's 25c Hosiery.**

Men have never had so good a chance as this one. These are regular 25c. stockings, of finest cotton yarn, with maco feet. Full regularly made and perfectly finished. Cannot be bought in any store in Scranton for less than a quarter; here at .. 15c

**39c for Men's 79c Shirts.**

A great lot, though they won't last long at the price. Among them are Bedford cords in a large variety of patterns, with collars attached; also unlaundered white shirts, reinforced back and front .... 39c

**2 7-8c for Cotton Challies.**

Not the ordinary kind that you usually buy for about five or six cents, but bright, crisp, new and attractive patterns that you will find only in the higher-priced sorts. Several thousand yards for tomorrow and while they last at ..... 2⅞c

**2 1-2c for Good Towels.**

Not great big towels, but big enough for all practical purposes, and of such soft finish that you're sure to like them. Think of buying any kind of a towel for 2½c.—think of buying a real good one for that.

**49c for Fine Table Linen.**

Just the sort that will make the table look as it ought to—dressed up. The patterns are new and extremely well conceived. The linen is full 72 inches in width, and would be cheap at 75c.; here at ..... 49c

**1 7-8c for Plaid Dress Goods.**

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