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Tuesday, \$190,300.91; Wednesday, \$149,300.91; Thursday, \$125,000.23; Friday, \$100,257.47; Saturday, \$105,000.01; total, \$994,162.53. The clearings for the corresponding week last year were \$1,052,015.03.

OPENLY DEFIED THE LAW.

It Was Skelly's Last Day and He Didn't Care.

"Gentleman Jack" Skelly's Don Ton is no longer in control of "Gentleman Jack." After repeated and vigorous efforts Mrs. Hand, the owner of the place, succeeded last evening in ousting the gentleman and securing possession of the premises. She proposes to ask court to transfer the license, which was taken out in the name of Frank Hoffer, to J. Flaherty, of the South Side, who is desirous of securing the license.

PROMOTION FOR WINT.

War Department Is Urged to Make Him a Brigadier General of Volunteers—His Career.

Yesterday's Philadelphia Press contained a splendid double column picture of Lieutenant Colonel Theodore J. Wint, of this city, and the following with reference to a movement that is on foot to make him a brigadier general of volunteers: "Lieutenant Colonel Theodore J. Wint, of the Sixth United States cavalry, one of Scranton's best sons, now en route for China in command of his trusty troop, to wage war against the heathen, is being hoisted by countless friends here for promotion as brigadier general of volunteers."

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OPPORTUNITIES FOR CHRISTIAN WORK

SERMON OF REV. H. C. McDERMOTT, OF ONEONTA.

He Spoke in the Elm Park Church Last Night, and Urged the Necessity of a Great Revival of Conscience Throughout the Land, That We May Successfully Grasp the Opportunities That Are Now Before Us—Islands Have Been Given Us as a Sacred Trust.

Rev. H. C. McDermott, D. D., a prominent Methodist clergyman, of Oneonta, N. Y., preached two eloquent sermons yesterday at the Elm Park church. In the evening he told of the wonderful opportunities for Christian work opened up to the people of this country by the acquisition of our island possessions, and urged the necessity of a great revival of conscience throughout the length and breadth of the land, so that the people may successfully grasp these opportunities. He spoke, in part, as follows: "The question is whether or not we are going to meet these opportunities as they should be met. These islands have been placed in our hands as a sacred trust; they have been given us by a divine Providence, and it is our duty to carry Christian civilization to these peoples, and not the shippers of rum, which I am sorry to say, we are now sending there."

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A Happy Mother's Gratitude

[LETTER TO MRS. PINNHAM NO. 25,751]

"DEAR MRS. PINNHAM—I have many, many thanks to give you for what your Vegetable Compound has done for me. After first confinement I was sick for nine years with prolapsus of the womb, had pain in left side, in small of back, a great deal of headache, palpitation of heart and hemorrhoids. I felt so weak and tired that I could not do my work. I became pregnant again and took your Compound all through, and now have a sweet baby girl. I never before had such an easy time during labor, and I feel it was due to Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound. I am now able to do my work and feel better than I have for years. I cannot thank you enough."—Mrs. Ed. ENLINGER, DEVINE, TEX.

Wonderfully Strengthened.

"I have been taking Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound, Blood Purifier and Liver Pills and feel wonderfully strengthened. Before using your remedies I was in a terrible state; felt like fainting every little while. I thought I must surely die. But now, thanks to your remedies, those feelings are all gone."—Mrs. EMILIE SCHNEIDER, 1344 HELEN AVE., DETROIT MICH.

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BRIEF MENTION OF MEN OF THE HOUR

PROJECTOR OF THE NORTH SCRANTON BANK IDEA.

Major J. B. Fish Is Now Devoting Some of His Energy to the Task of Giving the City Another Banking Institution—Thomas R. Brooks, the Patron of Base Ball. Dr. W. A. Paine, Who Is Acting as Deputy Coroner During the Absence of Dr. J. J. Roberts.

Major J. B. Fish, who is now devoting some of his marvelous energy to an effort to give North Scranton a bank, is a man who could write a highly interesting volume of personal reminiscences. The major served with distinction during the civil war and for years was connected with the Thirtieth regiment, being captain of Company H and later one of the majors of the regiment. Before the major came here he lived in Pittston and served a term as Burgess of that place. Not a few of his interesting reminiscences would come in under the head of "Burgess of Pittston."

Of recent years the greater part of the major's time has been devoted to the Providence Gas and Water company, of which he is superintendent and through many and severe complaints have been entered against the supply of that particular company in days gone by, it can be said that the major did much to improve the quality of the water, and that the matters that induced the complaints were beyond his power to rectify. The movement for a bank, which he started, has met with great success and there is every reason to believe that within a short time North Scranton will have a savings institution that will be on a substantial footing.

Scranton's brief and stormy experience in professional base ball this year served to again bring prominently before the public Thomas R. Brooks, one of the most active stockholders and heartiest supporters of the team and its manager. Mr. Brooks is one of the finest examples of the true sportsman in Scranton. He and his brother, John H. Brooks, have been identified with all the recent teams that have represented this city on the diamond, and have always been two of the mainstays of the manager, Walter Burnham, who steered the local team through the Atlantic League weeks this season, on the eve of his departure from the city, remarked, conversing T. R. Brooks and his brother: "Those two men are good as gold. All through the season they have been giving the team their staunchest support, and whenever things weren't going right I had only to go to them to have matters adjusted."

Mr. Brooks has been always an ardent lover of the national game. During the seasons in which Scranton was not represented by a professional nine, he was prominent in furthering the interests of local amateur leagues, the strong Y. M. C. A. team of a few years ago being one of the organizations of which he was a prominent backer. He himself is also considerable of an athlete, and on the base ball diamond has achieved renown. Personally he is a capital good fellow, and is popular and well-liked among all who enjoy his acquaintance.

Dr. W. A. Paine, who is looking after the office of coroner during the absence of Dr. J. J. Roberts, who is taking a needed rest, is one of the best known and most popular practicing physicians in Lackawanna county. His connection with the poor board has brought him in contact with all classes of people and he is well fitted to discharge the arduous duties of coroner. Dr. Paine was chairman of the First Legislative district committee for many years and is well-known throughout the state as a clever politician. He is also one of the directors of the West Side hospital and has been instrumental in bringing that institution to its present position of excellence in West Scranton.

Three of the prize winners at the National states and recently held at Atlantic City, Philip H. Warren, David Stephens and Benjamin Griffiths, have distinguished themselves in elictodific circles on many occasions, and their work has won favorable recognition abroad as well as at home. Mr. Griffiths is especially clever in Welsh recitations, and is one of the most studious scholars of Welsh literature in this city. He proudly wears his latest prize, a handsome gold medal, and is kept busy exhibiting it to his friends.

SMOKE SALE

Ours is not a common stock, not a lot of trashy goods to be sold at low prices, but comprises goods of all the famous manufacturers of this country and Europe, and when you buy them for less than the cost of inferior wares your saving is still greater.

- Best Triple-plated Tea Knives, per dozen, \$2.00
Quadruple-plated Tea Sets, 4 pieces 9.00
Quadruple-plated Baskets 2.50
Quadruple-plated Ice Pitchers 16.00
Quadruple-plated Berry Dish 2.90
Quadruple-plated Butter Dish 1.75

Carving Sets, no better made, slightly tarnished otherwise good as if you paid full price. All goods guaranteed as represented.

George V. Millar & Co. China Hall. 134 Wyoming Avenue. Walk in and look around.

Neckwear. Straw Hats, One-Half Price. Big Cut in Negligee Shirts. Louis H. Isaac 412 Spruce St. Try Our Special 10-cent Collars.

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