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STATEMENT OF THE THIRD NATIONAL BANK OF SCRANTON.

United States Depository. At the close of business Dec. 13, 1900.

RESOURCES. Loans and Investments \$3,175,478.36

LIABILITIES. Capital \$200,000.00 Surplus 500,000.00 Undivided Profits 57,903.39

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I am placing a few choice securities consisting of 7 per cent. fully guaranteed stocks and 6 per cent. semi-annual interest Gold Bonds, in blocks of \$100, \$500 and \$1,000, accompanied by stock books, affording a rare opportunity for large or small investment.

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WEATHER YESTERDAY. Local data for Feb. 7, 1901. Highest temperature 30 degrees

PERSONAL.

Senator J. C. Vaughan returned home yesterday morning. Sanford Halesy, of the Faurer house, has been called to Newark by the serious illness of her niece, Mrs. Givney.

THE ANNUAL MASQUERADE.

Splendid Affair Conducted by the Liederkranz in Music Hall. The thirty-second annual masquerade ball of the Scranton Liederkranz society was conducted last night in Music Hall, and was, as were the thirty-one previous ones, a great success in every way.

A SOCIAL SESSION.

Scranton Elks Entertained at Their Rooms Last Night. The members of Scranton Lodge of Elks conducted one of its monthly social events, or "quiet times," last night in their rooms on Franklin avenue, and as usual the members had a rollicking time.

CHARGED WITH THEFT.

V. Browning was Arrested at the Fire. V. Browning, who said he is a student at the Keystone academy, at Factoryville, was arrested by Patrolmen Egan and Gortz at about 9 o'clock last night, and a search of the large mackintosh which he wore brought to light various articles which he had picked up in his investigation of Dr. Hill's and Eva Hessel's apartments.

ARGUING FOR ELLMAN.

His Attorneys Endeavoring to Get a New Trial for Him. Before Judge George Purdy there was argument yesterday on the application for a new trial and arrest of judgment in the case of Jacob Ellman, who was convicted Wednesday of subornation of perjury.

SHE WANTS THE STOCK.

Bill in Equity Filed by Emilie A. Schimpff. Emilie A. Schimpff yesterday filed a bill in equity against the Dime Deposit and Discount company and Marjory J. Stone.

THE MAN WITH THE BILL.

It was the busy hour and the car was crowded. The large man who had the car in Herald square made his way with difficulty toward the front of the vehicle and tumbled in his pockets for the change.

HIS HONOR'S JOKE.

Sam Bedford relates a good joke that occurred at Calhoun this week in Judge Owen's court. A case was on trial, and the judge was being worried by a young man who kept moving about in the rear of the court room, hitting chairs and looking under benches.

MISS HOWELL'S SIDE OF CASE

WILL BE PRESENTED TO THE JURORS TODAY.

Closing Evidence on the Part of the Petitioners was Offered Yesterday and Mr. Newcomb Opened the Case for Miss Howell—He Said They Would Prove That She Is of Sound Mind and That Her Brother Is Prompted by Mercenary Motives in the Proceedings.

There was another hearing yesterday in the proceedings brought by Franklin Howell with a view to having his sister, Miss Jennie Howell declared insane. Miss Howell was present, and beside her sat E. B. Dean, the man she proposes to marry.

TO CALL SPECIALISTS.

They would show by some of the most eminent specialists in the country, he said, that Miss Howell is not insane and that they would also show that Franklin Howell's interest in bringing the proceedings was entirely mercenary.

WILL NOT BE PUNISHED.

CASE AGAINST MRS. AMES NOT PROSECUTED.

Her Husband Had No Desire to Prosecute Her—Mrs. Knapp Much Disappointed at the Outcome. Mrs. Anna E. Ames will not be punished by the law for her participation in the sensational case of the St. Charles hotel in this city, for which Dr. Knapp, of Forest City, is now serving a six months' term of imprisonment in the county jail.

DOWLING'S STORY.

Thomas Dowling was then called. He was formerly employed by Miss Howell as chore boy, and was given work about the barn to do. He was discharged from her employ Jan. 19 last. He testified that he had driven out about two or three times a day. Often times she would talk incoherently to herself. Other times she would have him drive her to a store, and then refuse to enter, but on the return home she would order the driver to again go back to the same store.

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HOWELL SIGNED CHECKS.

The witness said that Franklin Howell signed all the checks for his sister until about a year ago, when they had a disagreement about his failure to invest some of her money as she told him to. She gave him permission to sell some stock she had in the Scranton Savings bank with the understanding that it was to be invested in government bonds.

A Woman in the Case

Is generally required to prepare our delicious sifted Olney peas for the table. Four out liquor from can, rinse contents in cold water, place peas in heater, add lump of butter, small quantity of salt and pepper and teaspoon of flour, (sprinkled in) add cup of cold water. When thoroughly heated serve. Price 10c; \$1.75 per dozen. 50 cents only to sell at this price.

E. G. Coursen 429 LACKAWANNA AVENUE.

SECOND NIGHT OF THE FETE

EVEN MORE SUCCESSFUL THAN THE FIRST.

Afternoon Performance of the Children of the Pied Piper of Hamelin Is Far and Away the Best Entertainment by Little Folks Ever Given in This City—Names of the Young Folks Who Participate in This Feature of the Great Spectacle—Will Be Repeated Today.

While the evening performance in the Home for the Friendless benefited to a surprising degree, the matinee in which the children appear seem destined to be the most popular. Notwithstanding the excitement occasioned by yesterday's fire, the house was crowded for the first performance of the Pied Piper of Hamelin and the little people simply captivated everybody. Their costumes were charming and their dances were exceedingly well done.

CHARGED WITH PERJURY.

Andrew Gordon Held Under \$1,000 on That Charge. Andrew Gordon, of Summit avenue, was arrested and arraigned before Alderman Millar yesterday on the charge of perjury, preferred by Simon Narthusus, also of Summit avenue. Gordon was committed to the county jail in default of \$1,000 bail.

DIED FROM EXPOSURE.

Olympian Man Found Lying Unconscious in the Street. William Slobosky, a resident of Olympian, was found early yesterday morning in an unconscious condition, lying in the street near his home, by several men on their way to work. The men at first thought that Slobosky was dead, but soon discovered that he was breathing, and carried him into a house near by, and summoned a physician.

DRESSED IN GRAY.

The "Rats" who are dressed as huge gray creatures are as funny as possible in their antics. It was a universal sentiment that everybody present wanted to go again today to see the beautifully presented performance. There are still tickets to be had for the matinee.

THEY BROKE THE QUORUM.

Republican Selectmen Suddenly Went Out Into the Hall. The Republican members of the select council suddenly fled out into the hall last night, just as the roll was being called for the joint meeting of councils to fill the vacancies on the board of recreation.

SUIT AGAINST LAND COMPANY.

The Penn Trust company, of Philadelphia, yesterday began an action to recover \$12,000 from the Speedway Land and Improvement company, B. N. Lark and B. A. Hill, trustees, terra tenants. It is alleged that the land company has defaulted on certain payments it was to make in accordance with its agreement with the trust company, and that, therefore, the entire amount of the obligation has become due.

SAYS HIS WIFE IS UNFAITHFUL.

Salvan Phillips Asks Court for a Divorce. Salvan Phillips yesterday began proceedings to secure a divorce from his wife, Olympia Phillips, to whom he was married March 23, 1899. They lived together until June 29, 1900.

OFFICES FOR RENT.

A fine suite of offices, well adapted for use of physician or dentist, can be secured in Guernsey Hall. Please call and get terms, etc. J. W. Guernsey, Proprietor.

"ON THE SQUARE" 803 Washington Ave.

It's Annoying

To some folks to hear of the success of others. Our success comes from the fact to go the best one better in our daily efforts. For example, our

KING WILLIAM SCOTCH CASEY BROTHERS, Wholesale Liquor Dealers, 216 Lackawanna Ave.

Spring Hats

It is early to talk of spring hats but our stock of winter styles was nearly gone and we were obliged to have our spring orders rushed.

WILSON SPRING 1901 The First Arrivals Are here and you can be a leader of fashion. CONRAD, 305 LACKAWANNA AVENUE.

F. L. CRANE

Farrier. Established 1866. Slaughter Prices for February

One lot of Ladies' Suits in all colors, reduced to \$4.95

LADIES' JACKETS. \$4.00 ones for \$2.00

Matthews Brothers will open an office this morning in the Hunt building, corner Washington and Lackawanna avenues, for the transaction of business.

Piano for Sale. This piano has been left on sale and must be sold, regardless of price.

Diamonds!

Still harping on our old subject, but we won't stop till we know you are assured that we handle the purest, nicest made, and most brilliant GEMS handled in the country, and listen, 25 per cent less than you can buy them anywhere else. Visit us and we'll prove it.

E. SCHIMPF, 317 Lackawanna Ave.

A Trade Sale Bargain.

Linoleum

We have decided to continue the Linoleum Sale that we held on Monday—more pieces have been added—larger ones. Why buy oil cloth when we sell this best of all floor coverings for so little money?

25 Pounds of the Finest Quality of Buckwheat Flour, 55c

39c and 44c Per Yard.

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