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Ice Cream. BEST IN TOWN. 25c Per Quart. LACKAWANNA DAIRY CO. 127-137 Adams Avenue.

CITY NOTES. ENTERED BALL.—John Gillespie yesterday entered ball in the sum of \$800. MAY GILLESPIE became his surety.

THE AT WORK.—Workmen are engaged in making preparations for the construction of the large bridge on which the tracks of the Lackawanna and Wyoming Valley Rapid Transit company will cross the Delaware and Hudson and Lehigh Valley railroad tracks near Avoca.

IT ATTRACTED ATTENTION.—The current number of the Insurance World devotes considerable space to a report of a banquet of the North-eastern Pennsylvania agency of the Mutual Life of New York, recently given in the Jersey in this city.

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able to sing, but in case of his disability his teacher, Francis Fisher Powers, the most prominent baritone singer and teacher of America, has very kindly consented at great personal inconvenience to fill his place. SCRANTON CHORAL UNION.—On next Tuesday evening this organization will give its third annual concert at the Hickory Street Presbyterian church, South Side.

ORDINANCE IS ILLEGAL. City Solicitor Watson Declares Measure Providing for Providence Road Pave to Be Worthless.

City Solicitor Watson, in an opinion sent into select council on Tuesday night, but not read on account of the early adjournment taken, declared the ordinance providing for the paving of Providence road to be illegal. "The point on which he decides it to be invalid is one which has not been previously raised: It is that the ordinance conflicts with the original resolution passed by both councils and published in the daily papers for sixty days before the introduction of the ordinance, as required by law.

ROSEVILLE TEAM COMING. New Jersey Bowlers Will Appear at Green Ridge Alleys.

A treat is promised in the bowling line for a week from Saturday night, when the Roseville Athletic association's team of splendid bowlers will appear at the alleys of the Green Ridge Wheelmen's club. This will be the second appearance in the city this season of the crack New Jersey team, who it will be remembered played a picked team at the Elk alleys, early in the season.

Cheap Rates to California. Parties desiring to make trip to California, Arizona or New Mexico, either for business or pleasure, can do so now at almost half price. Every Tuesday, until April 30th, inclusive, tickets marked "Colonist" may be purchased via Southern Railway for \$44.00 from Washington, \$46.50 from Philadelphia, and correspondingly low prices from other points.

Rates to Pan-American Exposition. The Lehigh Valley railroad announces the following rates from SCRANTON to the Pan-American exposition at Buffalo: Tickets with five days' limit, (including day of sale), good in day coaches only, will be sold on TUESDAYS and SATURDAYS from May 1 to October 31, for \$6.00 for the round trip.

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STRIKE IS AT AN END; MEN RETURN TO WORK

Switchmen Employed by D., L. & W. Company in This City Are Again Performing Their Accustomed Duties

The strike of the Lackawanna yard men, which began Tuesday at noon, came to an end at 2:30 o'clock yesterday afternoon. The strikers went into session in Carpenters' hall yesterday morning, with Grand Master Frank T. Hawley of Buffalo, presiding, and, after deliberating for six hours, decided to return to work. Many of the men went direct from the meeting to the yard, without waiting to change their clothes, and started in to relieve the congested switches.

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