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Cut Out. Wash day this week and try Lackawanna Laundry. 295-310 Penn Avenue. A. B. Warman.

UNION LABEL. MORE CONTRIBUTIONS. They Were Received by Home for the Friendless Yesterday.

THE HIGH SCHOOL COURSE. Diagram Will Open This Morning at High School Auditorium. TENDERED A SURPRISE PARTY. Gathering at the Home of Mr. and Mrs. Bachofen.

FUNERAL OF M. D. FLAHERTY. It Will Be Attended by a Special Committee from the C. L. U. At a special meeting of the Central Labor union, held last night in Carpenters' hall, a special committee of nine delegates was appointed to attend the funeral of M. D. Flaherty...

SWINDLER ARRESTED. John McMahon Has Been Victimizing Wilkes-Barre Women. The local police Thursday succeeded in capturing John McMahon, alias John Stewart, the clever gentleman who has been swindling a number of Wilkes-Barre ladies within the last few weeks...

PICTURED TRUTH SERMONS. Sunday Evening Sermons on the "Life of Christ," Illustrated by Tissot's Great Paintings. Next Sunday evening at the Penn Avenue Baptist church, the pastor will give the first of a series of sermons on the "Life of Christ."

FINNEGAN UNDER ARREST. Assaulted Patrolman Jones During Trouble on South Side. Daniel Finnegan, accused of taking away Patrolman Thomas Jones' revolver and club in the small riot attendant upon the arrest of James Murray in South Scranton, on Tuesday, was arrested Thursday morning...

UNCLE SAM'S WORK POPULAR. Eighty-eight Registered for Next Civil Service Examination. Eighty-eight applicants for clerk or courier positions have registered for the civil service examination to be conducted November 20. This is the largest number ever registered for a civil service examination in this city...

B. I. A. NOTES. The election held the last of September resulted in the choice of Frank McAndrew, of the South Side, for president of the club, and Charles Scamano, of Penn avenue, for vice president...

To Dress Well. You cannot afford to overlook the finish of your shoes given to a lady or gentleman's appearance. When He Proposed. To get a private teacher for me, I said: "Send me to the CONSUMERS' UNION, where the system used gives one a large grasp on music, and the latest methods." This was a wise girl. There are scores of them here. J. Alfred Pennington, Director.

TO HAVE ITS OFFICE HERE

SALT COMBINE TO BE A SCRANTON INSTITUTION. Merging of the National Evaporated Salt Company and the Retsof Rock Salt Company Is Practically Assured, and the Likelihood Is That E. L. Fuller Will Be President of the Combination—Result of the Meeting of the Directors of the Retsof Company.

SOME ARE TO RETURN. Company Claims Several Former Employees Now on Strike Will Be Put to Work Today. According to statements coming from the offices of the Scranton Railway company there will be something of a sensational nature develop in the strike in the course of a day or two.

WELDY APOLOGIZES. Letter Carrier Expresses His Sorrow at Having Used Insulting Language to Mrs. Peter Ean. The local postoffice authorities yesterday authorized the publication of a statement signed by Barton E. Weldy, the letter carrier accused of having used insulting language to Mrs. Peter Ean, of Vine street, because her husband had ridden on the street cars during the strike, in which he (Weldy) apologized for his offense. The statement follows:

SCRANTON, Pa., Oct. 25, 1901. To the Public: I desire to state that in view of the open and fair apology so kindly and graciously given by Mrs. Peter E. Weldy, I am fully satisfied that he intended no wrong, and I regret exceedingly that the incident happened.

For Tired Feet. There is absolute rest in a pair of our shoe slippers. Mahon's Shoe store, 328 Lackawanna avenue. COFFEE. Coursen's Special Java and Mocha, 25c; 5 lbs \$1.00. Is the most popular coffee in the city. We will sell this week at 15c per lb. Not over 2 lbs in any one order. You can compare it with your 35c Java and Mocha. E. G. Coursen.

FUNERAL OF E. C. BROWNING.

Large Attendance at Penn Avenue Baptist Church. The funeral of the late Ezra C. Browning was held yesterday afternoon at 2 o'clock from the Penn Avenue Baptist church and was attended by several hundred persons, including members of a number of the organizations with which the dead man was affiliated in life.

THEY BUILT A FIRE. In fact, so cold was it, that some of the members of the party lit a fire and stood around it shivering while the Rev. Mr. Hammond took soundings to ascertain the depth of the pool and waited patiently for the converts to arrive. He waited for over half an hour and had about decided with the crowd that their nerves had gone back on them at the eleventh hour, when Mr. Saum put in an appearance over the crest of the hill, accompanied by several local members of the Christian Catholic church.

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RECORDED CONNELL DIDN'T RECEIVE IT UNTIL YESTERDAY. It will surprise many to know that the license tax ordinance recently passed by council did not reach Recorder Connell until yesterday afternoon at 4 o'clock and that the time allowed him by law for its consideration dates from yesterday and not from the day on which it was passed.

STRIKERS, NOTICE! You may get hurt or killed if you ride in street cars, while they are manned by strike-breakers, importers, etc., but you will be safe and sure if you get a box of Dr. Trager's roach powder. It kills all the cockroaches and water bugs in your buildings. Non-poisonous, no dirt, no smell. For killing bed bugs, moths, lice, fleas, etc., use Dr. Trager's dead shot. Don't let your dealer palm you off with some worthless stuff. Be sure to get Trager's contracts, made for clearance of houses and rooms of insects, at low prices. Price 25 cents, either kind. H. F. Trager & Sons, corner Price and Main streets, Scranton, Pa.

BAPTIZED IN THE BROOK

CHILLY EXPERIENCE OF HENRY SAAM. He Is a Convert to the Christian Catholic Church, the Institution of Which John Alexander Dowie Is the Head—Baptizing Was Done in the Roaring Brook by Rev. Gideon Hammond, Who Is the Philadelphia Representative of Dowie—A Large Number of Spectators.

There is a pool of water about four feet deep at this point, surrounded by high, overhanging rocks and forming an ideal place for out-of-door immersion, providing, of course, the weather was warm. Yesterday was certainly not warm. A cold breeze was blowing in the afternoon when a number of persons began to assemble to witness the ceremony.

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HAMMOND PRAYED. This over the Rev. Mr. Hammond started the baptismal ceremony. He raised his head to heaven and uttered a fervent prayer, calling down the Divine blessing on the assembled crowd and on the man whom he was about to baptize. Then with a final exhortation, he ducked the resisting Mr. Saum completely under the water.

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S. H. TWINING OPTICIAN 131 Penn Ave.

WHO KNOWS G. W. PETERS? Treasury Department Wants Information About an Old Soldier. Postmaster Ripple yesterday received a letter from the treasury department asking for information regarding the whereabouts of George W. Peters, of this city, who in 1866 presented a claim for pay as a member of Company K, 76th New York cavalry, the names of Andrew Smith and John Reeder appearing on the claim as indorsees.

SCRANTON BUSINESS COLLEGE. Three hundred and thirty-two names now on the rolls and new students enrolling weekly. Miss Margaret Doyle is stenographer for the Republican club. Miss Ada Palmer is doing stenographic work for Attorney Reynolds.

GREATLY REDUCED EXCURSION RATES TO BUFFALO. On October 31, 18, 25 and 30 ticket agents of the Lackawanna Railroad will sell two-day coach excursion tickets to Buffalo good going on any regular train date of sale and for return on any regular train the following day. The round trip rate from Scranton will be \$4.00, which is the lowest fare ever made to Buffalo, affording a splendid opportunity to visit the Pan-American Exposition at a nominal cost.

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Handkerchiefs Two Hundred (200) Dozen. Unlaundered, hand embroidered and hem-stitched Pure Linen. Made especially for us, will be sold this week at the astonishingly low price of 15 cents each—2 for 25 cents or \$1.50 per dozen. Each Handkerchief bears the Cramer-Wells Co. stamp—a positive guarantee of superior excellence. Bargain seekers take notice, this is your opportunity, and the result of our shrewd cash buying. Cramer-Wells Co., 130 Wyoming Ave. Phone 353-3.

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