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A light transparent wax which polishes easily—does not flake in cold nor become sticky in warm rooms—does not show scratches nor heel marks.

One pound will cover a floor 15x20 feet. Price 50c per pound.

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The United States today sells about \$100,000 worth of lumber.

Lumber Co. stock is \$100,000.

If you want to sell International Text Book & Co. stock it sells for about \$125.

Comegys & Co. offer 500,000 lbs. of steel.

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You can get more than \$300 for your Clark & Shover company stock.

Mr. Frank M. Vandling is the best posted man on bank stock values in this city.

In November, 1898, the County Bank and Trust Co. stock sold for \$200.

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Two and Five shares. Apply at once to COMEGYS & CO., Dime Bank Building.

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Juvenile Dresses

Never more attractive than this spring for little girls from 6 months to 2 years. We have not forgotten the little misses of 4, 6 and 8—for her we have the wavy blousons in beautiful colors, Pique, Sailor and Gibson dresses in Serge, and a most attractive line of SPRING COATS.

THE BABY BAZAAR
118 Washington Avenue.**Stops Linen Breaking**

Our method of ironing collars and cuffs by steam heated machines makes the linen pliable so it does not break or crack. Phone or postal.

ACK TUNNA
308-319 Penn Avenue.**PERSONAL.**

Attorney Paul R. Weitzel, of Philadelphia, is in the city.

Mrs. George Beane, of New York, is visiting West Scranton friends.

Mrs. George Keith, of Tenth street, is visiting friends in Wyoming county.

Miss Laura Van Vliet, of Washburn street, is the guest of relatives in Elmira.

Mrs. Henry Jacobs, of Lafayette street, is spending a few days at Mt. Pocono.

Mrs. David Harris and son, of Jackson street, have returned home from a visit at Danville.

Miss Clara Jones, of Lafayette street, is en her way to Butte City, Mont., where she will reside.

Mrs. Jennie Anwyl, of Wilkes-Barre, is the guest of Mrs. W. G. Daniels, of 228 South Main avenue.

Miss Edith Fowler, of South Hyde Park avenue, has returned home from a visit with friends in Eddy.

Mrs. J. Roberts, of South Main avenue, is in Middle Granville, N. Y., attending her mother, who is ill.

James F. Smith, of Minneapolis, has returned home after visiting his sister, Mrs. Michael Fadden, of Jackson street.

Mrs. Reba, Jessie of the Lyceum Theater, and Academy of Music, was in the city yesterday on her way to Wilkes-Barre.

Mrs. John D. Sherer, of Madison avenue, is seriously ill of pneumonia and was fever last night that fatal result would ensue.

Miss Anna Davis, former employee in the Globe Millinery, has accepted a position with Miss Ackerson, the Wyoming avenue milliner.

John Smeal, representing "The Volunteer Organist" company, which will be seen at the Lyceum on Friday and Saturday of next week, was in the city yesterday.

A number of friends were entertained by Arthur Tucker, of 1019 Taylor avenue, Tuesday night. Present were: Misses Helen Stumpf, Amelia Wolf, Katherine Stripp, Mrs. Charles Miller, Mrs. George C. Williams, Marie Miller, Mrs. Arthur G. Van Houten, Louis Dittenauer, Arthur Tucker, William Bentz, Arthur O'Brien, Charles Haberland, George Saar, Fred Tucker, Edward Bunker.

Drink "COFO" and you will not have dyspepsia.

In Guernsey Hall

tonight there will be a piano recital by students from the CONSERVATORY.

There will be class and solo numbers on the program and an exhibition of the results of the Faeton Fundamental Training.

J. ALFRED PENNINGTON, Director.

COMMITTEES ARE ACTIVE.
R. Y. M. C. A. Building.

The building committee and the sub-committees of the Railroad Department of the Young Men's Christian association are very active these days in a canvas for funds for the new building. The response both from the railroad men and outside friends has been very gratifying. Of the \$30,000 required to complete the canvas successfully, \$20,000 is now assured. When \$5,000 more has been raised the company subscription becomes binding. Every effort is being put forth to secure this amount by Saturday night. Friends who have been seen and are expecting to respond will confer a great favor by advising the building committee before that time as to the extent of their support.

Among the railroad men the locomotive engineers and engine drivers are present, but are shown in a slight start over the others in the matter of organization. It is expected that a much better proportionate showing will be made by the others within the next week. The canvas is now fully organized and is progressing satisfactorily in nearly all the departments. It looks as though the long contemplated building for the railroad men would be a reality in the very near future. A public meeting of the building committee and the sub-committees will be held Saturday afternoon at 5 o'clock in the Railroad Young Men's Christian association hall, to which all interested are invited. Full reports of committees will be received.

ROBATHAN SELECTED.

Fifteen Republican Commoners Want Him for Chairman—Gillespie Got Clerkship Nomination.

Fifteen of the twenty-one Republican members of common council convened in caucus last night in city hall and selected E. E. Robathan and John B. Gillespie as candidates for chairman and clerk respectively. Mr. Robathan's nomination was unanimous, but there was a lively little fight for the clerkship nomination.

The fifteen members who were present at last night's caucus were as follows: John J. Evans, Thomas W. Thomas, John Henry, J. B. Castnerling, T. J. Snowdon, Daniel Evans, W. W. Evans, E. W. Seating, E. E. Robathan, John Jones, A. L. Lewis, William Knoenfel, William Lewis, Theodore Fuller and Matthias Stipp.

Those who did not attend were Luther Keller, H. E. Paine, O. B. Partridge, Alfred Harvey and E. W. Evans. The first four members absented themselves purposely, while sickness was given as the reason for the failure of the last to appear.

A. L. Lewis was unanimously chosen as permanent chairman of the caucus. Mr. Robathan's name was placed before the gathering by Mr. Castnerling, and he was unanimously chosen as the candidate of the fifteen members present.

John B. Gillespie, of North Scranton, was nominated for chairman by John J. Evans, while the name of James McGinnis was put forward by Theodore Fuller, the new member from the Sixteenth ward. Mr. Stipp nominated assistant City Clerk Evan R. Morris, stating that it was useless to nominate anyone else, because of the decided stand in favor of Mr. Morris' election taken by several of the members not present at the caucus.

It had been practically agreed upon at first to insist that no candidate be declared nominated unless he secured eleven votes, or a majority of all the Republicans in council. When it was discovered that no candidate could secure eleven votes, it was decided to declare the man securing the votes of a majority of the members present, the candidate, thus practically insisting that the absent members abide by the decision of the meeting.

The first ballot resulted as follows: Gillespie, 7; McGinnis, 6; Morris, 2; Chairman Lewis declared that Morris could not be voted for on the second ballot. This resulted in the selection of Gillespie, by the following vote: Gillespie, 16; McGinnis, 1.

The Republicans will have a majority of four on the morning of reorganization, there being twenty-one Republicans and seventeen Democrats. The four members who remained away from last night's caucus, accordingly, hold the balance of power and control the situation. Just what they will do remains to be seen.

The principal objection raised by the members who remained away from last night's caucus is that they were not consulted about the selection of a candidate, or the fixing of a date for the caucus. They allege that a majority of the Republican members held a preliminary caucus and selected a candidate, and that they would have been powerless to prevent this candidate's nomination even if they had been present. They further allege that the caucus was called by one man, instead of by a committee, as is the usual custom.

SUPERINTENDENTS' ELECTION.

City and County Heads of Schools to Be Chosen the Same Day.

City and county superintendents of schools are to be elected on the same date this year.

The county superintendent is to be elected in the afternoon and the city superintendent at night. The present incumbents, George Howell and J. C. Taylor, are likely to be candidates for re-election, although it is possible Mr. Taylor may look for the city superintendency, as he is being urged to do many.

U. D. Davis, of Dunmore, and Professor Lloyd, of Dickson City, are mentioned as candidates for the county superintendency.

Opportunities.

There are no lack of opportunities open for young people who have the education. The proprietors of the Lackawanna Business college have had applications for 6 young people for office work. All good positions. We could have placed seven young people in first rate positions this week. The Lackawanna Business College is headed-quarters for competent office help.

It Cures Dyspepsia.

My wife has been troubled with indigestion for a number of years. After using "COFO" about two weeks she began to feel better. She attributes her improved health to the continued use of "COFO" and would recommend it to all sufferers from indigestion.

—FRANK CORNELL, Scranton, Pa.

Miss Susan Morris announces her Spring Millinery Opening of Fine Patterns Hat, Friday and Saturday, at 123 Wyoming avenue.

J. ALFRED PENNINGTON, Director.

DRAWINGS TO BE EXHIBITED

MANY CELEBRATED PICTURES TO BE SHOWN.

Associated Illustrators of America to Give the Initial Exhibition of Their Work at the Scranton Club. Event Will Be Opened Tonight with a Reception, at Which Several Prominent Artists Will Be Present—About 130 Original Drawings Are to Be Exhibited.

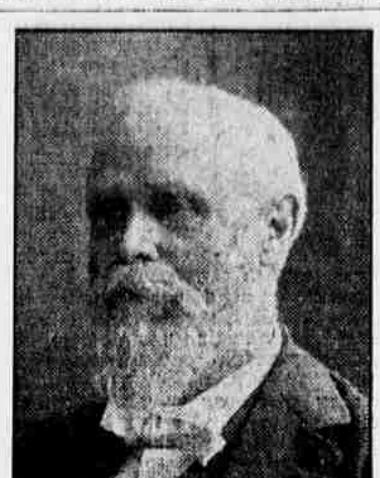
"Keep to the Right"

With eyes open. You must know what these words signify. Think!

HAS RETURNED TO SCRANTON.

Attorney David C. Harrington Again A Resident of This City.

Attorney David C. Harrington, general counsel for the International Text Book company, after an absence of forty years, has returned to this city, and is now established in a suit of offices in the Connell building where,



ATTORNEY DAVID C. HARRINGTON.

with more than half a dozen assistants, he looks after the legal end of the business of the big school.

When Mr. Harrington was a boy his father moved from Catskill, N. Y., to this city and located at Providence. That was in 1849. Two years later Mr. Harrington moved his family to this city and built the third house erected in the city after the Lackawanna Iron and Coal company began the sale of lots. He engaged in the furniture business and in this had the assistance of his son, who devoted his leisure time to the study of law, being admitted to practice at Wilkes-Barre, May 7, 1869. Two years later he moved to Wilkes-Barre, where he continued in the active practice of the law until December, 1870, when he went to Philadelphia, where he has ever since been a prominent member of the Quaker City bar. The great growth of the International Text Book company made it desirable to have the general counsel in this city, and Mr. Harrington has returned to the scene of his youth.

Mr. Harrington has been a visitor to this city at intervals ever since he went to Philadelphia, but nevertheless has greatly surprised since he returned here at the invitation that has been brought in Scranton and its surroundings. Only two members of the present Lackawanna bar were admitted to the Luzerne bar prior to Mr. Harrington. They are ex-Judge E. N. Miller and Edward Merrifield.

Mr. Harrington is the father-in-law of Recorder W. L. Connell and Madison F. Larkin, of the International Text Book company.

FUNERAL OF JOHN T. NALLIN.

Attended by Knights of Columbus and Commercial Travelers.

The funeral of the late John T. Nallin took place yesterday morning from the home, 519 Hickory street. A high mass of requiem was celebrated at St. Peter's cathedral by Rev. D. J. Justin, with Rev. John J. Griffin and Rev. J. V. Moyle in the sanctuary. The Knights of Columbus and the Commercial Travelers' association attended.

The pallbearers were John A. Nallin, John F. Nallin, James Scott, William D. Roche, Michael H. Higgins and William B. Duggan. Interment was made in the Cathedral cemetery.

ANOTHER TELEGRAM.

Scranton Business College.

The following telegram was received by the Scranton Business College on Wednesday:

"Buffalo, N. Y., March 19, 1902.
Prof. H. D. Buck: Can you furnish me at once with a first-class Smith Premier stenographer and typewriter?"

Any such described individual who is unemployed, if there are any, should report to Messrs. Buck & Whitmore at office.

This will probably rob Scranton of one of the most select and exclusive line of pictures that have been familiar with the members of the club.

Every picture exhibited is the property of the artist. The Associated Illustrators has as one of its main purposes the securing of the return of the originals to the makers. That the members may be the more encouraged to work to this end, it is one of the rules of the society that none but pictures owned by the artists shall be hung in any of the exhibitions.

This will be done by the proprietors of the club's house committee, in charge of the exhibition, in communication with President Hadley on the matter.

The catalogue to be distributed at the exhibition is a very artistic publication.

It contains reproductions of some of the pictures and is embellished with characteristic marginal sketches by various of the artists.

Beautiful Millinery Display.

The most select and exclusive line of ladies' trimmed ready-to-wear hats ever seen in Scranton was exhibited at the Hotel Jermyn on Tuesday and Wednesday by Miss LeVay.

The display included the latest from the best Fifth avenue, New York, shops, and also an exquisite line of imported French and German Hats.

On April 1st, Miss LeVay will again visit Scranton, when she will also show a complete line of Tailor-Made Hats.

Dress Goods Clerks Wanted.

Wanted—Experienced retail clerks for dress goods and domestics. Must have good references. Address, X. P. Q., Tribune office.

Offices for Rent.

FOR RENT—a few desirable offices, both single and en suite, in the new addition to the Connell Building.

Spring Millinery Opening.

The ladies of Scranton and vicinity are cordially invited to visit our store on our opening days, today, tomorrow, and Saturday, and inspect the newest and most fashionable in Spring Millinery.

Dougherty & Thomas,
128 Wyoming avenue.**There Are Others, BUT**

Some one remarked the other day,

As the bread was passed on the silver tray,

It looked so light and snowy white

That it certainly must be the cook's heart delight.

Oh, yes, I've had it; but it's always so—

Well, you know, to Court-saint's we go.

And order the Gem, it's always the same,

The very best reason for its renowned fame.

Courses' Gem Flour, \$4.75 per bbl., \$1.25 per sack.**E. G. Coursen.**

Sole Distributor.

"Keep to the Right"

With eyes open. Your invitation may come tomorrow—maybe not.

SCRANTON UMBRELLA MANUFACTURING COMPANY

Fine Umbrellas and Parasols at Wholesale and Retail. Our Spring Line is now complete embracing all the New Colors and Patterns. Large Stock of Handles to select from. Repairing and recovering of every description.

M. SILVERMAN, Prop.,
218 Spruce Street.**ARLINGTONS WON THREE**

DEFEATED THE LIEDERKRANZ TEAM LAST NIGHT.

This Practically Cinches the City Bowling League Championship for Meister's Men—South Siders Got a Hustle On and Took Two from the Centrals—Hamps Took Two from Franklinians and Are Now in Second Place—Wilkes-Barre and Green Rid