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and About The City

An Automobile Run. Scranton Automobile club will cor club run this afternoon, leaving & Brooks' store at 2.30 o'clock, wenty-five carriages and cars will

onnie Evans yesterday brought ion in divorce against her hus-Caradoc Evans. The couple were d on August 1, 1897, and separated action in divorce

ober 15 of the same year. Mrs alleges cruel and barbarous treat

nent and indignity to her person as rounds for her action.

Bessie Ray, the colored woman, who

was arrested in this city on the charge of larceny, was taken to Wilkes-Barre yesterday, to answer the charge of stealing a sum of money from a house

Scranton vs. Carbondale. The Carbondale Indians and an All-Scranton foot ball team will meet at Athletic park on Wednesday afternoon, Nov. 5. Both teams are considered very Nov. 5. Both teams are considered ver, formidable, and a lively contest is antici pated. The game will be called at 3

Socialist Labor Party. John Burschell, J. H. Dreher, Henry dns yesterday filed an affidavit with the prothonotary, claiming for themselves, is members of the Socialist Labor party.

he right to use that title in the county elections in 1903. EVIDENCE ALL IN

Arguments in Thornton Insurance Case and Charge to the Jury Will Be Made Wednesday.

All the evidence in the Thornton inthe attention of the United States court for the past wek was in yester- ation that the compositions submitted day afternoon at adjournment. The lawyers on both sides will sum up and Judge Archbald will deliver his charge to the jury next Wednesday. Adjournnent was taken until that time in order to give the jurymen an opportunity to return to their homes and vote on election day.

The defense called Frank Puckley, Vilkes-Barre book dealer, to the stand resterday morning to testify as to the alue of the books of the plaintiff. Mr. Puckley had examined the books before insurance was placed on them and he testified that their value was about \$1,000. The damage done to them by the fire was about \$600, he said Thornton claims their value to have een about \$3,000.

H. P. Geddes, assistant manager of Isaac Long's store, testified as to the value of the ladies' wearing apparel burned in the fire and gave figures considerably below those named by Thornton, Mrs. Lyman Agnew, an acquaintance of the Thornton's, testified as to the value of certain of the furnishings in the Thornton home. The plaintiff's called a number of

witnesses in rebuttal. Among these were Frank Golden, who was formerly i newspaper reporter in Wilkes-Barre. He testified to having visited the Thornton home at Kingston on the night of the fire just after they had moved in. He remained in the house for some time and came back to Wilkes-Barre with both Mr. and Mrs. Thornton separating from them at the public square. They went on toward their former home, he said, after announcing their intention of remaining there over night. He couldn't rememper whether or not the gas was put out before they left the Kingston house Mrs. Andrews, who moved out of the ouse in Kingston into which the Thornton's moved, testified that she at heir request had lighted a fire in the furnace on the morning of the day on which their furniture was moved in. She went away about noon leav

ing this fire lit, she said. Mr. Thornton was called and denied Mr. Thornton was called and denied certain statements which had been made regarding certain furniture which has west allowed to have turned over made regarding certain furniture which e was alleged to have turned over o his mother-in-law, Mrs. Campbell The latter corroborated his testimony

Scranton People Interested in a Big Oil Company.

The Cleveland Scranton Oil company. which is now organizing, has already met with wonderful success. They have purchased 513 acres of the best oil grounds in Hancock county, Ohio, and have twenty-seven producing wells with a production of 250 barrels daily. with opportunities of placing seventy five more wells. One new well, which was shot last Monday, is producing 150 barrels daily. This property is all proven oil territory. The Standard Oil company has all the necessary pipes to pump the oil to their main pipe line. The company has been successful in securing Mr. Charles H. Marr to take the position of field superintendent. Mr. Marr is one of the veteran oil men in the business, having been a producer and refiner all his life. To Mr. Marr belongs the credit of having opened up the Colorado oil field, particularly at Florence, Col., where he brought to the front the oil production and refining of he Rocky Mountain Oil company, beoming so active a competitor of the Standard Oil company that it was inuced to purchase the stock of the Rocky Mountain Oil company at a large profit to its stockholders. Mr. Marr was also associated with the Backus Oil company, of Cleveland, during the early days of the oil business, and later on was associated with Clark Bros. & Co. mother one of the early and successful oll companies. During the last ten ears he has been associated with sevral prominent companies, notably the Columbia Refinery company, of New York, and the Wilson-Clark Co., of leveland, Ohio.

The company will be organized under the laws of New Jersey, and will have a capitalization of \$500,000,000, with 5,000 shares of stock, par value \$100 per share. Twenty new wells will be drilled at once on the properties and these will undoubtedly bring up the daily settled production to at least 400 barrels. With ts present production as it is today, company will be in a position to pay 12 per cent, on its capital stock. A limited number of shares of the comcany are being sold at the present time at \$50 per share. This stock on the present basis would not the holders 24 er cent, per annum. With the additional wells to be put down, no limit can be placed as to the company's arnings and ability to pay dividends. The following gives a list of the few f the more prominent stockholders of the company: Messrs, Elmer H. Lawall, D. M. Reynolds, John Reynolds, H. C. Robinson, E. J. Lewis and M. J. Fawst, of Scranton, Pa., and Walter S. Bowler, James H. Clark, jr., A. G. Clark, Harry A. Manchester, James A.

Harry Jones, of Cleveland, O., and Dr. Casselberry, of Hazleton, Pa. New Eye Glass Frame.

Manchester, Frank M. Kirk, Charles

H. Wellman, William B. White and

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LOCAL MUSICIAN'S STANDING IN PRIZE CONTEST.

Entered the Competition for a Prize for the Best Musical Composition Setting to Music a German Poem and the Adjudicators Decide That His Selection Possesses More Artistic Worth Than Any of the 397 Others Submitted by Musicians in All Parts of the World.

Sometime ago the Saengerfest society of Baltimore, Md., offered a prize for the best musical composition setting to music a poem entitled "Das Deutsche Volkslied." The contest was world-The contest was worldwide in its scope and composers from nearly every country in Continental Europe and from all over the United States entered. The adjudicators selected the music

written by Louis V. Saar as being the best qualified of the 387 compositions offered and awarded him the prize, surance case which has been occupying They also formulated an honorable list of twenty-one others with the explanby the first three on this list far surpass the prize winning composition in artistic worth but lack one requisite namely, a popular style. The first name appearing on this list is that of Theodore Hemberger, of this city, whose abilities as a musician are so well known. Mr. Hemberger can therefore lay claim to having produced the most artistic composition submitted in the

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ing letter: To Mr. I., H. Wieman, President of the Sacngerfest society—
Dear Sir: We, the undersigned, members of the committee of adjudication for the best musical composition to the



PROF. THEODORE HEMBERGER.

noem, "Das Deutsche Volkslied." by Pastor Hildebrandt, of Constableville, N. Y. have, in our last meeting, unanimously decided that of the 397 compositions received, the one under the motto "Hei Deutschem Leid und Sang," by Louis V Saar, the most qualified for the purpose and therefore entitled to the prize. In our following meeting, after possessing a full list of the names of competitors we have also decided to make public the announcement of twenty-one names wortranslated from the New York Staats thy of honorable mention. We herewith of the president,

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4. Arthur Claasen, Brooklyn, N. Y. 5. Eugene Katschena, Zurich, Switzerland. 6. Prof. Oscar Wermann, Dresden,

Germany. 7. Theodore Podbertsky, Munich, Ger-8. Prof. Emil Burgsteller, Pilsen, Bo-

9. Prof. Reinhold Becker, Dresden, Germany. 10. Prof. Johannes Vollert, Wegesack,

Germany. 11. Karl Schauss, Weisbaden, Ger 12. Heinrich Zoellner, Leipsic, Ger-13. Florian Theisig, St. Petersburg

14. Julius Lorenz, New York Julius Schmidt, Basel, Switzerland, Gustav Cords, Weisbaden, Germany,

Knoechel Crefeld, Germany Carl Samans, Philadelphia, Pa. A. Schwarz, Straubig, Germany,

19. A. Schwarz, Straubig, Germany.
20. Anton Reichert, Dresden, Germany.
21. Edward Brencole, Osnabruck.
The public announcement of these
names is of special significance to the
the three first named composers, the
chairman of the committee having denames is of special significance to the the three first named composers, the chairman of the committee having declared that among the 397 compositions received, there were at least three, which, from an artistic standpoint, eclipsed the chosen composition but which were rejected, having lacked one condition only, namely, national popular style. Of these Mr. Hemberger's stood

The Scranton Liederkranz.

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