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ROUND THE REGION. Wilkesbarre Socialist party held its city convention last week and the platform demands "the institution of a municipal insurance department, so that working men may be given protection against loss by fire at the lowest possible cost and the establishment of a city department where those who wish to do so may receive legal and medical advice free of charge."

The strike of the employees of Stauffer & Rowe, the Harleigh coal operators, has been declared off, the men resuming work yesterday. The firm granted an increase of 20 per cent to their miners and 10 per cent to their laborers.

Alen Steiner, a Mahanoy City barber, who recently entered suit against the borough for \$20,000 damages, was awarded \$3,500 by arbitrators.

A meeting of Nanticoke citizens has been called for Saturday to take action looking to the removal of the Nanticoke dam, which the Luzerne County Medical Society has declared detrimental to health.

Shamokin branch of the American Federation of Labor has served notice on contractors in that town that a new wage scale will be presented by April 1, demanding a nine-hour work day without reduction in wages.

Thomas F. Dunn, Jr., of Weatherly, was appointed postmaster of that town by President Roosevelt yesterday.

Preparations are being made to render an operetta, "The Minstrel of Capt." Prof. Everhardt will train the singers and have charge of the musical part of the program.

Men and boys are cordially invited to attend the Sunday afternoon meeting at 3:30 o'clock.

Secretary's report of attendance during month of December follows: Gymnasium—Men, 72; boys, 254; ladies, 14; girls, 34; total, 374.

Game room—Men, 59; boys, 729; total, 809.

Reading room—Men, 195; boys, 197; total, 392.

Visitors—Members, 58; Outsiders: Men, 55; ladies, 33; total, 96. New Year's reception, 300.

Religious meetings—Sunday devotions, 53; boys' bible class, 44; Tuesday bible, 11; total, 108.

Musical—Ladies' Glee Club, 43. Total persons using rooms, 2,022.

Great interest is manifested in the new games volley ball, shuffle, croki-nolo, etc.

Many new members are being added to the list and much interest is shown in all the meetings.

CASTORIA. The Kind You Have Always Bought Bears the Signature of

THE SPORTING WORLD

Taylor Quits Cycling. "Major" Taylor, the speedy colored cyclist, has retired from the cycle path and declares that nothing can ever tempt him to return.



"MAJOR" TAYLOR.

In comfort for the rest of his days, and that is all he seeks. Taylor's retirement from the track will undoubtedly be hailed with much pleasure by many of his white competitors, who for years have objected to racing against him.

The Saratoga Stakes. While the Saratoga stakes which closed recently will not be run until 1904 and 1905, the publication of the entries reveals much that is interesting to the layman of the turf as well as to the breeders and owners and the management of the association.

Two of the events, the Great Republic and the Hopeful, were instituted by the new Saratoga association for the improvement of the breed of horses and are to be run in 1905.

The Hopeful, which has an estimated value of \$40,000, is a produce stake for two-year-olds, and the nominations are mares covered in 1902.

Colonel Milton Young of McGrathiana stud is the heaviest nominator. His individual nominations number 131, while his partnership nominations with other breeders swell the total to 144, almost double that of the second name on the list.

New Cycling Scheme. A new scheme is afoot to put bicycle racing into renewed life. There has been much correspondence recently among the track owners, and it is intended to adopt a system for bowl racing that will put the sport on a better basis than it has ever enjoyed.

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Pugnacious "Klondike Bill." "That mild mannered Quaker, Colonel Bill Shettline, would not need John L. Sullivan or anybody else to do his fighting," remarks Charley Dooin of the Phillies.

Cornell Football Coaching. If Cornell remains committed to the graduate system of coaching the football candidates next year, the field from which men may be chosen will be rather broad.

Look Out For Grace Boyd, 2:12 1/2-2. Roy Miller has a very clever green mare in Grace Boyd, which was third in 2:12 1/2 and second in 2:13 in a recent race.

MIRACLES OF MACHINERY.

The Enormous Increase of Output Through Labor Saving Devices. A few years ago, when cigarettes were made by hand, a smart girl could manipulate six pounds of tobacco in a ten hour day and roll 2,000 cigarettes.

Equally important is a recent innovation in the way of breadmaking machinery. The various materials are poured into a huge glazed tub shaped rather like the cover of a paddle wheel.

In the preparation of other foods the revolution is just as startling. It takes a good plucker all his time to pluck one dozen chickens in an hour. In a big factory where 500 dozen chickens are daily put up in tins the plucking is done by hanging the fowls in a receptacle surrounded by electric fans working at 5,000 revolutions a minute.

A million eggs a day are received from abroad at one of our northern ports. All these eggs have to be tested. The old method has been to pick up the eggs one by one and hold them singly against a light.

At the laundry exhibition held last year at the Islington Agricultural hall a machine was shown that will wash shirts at the rate of 200 an hour and starch one a minute at the same time.

It takes an oriental weaver a day to produce a single square yard of choice carpet. The new Hallensleben "double pile" power loom turns out in the same space of time, and without the aid of skilled labor, thirty-five square yards of exactly similar carpet.

Perhaps no modern machine will in the long run be responsible for the saving of more money than Marconi's wireless telegraphic invention.

Labor Union and Combines. In his treatment of the labor question the president expresses himself strongly on the side of the wage earner, and yet he is unfortunate in his attempt to identify the labor organizations with capitalistic combines.

There is a wide distinction between the purpose, the operation and the effect of the capitalistic combine on the one side and the labor organization on the other.

Labor Pays Its Representatives. In England the labor unions provide appropriations for their representatives in the house of commons, the boiler makers paying their member \$2,000 a year and providing a house, while John Burns gets from his union only \$1,250 a year.

THE HANDGLASS

One day a party of English tourists passed through Jowcusi, in China, and stayed long enough for one of the ladies to lose a handglass in the jirikisha in which she had ridden.

When Kiki Tsum, the owner of the vehicle, saw his find, he looked it over intently and with the most astonished face in the world.

During the next few days Kiki Tsum labored under great excitement. Day and night he thought about the portrait he had found, and frequently he left his bed or his work to go and see if his treasure was still in his possession.

"Why should he appear with an anxious face and leave with one stepped in importance?" she mused. Still later she discovered that Kiki Tsum before going out made it a point always to remain in the little back room for a minute or two.

"Ah, yes, poor man!" said Lili, kissing the deceiver goodby, but he had scarcely got across the street when she clambered upon a chair and discovered what? A mysterious something. She lifted it with care and brought it up to her face to examine it.

"So that is the way you treat your wife after only a few months of marriage? Where is your fidelity, you who are always talking about your manliness?"

"The woman is crazy," said Kiki Tsum to himself, and then he added aloud: "What ails you, Lili Tsee? Tell me the meaning of this nonsense."

"Nonsense!" cried Lili Tsee. "You hide the portrait of your paramour in my rose pot and dare dispute its sinful purport? Take it. Watch over it. Carry it on your heart. I don't want to see it. The monster—the ugly face!"

"You don't, don't you?" cried the little woman. "Ah, but I understand it all. You love that woman in the frame."

The two continued their worthy battle, which became more fierce every minute, until the neighbors were aroused, they sent for the village priest to restore order. The bonze came. "My children," he said, "what are you quarreling for? Tell me at once, so I may try to decide who is the guilty party."

"Father," exclaimed Lili Tsee, "my husband secreted the picture of a woman in my rose pot. That caused all this trouble."

"I swear I never possessed another portrait but that of my sainted sire," and the husband raised his hands to heaven.

Then the bonze blessed the young couple after Kiki Tsum and Lili Tsee had made up and kissed and went away praising the gods for the great discovery he had been permitted to make.

"Come heal, Tom Jefferson," called a brawny mother to a little fellow in the road.

"I can't do it. Did it go outen no gate. I climbed de fence."—New York Times.

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To mend a tear buttonhole stitch closely around the edges once or twice, as the size of the rent may require, and then join the edges together.

The Baby's Ears. Many children have ears that stand out. This is always more or less an eyesore to the mother and disfiguring to the child when older.

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RAILROAD TIMETABLES

LEHIGH VALLEY RAILROAD. November 16, 1902. ARRANGEMENT OF PASSENGER TRAINS. LEAVE FREELAND. 12 a m for Weatherly, Mauch Chunk, Allentown, Bethlehem, Easton, Philadelphia and New York.

2 29 p m from Pottsville, Delano and Hazleton. ARRIVE AT FREELAND. 7 29 a m from Pottsville, Delano and Hazleton. 9 12 a m from New York, Philadelphia, Easton, Bethlehem, Allentown, Mauch Chunk, Weatherly, Hazleton, Mahanoy City, Shenandoah and Mt. Carmel.

THE DELAWARE, SUSQUEHANNA AND SCHUYLKILL RAILROAD. Time table in effect May 19, 1900. Trains leave Drifton for Jedd, Eckley, Hazle Brook, Stockton, Beaver Meadow Road, Hazle and Hazleton Junction at 6:30 a m, daily except Sunday; and 7:07 a m, 2:38 p m, Sunday.

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