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CIVIC DISCONTENT RAISES A MILLION

Scranton Boosters Set The Pace For American Cities—"Scranton Plan" Revolutionizes Methods of City Promotion

(Continued from yesterday's Times) All of the funds received from the subscriptions of the Scranton Industrial Development Company will be put into the new industries brought to the city or into local industries of great promise requiring additional capital to make a great growth.

The advantages of this plan to prospective manufacturers are obvious. A manufacturer in another city has a prosperous business, but needs perhaps one hundred thousand dollars to put the business in a position where it can make a rapid, substantial and profitable growth.

This income to the City of Scranton that the industries brought there will be conservative and profitable. It is an assurance to the investors in the Development Company that their funds are safely invested, that their capital is as secure as human foresight can make it, and the five per cent dividends promised on the stock which they own will be surely paid.

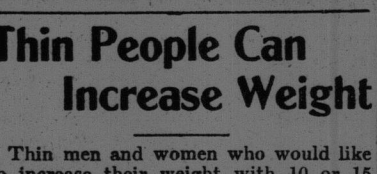
The subscription payment to the Million Dollar Company cover a period of five years, the subscription blanks calling for not over twenty per cent. of the total amount any one year. The calls are made on the subscribers for payments only when an investment is immediately to be made in the securities of a new industry, so that all money invested is immediately earning dividends.

With the restriction thrown on the investments the stock is regarded as so secure that the Scranton banks are already willing to loan it as collateral up to eighty per cent. and there will always be a ready market for the stock in Scranton and vicinity. Quite a number of subscriptions have been received from out-of-town investors who wished to go into a particularly attractive proposition.

The investors are certain to receive five per cent. dividends as earned. The plan is destined to spread throughout the world—there will be many other cities which will be "good places to live in."

MOSQUITO BITES

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Thin People Can Increase Weight

Thin men and women who would like to increase their weight with 10 or 15 pounds of healthy "stay there" fat should try eating a little Sargol with their meals for a while and note results. Here is a good test worth trying. First weigh yourself and measure yourself. Then take Sargol—one tablet with every meal—for two weeks. Then weigh and measure again. It isn't a question of how you look or feel or what your friends say and think. The scales and the tape measure will tell their own story, and most any thin man or woman can easily add from five to eight pounds in the first fourteen days by following this simple direction. And best of all, the new flesh stays put.

Sargol does not itself make fat, but mixing with your food, it turns the fats, sugars and starches of what you have eaten, into rich, ripe fat, producing nourishment for the tissues and blood—prepares it in an easily assimilated form which the blood can readily accept. All this nourishment now passes from your body as waste. But Sargol stops the waste and makes it useful. It makes the fat producing contents of the very same meals you are eating now develop into rich, ripe fat, producing nourishment for your skin and bones. Sargol is safe, pleasant, efficient and inexpensive. Druggists sell it in large boxes—forty tablets to a package—on a guarantee of weight increase or money back.

BUILDING OPERATIONS

The firm of Brook and Paterson are finding their store in King street too small for their extensive wholesale business in military and ladies supplies and are planning to build modern and much more extensive premises in Union street. They have purchased a site adjoining No. three fire station, having a frontage of forty-five feet with a depth of 150 feet, and it is proposed to erect a building of five stories with a total floor space of 80,000 feet.

Plans are being prepared for the Knights of Pythias for the erection of a new hall on a site they acquired three years ago on Chipman Hill, near the library. A three story building is proposed, with a large banqueting hall, assembly lodge rooms and offices. As the site is 45 by 100, it is expected that the building will be large and substantial.

A two story double tenement of brick, the first on the west side, will be erected in Queen street, west end, on Smeaton Wilson. The building will cost upwards of \$5,000.

MAYOR HOLDS UP CIVIC CONTRACT

Will Investigate Former Charge of Bribery

Police Investigations

City to Purchase Motor Fire Apparatus and Street Truck—Need of Modern Incinerator—Amendment to Charter Postponed

At the common council meeting yesterday Mayor Prink said that he had not signed the contract for the retaining wall in Victoria Square because of having learned since the contract was awarded to "Tobias and others" that one of the others was of the same name as a man who was said to have tried to bribe Commissioner Agre during his term of office. It was disclosed on the contract he said that the award had been to Tobias, Corey and Stevens, but as Corey had been the name of a man who was represented by another as offering Mr. Agre \$1,000 if a contract went through successfully, he could not sign the present agreement until he had thoroughly investigated. He did not know that this was the same man.

A report was presented by Commissioner McLellan clearing Police Officer O'Leary of the charge that he had persuaded prisoners to plead not guilty to certain charges. It was shown that O'Leary and Policeman Journey had been together in one of the lock-ups and one of the prisoners who was very drunk, had been trying to persuade all that he was not, and said he would plead guilty to being so. In a jocular tone, O'Leary humored him and agreed that he had better plead not guilty. Concerning the fact that he had not returned his uniform and lock-up keys, Commissioner McLellan said this matter was under his jurisdiction.

The commissioner of finance and public affairs reported, recommending that J. Howard MacLellan be appointed an additional constable for the city of St. John, and that, in view of the changes in the clerical staff of the board of assessors, that his salary be \$1,100 per annum; W. J. Cotter, second clerk, that his salary be \$800 per annum. The report was adopted.

The commissioner of harbors, ferries and public lands reported recommending that Clements Co. Ltd. be authorized to give up the old Canadian Pacific Railroad building on the west side of the harbor, and that the rent due to June 1st be remitted, the company giving up to the city the boiler and pipes, etc. placed there by them.

Com. Potts reported that during last session the motor truck in his department had cost for repairs, maintenance, operation, depreciation and interest, \$1,666.75. The cost of four horse drawn teams for the same work would have been \$2,650, a saving of \$1,083.25 by the truck. He moved that he be given authority to purchase a truck at a cost not exceeding \$5,000. There was no opposition and the motion was adopted.

The application of the Grand Lake S. S. Company for permission to erect a sign projecting over the street was referred to the commissioner of public works. Com. Potts asked if a special policeman was being appointed to look after the old burying ground and was informed that it was probable that protection would be afforded.

the land for a street to be opened through the Corkey field to open up the large district towards Millidgeville and Sandy Point. He felt that the whole subject was one of such importance that further consideration of the motion might be advisable.

Regarding the fire apparatus Commissioner McLellan said the aerial truck would cost about \$14,000, and the pumping engine \$12,000. The resolution was adopted authorizing the commissioner to make the purchase of such apparatus as he should think necessary.

The following renewals of leases were granted: E. S. Stephens, lot in Queens ward; Ellen McCordock, lot in Guys ward; George Marsh, lot in Prince street at the southern end, estimating the cost at \$400, and a second in Tower street, West End, with the cost estimated at \$1,000. The shutters would help to the extent of \$170 in the cost of a concrete sidewalk, in the second instance. No action was taken.

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