FOR THE HOSPITALS.

Collections Taken Up in All the Local Churches Yesterday.

THE CHILDHOOD OF JESUS CHRIST

A Most Convincing Proof of the Truth of the Bible Records.

VETERANS HOLD A MEMORIAL SERVICE

Yesterday was Hospital Sunday in the local churches, and the collections taken were in behalf of those institutions. The people generally were in a generous mood, and the receipts so far as reported amounted to a gratifying figure. Christmas and New Year topics were the ones most discussed in

Rev. E. R. Donehoo, of the Eighth Presmorning subject, "The Childhood of Jesus." The text was, "Jesus increased in wisdom and stature and in favor with God and man." ever weary. While the story, as narrated by the evangelists, is comprised in very brief compass, with nothing of the awe-inspiring or miraculous about it, it yet possesses a charm which neiter time nor circumstances can ever efface. The beauty and glory of Christianity, as it is also its exclusive distinction from all other reexclusive distinction from all other re-ligions, is the great attention which it be-stews upon childhood. The mythol-ogies of the Greek and Roman ig-nore childhood. Their gods never pass through the experiences of child-hood, but make their first appearance as fully grown in form and mental constitu-tion—never manifesting growth or development. Mohammedanism has nothing to say of childhood, while its sacred book possesses no charm for the youthful mind. Chris-tianity endears itself to all because of the importance which it attaches to childhood, and the lessons it brings to the young. Jesus Carist never could have been what He is to mankind had His coming been deterred to the full period of manhood, had He, instead of becoming a helpless infant in Beathlehem's manner burst mean the world Bethlehem's manger, burst upon the world in the full glory and strength of mature lite.

"And this to me is one of the convincing evidences of the sacred records, that they did not picture to the mind the great deliv-erer of mankind as coming as a mighty conqueror to put down His enemies and estab-lish His throne with all the pomp and circumstance to be expected of such a charac-ter. His mother was just such a mother as became her to whom was committed the training of Him who was destined to be the world's hope and deliverance from sin. From her first appearance in the Sacred parrative until she stood at the foot of the cross a silent witness to the closing scene of the great drama of man's redemption, she continued to sustain that beauty of character, and that true womanliness which have invested her brow with a halo of light outdazzling in its luster all the fan-cies of poet or artist in their noblest imags as belonging to the mother of This also we know: that no spot in all the Holy Land was better adapted for the home of the child Jesus than that in which Joseph and Mary dwelt. Nazareth. the "Rose of Galilee," was the fairest, most romantically beautiful spot in all that land, with its greatly sloping hills and flowery plains, with nature in its most attractive garb spread out before Him as

R INGING OUT THE OLD.

Rev. Charles Edward Locke Meditates on the Cirsing Year-The Sermon Was an Unusually Sad and Impressive, But it Was Well Received.

"Closing Year Meditations-A Complete Life," was the subject of Rev. Charles Edward Locke's evening service. The text was taken from John, x, 10: "I am come that they might have life, and that they might have it more abundantly." As this was the last Sunday of the old year, the sermon was appropriate, and the large udience listened with great interest to his He said:

"With what increasing rapidity the years fly! Yes, faster than the weaver's shuttle. In the twilight of 1891, a ques-tion presents itself: What is life? Is it only a vapor that appearth for a little while and then vanishes? Is it only what it seems: a cradle, a grave, a smile, a song; a sigh, a glistening highway, a dark valley; a chill, a sealed sepulchre? It is more than this. Solomon declares all is vanity. Plate is in doubt as to whether it is better to be or not to be, but these definitions do not satisfy.

"A gallant knight of truth enters the arena and startles the assembled multitude with the shout, 'I am the way, the truth and the life. I am come that ye may have life. He follows up the marvelous declaration by a spotless life, and by bursting the bars of the grave and leading death captive, emoving its sting and turning its victory o defeat. Through this triumphant Jesus the problem of life is solved.

"Through Christ man is to subdue him-self. 'He that ruleth his own spirit is greater than he that taketh a city. Man is transformed by contact with Christ. Through Jesus the human gains access to the divine and partakes of the God nature. Life is made complete in Christ because of the prevailing principle that all things are

Best of all, through Jesus immortality. is a blissful reality. The great season of life is the life beyond. Death is revealed to be not a blind alley, a tunnel, a cata-combe, but a golden pertal radiant with in-creasing brightness. Man's craving for immorality is proof of its reality. The ox has its downward load and is satisfied with a green pasture; man has the upward look, and reaches after his Father-God. God only calms man's troubled soul. The hypothesis that God is and immortality awaits the weary traveler, bring sweet peace and undisturbed rest; therefore in the closing hours of the old year we accept Christ as our life, solving forever this problem of the ages, and press forward that our lives may reach their completion in the Christ life." Mr. Locke closed his sermon with the legend of the Holy Grail, as related by Lowell in his "Visions of Sir Launfal."

RECEIVED ON PROBATION.

Rev. C. V. Wilson's Discourse at the

Emory Methodist Episcopal Church. At the Emory M. E. Church the morning service included the reception, on probation, of a large number of new members. Ber. C. V. Wilson discoursed on "The Purpose of Christ's Coming." After reading his text, from I. Timothy, 1-15, and introducing the subject, the minister said: "It would be a sorry return for the great gift of God to forget the purpose for which Christ came. Paul said it was to save sinners of whom he was chief. This assertion makes it apparent that all are sinners. There's none that doeth good, no, not one. his is the Lord's estimate of the condition markind when He says that "He gave His only begotten Son that whosoever believeth on Him should not perish but have everlasting life." We must must accept this divine estimate of man's condi-When the captain of a ship finds his vessel in a sinking condition, and all aboard of her must take to the lifeboats, it is not for the passengers to dispute his statement out listen to his advice and be saved. It is not for us to question when God says, 'The world lieth in wickedness,' and sends His

Son to redeem it. "This truth of redemption through Jesus was so great that Paul did not comprehend it for some time after his conversion. The more he considered it the greater became

the mystery of God's love.

any great truth is often disappointing. It is only by study and frequent contempla-tion that their greatness dawns upon us. So men look at the great salvation in Jesus Christ. God manifest in the flesh is nothing more than other forms of religion, to be classed with Buddhism or Mohammedanism. It is only by study, by thoughtful contemplation that the magnitude and the beauty of the Christian religion can be seen. Jesus is God manifest in the flesh-He is Emanuel-God with us. It is this truth which we should not forget: Jesus came

A MEMORIAL SERVICE.

Hembers of the G. A. R. Gather to Do Honor to Departed Comrades-Carnegie Hall the Scene of a Beautiful and

The twelfth annual memorial service by lieutenant James M. Lysle Post 128, G. A. R., was held in Carnegie Hall, Allegheny, yesterday afternoon. The service was a tribute of respect to the memory of comrades who had died during the last byterian Church, West End, took for his year. These were: James Carlton, Company B, Fifth Pennsylvania Heavy Artillery, on March 17; Peter Schwinn, Comand stature and in favor with God and man." pany A, Thirty-seventh Illinois Infantry, Luke 2-52. He said: "The childhood of on April 13; David P. Williamson, Com-Jesus is a theme of which no Christian can pany F, Eighty-seventh Pennsylvania Volunteers, on November 5; Adam Fhey, Company H. First Virginia Cavalry, oa June 10; Jacob Richter, Company C, Sixth Pennsylvania Heavy Artillery, on August 9; Edward Hoffman, Company M. Fifth Pennsylvania Cavalry, on July 24.

On the platform at the hall were six chairs draped in black, but almost covered with flowers, and a dove surmounting all bore a ribbon on which was printed the names of the late comrades. The exercises opened with a dirge on the organ by F. A.

by S. V. C. James Rafferty.

Chaplain Holmes conducted the responsive, and the forming of the square was sponsive, and the forming of the square was made by Post 128 and visiting comrades. Rev. Mr. Miller offered prayer and the Scripture was read by Chaplain Holmes. Miss Irene Sample sang beautifully a solo, "Give Me the Means of Faith," and Dr. G. W. Bryant, Post 343, Department of Misw. Bryant, Post 333, Department of Missouri, spoke in an eloquent manner of the past and of its impress on the present and the good that everywhere is evident from the war. Rev. Mr. Miller pronounced the benediction. The choir from the Arch Street M. E. Church rendered the music. Among the posts present were Nos. 88, 151 162 in body, and delegations from Posts 157 259, 230, 236, 155 and 117.

STILL OBSERVING CHRISTMAS.

Music a Feature of the Day at the Shadyalde

Presbyterian Church. Christmas services were observed at the Shadyside Presbyterian church and the in terior was appropriately decorated with evergreens. At the morning service the pastor, Dr. R. S. Holmes, delivered an excellent sermon on consecration, taking as his text Matthew ii., 11. In the afternoon the held a Christmas service of song, one of the most enjoyable services of the kind ever held by that Sunday school. At the even-ing service Dr. Holmes preached on "The Great Sign," taking as his text Luke II., 12, "And this shall be a sign unto you; ye shall find the babe wrapped in swaddling clothes lying in a manger."

An important feature of the morning and

evening services was the singing by the evening services was the singing by the quartet choir of several appropriate selec-tions. The morning programme included "O Zion That Telleth Glad Tidings" and "There Were Shepherds," by the choir, and an alto solo, "The Birthday of a King," by Miss Margaret Fraser. In the evening the choir rendered "Te Deum Laudamus" and "O Holy Night," and Mr. William Sutley a baritone solo entitled "Bethlehem."

THE GOODNESS OF GOD.

Rev. W. F. Richardson Points to the Bleas ings of the Almighty.

Rev. W. F. Richardson spoke last night on God's care for man. His text was "Thou crowned the year with Thy goodness." He spoke of the bountiful grace of God, and said though every desire had not been granted during the year everything had been given that God had deemed best His people should have. Said he:

God sends His sorrows, but even in them there is a goodness, though we know it not. He sends the chilling frost that it may mellow the ground for next summer's flowers. He clothes the earth in snow, but it is as blanket to keep alive vegatation that it may bloom anew. When we are weakest God is strongest in us. God's blessings may come to us in the death of a dear one, or clothed in sorrow, yet we somehow see His good-

THE POWER OF MEMORY.

Rev. W. Arundel Talks to the People of Trinity on This Subject. Rev. Alfred W. Arundel, of Trinity, held a special service last night, as it was the last Sunday in the year. After a pretty opening service he preached an interesting

discourse from these words. "I do remember my faults this dav." He said:
"These words came from the Old Testament story of Joseph, and as we follow the fortunes of this Hebrew it various grows with interest." He then graph ically and pleasantly told the story of Joseph in his prison cell and on down until the time he interpreted made to work together for good, and all of life's outward circumstances are but purifyand the power of the law of associations

> Services at the County Jail. Rev. Mr. Whiteside conducted the regular religious services at the jail yesterday, and was assisted by an excellent choir of singers.

THE BRIDEGROOM IN JAIL

An Oakdale Wedding Postponed on Ac-

count of the Law. Joseph Williams, of Oakdale, is in jail awaiting trial for keeping a speak-easy. In the meantime his bride-elect is sorrowing at home over his unaccountable absence. Williams was to have been married to a young Oakdale lady on Christmas, but when the time for the ceremony came there was no groom. After an hour or two of waiting the guests dispersed.

The intended bride did not know that

Williams had been arrested for keeping a speak-easy, and he had been hustled off to jail so fast he had no time to send her word. She was left afone in her sorrow, believing he had deserted her. Until his case is over there will he as walding there will be no wedding.

Arrested for Assaulting Captain Bell. Edward Wendell was arrested last evening in Allegheny on a charge of aggravated assault and battery, preferred by Captain Bell. An attempt will be made to-day to arrest Martin Monahan on the same charge. On Christmas night Captain Bell was called in to quell a disturbance in Witmore's pool room. As he entered several young men assaulted him. He was kicked severely and struck across the back with a billiard cue. Wendell and Monahan are said to have been engaged in the attack upon him.
The former is 18 years old, and the latter
23. Both live in Manchester.

FOR ABUSE OF ALCOHOL. Use Horsford's Acid Phosphate. Dr. W. E. Crane, Mitchell, Dak., says: "It has proven almost a specific for this dis-

order; it checks the vomiting, restores the appetite, and, at the same time allays the fear of impending dissolution, that Reduction Until January 1. We will make our best cabinets for \$1 00 NO WAR WITH CHILE

That Country Only Bluffing at the The annual meeting of the stockholders of the Mouongaheia Navigation Company will be held on THURSDAY, January 14, 182, at 2 o clock P. M., at the office of said company, No. 8 Wood street, Pittsburg, for the election of officers and managers of said company and other business. dc24-12-D W. BAKEWELL, Secretary. United States, While Preparing

FOR TROUBLE WITH ARGENTINE

THE FREEHOLD BANK.
PITTSBUEG. PA., Dec. 28, 1891.

PLECTION—THE ANNUAL ELECTION FOR
Directors of this bank will be held at the banking house on MONDAY. January 4, 1892, between
the hours of 2 and 4 P. M.
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J. F. STEEL, Cashler. Torpedo Boats to Play a Prominent Part in the Next South American War.

INCREASED ORDERS ISSUED FOR POWDER

So many conflicting reports about war with Chile have been circulated in the last few weeks that the people would be glad for definite information one way or the other. Dr. Stephen H. Emmens, the inventor of emmensite and galbite or smokeless powder, was seen at the Baltimore and Ohio depot yesterday afternoon on his way to West Virginia to look into the copper and nickel deposits of the State. It was the doctor who furnished the Chilean insurgents with the smokeless powder, which opened the way for them to gain a signal, but bloody victory over the forces of

"Have you received any orders for powder recently from Chile?" was asked. "No," he replied, "but I expect a comnunication sub rosa in the near future. In the event of war with Chile you would hear of some torpedoes doing destructive work with emmensite, but not against our country, my boy. Chile arrayed against the United States is different from Chileans fighting among themselves.

Harmony Expected to Reign. "But my latest advices are that the present strained relations between the two countries will soon be harmonized. I can give you a pointer that will be a great item of news and will throw considerable light on the Chilean muddle, Chile's belligerent attitude muddle. Chile's belligerent attitude against the United States is easily explained. It is not us, but the Argentine Republic that they are after. Theal Spanish-Indians, as we call them, are playing a very shrewd game, and completely hoodwinking everybody. Trouble is brewing between the two South American Rebilic Under the cover of the wardike ing between the two South American Re-publics. Under the cover of the war-like talk against the Yankees, the Chileans are quietly preparing their vessels for action. It will be given out when they move that their battle ships have gone north along the Pacific to harrass the California coast. Instead of that the navy will move south, and suddenly appear in the harbor of Buenos Ayres. Thus taken by surprise, they hope to teach the Argentine States a valuable

"Do you get your information direct from the Chilean Government?" "No matter about that," the Doctor re-plied, "this is what I mean when I say that I expect to receive further orders for em-mensite and smokeless powder from Chile

"Has Uncle Sam increased his orders for powder lately?"

Increased Orders for Powder. "Yes, to a considerable extent, but I take it that it will be used entirely for experimental purposes. The Government may need larger quantities, you know. Still I am not in a position to answer the question. The powder may be purchased in anticipation of trouble with Chile, and certainly what has been bought for experiments could be stored and used in the event of war. I take no stock in the reports published this morning that we have been negotiating with Peru, and that the latter country would help us against their old enemy. The Peruvians have no love for the United States. They feel that if the Americans had been friendly at the right time in their struggle with Chile that they never would have been defected and they never would have been defeated and lost the valuable nitrate beds. The Peru-vians are as much afraid of the Yankees as they are of the Chileans.

"But what could we do if we went to war ships; we have only one finished. If a goodsized shell from one of their vessels struck one of our unarmored ships, it would be sure to sink it. One of Chile's battle ships is a match for our whole navy, and could wipe it cut. The Chileans know this, and it explains their stubbornness to a very large extent. What could prevent them from appearing along the California coast and levying an indemnity on the people? Pay up now, or we will destroy your property. We talk about making a demonstration of force in South American waters. We couldn't do it if we wanted to. The Americans have themselves to blame for the present condition of their navy. The Chileans may, if after investigation they discover they have done wrong, ac-

knowledge it, and gracefully back down, Our Commerce Destroyers. "True, the Americans are now building several battle ships. Our cruisers were never intended to fight naval battles. They were built to destroy commerce, and they are well adapted for that purpose. All our vessels are supplied with the best guns and equipments, but the boats themselves can't stand hot shot. As for torpedoes, we couldn't use them successfully against a hostile fleet. We haven't the necessary materials and apparatus prepared, and it would take time to make them. New York is better off than any of our coast towns. Submarine tunnels shores for the reception of torpedoes. General Abbott, who is in charge at New York, suggests for coast defenses that sunken batteries be located on the shore, each battery

o be supplied with 12 mortars. "These guns would be below the surface and would fire into the air. It would be easy to train them on a ship five or six miles out. The General's idea is to fire all the batteries at one time, throwing into the shells. He figures that some of them would be sure to fall on hostile ships and destroy them. Our position is humiliating at present, but we will have to stand it until it is remedied.

Unknown Bodies at the Morgue.

Coroner McDowell has made every effort to discover the identity of two bodies at the morgue, particularly that of the unknown suicide, found two weeks ago in an aban-doned oil derrick in Snowden township. Nothing whatever has been learned of him. although the man was apparently well-to-do and came of respectable people. The body will have to be buried in a day or two. Effort is also being made to find somebody who knew the man, John Holland, who hanged himself at the Nineteenth ward station last Wednesday. It is thought he must have lived near the city, as he was familiar with the East End streets. The body is still at the morgue.

Officers of the Tilden Club. At a meeting of the Samuel J. Tilden Democratic Club, on Sunday, December 27, the following officers were elected for the coming term: Thomas F. J. Keating, President; Lawrence Schott, Vice President; A. F. Hartman, Recording Secretary; Dan McAfee, Financial Secretary; Adam Heil, Corresponding Secretary; Thomas Lane, Treasurer; Peter Vetters, Sergeant at Arms, Board of Trustees, Thomas Lane, Dan J. McAfee, A. W. Kunzelman, A. F. Hart-man Lohn Blaichner.

Arrived on a Special Train.

"Sinbad the Sailor" Extravaganza Company, which appears this week at the Duquesne Theater, arrived in a special of Pullman cars over the Baltimore and Ohio road from Cincinnati at 9:40 las night. The company is composed of 102 people, the largest theatrical combination We will make our best cabinets for \$1.00 on the road. A large crowd of people awaited their coming last night at the Baltimore and Ohio depot.

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MEETINGS AND NOTICES. Meetings.

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THIRD NATIONAL BANK, PITTSBURG.

LECTION—THE ANNUAL ELECTION FOR note directors of this bank, to serve for the ensuing year, will be held at the banking house, 36 and 528 Wood st., on TUESDAY, January 12, 1892, between the hours of il A, M. and I P. M.

DECEMBER 12, 1891.

FIRST NATIONAL BANK OF PITTSBURG, PA., 1
PITTSBURG, Dec., 12, 1891.

LECTION—THE ANNUAL ELECTION FOR note directors for this bank, to serve for the ensuing year, will be held at the banking house, corner Wood st. and Fifth av., TUESDAY, January 12, 1892, between the hours of 16 A. M. and 2 P. M.

J. D. SCULLY, Cashler, delicat BUSINESS OFFICE. Cor. Smithfield and Diamond Streets

MERCANTILE LIBRARY HALL COMPANY,
PITTSBURG, Dec. 24, 1891.

LLECTION—THE ANNUAL MEETING OF
the stockholders of this company for the election of directors and the consideration of any
other business that may properly come before it
will be held on MONDAY, January 4, 1892, between
the hours of 3 P. M. and 4 P. M., at the office of
Messrs. Whitney & Stephenson, No. 54 Fourth av.
de24-19 G. W. CRAWFORD, Secretary. NOTICE—THE ANNUAL MEETING OF THE stockholders of the Evergreen Railway Company will be held at the office of the Pittsburg and Western Railway Company, Allegheny City, Pa., on MONDAY, January II, 1820, at 1839 A. M., for the election of a President and six Directors to serve for the ensuing year.

T. J. CRUMP, de27-33-M. Secretary.

L'ECTION-THE ANNUAL ELECTION OF Trustees for the Masonic Fund Society of Allegheny county will be held at Freemasons' Hall, Fifth avenue, on MONDAY, 25th day of December, 1991, between the hours of 8 and 8 F. M.
de2-61-D A. M. POLLOCK, Secty.

NOTICE-THE ANNUAL MEETING OF THE N stockholders of Pittsburg and Northern Railroad Company will be held at the office of the Pitts
burg and Western Railway Company, Alleghen
City, Pa., on MONDAY, January II, 1892, at 9:3
A. M., for the election of a President and eigh
Directors to serve for the ensuing year.

T. J. CRUMP,
Secretary.

THE MONONGAHELA CONNECTING RAILROAD COMPANY.
PITTSBURG, Dec. 26, 1891. PITTSBURG, Dec. 28, 1891.

THE ANNUAL MEETING OF THE STOCK.

HOLDERS of this company will be held at its general office, corner Third avenue and Try street, Pittsburg, on MONDAY, January II, 1802, at o'clock P. M., for the election of a President and Board of Directors to serve for the ensuing year, and for transacting such other business as may be brought before the meeting.

de27-27-mws BENJAMIN PAGE, Secretary.

TEUTONIA MAENNERCHOR, Allegheny City, clection—The annual election for officers and directors to serve for the ensuing year will be held on TUESDAY EVENING, December 29, 1891, between the hours of 8 and 10, at their hall, Pike tween the hours of 8 and 10, at their hall, Plist., Allegheny City. Charles Schlieper, Jr., Cornsponding Secretary. de28-31

NOTICE-COUPONS DUE JANUARY 1, 1802.

No nithe 4 per cent bonds of the Pittsburg and
Western Railway Company will be paid on and
after January 1, 1892, at the office of Drexel, Morgan & Co., No. 25 Wall st., New York City, N. Y.
de27-89 W. H. DUFFELL, Treasurer.

Legal Notices. NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT LETTER N of administration have been granted to the undersigned in the estate of James Cole, late of Allegheny county, State of Pennsylvania, deceased; and all persons indebted to said estate are requested to make immediate payment and those having claims against the same will present them without delay to HARRY A. COLE.

Administrator, P. O. address McKec's Rocks, Pa., or J. C. YOUNG, Attorney for Administrator, 110 Diamond st.

NOTICE-TO WHOM IT MAY CONCERN: NO-TICE is hereby given, in pursuance of the action taken by the majority of the stockholders of the S. R. Smythe & Laughlin Company, at a general meeting held at their offices, Lewis block, Pitts-burg, Pa., for the purpose according to law, and which action has been duly approved and certified to by the Secretary of State of the State of West Virginia, the name of said corporation has been legally changed to deli-40-x THE S. R. SMYTHE COMPANY,

IN RE ASSIGNMENT OF JOSEPH H. BORLAND to Wm. C. Borland. No. 411, March T.,
1889. Notice is hereby given that the second account of Wm. C. Borland, assignee of Joseph H.
Borland, was filed December 12, 1891; and that said
account will be allowed by the Court on the ninth
day of January, 1892, unless cause he shown to the
contrary.

J. H. WHITE,
del3-23-M Attorney for Assignee.

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To LET-Space with power-Cor. Penn and Third av.: three floors: 26,000 feet space; abundant power; good light: splendid location; every con-venience. Apply Nicola Bros., 29 Fifth av. TO LET-Feed and chop mill and house of nine rooms at Hite's station, W. P. R. R.; houseds well calculated for boarding house. Inquire of J. H. Chambers, 162 Fourth av., room 6. TO LET-Desirable storeroom, Diamond at, in new Dispatch building: light and heat fur-nished. Apply to Business Office The Dispatch, corner Smithfield and Diamond sts.

TO LET-Business room; first floor. No. 604 Penn avenue, East End. Possession can be had at once if desired. W. A. Herron & Sons, 80 Fourth avenue. Penn av., East End.
Storeroom about 20x20 feet.
Sec W. A. Herron & Sous, 80 Fourth av.

To LET-Storeroom and cellar, No. 407 Ferry st. rent \$30 per month. Inquire on premises. Miscellaneous To Lets. To LET-You know we have the largest line of diamonds, watches and jewelry in the city suitable for holday gifts. K. Smit, 932 and 934 Liberty and 703, 795 and 707 Smithfield.

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