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MRS GARDNER LEFT HER HUSBAND. She Married at Fifteen and Afterward Regretted Her Choice.

Dry Air Polar Refrigerator. The above refrigerator is sold only in this city by Thomas F. Leonard, 505 Lackawanna avenue.

Cost Van Kleef \$4 to Wander. Michael Van Kleef, of Scott township, came to the city Thursday for the express purpose of seeing the circus.

Dr. A. E. Scurr, having opened his office in the Burr building, Washington avenue, will resume the practice of his profession, where he will be glad to serve old patients and public in general.

Mr. Scoville's discharges are plain, powerful and convincing. He earnestly urges the unswayed to lay aside everything worldly

HONORING OUR HEROES Graves of the Union Defenders Will Be Decorated.

PROGRAMME OF THE EXERCISES How Decoration Day Will Be Observed at the Different Cemeteries of the City—Orations and Music Will Be Followed by the Decoration of the Graves—Those Who Will Participate.

Wednesday will be Decoration Day, and the gallant defenders of the Union who have been called to their eternal reward, will be kept in tender remembrance by their late companions in arms.

Flowers will be strewn in profusion on the graves, and eloquent orators pronounce eulogies over them, telling to a grateful posterity the heroic deeds of the departed dead.

The following are the programmes of the services to be held at the cemeteries of this city and vicinity by Lieutenant Ezra S. Griffin, post, No. 139, Grand Army of the Republic, at 9.30 o'clock a. m.

WASHINGTON STREET CEMETERY. S. B. Mott, Post Commander, in Charge. Introductory and Roll Call of the Dead, Commander

HYDE PARK CATHOLIC CEMETERY. Past Post Commander Moses Morey in Charge. Roll Call of the Dead, Grand Army of the Republic Services, Comrades

REMARKS. "The Flowers We Bring to Deck Each Grave." Solo, "The Blue and the Gray" Mrs. M. A. Galloway, Accompanist, D. M. Evans.

DUNMORE CEMETERY. P. P. C. S. Y. Haupt in Charge. "God Bless Our Land" Choir Roll Call of the Dead, Grand Army of the Republic Services, Comrades

PETERSBURG CEMETERY. Comrade George Schmitz in charge. Knights of the Mystic Chain, Knights of the Golden Rule, Fire Company, No. 3 will participate. Assembly at Castle Hill and march to cemetery.

P. P. C. S. Y. Haupt in charge. Start from German Presbyterian church at 9 o'clock a. m. for the cemetery. "Cover Them Over With Beautiful Flowers." John Leuter, chorister.

ST. MARY'S GERMAN CATHOLIC CEMETERY. P. P. C. S. Y. Haupt in charge. At 11 o'clock a. m. Roll call of the dead, G. A. R. services, Comrades

Children of St. Mary's parochial school. G. A. R. services, Comrades. Address, Rev. Geo. J. Stopper. "America," Comrades. Children. Decoration of graves.

The public is invited to be present at these ceremonies and assist in the proper observance of the day in the year especially designated to honor, and mourn for the nation's dead.

AN OLD CESS POOL UNCOVERED. That is What Caused the Trouble at the Morris Property.

WORK OF EVANGELIST SCOVILLE. Meetings He Conducts Are Productive of Good Results.

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and seek Christ. Some want one thing, some another, but he plainly shows what all need is Christ. He makes no hobby of politics, but asks the people to seek that degree of it which will enable them to love God with all their hearts, minds, souls and strength, assuring them if they do this they will be entirely satisfied.

Application to Have Maud Carey Sent to House of Refuge. Before Judge Archard yesterday testimony was taken in the proceedings to have Maud Carey, now an inmate of the Home for the Friendless, committed to the House of Refuge.

Phillips Used a Poker. He Ran It Through the Fleasy Part of His Wife's Leg Seversing Several Arteries.

Four insane men were confined in the police station yesterday. Several interesting letters from the people are unavoidably held over until next week.

Professor F. E. Wood has purchased the J. D. Williams property on Lackawanna avenue.

Rev. W. I. Stearns, formerly of this city and now of Danville, will occupy the pulpit of the Green Ridge Presbyterian church tomorrow.

The committee on rules of councils held no meeting last night. Select Counselman E. E. Echin was the only member of either committee present.

Ladies having cakes for St. Luke's sale will please send them to the parish house, 325 Washington avenue by 10 a. m., as the sale will begin at 10.30 a. m.

The male quartette from the Railroad Young Men's Christian association will sing at the Rescued mission tomorrow, Sunday evening. Seats free and all are welcome.

On account of the swollen condition of the Lackawanna river no work has yet been attempted on the superstructure of the Parker street bridge. Operations will begin, it is expected, on Monday.

City Engineer Phillips and General Manager C. W. McKinley will hold a conference today and discuss the feasibility of making a change in one of the plans of the intended Easting road bridge.

The property owners on West Lackawanna avenue have signed a petition for paving that street between the Delaware, Lackawanna and Western railroad tracks and Ninth street. The pave will be of Belgian block.

Jerome Keough, champion pool player of Pennsylvania, who is visiting his brothers at the St. Charles hotel, will open a feed store in Binghamton on June 1. He is expected to return to Scranton on Monday.

The men's gospel meeting at the Young Men's Christian association tomorrow afternoon at 3.45 will be led by General Secretary George G. M. Loree, who returned from the international Young Men's Christian Association conference at Cedar Rapids, Iowa.

The auditing committee of select council had before it last night the bill of David H. Watson, for street work. Adverse reports were made on items in the bill amounting to \$200.64. The objectionable items will be referred to Street Commissioner Kist.

Rev. G. A. Dony yesterday swore out a warrant against M. J. Fahy, a hotel keeper, doing business at 303 Main avenue, charging him with selling beer and whisky on Sunday. The hearing will take place this afternoon at 2.30 before Alderman Post.

Lemuel McConnell, of Marshwood, and Bertha Utek, of Providence, appeared before Alderman Wright yesterday and asked him to make them man and wife. Their request was granted and they went away smiling. This makes 369 ceremonies that Alderman Wright has performed in his official capacity.

The visiting members of the New York Coal Exchange who chanced to be in the South Wilkes-Barre shaft when that boiler burst Thursday are to be congratulated upon their lucky escape. As Ben Pratt consolingly remarked in his description of the accident: "No one was hurt, although several were struck and more or less seriously injured."

MR. DICKIE'S ADDRESS Delivered Before a Large Audience in the Frothingham Theater.

It Inspired the Speaker with Great Hopes for the Future of the Prohibition Party—He Offered Ten Dollars to Anyone Who Can Tell Him the Political Difference Between Democrats and Republicans.

It is seldom that such a large and cultured audience assembled in this city after showing the exciting campaign in the Frothingham last evening to hear Professor Samuel Dickie, the national chairman of the Prohibition party, talk on "Obstacles to Political Reform."

The speaker said that he was on his way west from the exciting campaign in the city of Norfolk, and that his program was the first news he had received from the seat of war. There were only two tickets in the field—the straight Democratic and the straight Prohibition ticket, and the Prohibition ticket had won.

After showing the dangers of the municipal corruption that he said prevailed in most of the larger cities of this nation, he returned again to Norfolk, and said that city had many apparent spasms of virtue, and the officers of the law would go forth on Sunday morning and in the majesty of their official power enarge—on the soda water fountain (laughter) on the barber shops and the milk dealers, but all this time nearly 2,000 saloons were permitted to carry on their nefarious traffic in defiance of all law.

What do our large cities need the most today? Better mayors? Probably so. Better police officers? Very likely. But what is most needed is municipal officers who will be held accountable to a better political party. I am acquainted with the mayor of Norfolk, and though he is no archangel, and has never made any effort to enforce the liquor laws, yet I can safely say that if the same gentleman had been elected by the Prohibition party, that the law would be thoroughly enforced, for the really honest mayors are anxious to be re-elected, and if he were held responsible to a better party he would see to it that the municipal and liquor laws would be most rigidly enforced.

AGAINST GUERRILLA WARFARE. The Prohibition party does not believe in this guerrilla warfare of now supporting a "good" Republican in order to defeat a "bad" Democrat or vice versa. The liquor man could cross party lines as well as the better elements, and a good deal more prompt, for the baser elements of our population are much more easily "influenced" than the better elements.

After discussing the immigration question, he turned his attention to trusts and monopolies. He said there was great danger in this concentrating and that something had to give way pretty soon.

The speaker next took up the liquor question, and said that if the traffic did not create any of the misery and wretchedness for which it was responsible, it was yet the most gigantic problem now facing the American people, for the traffic costs the people of the nation over one billion and a quarter of dollars.

The speaker said that the liquor question was taken into politics by the liquor dealers in 1863 when they met in the city of New York and resolved they would support no man or party that ever favored total abstinence, much less prohibition. He followed the history of the power of the saloon in politics from that time up to this, and referred to a campaign in Ohio, Michigan and Pennsylvania. He said that he would venture the statement that no man could be elected into office in this city whose record was known to be antagonistic to the saloon.

CRUCIFIED SALOON SUPPORTERS. He criticized severely clergymen and Christian people who supported the saloon by their votes. He said that a minister who votes the Republican or Democratic ticket did more to perpetuate the liquor traffic than any saloon keeper in the land.

The speaker offered \$10 to anyone who could tell him the political difference between a Republican or a Democrat. What did a man have to believe in order to be a Democrat or Republican? In 1892 the Democrats swept this nation on an anti-McKinley bill platform, but even yet the McKinley bill is doing business at the old stand. This is the fact that the two old parties at Washington are trying to get into the same bed.

In conclusion Mr. Dickie made an eloquent plea for the Prohibition party and predicted the triumph of the cause for which it is battling within a few years.

Mr. Dickie left on the midnight train for his home in Albion, Mich.

Groves, Foster & Co. have just purchased at sheriff's sale the large and varied stock of Pomphrey & Morton, of Providence, at their own price and will have them on sale at their own store, 310 and 312 Lackawanna avenue, as soon as they can get it properly arranged. The stock consists of staple and fancy dry goods, dress goods, silks, velvets, gents' furnishing goods, hats, caps, clothing, ribbons, flowers, feathers and an elegant line of millinery, trimmed and untrimmed, which will be sold regardless of value. Watch daily papers for announcement, etc.

RUNNER HALEY REMOVED THE BLOCK. Was Unable to Control Cars and Patrick McNamara Lost His Life.

Coroner Kelley and his jury, consisting of Anthony Loftus, Patrick McNish, Dominick Evans, Thos. Boyle, James C. Barrett and F. O'Boyle, met in the arbitration room of the court house last night to inquire into the cause of the death of Patrick McNamara, the 16 year old driver boy who was killed in the Von Storck mine last Monday. Miss Inspector Patrick Blewitt was also present. Daniel Haley, a young man who is employed as runner in the mine, admitted

that, contrary to his usual custom, he removed a block from in front of cars, he was standing on a grade and he was afterwards unable to control them with springs. They ran against the cars in McNamara's trip throwing them from the track and abducting him to death against a prop.

PRESS CLUB RESOLUTIONS. Express Regret for the Death of D. P. Thomas.

The Scranton Press club has passed the following resolutions on the death of D. P. Thomas: Whereas, The Scranton Press club has heard with regret of the death of David P. Thomas, late editor of the Scranton Herald, and feels called upon to place upon record an estimate of his character and an expression of sentiment upon the sad incident; and

Whereas, We recognized in Mr. Thomas an active and useful member of this club, a true and patriotic American citizen, an honored and successful business man, a faithful and loving husband and an enterprising and progressive member of the community;

Resolved, That this club and every member thereof feels a personal deprivation by his death. That by its suddenness we appreciate more fully the startling uncertainty of life. That the community has suffered a more severe loss, but an immeasurably greater loss and affliction has fallen upon his beloved wife, to whom this club hereby extends its most sincere sympathy and condolence.

CONFERENCE OF EPWORTH LEAGUES. Organization Into a Union of Scranton and Vicinity Societies.

A district meeting of Epworth Leagues was held last evening in the Ashbury Methodist Episcopal church at Green Ridge. W. H. Peck was chairman of the meeting. It was voted to adopt the title of Epworth League union for an organization of leagues of Scranton and vicinity.

Minnie Lester at the Academy. Minnie Lester and her company appeared at the Academy of Music yesterday to two large audiences which were highly pleased with the clever productions given. "Isaac Lights" was given at both performances. Miss Lester held reputation as an actress of fine talent by assuming the difficult role of Rosebud in an excellent manner. This is the last day of this company here and for a closing they will present "The Boy and the Girl's Matinee" a "Little Busybody," a piece particularly adapted to their talents. Admission for everybody 10 cents. In the evening a sturdy sea-saw advertisement of the city, "The Boy and the Girl's Matinee" will be presented. It is full of bright, witty humor and many realistic effects. A number of regular firemen will participate in the fire scene. The Leater has a very strong character in this play.

Special Meeting of Pastors' Union. The Pastors' union of Scranton and vicinity will hold a special meeting in conjunction with a conference of business men at Young Men's Christian Association rooms on Monday morning, May 28, at 10.30. The object of the meeting is to sustain the Sunday closing movement. In this connection WARRICK G. PARTRIDGE, Secretary.

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