CITY NOTES.

Gentlemen's Driving Club races Saturday, 2 p. m. *

Public school teachers and janitors are receiving September salaries.

The Wood's Business College Foot Ball team are requested to meet this afternoon at 2 o'clock.

Megargel & Connell have established a monthly trade journal known as the Trade Review. The October number is out.

In the estate of Sarah Fowler, late of Carbondale, letters of administration were yesterday granted to William S. MacCartney.

All parties having tickets to sell for the Blauvelt concert will please make returns to Mrs. L. S. Oakford, 322 Jefferson avenue, this afternoon.

The Scranton Foot Ball club will meet the eleven from Stroudsburg State Normal school at the ball park this afternoon. An interesting contest is looked for.

The annual donation day of the Home for the Friendless wil be next Wednesday, Oct. 17, when it is hoped the friends of this institution will remember it generously.

Marriage licenses were granted yesterday to Michael McDonnell, of Taylor, and Sadie Gilgallon, of Archbald, and Theodore B. Stiff and Anna E. McNeal, of Moscow.

Next week Matthews Bros. and Richard Henwood will begin to rebuild. Each structure will be a substantial stone front, four-story building.

The second district of the Catholic Total Abstinence union of the Diocese of Scranton, will hold a quarterly convention in St. John's hall, South Side, Sunday at 1.30 o'clock.

Conductor Lindsay announces that owing to the Blauvelt concert, the regular rehearsal of the Scranton Oratorio society next week will be held on Tuesday instead of Monday evening.

The Young Men's Christian association committee has arranged its entertainments for the coming winter and full information may be obtained from the secretary, C. A. Wiley, at the rooms.

P. F. McDonald, of Archbald, who a short time ago was chosen treasurer of the Catholic Total Abstinence union of the diocese of Scranton, to succeed John A. Collier, of Pittston, yesterday filed his official bond in the sum of $2,000 in the office of Prothonotary Pryor. Michael McCann is the surety named.

The Ladies' Aid and Christian Endeavor societies of the Green Ridge Presbyterian church, will give an oyster supper and entertainment in the church parlors on Thursday evening, Oct. 18. Supper will be served from 5 to 7.30 o'clock and the entertainment will begin at 8. A rare treat is promised to all who attend.

General Manager J. R. Beetem, of the Scranton Traction company, and General Manager Graham, of the Wyoming Valley Traction company, have agreed to contest for a diamond ring for the benefit of the Sacred Heart Catholic church of Plains. The contest will be decided at the church fair during the Christmas week.

The "Union Gospel Wagon Feast" service conducted by the blind evangelist at the Green Ridge Evangelical church tomorrow morning at 10 o'clock promises to be of unusual interest, being entirely a new order of service for this city. At 3 p. m. a grand temperance platform rally will be held. The Woman's Christian Temperance union and Prohibition club wil be in attendance. Several prominent speakers will deliver addresses.

Gentlemen's Driving Club races Saturday, 2p. m. *

Pabst's Milwaukee Beer, cool and sparkling, at Lohman's, Spruce street. *

Frank Seigel's

Academy of Dancing now open. Misses' and masters' class this afternoon at 2 o'clock. *

TIGHE BECOMES A QUAKER.

Has Signed with Philadelphia National League Club for Next Season.

John Tighe, of this city, who was a member of the Pottsville base ball club, during the past season, has been signed by the Philadelphia National league club for next season.

Tighe is a good batsman and can cover second and first base, or play the field in splendid style. He was a member of the Scranton club of 1893.

MARRIED.

OSLAND-SEELEY.—On Tuesday, Oct. 9, 1894, at 8 p. m., in St. Luke's church, by Rev. Rogers Israel, Richard W. Osland and Miss Leona M. Seeley, both of Scranton.

JERMYN-JAY.—On Wednesday, evening, Oct. 10, 1894, at 8.30 o'clock, at the residence of Harry Connell, by the Rev. Rogers Israel, Rollo G. Jermyn, of Oswego, and Miss Kate Jay, of Scranton.

SWARTZ-COURTRIGHT.—By the Rev. A. F. Chaffee, on Oct. 11, 1894, in Scranton, Eli Swartz to Mrs. Mary E. Courtright, both of this city.

MISSION WORK REVIEWED

Great Good Wrought by the Gospel Tent Meetings in Scranton.

REVIVAL SPIRIT IS GENERAL

There Is Need, However, of Some United Agency That Will Carry on the Good Work and Not Let Its Effects Die Out.

The Moody and Schiverea mission work which excited such absorbing interest in this and the Wyoming valleys, has been followed throughout with critical as well as admiring attention, and enthusiasts and skeptics are reviewing from their own standpoints the results and benefits of this prolonged attack upon the Prince of Darkness, in which such a noble army of earnest men of God were engaged. The galaxy of talent represented by Moody, Stebbins, Schiverea, Bliss and Weeden and the cultured pastors of this city have surely not labored in vain.

But when even experienced men who have been trained for, and have for years been engaged in the highest calling of saving the souls of men, aver, but with much caution, that revivals are transient in their beneficent results, it is not only desirable, but an imperative duty, to ascertain whether such fears are honestly founded, and, are in any probability, correct. With this object a review of the mission should be instructive and of value.

Benefits Are Manifold.

There is a preponderance of opinion that the observed as well as the unseen benefits of the revival are more than manifold and as it is claimed that revivals have inaugurated mighty works in Christianity, such as the Methodist church following the revival of Wesley and Whitfield, and latterly the incalculable blessings of the work of that great modern revivalist—Charles Spurgeon—and numerous convincing examples throughout the history of the Christian world, it is asked with a reasoning and logic which cannot be assailed, why should the revival in Scranton, not produce the wonderful blessings recorded in other instances as the results of similar agitation?

To bring the question down to a finer issue, they quote with unerring truth the aptitude of revivalists for this particular work and a brief inquiry into the methods of our recent visitors will produce interesting facts. Mr. Moody urged upon his audiences that his mission in Scranton was to "quicken the churches" while Mr. Schiverea expressed completely opposite intentions, by declaring that he wanted to "reach the masses." Although their objects were so vastly different they had many points in common, the most striking one being that they told the bare, plain and unvarnished truth without fear or favor. How often is the charge made that regular ministers tied to their congregations and who preaching to the same people Sunday after Sunday, knowing the idiosyncrasies of their flock, their little sins and favorite weaknesses, wrap up the truths of the Gospel in neat theology, that the lesson "shoots over the head" of their people and misses the heart?

One Impressive Illustration.

Take the recent bold and manly utterances of Rev. J. A. O'Reilly at the Cathedral as an illustration, and observe how his straightforward and condemnation of the abuses of the liquor traffic were received. What a consternation it made. He preached the truth. The truth cannot be shirked and the plain fact is, that the evangelists are "independent" and care not who they offend, while the etiquette of the pulpit of many years' standing has developed a different custom and style of preaching.

The results of plain-speaking in the revivals has been established, truths were uttered which affected almost every one of the thousands assembled. Then again an inquiry might well be made into the question as to how the interest of the thousands was so wonderfully maintained, for such a lengthy period, right up to the last meeting. "Not curiosity, that must have worn out." The garb of many present indicated that they were not regular church attendants. Who were they? They were the much-discussed "masses" and here comes in the great success of Schiverea's work. He came to reach the "masses." He succeeded.

How? He went to the "masses." He is the man for the masses. His natural humor in preaching has been condemned by prudish church-goers, but in opposition to the "terrible earnestness" of Mr. Moody, he had another method quite as effective of going direct to the hearts of the people. Mr. Moody came to quicken the churches, and preached in the churches, but he often caused a peal of laughter by his grim sarcasms. Schiverea came to reach the masses, and this is his strong point, he went to the masses, preached to them in a tent where they felt more at home and more at ease than in a magnificent church, thus establishing cordial relations with and securing the willing and constant ear of his audience.

He went to the county jail, the Rescue mission, the Florence mission, the machine shops, the car shops, the Dickson works; anywhere he could accomplish good. That he was successful can be proved by the fact that fallen girls are being sent home to their parents, swearing has become a thing of the past and card playing has ceased in places where he has preached. There are innumerable instances on record of beneficial results, but to quote them is unnecessary as every one is compelled to admit that Schiverea among the masses was a success, whether great or small, transient or permanent.

Musical Aspects Reviewed.

Turning for a moment to the musical aspect of the question, a great blessing will ensue from the popularizing of the Gospel hymns, which contain so many "gems" of especial value to the masses. George C. Stebbins, the eminent composer, developed the hidden beauties of many of those sweet songs which at once made a vivid impression and the remarkably sweet and expressive voice of Singer Weeden will ring for time to come in the ears of many, recalling the earnest and exquisite rendition of the music of the masses. Further it has displayed the local talent under the masterly directorship of men like Tallie Morgan and C. F. Whittemore, of whom Scranton may well feel proud, and it has also been the means of showing the great willingnes of our young men who with their tutor, Professor Weston, sacrificed night after night to the weary work of ushers of the tent.

But, after all ,the paramount question is "How do we stand now?" The revivalists spared no opportunity or words in impressing upon our people that they came to Scranton to start, to commence, or to inaugurate a movement which is to be carried on by the churches. The churches have been quickened and the remark of one of the pastors at the reception is a fair criterion, "I have loved my Lord more since the mission." Here is absolute proof of the fulfilment of Mr. Moody's work and the overflowing attendance each night is convincing proof of Schiverea's mission.

To Further the Work.

With a quickened church, the next step is to further the work among the masses, and inasmuch as the pastors invited Mr. Schiverea to inaugurate that movement, they are in honor bound to carry on the work where Mr. Schiverea left off. The City Pastors' union is now on its trial and has imposed upon itself a great responsibility. They are thoroughly pledged to go among the masses and there is one duty which is imperative and that is to disabuse the "masses" of the misapprehension that the churches would prefer one rich man to six poor men as members, abused to establish a homely feeling with the masses.

These remarks may be called aggressive, but Moody and Schiverea were, above all things, aggressive preachers, and moreover Christianity is essentially aggressive so that the review is but a reflection of the opinions of the revivalists.

Scranton has a magnificent array of wealthy churches with men of light and learning as pastors, enthusiastic by nain their work, ready as evidenced in the mission, to do their duty nobly and well. Now is the glorious opportunity to strike if the great problem of the masses is to be solved. Delay will be treacherous. The suggestion of The Tribune has been heartily endorsed by Evangelist Schiverea, and unless the churches combine together and establish a lay visiting association which will energetically, systematically and continually reach the people the mission will be a failure and the golden opportunity to accomplish blessed work for the Master will be irretrievably lost.

ARE RECONCILED AGAIN.

Alderman Fitzsimmons Induced Mr. and Mrs. Simon Miller to Forget the Past in Order to Win the Woman Over.

Mrs. Ann Miller, of Brown's place, Hyde Park, and her nephew, Oliver P. Drake, of the same locality, were escorted from the county jail yesterday to Alderman Fitzsimmons' office, to answer the charge preferred against them by Mrs. Miller's husband.

Auntie Miller and Nephew Drake left the West Side during the latter end of September, eloping to Hazleton. Mr. Miller informed the police and warrants were issued resulting in Lieutenant Davis tracking the runaway couple to rooms over Schmidt and Fenscherdt's hardware store, Hazleton, where they had comfortably settled down as man and wife.

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Yesterday Mr. Miller was at the alderman's office at an early hour and evidently in an unsettled state of mind. He waited with exemplary patience for the appearance of his erring spouse. When she arrived her husband gallantly invited her to a seat, but was almost "sorry he spoke." The elderly matron soon proved that she was not to be fooled with, and Uncle Miller subsided into intense silence.

After a few moments the alderman, with great tact, discussed the situation with Mrs. Miller and called her other half into the private office to participate in the discussion. Attorney J. M. Harris, who upheld the cause of the injured husband, appeared on the scene and was followed by the chief of police and in turn Lieutenant Davis, who made the arrest. Next came the daughter of the Millers and two young ladies of the West Side. All this galaxy of talent was brought to bear upon the obdurate and unwary wife.

Mr. Miller, it is reported, pleaded hard with the object of his affections, and beseeched her to grant him her whole heart and affection and ultimately the alderman was successful in restoring sufficient peace and harmony to ensure the charge being dismissed.

Mr. and Mrs. Miller did not embrace, but it was understood that she promised to forswear Drake and not to run away again.

Drake was re-committed to the county jail in default of $200 bail, to appear at court and answer the charges Mr. Miller preferred against him.

COMPLETE ESTABLISHMENT.

Mr. Bloeser's Handsome Stores on Penn Avenue.

Among the many new business enterprises on Penn avenue there are probably none that attract more attention than the elegant new double store that has just been opened at 121 and 123 by Mr. Rudolph Bloeser. Owing to his rapidly increasing trade Mr. Bloeser has been obliged to enlarge his store, which was formerly at 121 Penn avenue, and by removing the partition No. 123 is now utilized. By the new arrangement one of the most pleasant and commodious apartments are secured, making Mr. Bloeser's establishment one of the most desirable on the avenue.

A visit to the double stores will convince one that the proprietor is amply prepared to supply the wants of all who are in need of household furniture of any kind. The broad counters and tables which extend through the double stores, as well as shelves upon the sides, are literally loaded with every conceivable utensil in the line of household ware, at prices that astonish the buyer. At the five and ten cent counters are fine articles in tinware, notions, wire goods, glassware, crockery, etc. The immense stock carried in the double stores also includes hammocks, woodenware of every description, crockery in great variety, lamps almost endless in design, hardware, tools of every kind, kitchen utensils, curtain fixtures, soaps, perfumes, toys, and in fact articles of ornament and use that are too varied to be here enumerated.

The new stores have been made attractive by handsomely decorated fronts and will add much to the appearance of the street in that part of Penn avenue. The establishment throughout is a marvel of completeness, and is a monument to the thrift and enterprise of the proprietor. The five and ten cent counters are the recognized depots for the disposal of various utensils that are necessary in housekeeping and the counters at Mr. Bloeser's store are second to none in the city as to quality of goods. The thrifty housewife will find much to interest her in the new stores at 121 and 123 Penn avenue.

PLUNKETT GIVES BAIL.

Hearing Waived and Defendant Bound Over to Appear at Court.

Thomas Plunkett, for whom a warrant was issued at the instance of Constable John C. Moran, yesterday went before Alderman Fitzsimmons and waiving a hearing entered bail in the sum of $300 to appear at court.

The warrant for the arrest was issued by Alderman Donovan, and it was expected that a hearing would take place at 2 p. m. yesterday. The matter is attracting considerable attention, as Constable Moran alleges that he was swindled at Plunkett's bucket house at 307 Center street.

Bicycles—Only a few of them left and their price is less than market value. Davidow Bros. *

Can We Be of Use to You?

Some business or professional man comes to us almost every day for clerical help.

We have now a young man with five years' experience as bookkeeper, a young lady, good penman and bright, for position as bookkeeper, a pleasing young man, good address, will make a good collector and assistant bookkeeper. No charge for our services. Wood's College of Business and Shorthand. *

F. E. Wood, Principal.

Miss Hardenbergh's Pianoforth School.

A thoroughly high-grade schol for the study of the pianoforte, harmony and all branches of musical theory and interpretation.

A special training course for teachers; also special training given children, 437 Wyoming avenue. *

Dr. Gibbons,

of New York city, will be in his Scranton office, 441 Wyoming avenue, every Monday from 8 in the morning until 9 in the evening. *

A Ring-ing Talk.

There was no more forcible or ringing talk on the Republican or Democratic platforms than the talk of wedding rings purchased at Davidow Bros. *

I am prepared to receive a limited number of piano pupils. For terms, etc., address Richard F. Lindsay, 822 Mulberry Street. Or at Powell's Music Store. *

Gold Dollars! Gold Dollars!!

You can make them by purchasing lots at Wood Lawn Park. Down town office, Clark, the florist. *

SOAP WAS RUBBED ON RAILS

Caused a Wreck on a Narrow Guage Road on the West Mountain.

TWO RAILROAD MEN INJURED

Brakes Were Applied to the Rails but They Were of No Avail—Mischievous Boys Are Supposed to Have Caused Accident.

Several men narrowly escaped instant and horrible death on West Mountain yesterday as the result of foolhardy mischievousness which borders on crime. As it was an engineer and brakeman employed on the narrow guage railroad of the Scranton Stone company, were painfully injured and a locomotive nearly demolished after sliding along at lightning speed on the track, which had been greased with soap.

The railroad between the company's quarry on the mountain and the Lackawanna tracks near the Continental mine extends like a figure "W" with a switch at each angle. The accident is reported to have occurred on the stretch of track nearest the quarry. A party of young men supposed to have been chestnutters, boarded the train at the quarry with the istention of riding down into Hyde Park.

The cars had gone but a short distance when the speed began to increase and the party of chestnutters jumped off. Engineer Dennis Dougherty reversed his engine and the breaks were applied with all the strength of Brakeman Fred Roche, but without any perceptible effect. In the meantime the train had acquirred a breath taking momentum, and on reaching the switch jumped the track, piling cars and locomotive in a confused mass.

The escape of the engineer and brakeman seems almost providential. They were thrown clear of the wreck but in the fall Engineeer Dougherty was quite severely ingured. An ambulance call was sent to the Lackawanna hospital, and after the surgeon had attended to Dougherty's injuries he was tahen to his home.

The perpetrators of the rail-greasing act have not been discovered.

CONCERT COMPANY FORMED.

It Will Be Headed by Professor Alexander of Wilkes-Barre.

Professor Alexander has organized a concert company which is to take the road shortly, provided suitable dates can be secured in Pennsylvania towns so that the company can easily arrange to sing five nights of each week and return early on Saturday in order to properly practice their selections for the Sunday services. The new organization will be called Alexander's Quartette and of course the professor will be its director. The members will be:

Richard Williams, tenor of the First Presbyterian choir.

Mrs. Frendenburger, soprano.

Emma Bauer Powell, alto.

Llewellyn Thomas, of Scranton, baritone.

Miss Tillie Lewis, the well known elocutionist, will also be a member of the company.

Professor Alexander has had the members rehearsing for some time and a most elaborate programme has been arranged. Concerts are to be given the first week in Hazleton, Pottsville and on down the line as far as Reading. The following week the company will take a tour in another direction. After all the towns proposed have been gone over two magnificent concerts are to conclude the season, one to be given in Scranton and the other in this city.

E. A. Niven, the well known journalist, has been engaged to arrange the dates for the company's appearance.—Wilkes-Barre Times.

PLATE CLASS PROGRESS.

The Bonta Company Will Be Ready for Business By January 1.

After some interruptions the Bonta Plate Glass company are now on a fair way to the completion of their Moosic works. Twenty-five men are engaged at the factory site. They have the three anealing ovens two-thirds done, the foundation laid for the melting oven, the piers ready for the main building and a pot house, 25x75 feet, completed.

A car load of clay suitable for pots is on the way to the works, and two expert mixers from Pittsburg are under engagement and ready to come as soon as wanted. The main building will, it is expected, be under cover within sixty days, and the works in regular operation by the first of the new year.

POLICE REPORT FOR MONTH.

Number of Arrests That Were Made in the City.

According to the report of the chief of police for the month of September, 221 arrests were made, of which 136 were native born ,85 foreign born, 74 married, 147 single, 200 male, 21 female, 25 minors.

Drunkenness, as usual, furnished the major portion of cases in the 78 persons arrested for that offense. Sixty were commtted to the county jail, 47 discharged, and the balance fined to the extent of $406.75.

BODY WILL LIE IN STATE.

Arrangements Have Been Made for Funeral of Ex-Mayor McKune.

The body of ex-Mayor Robert H. McKune arrived in the city yesterday afternoon and was met by a committee from Union lodge, No. 291, Free and Accepted Masons, and placed in the hands of Funeral Director Miller. The body will be taken to the Municipal building Sunday morning, where it will lie in state between the hours of 9.30 a. m. and 1.30 p. m., during which time friends and citizens will have an opportunity to view the remains.

The funeral services will be held in the First Presbyterian church at 2 o'clock, Rev. S. C. Logan, D. D., officiating. After the sermon, the body will be taken in charge by Union lodge and deposited with Masonic honors in its final resting place in Forest Hill cemetery.

FELL FROM THE ROOF.

Fatal Injuries Received by John Parsons in Green Ridge.

John Parsons, jr., was fatally injured in a fall from the roof of the house of John F. Lewis, 116 Larch street, Green Ridge, at 7 o'clock yesterday morning. He died about 1 o'clock in the afternoon.

Parsons was shingling the roof when he lost his balance and fell, striking on his head and shoulders. Drs. Reedy, Arndt and Rea attended him.

The deceased was a popular young man and his violent death has shocked a large number of Green Ridge friends, who esteemed him highly.

BOARD OF HEALTH MEETS.

Month of September Was Remarkably Free from Sickness—Analysis Made of City's Water.

Facts which will prove a source of gratification to the city at large were developed at yesterday's meeting of the board of health. Rumors have been current for several weeks to the effect that the number of existing cases and deaths from contagious diseases have been abnormal; that an epidemic of typhoid was imminent, and that the water supply had been contaminated. All these fears were proven groundless.

The report of Health Officer Allen was to this effect: That notwithstanding an unusual amount of street and building excavation and pronounced changes in the weather, the month of September was remarkably free from sickness. In fact, the deaths and existing cases of contagious diseases for the month were less, proportionately, than during any September since 1890. In September, 1892, foty-seven cases were reported and four deaths resulted from contagious diseases; this year the figures were ten and two, respectively.

Water Pollution Stopped.

Dr. Allen, in his official capacity as state health inspector, recently investigated the four typhoid cases existing at Elmhurst. He found the drinking water had been procured from a spring which was contaminated by an outhouse The latter was burned and the refuse buried after being thoroughly disenfected. Two men are now employed about the premises, and twice each day remove the excreta and bury it.

D. W. Humphrey, a chemist employed by the board, was present and submitted analyses showing that the several city drinking waters are practically pure. Following is an analysis of water drawn from a faucet in Lackawanna:

	Parts per 100.
Free Ammonia	.0033
Albummoid	.0126
Oxygen required	.21
Organic matter (approx.)	1.68
Chlorine	.43
Total solids	5.25
Color	slightly yellow
Odor	Faint earthy

The reports of the secretary, food inspector and superintendent of crematory were adopted and a considerable amount of routine business transacted before adjournment.

The Scranton Business College.

Another teacher will begin work in the day session on Monday. Twenty new tables were placed in the building Tuesday afternoon. They were badly needed. The shorthand department now occupies three rooms. M ain study and practice room, dictation room and tpyewriting room.

At the solicitation of a number of parents, a special course has been arranged for young ladies and gentlemen. Special branches will be taught by a competent teacher. Pupils for this department will be received next week.

Two responsible positions were filled this week.

The new suits for the foot ball team came Wednesday. The boys are now practicing hard preparatory to a contest with a team in a neighboring city soon *

A Great Financier.

From the Detroit Free Press.

The somewhat impecuious young man had married the daughter of the rich legislator so much against the father's will that he had left them to shift for themselves.

"Your wife's father," remarked a friend one day to the young man, "is a great old financier."

"Yes, but he is no statesman."

"Is that so?"

"Of course. For when I married his daughter he demonetized her, ad we've had hard times ever since."

A. O. U. W.

All members of Upchurch lodge, 223, are requested to attend the next regular meeting on Monday, Oct. 15. Business of importance is to be transacted. Yours in C. H. & P., W. F. LOFTUS, Recorder. *

Are You Looking for Guns?

If so do not forget to call at Davidow Bros. before purchasing. *

Pillsbury's Flour Mills have a capacity of 17,500 barrels a day. *