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Mr. and Mrs. John House, of Esopus-on-the-Hudson, who have been visiting Mr. and Mrs. P. F. Duffy, of Price street, returned home Saturday morning.

Among the gentlemen present at the reception to Colonel Henry Watterson at the residence of William T. Smith Friday evening were Mr. W. H. Taylor, Mr. George Sanderson, Mr. Richard Matthews and Mr. Everhart, of Wilkes-Barre.

Among the visitors to Scranton Saturday were Judge James Ingils and Moses E. Worthen, of Passaic, N. J., and George Wurts, editor of the Paterson Daily Call, Paterson, N. J., who came here to inspect the court house. They are a committee sent out to gather information for the building of a court house in Passaic county, N. J. They called on Mayor Connell and he escorted them to the court house, where they were shown around by the county commissioners.

NEWS OF SOCIAL WORLD.

Preparations for the Fete Champetre, to be given in the Frothingham theater for the Home for the Friendless are progressing with much satisfaction of officers and committees. Among the dances whose complement of dancers is filled are the Scarf and Gondolier dances. The chaperones of the Scarf dance are Mrs. E. L. Fuller and Mrs. F. H. Jermyn. The dancers are: Misses Alice Matthews, Florence Voorhees, Grace Spencer, Louise Seybolt, Mary Bissell, Annie Buck, Lillian Gearhart, Caroline Boardman, Mary Foster, Torrey and Phillips; Messrs. W. W. Wharton, Campbell, Bevan, Dickhard, Gearhart, Wolfe, Nettleton, Robert Snyder, George Dimmick, Harry Kirkpatrick, Wallace Ruth, Sharps, Percy Mott. The chaperones of the Gondoliers are Mrs. Henry Belin, jr., and Mrs. James Archbald; the dancers are: Misses Archbald, Augusta Archbald, Allis Dale, Flora Matthews, Frances Winton, Jessie Simpson, Lulu Welles, Skinner, Jessie Coursen, Frances Hunt, Susan Jermyn, Alice Belin; Messrs. Frank, Theodore and Lawrence Fuller, Hunt, E. E. Chase, Merrill, James Blair, jr., John Brooks, J. H. S. Lynde, Bliss, Russell Dimmick, B. E. Watson.

One of the largest children's paries ever given in this city was the masquerade given by Mr. and Mrs. E. G. Coursen Saturday afternoon in the Scranton Bicycle club house for their son and daughter, Edgar and Catherine. The hours were from 4 to 8 o'clock, and during that period about 150 little ones romped and danced under the supervision of Mr. and Mrs. Coursen and many friends who assisted them. The grand march was arranged and led by Mrs. Elizabeth Lewis.

Professor J. Frank Siegel will conduct a domino hop at his academy of dancing Thursday evening. The ladies will wear white dominoes and masques, and the gentlemen will wear black ones. There will be dancing from 9 to 11 exclusively for those in dominoes and from 11 to 1 o'clock the dancing will be general.

A number of well-known young men will conduct a subscription dance at the Bicycle club house Tuesday evening.

Oakford Is Now the Owner.

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WAGES OF SIN IS DEATH

Rev. George G. Johnson's Sermon in Penn Avenue Baptist Church.

TEMPTATION IS NOT EVIL

But Yielding to It Brings Awful Retribution—Need of Knowing the Result as Well as the Beginning of Things.

Rev. George G. Johnson, of Balston Spa, N. Y., preached yesterday morning and night in the Penn Avenue Baptist church. He is a young clergyman, but in the thoughts of his two sermons and by his manner of earnest, forcible delivery displayed an ability which would do credit to one of more mature years.

The two services were made especially attractive by a repetition of the Christmas music under the direction of Choirmaster C. F. Whittemore. The programme of the music has been published.

Mr. Johnson's evening sermon was a simple but earnest plea for withstanding temptation, in which he endeavored to impress upon the congregation the infallacy of the text James 1:15: "* * And sin, when it is finished bringeth forth death." He said:

"'Where does it end?' is a question we should constantly ask ourselves It is especially important in a spiritual sense, more important than in a business or worldly sense, for the one has an eternal aspect while the other is only temporal. This, too, suggests the assertion that the end is more important than the beginning. In coasting down a hill it is more essential to know what lies at the bottom than at the top, and no busines man begins a certain plan or policy until he is satisfied that the end is to be favorable. So in life—we should know what the end is.

We Begin Our Life in Sin.

"Let us start at the beginning. All of us begin our life in sin. What is sin? Sin is defined by God in the same verse that contains our text. 'Then when lust hath conceived, it brought forth fruit'; that is, 'lust,' which might be modernly termed 'evil desire,' if yielded to, is sin.

"If temptations were sin, then the Saviour would not have been guiltless during the forty days and forty nights in the wilderness when he was tempted of the devil; yield not to temptation for yielding is sin. So the temptation to drink is not sin, but the first cup of liquor is evil. It's the old story of Eden over again, when if Eve's desire had not been yielded to, 'yielded to,—mark the words—her's would have been victory not tragedy.

"We might say 'full grown' instead of 'finished' in relation to when sin brings forth death. When the Russian thistle by some unknown means was transplanted to our Western prairies the weed was looked upon as a curiosity by the farmers. They allowed it to become 'full grown' and it brought forth death to the grain it mixed itself with. It was not a bad looking weed; really it was pretty and apparently harmless. Well, it was harmless until it attained its 'full growth.' That is the dangerous point. It is the same with vice, pleasurable at first but almost an incurable growth when it finally absorbs the heart and soul and brings forth death.

Disciple's Love of Gain.

"There was one of the twelve disciples who had a growth of sin in his breast. The growth was love of gain, a malady not uncommon in the present day. This disciple was offered thirty pieces of silver to betray his Christ. There was but one decision under the circumstances; the growth of sin was so great that the offer of silver was accepted and Judas Iscariot betrayed the Christ by a kiss. The curse of his sin followed him to away out on the desert, far from everybody and everywhere, when he committed suicide. Surely 'the wages of sin is death.'

"Every step away from Christ gives sin a new day's growth in your heart and life, and makes it harder to turn back; somewhere, sometime, sin in its full growth will bring forth death. Let's hope that we may have a brighter and more splendid picture for any soul that will put aside temptation and look to Christ before it is too late.

"A man once took a small lion cub for a pet. He kept the cub in his room where he fondled and played with it. He noticed its growth, and to accommodate the little thing he made its bed larger. One day, while reading a book the cub, now a year old, was licking one of its master's hands. The rough surface of the tongue finally scraped some of the skin from the hand and the blood began to ooze only in a drop or so through the skin. In an instant the cub, now a lion, grasped the hand firmly in its teeth. The master had sufficient present of mind not to pull his arm away, but with the other hand grasped a revolver which lay on a nearby table and shot the beast through the heart. The growth of tne playful cub into a beast, in all the word implies, illustrates the growth of sin. It is deemed pleasant in its infancy when its apparent harmlessness encourages one to caress and nurture it. The protests of one's friends, the law of God, even the dictates of conscience do not influence one to put temptation behind them, and finally the growth becomes so large that we are absorbed and die with God's penalty pronounced upon our souls.

His Warnings Not Flippant.

"Will we heed the warnings so plainly held out to us? God's warnings are not flippant; proportionately they are as awful as the everlasting joys promised for Christian living are good. Let us take heed. The end is plainly before us and we have the advantage of knowing that a repentant sinner can be redeemed. Which course will we take? One is sin and leads to death; the other is putting aside temptation and reaping everlasting reward."

SERVICE IN MEMORIAM.

Conducted in the Rescue Mission by Rev. G. L. Aldrich.

Services in memory of Mrs. A. E. Saxton, late matron of the Florence mission on Spruce street, were held yesterday afternoon in the Rescue mission on Franklin avenue. Rev. George L. Aldrich, of Grace Reformed Episcopal church, presided and preached from Hebrews, xi:4, "God testifying of his gifts: and by it he, being dead, yet speaketh." It was a tribute to Mrs. Saxton's high character, and her self-denial and laborious work in helping others.

Brief remarks were made by Dr. G. E. Dean and many to whom Mrs. Saxton had been a kind and helpful friend. A duet was sung by Miss Blanche Dolph and Florence Robinson and solos by Miss Hasty, of Avoca, and Miss Robinson. The service closed with prayer and a benediction by Mr. Aldrich.

DR. MORGAN DECLINES.

Will Not Become Pastor of the Penn Avenue Baptist Church.

Rev. Dr. Charles T. Morgan, of the Spring Garden Street Baptist church, of Philadelphia, has declined the call of the Penn Avenue Baptist church of this city. This was intimated in a recent issue of The Tribune, which made public the call of the First Baptist church of Haverhill, Mass., and which Dr. Morgan will probably accept.

Dr. Morgan is a clergyman of splendid ability. Before the Penn Avenue congregation votes upon another candidate it is likely that the pulpit committee will be instructed to call a number of clergymen for trial.

Dr. Morgan was sorry he could not come to Scranton. His call to the Penn Avenue church was not unanimous, while that of the Haverhill church was. For that reason he accepted the latter.

A Y. W. C. A. SECRETARY.

Call Extended to Miss Nellie Allen, of Syracuse, N. Y.

The board of managers of the Young Women's Christian association at a meeting Saturday afternoon decided to call Miss Nellie Allen, of Syracuse, N. Y., to the secretaryship of the local association. Miss Allen is not generally known in Scranton, but has had a practical training in association work.

She was a prominent figure in the recent convention at Bloomsburg, where by her exhibition of tact, amiability and capabilities she made a very favorable impression upon the Scranton delegates. Her association work has been confined to colleges. She is highly recommended.

It will be remembered that Miss MacCurdy, a former secretary, recently declined a call to succeed Miss Tolles.

ACHDEACONRY SESSION.

Episcopal Clergy and Laity to Be Here Until Wednesday Night.

Beginning tonight and continuing until Wednesday night the Protestant Episcopal archdeaconry of the central diocese of Pennsylvania will be in session in St. Luke's church on Wyoming avenue. The Rt. Rev. Nelson S. Rulison, bishop of the diocese, will be present, together with rectors and laity from twenty-seven towns and cities.

Instead of being entertained in private houses the visitors will be quartered at the hotels. They will dine at 12.30 o'clock Tuesday and Wednesday at the Hotel Terrace.

SABBATH NEWS NOTES.

Christmas music was repeated in the Simpson Methodist church.

"The Golden Rule" was the evening topic of Rev. Foster U. Gift, of Grace Lutheran church.

Rev. A. L. Ramer, of St. Mark's Lutheran church, preached at the 4 o'clock service in St. Paul's Lutheran church.

Rev. William Elgar's topics in the Providence Methodist church were "A Church Criticised" and "Moral Transformation."

J. M. Chance, organist at the Second Presbyterian church, has returned from a two weeks' visit with his parents, in Illinois.

Rev. A. L. Ramer, of St. Mark's Lutheran church., preached in the evening on "Christ, the Prophet, of Whom Moses Spoke."

Rev. H. W. Buck, presiding elder of Lewisburg, administered holy communion in the Green Ridge United Evangelical church.

In Elm Park church the topics of Rev. Dr. W. H. Pearce were "A Satisfying Sight" and "The Impartation of Strength."

Miss S. C. Krigbaum, of the Penn Avenue Baptist church, led the afternoon Gospel meeting of the Young Women's Christian association.

The topics of Rev. W. J. Ford in the Green Ridge Baptist church were "Some Characteristics of Hebrew Prophecy," and "The Broken Altars."

Rev. Dr. Griffin, of Binghamton, once the presiding elder of this district, preached morning and evening in the Court Street Methodist church.

In the Scranton Street Baptist church Rev. S. F. Matthews' topics were "The Armor of Truth" and "Arise Ye, and Depart, for This Is Not Your Rest."

The topics of Rev. John P. Moffatt in the Washburn Street Presbyterian church were "Superficial Religiousness" and "On the Border of, Yet Without the Kingdom."

A portion of the Christmas music was repeated at the evening service in the Simpson Methodist Episcopal church. Rev. L. C. Floyd preached an excellent sermon, "How to Treat the Devil" and "What Kept the Inquirer from Christ" were, respectively, the evening and morning topics of Rev. Dr. C. E. Robinson in the Second Presbyterian church.

"The Eighth of the Ten Words—Thieves and Thievery," the eighth of a series on the Decalogue, was the evening subject of Rev. Dr. James McLeod in the First Presbyterian church.

Judge Beaver did not address yesterday afternoon's meeting at the Young Men's Christian association, he having been unexpectedly called to his home, in Bellefonte, by the sudden illness of one of his family. An address was made by Rev. Dr. James McLeod, of the First Presbyterian church.

The Plymouth Congregational church was well-filled in the evening by an audience anxious to hear Rev. T. Bell, the pastor's address to Keystone lodge, Loyal Knights of America. Mr. Bell took as his text Luke, x. 27. The sermon was one of the most eloquent ever preached by this successful minister. The theme was "love" in its different phases. Mr. Bell spoke plainly, illustrating his talk with pictures of dissipation taken from instances in ths locality. The Knights were deeply impressed. Communion was observed after the regular services.

FUNDS FOR THE FRIENDLESS.

Obedient to suggestions from those intrusted with the general canvass in behalf of the Home for the Friendless, the funds sent to this paper, including The Tribune's own subscription, will go to the new building fund. This is the wish of the Home managers. It will prevent any confusion, and render possible a concentration of energy on the objective point of a fine, new, fire-proof Home. We regret that there should have hitherto been a lack of understanding on this point, but now that the subject is clearly defined, may we not expect generous responses from philanthropic Tribune readers everywhere?

On Saturday, two additional contributions were received, both from St. Luke's parish. They are acknowledged below. Let the liberality continue. Every dollar sent now, while the enterprise is in its critical stage, will practically do the work of two dollars, later on. The total new building fund, including all contributions, is nearly $13,000. Below is The Tribune fund to date:

The Scranton Tribune	$100 00
St. Luke's church, "Tithes".	5 00
Mrs. Henry A. Knapp	50 00
G. F. Schwenker	50
St. Luke's Parish, "Two Friends"	15 00
St. Luke's Parish, "A Friend"	5 00
Total	$175 50

HE BEAT THE NURSE.

John Falkar's Harsh Treatment to His Wife's Attendant.

John Falkar, of Division street, beat and threatened to kill Mrs. Mary Woodsick, a nurse who attended Mrs. Falkar in a recent illness.

Mrs. Woodsick asked $5 for her services; Falkar offered her $3 and, during the controversy which followed, committed the alleged assault. He was held in $600 bail for court by Alderman Millar Saturday night.

Death of Former Scrantonian.

Everett Parker, a young man who a few years ago was well and favorably known in this city, died Saturday at Newark, N. J., after a short illness. His mother, Mrs. Ella F. Parker, is a resident of this city and the remains will be brought here for interment.

Held Succeeds O'Brien.

Saturday night the ownership of the barber shop under the Dime bank passed from William O'Brien to Joseph Held. Mr. O'Brien will open a barber shop in the Hotel Jermyn on April 1.

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FOR A NEW FOUNDLING HOME

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THE SITE IS IN NORTH PARK

Covers Two and One-Half Acres and Was Donated by the Late John B. Smith. Rev. J. J. B. Feeley Has Charge of Collections in Cathedral Parish.

At all the masses in St. Peter's cathedral yesterday morning the announcement was made that Rt. Rev. Bishop O'Hara has decided that collections will be taken up in the parishes throughout the diocese to establish a fund for the erection of a new building for St. Joseph's Foundling home.

The late John B. Smith, of Dunmore, about a year before his death philanthropically donated to the home two and one-half acres of ground adjoining the Home for the Friendless tract at North Park, and it is on this site that the new home will be erected. It is proposed that the building will be commodious, modern in its appointments, and in architecture it will be in keeping with the purpose of making it a diocesan institution.

The present home on Jefferson avenue is far from being calculated to accommodate the needs of the noble and charitable work which is being fulfilled by the sisters in charge, and to their great credit may it be said that notwithstanding the lack of ordinary facilities, still they are accomplishing an untold amount of good in caring for children of tender years, bereft by accident or design of the fostering care of parents.

Fifty-Seven Inmates in the Home.

There are now in the home fifty-seven children, whose ages range between one day and four years. After the latter period they are transferred to the Orphan asylum, where they obtain an education. The average number of foundlings left on the door step of the home and wrapped in swaddling clothes is about four every year. One was found cuddled up only two months ago when the front door was opened early in the morning by one of the sisters in answer to a wild ring of the door bell.

Rev. J. J. B. Feeley has charge of the collection at the cathedral; it will not be taken up in the church, but Father Feeley will go through the parish and make a personal canvass. The pastors of the other churches will use their own wishes with reference to the manner in which the contributions will be received. Father Feeley intends to start out today to make collections.

The plans for the new building have not yet been adopted, nor has any estimate been agreed upon as to the proposed cost. It can be readily seen that if it is the intention of moking it a diocesan institution, a large amount of money will be necessary.

In view of the grand and deserving charity that is to be benefited the hope is that liberality will mark the contributions of the Catholics of the Scranton diocese and any others who may desire to lend their means to an object so worthy.

VERDICT FOR DEFENDANT.

Jury Did Not Endorse Suit of Morris & Essex Mutual Coal Co.

Major Everett Warren and C. P. O'Malley, attorneys for the Delaware, Lackawanna and Western Railroad company, in the trespass suit where the Morris and Essex Mutual Coal company was plaintiff, won a signal victory, a verdict for the defendant being rendered Saturday by the jury in the case. The suit was for taking a culm dump in Old Forge township and damages were asked in the sum of $10,000. City Solicitor James H. Torrey, ex-Judge Garrick M. Harding and Attorney John S. Harding, of Wilkes-Barre, represented the plaintiff. The railroad company defended on the ground that the dump was taken with the consent of William Repp, agent of the Morris and Essex company, and that it was taken more than six years before the suit was brought, which fact barred recovery under the statute of limitations.

After being out two days and two nights in a trivial case, the one where Jacob Harris was plaintiff and Constable George C. Wilson defendant, the jury came into court Saturday morning and asked to be discharged. Upon inquiry, it was found that eleven stubborn men were holding out against one intelligent and far-seeing citizen.

Counsel on both sides agreed to abide by the decision of the eleven and let the other juror with the fixed opinion cling to it. They were in favor of a verdict of $11 for the defendant and judgment was so recorded.

In the suit of Sophia Lowenstein against the estate of Edward Lowenstein, who was her son, the verdict of the jury was in favor of the defendant. In the case of Townsend W. Knowles against Mary Jacob a verdict in favor of the defendant was found.

The suit of J. B. Lesh against Jesse Hunt, his brother-in-law, for money advanced on a judgment note, was called Saturday morning before Judge Archbald. Attorneys Hulslander & Vosburg represented the plaintiff and Attorney C. W. Dawson the defendant.

Want Damages for Grading.

In court room No. 2 Saturday an adjourned hearing before arbitrators was held in the suits of certain property owners of Taylor against the borough and the Scranton and Pittston Traction company. Assistant District Attorney John M. Harris appeared for the borough; Attorneys John P. Kelley and George M. Watson for the property owners, and City Solicitor Torrey for the company. Attorney C. A. Battenberg took stenographic notes of the testimony. The suits are for the grading of Main street. Several property owners testified and fixed damages at various amounts.

STILL IN THE RING.

Seventy-Two Year-Old Olyphant Man Assaults His Son-in-Law.

Patrick Murray, a 72-year-old resident of Olyphant, was committed to the county jail yesterday for assaulting his son-in-law, Thomas McHale.

The assault occurred yesterday morning and the hearing took place soon afterwards before Justice of the Peace McNally. Constable McLaughlin, who brought the belligerent old fellow to jail, explained that the whisky which was the cause of all the trouble was procured the night before.

Meeting of Ninth Street Viewers.

Viewers W. T. Davis, Colonel F. L. Hitchcock and Attorney T. V. Powderly, appointed to assess the damages to abutting property owners by virtue of the widening of Ninth and Robinson streets, met Saturday afternoon on the grounds and will meet soon again. Attorneys John P. Kelley and J. C. Vaughan represented the property owners and Assistant City Solicitor David J. Davis, the city.

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