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CITY NOTES.

There will be a meeting of the managers of the Florence mission today at 10 a. m. The fifth annual carnival of the Scranton Liederkreis will be held in Music Hall tomorrow night. This evening the St. Aloysius' society of the South Side will hold a ball in Excelsior hall, on Wyoming avenue. There were thirty-one deaths in the city last week; eleven cases of contagious diseases and five deaths resulting therefrom. Arrangements for a musical entertainment in this city by Rev. Dr. J. Stafford, an eloquent Catholic priest of Washington, D. C. James Cannon, a drunk, was discharged Sunday morning. Sunday he was again arrested and given thirty days in the county jail. A music tea was held in the Green Ridge library last night. A. V. Bower's stereopticon lecture on Pompeii was postponed until Feb. 5. The funeral of Maurice, son of Mrs. Owen Cusick, will be held this afternoon at 2 o'clock in the St. Ignace church. John Kapushinski, at the instance of his brother, Frank, of Palm street, was sent to the county jail for assault and battery. Application for a charter for the Abington Mutual Fire Insurance company was made in court Feb. 15 by residents of North and South Abington townships. City Solicitor James H. Torrey and County Solicitor H. A. Knapp held a conference yesterday regarding the placing of the Green Ridge Women's Christian Temperance union meet at Mrs. William Tripp's, 141 Fordham street, Tuesday, at 2:30 p. m. Mrs. W. H. Treverton, secretary. John Tolleki accused of stealing six billiard balls from Leon Oshifski's parlor, on South Washington avenue, was held to bail in the sum of \$20 yesterday by Alderman Miller. Alderman Martin Hore, of the Eighteenth ward committed Mrs. Mary Hunk to the county jail last night in default of bail. She is charged with perjury and another serious crime. Deputy Sheriff J. D. Ferber yesterday sold out the personal property of saloon-keeper James Mora, of Old Forge, for \$18. Attorney E. C. Newcomb purchased it for the execution creditors. The board of government of the Scranton Diocesan union has adopted resolutions commending the attitude of President Cleveland on the Venezuelan question. In the case of D. W. Vaughan against Fred R. Jennings, the court yesterday returned a verdict for the defendant, returning a rule for a new trial. The Elks will give a smoker for members only at the club rooms on Franklin avenue this evening. There will be singing, dancing, card parties and refreshments will be served. The work on the repairs to the sewer in front of the matrimonial parlor has been completed and as soon as the Gas and Water company finish the work on their main the excavation will be filled in and the street repaired. The will of Catherine E. Thompson, late of Newton, was admitted to probate yesterday and letters testamentary were granted to D. W. Richards. In the estate of Alexander M. Van Gordon, of Monticow, letters of administration were granted to his widow, Lucy Van Gordon. By direction of the trustees, the regular meeting of the Lackawanna Institute of History and Science will be held at the room in the court house, this evening at 7 o'clock. The presentation of the portrait of Colonel J. A. Price, that was to have been made last month, will be made at this meeting. Four persons entered the clerk of the court's office yesterday and they were waited upon in the matrimonial parlor by Deputy Bailiff Bonn, Daniel Egan, of Philadelphia, and Miss Eliza Ann Mitchell, of Carbondale, were one couple, and the other was Jacob Barth, of Forty Fort, and Miss Mary Jane Mitchell, she being a sister of the other bride-elect. Mr. Little, of the firm of Little and O'Connor, New York, architects of the new high school building, yesterday inspected the work thus far done on the building in conjunction with the high school committee. Mr. Jennings, chairman of the committee, says that the building will be completed by July and will be all ready for occupancy at the opening of next term. Marriage licenses were yesterday granted to Henry A. Nicholson, of Scranton, and Clara Whitley, of Jermy, Mathias Kalykietz and Mary Lokawitch, Priceburg; George Acker, of Dunmore, and Mary E. Hughes, of Scranton; Andre Zyzansk and Justina Holat, both of Glyphant; John Hill and Esther M. Jones, both of Old Forge; Alfred Griffin, of Chinchilla, and Ella McNamara, of Scranton;

THE PROGRESS OF A YEAR

Work of the Board of Trade During the Past Twelve Months.

ANNUAL MEETING LAST NIGHT

Officers Elected and Report of Secretary Atherton Read—Captain May Continued in the Chair for Another Year—The Routine Business.

The annual meeting of the board of trade was held last night. Captain W. A. May was re-elected president and Luther Keller was elected vice president over John T. Porter by a vote of 15 to 12. A. W. Dickson was unanimously re-elected secretary and William Connell was unanimously re-elected to the board of trustees for the term ending on the 31st of December. Atherton's annual report which was received with appreciation by the board, is given below in full:

To the President and Members, Scranton Board of Trade: Gentlemen:—I beg to submit the following as my report for the year ended Dec. 31, 1895. The twenty-sixth year of the history of the Scranton board of trade has rolled by and we have now entered our thirty-first year of its incorporation. For a quarter of a century has this body represented every thing that tended to the betterment and improvement of the city of Scranton. It has seen the wonderful growth of the city, from a swampy wilderness to a great manufacturing center. It has seen the city's growth from a small village to a great manufacturing center. It has seen the city's growth from a small village to a great manufacturing center.

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The Resolutions Adopted.

We, Prohibitionists of Scranton, in city convention assembled, Jan. 20, 1896, resolve that we are in favor of the prohibition of national and state party lines in municipal elections. We believe good citizens should unite to elect municipal officers who will honestly and fearlessly enforce all laws without regard to party advantage. It is made up as follows: Mayor, J. W. Guernsey, city controller, Edwin S. Williams, city treasurer, Minor C. Carr, city assessor, Edward Patrick, president, William Moore, West Side; D. J. Clearwater, South Side.

City Committee Named.

Nominations were called for and the candidates named above were chosen without opposition. A city committee consisting of Frank Hutchinson, A. G. Thomson, H. M. Walton, Edwin S. Williams and C. L. Hawley, was chosen to conduct the campaign. The secretary was instructed to notify the candidates of their nomination and before adjourning a vote of thanks was extended to the Women's Christian Temperance Union for the use of the rooms.

FUNDS FOR THE FRIENDLESS.

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 \$12,000. 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 00
St. Luke's Parish, "Two Friends"	15 00
St. Luke's Parish, "A Friend"	5 00
Total	\$175 00

EXCEPTION IS TAKEN.

Filed Against the Decision of the Court in the "Bees" Will Contest. City Solicitor J. H. Torrey filed exceptions yesterday in the orphans' court against the decision and order of Judge John E. McPherson, of Harrisburg, respecting the appeal in the will of Luther Laffin Mills against the account of Colonel Henry M. Boies, executor of the estate of Joseph Boies.

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The Tribune Fund for the Home for the Friendless is growing, but it ought to grow a great deal more rapidly. Have you contributed to it?

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be largely in our favor. The same number of interest and able articles on Scranton from the pen of Miss Susan E. Dickinson, which dealt with the educational and industrial situation of Scranton in a way that could not but impress the outside world with our wonderful strides in these directions. Another article appeared in the Engineering News of Dec. 25, which was devoted to Scranton from the pen of the Perry article. These have all been commented upon in the columns of this paper, and it is my belief that there is no city in the land to which the attention of the industrial world is so attracted more than Scranton. What the ultimate result of all this expenditure of money and effort will be, it is difficult to say, but it is my candid opinion that it will far exceed our most sanguine expectations.

Many matters of public concern and importance have been considered by the Board during the year just past. The most notable being the public market and the fire department questions. Both of these matters have been considered in length, and now await the action of the council to assure these most needed improvements.

Board of Trade Building.

The most important step ever taken by this board was the one that promised the erection of a new and commodious building for the board of trade. The matter was well under way and before the close of the year we will, no doubt, have a permanent home—a board of trade building that will be a credit to the citizens of this city and a monument to the zeal and energy of the members of the Scranton board of trade.

REPORT OF MEMBERSHIP.

Number of members Jan. 1, 1895.....145
New members elected during the year.....185
Resignations received and accepted, 19 Died during the year.....11

Total membership.....320

SECRETARY'S FINANCIAL STATEMENT.

To balance on hand Jan. 1, 1896.....\$ 19 00
By cash received from members.....2,871 87
By cash received from Dr. D. J. Clearwater.....\$,831 57
By amount paid A. W. Dickson, Treasurer.....\$,831 57

TREASURER'S STATEMENT.

To cash on hand Jan. 1, 1896.....\$ 68 93
To cash received from Dr. D. J. Clearwater.....\$,831 57
To interest allowed by First National bank.....30 00
By orders paid to Jan. 20, 1896.....\$1,230 25

Thanks to the Press.

Balance in treasury Jan. 20, 1896, \$1,691 44. The sincere thanks of the board are due the press of this city for the very liberal and broad-spirited manner in which we have treated you. This office is now one of their regular assignments. Representatives of the different papers call each day, always ready and willing to give space to any item that may be of public interest, and carrying out our wishes in many instances beyond the measure of our expectations. The completion of the Linden street and Roaring Brook bridges, the erection of the new high school, the new bank building, the high school, and last, but by no means least, the new board of trade building, would seem to warrant one in entertaining a most favorable opinion of the great things in store for our beloved city.

CHASM NOT BRIDGED.

Assistant Assessors Can't Get Their Pay Till Books Are Turned Over. The auditing committee of councils last night postponed action on the bills of the assistant city assessors for two weeks. In the meantime a resolution will be introduced in council instructing the city clerk not to sign any warrants for assistant assessors pay until the 1895 assessment books have been turned over to the board of revision and appeals.

MARRIED.

BARTH, MITCHELL.—In Scranton, Pa., Jan. 20, 1896, at the residence of the officiating clergyman, Rev. Richard Horner, Jacob Barth of Forty Fort, and Miss Jane Mitchell, of Carbondale. HAUBENSTEIN—HAYNES.—By the Rev. A. F. Chaffee, on Jan. 18, 1896, at the home of Mrs. W. Guard, on Boulevard avenue, in this city, Mr. C. H. Haubenstein to Miss Zelma Haynes, both of Carbondale.

PRICE—ROBERTS.

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Weather Signals Displayed.

Since June 1 weather signals have been displayed from the tower of the Philadelphia local weather bureau has been inaugurated, which is conducted by our worthy member, Mr. H. E. Frazier. A full set of instruments were secured from the government, and telegrams received each day, giving the forecast of the weather for the succeeding twenty-four hours. Reports are sent to the weather bureau at Philadelphia each month, and the display of the signals has become a matter of daily occurrence.

During the year our cheap fact advantages have been extensively advertised through the Tribune, and we have a large number of Europe. In the November number of Case's Magazine appeared an article by Nelson W. Taylor, editor of the "Pictorial" in an able manner the vast amount of inert energy stored in our bank, and comparing it with the power stored here with that at Niagara, citing it to

ELM PARK'S NEW PASTOR

The Call Accepted by Rev. C. M. Griffin of Mount Vernon, N. Y.

HE IS A MAN OF GREAT ABILITY

Must Secure Formal Release from His Present Conference and Acceptance by the Wyoming Body—Dr. Pearce Goes to Wilkes-Barre.

The next pastor of Elm Park Methodist Episcopal church will be Rev. Dr. Charles M. Griffin, now pastor of the Methodist Episcopal church, and he will assume the pastorate of the Franklin Street church in Wilkes-Barre. Dr. Griffin will come to Scranton about April 1. Shortly after that date the term of Rev. Dr. W. H. Pearce, the present pastor of Elm Park church, will have reached the five-year limit. He allowed continuous term in the Methodist Episcopal church, and he will assume the pastorate of the Franklin Street church in Wilkes-Barre.

Dr. Griffin has accepted the call to Elm Park church but will have to secure a release from the New York conference in which his Mount Vernon pastorate is situated. Before making formal application to and being accepted by the Wyoming conference which meets in Binghamton the second week in April. He was in this city about two weeks ago.

It is said by Dr. Griffin that he is conceded to be the most sought after member of his present conference. He is 59 years old and is, like Dr. Pearce, the present pastor, a man of broad views and progressive tendency. The Elm Park church is united in its call.

NEXT TUESDAY'S CONCERT.

Diagram for It Will Open at the Academy of Music Friday.

The diagram for the concert for the Home for the Friendless given at the Academy of Music Friday morning. The concert is to be given next Tuesday at the Academy and indications all point to a splendid attendance. The cause is a most deserving one and this concert comes at a time when the receipts from such a benefit can be most fully appreciated. The concert itself will be one in every way worthy the cause the Symphony society seeks to assist.

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