

THANKSGIVING DAY IN THE CHURCHES

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constant care of the Creator, all along the eventful span of human life. It is the highest and most sacred ritual, that in the very material, as well as the spiritual universe...

LET THE SKEPTICS TALK. Let cavilling, subtle skepticism ask again, "What thanks to God for what we have when we have not? What thanks to God for what we have when we have not?"

COUNTRY WORTH LOVING. Good reason we have to love our country, and good reason we have to think of it with affection, and to love it with affection and with worth saying, and to save it with worth saying.

WEST SIDE UNION SERVICES. Elegant Sermon Delivered by Rev. S. F. Matthews.



REV. S. F. MATTHEWS, Preached the Sermon at West Side Union.

The Simpson Methodist Episcopal, the Westminster street and St. Paul's Protestant Episcopal, and the Plymouth Congregational churches, led the meeting. The service consisted of hymnal singing, prayer, and Scriptural reading.

REV. M. MATTHEWS' SERMON. It is no ordinary occasion when summoned alike by the supreme voice of the executive authority of the State...

It is no ordinary occasion when the voice solemn and solemn of him who summons us to his presence, in the human regard, with the divine more potent, benefits that make the reward of heaven, and that in beauty, grace, and love, from heaven, and that in beauty, grace, and love, from heaven, and that in beauty, grace, and love, from heaven...

AT AFRICAN M. E. CHURCH. Appropriate Sermon Delivered by Rev. H. A. Grant, B. D., pastor of Rev. H. A. Grant, B. D., pastor of

Howard Place African Methodist Episcopal church, chose for a Thanksgiving subject yesterday "Nations of Men." His text was Acts xvii, 16, "And hath dwelt on all the face of the earth, and hath determined the times before appointed, and the bounds of their habitation."

CAUSE FOR THANKS. What have we to be thankful for? For the deep, profound, marvelous, thrilling truth in the heart and conscience of the people, that in the very material, as well as the spiritual universe...

SAFELY HIDDEN OF STORM. The beautiful vessel of a nation's hopes is being tossed by a tempest of adversity, a Washington, sanctified by the blood of Lincoln, and made glorious by the heroic deeds of Grant and Sherman...

IN OTHER CHURCHES. Palms and chrysantheums made the interior of the Second Presbyterian church, in a program of songs and music directed by J. M. Chance, William Stanton, cornetist, assisted, The singers were as follows: Miss Sue Black, soprano; Thomas Beynon, tenor; Miss Lydia Gargan, contralto; Moses Morgan, bass; chorus, Mrs. Smith, Misses Park, Robinson, Sande, and Simpson, soprano; Mrs. Gargan, alto; Salmon and Sylvester, tenor; and Messrs. Ryan, Torrey, Croft, Schwartz, and Van Gordon, tenor; Cross, Dryer, Drake, and Dorey, bass.

NATIONAL GUARD ORDERS. Material Changes in Drill Regulation Made by General Snowden. Adjutant General Stewart has arranged to furnish all commissioned officers of the National Guard of the State with a copy of Captain Wagner's "series of security and information" in the order that the work outlined by Major General Snowden in a recent division order may be proceeded with.

MADE IT CHRONIC. He was bent on having a wheel, they said, and to purchase one was straightaway. And now, as his daily feet have shown, he's bent till the same has chronic grown.

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SCRANTON AND CULM. Reasons Why This City Would Be a Gas-Producing Center—It Has Many Advantages. At this time when the question of producing gas from anthracite culm is being so generally discussed, persons unfamiliar with mining methods are at a loss to know why Scranton is predicted to be the center of the culm-gas region.

LEBECK & CORIN PENNSYLVANIA RAILROAD COMPANY. Personally-Conducted Tours MATCHLESS IN EVERY FEATURE. CALIFORNIA Three tours to CALIFORNIA and the PACIFIC COAST will leave New York and Philadelphia Jan. 27, Feb. 3, and March 27, 1897.

WILLIAM S. MILLAR, Alderman 8th Ward, Scranton ROOMS 4 AND 5 GAS AND WATER CO. BUILDING, CORNER WYOMING AVE. AND CENTER ST. OFFICE HOURS from 7.30 a. m. to 9 p. m. (1 hour intermission for dinner and supper)

PROFESSIONAL CARDS. Physicians and Surgeons. MARY A. SHEPHERD, M. D., No. 222 Adams avenue. DR. A. TRAPOLD, SPECIALIST IN Diseases of Women, corner Wyoming avenue and Spruce street, Scranton, Pa. DR. COMEGYS-OFFICE No. 277 N. Washington ave. Hours, 12 m. to 3 p. m. Diseases of women a specialty. Telephone No. 252.

RAILROAD TIME-TABLES. PENNSYLVANIA RAILROAD. Schedule in Effect June 14, 1895. Trains Leave Wilkes-Barre as Follows 7.30 a. m., week days, for Sunbury, Harrisburg, Philadelphia, Baltimore, Washington, and for Pittsburgh and West. 10.15 a. m., week days, for Hazleton, Pottsville, Reading, Norristown, and Philadelphia; and for Sunbury, Harrisburg, Philadelphia, Baltimore, Washington and Pittsburgh and the West.

LEHIGH VALLEY RAILROAD SYSTEM. Anthracite Coal Used Exclusively Insuring Cleanliness and Comfort. TRAINS LEAVE SCRANTON. For Philadelphia and New York via D. & N. H. R. R., 6.45, 8.15, 10.30, 12.30, 1.30, 3.30, 5.30, 7.30, 9.30, 11.30 a. m., 1.30, 3.30, 5.30, 7.30, 9.30, 11.30 p. m.

Del., Lack. and Western. Effect Monday, October 19, 1895. Trains Leave Scranton as follows: Express for New York and all points East, 2.55, 5.15, 8.00 and 9.55 a. m.; 1.10 and 3.35 p. m. Express for Easton, Trenton, Philadelphia and the South, 5.15, 8.00 and 9.55 a. m.; 1.10 and 3.35 p. m.

Central Railroad of New Jersey. (Lehigh and Susquehanna Division.) Anthracite coal used exclusively, insuring cleanliness and comfort. Trains Leave Scranton for Pittston, Wilkes-Barre, etc., 7.30, 8.15, 11.30 a. m., 1.30, 2.15, 5.15, 7.10 p. m.

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