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CITY NOTES.

Cards of thanks, resolutions of condolence, obituary poetry and the like will be inserted in The Tribune only when paid for in advance, at the rate of 10 cents per line.

The annual pew rental at the Elm Park church will take place this evening at 8 o'clock.

The Pastors' City union will meet today in the Penn Avenue Baptist church. Rev. Mr. Van Kirk will speak on "Wines of the Bible."

On a charge of assault and battery preferred by Constable Woelkers before Alderman Howe Saturday afternoon, C. W. Traver was held in $300 bail.

Thieves entered the wholesale liquor store of J. R. Cohen, on Penn avenue, Friday night. Eighteen dollars in cash was taken. The case was reported to the police.

The silk business, formerly conducted in this city by Alfred Harvey, is now owned and operated by Alfred Harvey and Albert Harvey, under the firm name of Harvey Bros., the change dating from Jan. 1, 1898.

Through Alderman O. B. Wright an increase in pension, from $10 to $14, has been granted James Conley, of 212 Wyoming avenue. He is also allowed $12 per month from Dec. 1891, to November, 1897, and $14 per month from the latter month.

Phoenix Chemical company was summoned by a still alarm early Saturday afternoon to 1019 Capouse avenue, where a fire had started in a woodshed attached to a house owned by Joseph Backus. The firemen made a quick response and with the aid of residents of the locality extinguished the blaze before it had attained much headway.

The last month and the final week of that month respectively show a large increase in local bank exchanges compared with corresponding periods last year. The exchanges last week were: April 25, $160,091.26; April 26, $141,453.36; April 27, $181,630.03; April 28, $115,497.78; April 29, $143,611.79; April 30, $169,181.29; total, $911,375.51. The clearings for the month of April, 1898, were $3,827,731.06. The clearings for the corresponding week of 1897 were $793,150.19 and for the month of April, 1897, $3,292,559.17.

FOR THE S. P. C. A.

Nearly $100 Was Contributed Last Week.

In one week $92 has been collected for continuing the work of the Society for Prevention of Cruelty to Animals. The collections were made by Mrs. Walter Henwood, Mrs. E. B. Sturges, Mrs. William Silkman, Mrs. W. E. Thayer and Vice President Thomas Sprague.

Following were the contributors: Mrs. E. B. Sturges, $25; cash, $10; Mr. F. S. Godfrey, $5; Mrs. William Silkman, $5; Dr. A. J. Connell, $5; Mrs. B. H. Throop, $5; Mrs. H. B. Phelps, $5; Mrs. E. L. Fuller, $3; Mrs. C. D. Jones, $2; Mr. John Simpson, $3, and Dr. Gardner, Dr. Hulner, Messrs. N. E. Rice, Robert Matthews, Charles Schlager, Samuel Hines, C. J. Post, M. T. Keller, Dr. W. G. Fulton, Mrs. W. E. Thayer, Mrs. F. H. Jermyn, J. S. McNulty, C. R. Fulton, Samuel Stevens, C. S. Woolworth, R. J. Matthews, C. W. Matthews, Horan & Merrill, H. A. Connell, a friend, John H. Phelps, Connolly & Wallace, Dr. H. B. Ware and Sidney W. Hayes, $1 each.

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COUNTRY UNITED IN FACE OF WAR

Rev. W. G. Watkins Preaches of Unity Against a Common Foe.

POLITICAL, RELIGIOUS, INDUSTRIAL AND OTHER DIFFERENCES SET ASIDE IN RIGHTING THE MAINE AND OTHER WRONGS—SOME TRITE REFERENCES TO A MANY-SIDED COUNTRY'S CHARACTERISTIC VIRTUE OF BEING ONE-MINDED IN THE FACE OF A COMMON DANGER.

The war furnished the thought for the sermon preached last night in the North Main Avenue Baptist church by the pastor, Rev. W. G. Watkins.

Mr. Watkins read from Ephesians, sixth chapter, beginning with the tenth verse for the scripture lesson. He termed it as something bearing upon spiritual warfare. The opening prayer by Mr. Clark, one of the church officers, was a plea for divine aid in the prosecution of the war.

The text was a portion of I Kings, xii:16, "* * * To your tents, O Israel: now see to thine house, David. So Israel departed unto their tents." Mr. Watkins remarked upon the beautiful spectacle of a united nation and described the revolt among the Jews and their division from the rule of David, which suggested the words of the text. Never since had the Jews been united with any other people. Neither tongue nor pen, he said, had been able to describe the horrors of the division of our own government in the early sixties. The fearful cost to all concerned would never be known; its terrible features were expressed in Sherman's "War is Hell."

CAUSE OF THE PRESENT WAR.

Brief reference was made by the speaker to the causes leading up to the present war with Spain. He referred to the "murder" of 266 Maine sailors and in describing the uprising to respond to the call for volunteers applied the evening's text but with the words "Americans" and "Alphonso" for "Israel" and 'David."

The country had had industrial and political differences; wars of oratory and personal encounter on the floors of congress; religious differences, two so serious as to result in a threatened disruption of the Evangelical and Presbyterian churches. There were other differences, but it is one of the countrys characteristics that when it is threatened it rises in unity. As Henry Watterson says, "Our differences are not skin deep; we are really a homogeneous people in spirit, a characteristic brought about by the peculiar convictions of free government in which all have an interest."

The speaker agreed with a Scranton parent who said he would rather his son would go to Cuba with the Thirteenth and fight there, hundreds of miles from home, than to carry a loaded rifle against people in his own state. Many expressions had come to him from mothers and fathers who dreaded the parting but were willing to let their boys go to the front against a common foe. He agreed with them.

THEY FIGHT TOGETHER.

Labor and capital differed at times. Each had been at fault. Now, labor is enlisting to fight with capital and not against it. Capital is raising regiments at its own expense, furnishing batteries, money and boats, as shown in the proffers of Wanamaker, Miss Gould, Astor and others. Capital and labor are now joining hands, a wondrous union and a beautiful spectacle.

Religionists have forgotten their differences and gone to the war shoulder to shoulder and worshipping one common God. The pastor of a Green Ridge Catholic parish has given his elegant saddle horse to the Protestant colonel of the Thirteenth regiment for use as long as the command shall be away.

North and south who bathed in each other's blood thirty-five years ago are now facing the same front from the same ranks. If there had been any doubt about the spirit of a reunited union it has been manifested in the last three weeks that such doubts have been removed. As the Ram's Horn said, the states are marching forty-five abreast without any north, south, east or west and Spain has done us the favor of rooting deep a feeling of brotherhood that was said to be too slowly coming about.

In conclusion Mr. Watkins said each patriotic heart could feel one good sentiment in connection with the war, and this was that while the country is threatened all differences would be buried, all factions, religious, political and otherwise, would die, while the country is arrayed as a unit against a common foe. Parents whose boys were in the army or among the volunteers should have satisfaction in the knowledge that they had made a personal sacrifice for their country and their flag.

Rev. James Hughes on the American and Spanish War.

In the Plymouth Congregational church, on Jackson street, last evening, Rev. James Hughes said during the course of a sermon on the American and Spanish war:

My dear friends, we have entered upon very serious times. The air is full of war. The whole civilized and christianized world seems to be violently agitated by a fierce belligerent spirit. Nation seems to vie with nation, as to who can make the most destructive weapon, for the purpose of sweeping human beings into a dread eternity, and on every promotory and craggy steep war sits with a grim visage and a firey eye.

We have just touched the fringe of what may be a terrible experience. "The beginning of strife is as when one letteth out water." No one can with any certitude foreshadow the issues of the dreadful struggle in which we are at this moment engaged. The blue blaze that darts out, every now and again, through the chinks and crevices of the fabric of the national life of Europe indicates the existence of a terrible amount of noxious gases that exist in the cellars of our ornamented national superstructures, gases into which if a spark were to fall, there would be something like a general conflagration.

DREADFUL SPECTACLE.

What a dreadful spectacle after eighteen centuries of Gospel preaching, and the thing becomes the more distressing when we remember that this fierce belligerent spirit exists among Christian nations. May God who rideth upon the storm direct the whirlwind and curb the furious passions of nations and put a speedy end to the prodigious ravages and indescribable sufferings of war.

I have been greatly delighted with the apparent reluctance of President McKinley to draw the sword, but now the sword has been drawn and the nation stands in battle array and I pray for a glorious victory to crown our arms. My sympathies are entirely with America in the present struggle. I abhor war, for, as a rule, I look upon it as the cruel offstring of Satan, and in many cases where people plunge into war, it

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KEOGH IS AGAIN CHAMPION.

He Defeated Clearwater and Had 174 Points to Spare.

Jerome B. Keogh, champion pool player of the United States, will be home the latter part of the week. He defeated Clearwater 174 points at Pittsburg last week, running ahead of him each night. The score the first night was, Keogh, 205; Clearwater, 142. Second night, Keogh, 201; Clearwater, 151. Third night, Keogh, 195; Clearwater, 133. Total, Keogh, 601; Clearwater, 426.

Keogh left Pittsburg Saturday for Buffalo, and was the guest yesterday of his brother, Thomas Keogh, who is head clerk in the Genesee house there. He will leave Buffalo today or tomorrow for Norwich, N. Y., where his brothers, Mark and Michael, conduct a hotel. Mark went to Pittsburg with him and they will be together until the champion leaves Norwich for home.

Mr. Keogh's first match for the championship of the world was with Grant Eby, at Proctor's, New York. He defeated him by 97 points. He next met W. H. Clearwater at the Academy of Music in this city and vanquished him by 250 points. After that he was defeated twice by Clearwater, once in Pittsburg and a month ago in Boston. In both games he was away ahead the first two nights. His latest victory again gives him the title of champion of the United States. His admirers here are talking about having a demonstration in his honor when he returns.

PULLED DOWN A CHIMNEY.

Coyne House Suffered at the Hands of a Strong Lineman.

A big brick chimney that reared its ragged head above the ancient walls of the Coyne house came down with a crash yesterday morning that made Patrolman Jim Saltry, who was on duty at the corner, jump a foot in the air and sent several pedestrians, who were strolling along Penn avenue, scurrying over to the other side of the street. Fortunately no one was injured.

It was no fault of the chimney that it fell.

Though seamed and ragged looking it had withstood many a "tearing gale" and was prepared to withstand many more if not tampered with.

Yesterday morning a number of linemen were working on the wires at Penn and Lackawanna avenues. One of the wires they were working on extended over the Coyne house and another was being erected alongside of it. The wire was allowed to drop on the top of the building and a lineman on the ground who had the end of the wire in his hand began to pull. He did not know that it had caught the chimney until the bricks came rushing downward.

He stopped pulling then, but it was too late to save the chimney. Its race was run.

BOARD OF TAX REVISION.

Republicans Have Caucused and Agree on Three Candidates.

It is reported that the Republican members of councils have caucused and agreed upon Select Councilman Simon Thomas and Commoners E. F. Wenzel and David Reese as the party candidates for election to the board of tax revision and appeal.

No caucus has been held by the Democrats, nor is it likely one will be held. There are seven or eight Democratic candidates and nearly all of them prefer to take chances in an open contest. The joint meeting of councils for the special purpose of electing the board will be held this evening.

SUNDAY SCHOOL CONVENTION.

Delegates from the Various Churches Will Assemble There Friday.

The annual convention of the Lackawanna County Sunday School association will be held in the Methodist church at Carbondale next Friday. Sessions will be held morning, afternoon and evening.

Dr. W. W. Fletcher, of Carbondale is president of the association. An interesting programme has been prepared. The people of Carbondale will entertain the delegates at dinner and supper.

WAVERLY HIGH SCHOOL.

Graduating Exercises Will Be Held in the Baptist Church.

The graduating exercises of the Waverly High school will be held on Wednesday evening, May 4, in the Baptist church. Dr. George P. Bible, principal of the East Stroudsburg State Normal school, will deliver the commencement address.

The closing exercises of the primary, intermediate and grammar departments will be held at the High school on Thursday afternoon, May 5.

CHILD SAVING SOCIETY.

State Superintendent Thompson of Pittsburg is in the City.

Rev. W. Henry Thompson, of Pittsburg, state superintendent of the Pennsylvania Children's Home society, is in the city in the interest of the society.

The object of the society is to seek homeless, neglected and destitute children and become their friend and protector; to find homes for them in intelligent Christian families, place them there wisely, with the least possible delay; to supervise with discretion and to replace when necessary.

ARRESTED FOR FORGERY.

Mrs. Monroe Is Sent to Jail by Alderman Howe.

Charged with forging the signature of George Van Sickle to a check for $12, Mrs. May Monroe was arrested Saturday and arraigned before Alderman Howe. She was committed to jail in default of $300 bail.

Mrs. Monroe is known by several other names. She is 24 years old and has not been living with her husband for about a year.

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SENTENCES IN SIX LIQUOR CASES

Constable Walsh "Squeals" on His Companion, Edward Dacey.

WALSH DENIED HE HAD ANYTHING TO DO WITH ROBBING MILCAVITCH—JOSEPH ZPIE SENTENCED TO TWO YEARS FOR STABBING A MAN—THE M'ARDELL WOMAN CREATED A SCENE WHEN SHE WAS SENTENCED TO A TERM OF IMPRISONMENT IN COUNTY JAIL.

Sentences were imposed Saturday morning on those convicted during the week past. Anton Hefner, Frederick Baldner and John Boettcher, of the Nineteenth ward, were sentenced to pay a fine of $500 and spend three months in the county jail. They were convicted in the speak-easy cases brought by C. W. Traver, of Wilkes-Barre. Judge Archbald said these men were entitled to no sympathy as they could get liquor licenses if they were willing to pay for them.

Andrew Kominski, of Priceburg, and John Zazierski, of Peckville, were convicted of violating the excise laws and were fined $500 and sent to the county jail for three months. Maggie McArdell of Nay Aug avenue, was convicted of a similar infraction and she received a similar sentence. She created a scene in court by weeping and wailing. She did not want to be separated from her 2-year old child. It was necessary to remove her from the court room. Judge Archbald said that was one of the instances of the criminal court where sympathy made it hard to impose the penalty the law prescribes.

Constable John Walsh, of Lackawanna township, and Edward Dacey, both convicted of highway robbery and aggravated assault and battery on their victim, Michael Milkavitch, were called up for sentence. Attorney E. W. Thayer moved for a new trial for Dacey on the ground that he was not prepared to go to trial when his case was called, that his attorney had gone out of town for a few days before the trial, and made no provision for a proper preparation of the defense.

MOTION WAS GRANTED.

Judge Edwards granted the motion and fixed next Friday morning as the date of the argument. At this juncture Walsh spoke up in his own behalf, and protested his innocence appealingly to the court. He charged the crime to Dacey and Patrick and Edward O'Donnell, that he had left their company before it was committed. When he and Dacey were arrested he made a compact not to squeal, but now that Dacey is paddling his own canoe in an effort to escape the penitentiary, Walsh thinks he is justified in telling the truth. After a brief consultation with Judge Archbald, Judge Edwards remanded both defendants to jail until Friday.

Joseph Zpie, of the Ridge, Archbald, was found guilty of stabbing Joseph Ruley almost to death and was sentenced to spend two years in the penitentiary. The sentence of Mrs. Nellie Palmer, convicted for enticing minor females for immoral purposes, was reduced from one year in the penitentiary to eleven months in the county jail.

C. W. Traver was not around to be sentenced to pay the costs in four cases. When Jacob Koch, of the Nineteenth ward, was being sentenced to pay the costs, Judge Archbald could not understand why the jury found Koch guilty of keeping an unlicensed saloon, and yet put the costs on him.

John Dranchoke, who fired at a hat held by Michael Kutskow, missing the hat and hitting the hand that held it, was found guilty of discharging firearms and was sentenced to pay a fine of $20 and the costs. John Nealon, who pulled Katie Walsh's ears, was fined $5. Max Phillips was fined $20 for beating Joseph Sloane who came to collect a bill.

John McDonough was directed topay $50 to the Scranton Poor district; $25 to Alice Reap for expenses, and $1.25 a week until their child is seven years old.

Herbert Knapp, who shot Patrolman Saul in the hand, was sentenced to ten months in the county jail and a fine of $50. Knapp plead guilty. A verdict of not guilty was returned in the case of assault and battery against Jacob Steinberg, andu the costs were divided between him and the prosecutor, Mary Poliskey.

POLONA ACQUITTED.

Celate Polona was acquitted of felonious attempt upon Louis Salvatore. Sydney Tucker, of Carbondale, was acquitted of assault and battery upon James Jennings, and the costs were put on the county. Thomas Jones was acquitted of assault and batery upon Henry Sahm, of Carbondale, and the costs were divided. George Prokopovitch was acquitted of trafficking in registered bottles owned by A. M. Morse, but was directed to pay the costs.

In surety court the only case not of the ordinary routine stripe of threats was the one of J. D. Clymer against Thomas Jermyn. Clymer swore that Jermyn threatened to kill him. Attorney W. H. Lewis, representing the defendant, offered in evidence a letter written by Clymer giving Jermyn twenty-four hours to leave town, and a very affectionate letter to Mrs. Jermyn from Clymer also. Judge Archbald dismissed the case and put the costs on the prosecutor.

YOUNG GIRL THIEF.

Sent to Jail for Stealing from a Peanut Stand.

A 16-year-old girl, Margaret Richards, charged with stealing $2.25 from Morrisini's peanut stand on lower Lackawanna avenue, was arraigned before Alderman Howe Saturday.

No defense was made by the girl and she was sent to the county jail in default of $200 bail.

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Tire cement	4c
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Sprocket locks	10c
Valve stems	19c
Corkaline grips, pair	19c
Hand pump	19c
Steel wrenches	24c
Repair outfit	21c
Graphite, stick	2c
Foot pumps	49c
Puncture Balm, enough for two tires	49c
Bicycle stand	49c
Standard Trip cyclometers	89c
Midget cyclometers	89c
Pedals, per pair	$1.24
Saddles, Brown pat	98c
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Morgan & Wright tires	$7.49
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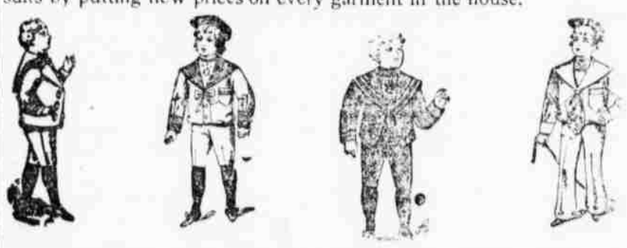

Starting next Monday—for one week only—we offer $4, $5, $6 and $7 Children's Fancy Reefer, Junior, Vestee and Blouse Suits for $2.97

WATCH THIS SALE. WATCH OUR WINDOWS.

Any Child's Suit in our windows next week can be bought for $2.97.

Special prices in all Children's Departments during sale. $1.00 and $1.50 Lawn Blouses for 47c; plain white or colored. Russet or black Shoes, 73c and 97c. 50c Fancy caps for 23c.

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Ladies' seamless Hose, 3 pairs for	25c

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Lot of good Tooth Brushes	10c
Lot of Silk Veilings, black and colors	5c
Lot of wash Braids, white and colors	5c

Look.

One case best Indigo Blue Prints	4c
Good Shaker Flannel	3½c
Good Apron Gingham	3c
Best Apron Gingham	4½c
Good Dark Calico	3c
Best Shirting Prints	3½c
Good Brown Muslin	3½c
Best Heavy Brown Muslin	5½c
Best fine Brown Muslin	5c
Best Lockwood 5-4 P. C. Muslin	8c
Best Lockwood 4 P. C. Muslin	10c
Best Lockwood 9-4 Sheeting	14c
Bleached Lockwood 5-4 P. C. Muslin	9c
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