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CITY NOTES

MEETING TONIGHT—The Rev. James Hughes will speak at the business mission tonight. All are invited to attend.

FLORIAN KAHREL EMPTY—The hour barrel at the Home for the Friendless is empty—will not somebody fill it for the sake of the big family of little children and old ladies.

STRONGEST MAN IN THE WORLD—The Rev. James Hughes is now preparing a lecture on "The Strongest Man in the World," which will be delivered in the Baptist church on Jackson street on April 22.

LECTURE ON BEN HUR—Rev. G. W. Welsh will deliver an illustrated lecture on "Ben Hur, a Tale of Christ," this evening, March 21, in Gaynor's lecture hall, corner Monroe avenue and Gillson street. This will be a splendid preparation to the special services of Easter week.

POLICE COURT—Max Anderson, Owen Keogh and Nelson Morrison were the only prisoners before Mayor Kelly's court last night. Drunk, drunk and interfering with an officer, and drunk and disorderly were the charges against such in the order named. The first two were discharged and the last named man paid a \$2 fine.

RILEY'S READINGS—The advance sale for James Whitcomb Riley's readings for next Tuesday evening promises to be all that his greatest admirers could desire. Everyone wants to hear this favorite poet who is not only a great poet but also a great impersonator and orator with a beautiful voice and a fascinating manner. The tickets are the usual prices, 50c, 75c and \$1.00.

MINISTER'S MISHAP

Told in a Play by the Members of the Liederkranz.

Once every month the members and a few invited friends of the Liederkranz society assemble in Music hall to enjoy a short play given by members of the society who are selected for the affair. Last night the play, in German of course, was a comic one and concerned the mishaps of a minister and his parishioners.

The players fitted creditably and the audience thoroughly enjoyed it. Those who formed the caste of characters were the Misses Adele Becker, Leonie Jenter, Violet Fahrenholt, and Martha Pittack, and Otto Stoekel, Victor Wenzel, Franz Erlau, Louis Reichart, Isadore Haberstroh, Peter Ross, F. J. Widmayer, Herr Kechmann, Otto Benter and Charles Reichtold.

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BIG OVATION TO THE BRAVE VOLUNTEERS

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Nearly eleven months ago the Thirtieth regiment, that I have had the great honor to command, went out from this city and state to do valiant service for the flag they love and the government that called them into its service. We are proud and content if that service has met the approval and commendation of our friends, our state and our country.

It is hardly proper that I should say much as to its service. There was no regiment filled with greater patriotism or more anxious to take an active part in the war than was the Thirtieth regiment. Pennsylvania Volunteer Infantry. It was not our good fortune, or bad fortune as you may choose to look at it, to be called into active service until the wonderful success of our splendid navy left but little work for the army to do. The work of the Thirtieth regiment, together with the great majority of volunteer troops, has been confined to camp life and constant preparation for any duty that might arise. It is my privilege and great pleasure to commend the work of the officers and men of my command. They have been patient and faithful in the performance of every duty; have suffered without a murmur all the privations and sickness incident to camp life.

THE HONORED DEAD.

Nineteen of our bravest and best young men have given up their young lives as a sacrifice upon the altar of their country. Their memory will ever be kept warm in the hearts of their comrades.

In behalf of the officers and men of my command, I wish to extend our grateful and heartfelt thanks to the gentlemen who composed the committee of reception and our citizens generally, for the splendid welcome and reception prepared for our enjoyment, which we all regret has been so greatly marred by this unfortunate rain.

I also desire, on the part of the officers and men of the Thirtieth to extend our warmest thanks to our country and the Ninth regiment for coming here to participate in this demonstration.

"Mastered Out," a song written in honor of the return of the Thirtieth by Misses Agnes Callahan and Teresa Lewis, was sung by Will F. Burke. It was received with thunders of applause.

Secretary Charles E. Daniels, of the general committee, read a letter of regret from Chaplain N. F. Stahl. It was as follows:

Penlyth, Pa., March 20, 1899.

My Dear Mr. Daniels:

Your favor of 13th inst. came to hand upon my arrival from the South on the 15th. Let me present to the committee, and all whom they represent, my warmest thanks for their kind invitation to be present at the parade, banquet and reception to be tendered the Thirtieth regiment on the 22d inst. I cannot be present to enjoy the hospitable and most kind festivities arranged for upon that occasion in person, but I shall be in spirit, and I am sure all will be most enjoyable. I do not know that any regiment performed its assigned duty more faithfully during the progress of the Spanish war than the Thirtieth did, and more than this no one needs ask. I am sorrowful as I remember the nineteen who will not be with you and who left to give their lives for their country as truly as though they had fallen upon the field of battle. May God comfort those to whom their loss means so much more than even to us their comrades in arms. With kind regards I am, faithfully yours,

N. F. Stahl,

Late Chaplain 10th Reg't, P. V. I.

THE GOVERNOR'S ADDRESS.

Chairman Watres gracefully introduced Governor W. S. Stokes, who was greeted with enthusiastic reception. He said that when he received the invitation to attend this reception he felt, and so did all of the members of his military family, his staff, that if they could add anything to the occasion they wanted to be present. They desired to honor the Thirtieth regiment and through them every soldier who returns from the war.

He referred to the time when as a mere boy he went forth to fight for his country, and said that certain promises were then made to the soldiers and these promises were esteemed as sacred and the country said they should be kept. When the National Guard was called and willingly responded, less than a year ago, certain promises were made and these must be kept.

The members of the guard were told that when they returned they would have their old places in the National Guard, and continued the governor, "If I have any influence with this administration that promise will be kept."

This statement was received with enthusiastic cheers. Continuing, the governor said:

It is the desire of the adjutant general of the state and your old commander, General Gobin (loud cheers), that you should return to the guard, and that we are Republicans or Democrats and remember only that we are citizens of the United States; that we can honor our flag and take our common place under its folds.

A WONDERFUL WAR.

We have recently passed through a wonderful war. It was not like the Civil war; was not a war to preserve our territory from invasion. It was a war for common humanity. It became the duty of some country to discipline Spain, and we took the contract because Cuba was our nearest neighbor, and we could not afford to let anybody else take it.

It is not our way, it should not be our privilege to assist in a nation conquered and we are not doing that. I point to the utterances of our public men and our great newspapers to show that we have not boasted of our conquest over Spain. For years the island of Cuba had been a spot sore to the people of America, and we watched with patience the efforts that were being made to subdue the revolution. Every effort was made on our part to avoid war and have Spain do justice to Cuba. We were patient so long that Spain thought we would only remonstrate and use moral suasion, and if

they had not blown up the Maine we might be passing resolutions yet.

When the Maine went down the great patriotic heart of the nation was fired and we made short work of Spain. The only ship Spain sunk during that war was the Maine, and that was done at night, when the crew was sleeping in presumed safety. When the war began the business interests along our coasts complained that we had no navy to protect our shores. We have two navies—our own and Spain's. Whenever we need a ship hereafter all we have to do is to send the USS Maine and we have him die one up for us. If that supply should run short, we can send over to Dewey and he will furnish us one on short notice.

Now some of the politicians and newspapers are trying to tear things up by the roots and throw discredit on the greatest war in history. I mingled with our soldiers at Camp Alger and Camp Meade and the only complaint I heard from the soldiers was, "For God's sake send us to the front." That was the only complaint. The men wanted to go to Cuba or Porto Rico and fight the battles of their country.

In closing, the governor impressed on the soldiers that they are back in civil life again and must take up their life work where they laid it down when they are home. We cannot boast of it, but we must be satisfied with what we will reflect credit or discredit on ourselves and their country. He expressed his gratification at being present, and said he will return to Scranton whenever he gets a chance.

OVATION FOR GOBIN.

All the preceding demonstrations of enthusiasm that marked the whole course of the day were put in the shade by that which greeted Lieutenant Governor J. P. S. Gobin, ex-commander of the Third brigade, when Chairman Watres finished saying "The Thirtieth regiment never had a better friend than the man who will now address you as general."

Spontaneously and en masse, not only the soldiers, but the whole audience rose to its feet and commenced to cheer like mad. One outburst followed another in rapid succession for several minutes. When it seemed there could be no other cheer left in the house some one would raise a "What's the matter with Gobin?" and the enthusiasm, increased in strength, would break out afresh. It was only the appealing gestures of General Gobin himself that brought about a cessation of the hurraing. It seemed as if the soldiers just wanted to stay there the rest of the night and yell "Gobin."

When quiet had been restored the general with tears starting from his kindly eyes began: "I don't know what I should say to you to thank you—but they didn't want any thanks. They drowned his intended expression of gratitude with more cheer."

Finally he got started and thanks to the fact that the desire to hear him talk exceeded the propensity to cheer him, he was enabled to devote about three-fourths of the remaining time that he was on his feet, to an expression of his feelings. The other fourth was taken up with more cheers.

Your chairman, Colonel Watres, was pleased to say that the Thirtieth never had a better friend than its old brigade commander. I want to say to that in all honesty, no brigade commander could have a better friend than the Thirtieth regiment" (cheers).

After expressing in appropriate terms his high appreciation of the Thirtieth, both as National guardsmen and United States volunteers, he went on to relate several bits of unwritten history that he would have Rev. Dr. Logan incorporate in his contemplated history of the Thirtieth.

ONLY AN INCIDENT.

One of these was that the first crematory ever constructed in a United States army camp as an aid to hygiene was destroyed by the Thirtieth. "Lieutenant Cox and Sergeant Sloane drew the plans, I approved the idea, we borrowed the materials—and the owner wasn't looking—and you boys put it up. The finale was amusing. The regular army men heard of it and sent me a man to go to Montauk to supervise the work of erecting a crematory there. When we got to Camp MacKenzie, lo, and behold! we were confronted with orders to build crematories and were supplied with plans for the same by the regular army engineers.

"We took Sergeant Sloane's plans and built the crematories.

"Another thing that might be mentioned in the Thirtieth's history is that its band is the first that ever played "Marching Through Georgia" on the streets of Augusta (daughter and applause). If it wasn't that there were so many representatives of the theological profession present I would say to the historian he might add that it raised particular hell—down there, too (laughter and applause)."

Referring to the part the volunteers who remained in camp at the close of the war, General Gobin said that the men of other countries for Spain fight it out undaunted that they were capable of fully appreciating that every corner of the country had a grand galaxy of citizen soldiers waiting impatiently for some one else to strike a blow in the place. It was all done at Manila, El Cane, Santiago and San Juan.

General Gobin towards the close of his address paid a nice compliment to his university popular young aide-de-camp in these words:

"In all my experience as a commander, and with the different men I have had on my staff, I never knew a more thorough gentleman and a better soldier than your 'Little Billie' Ingalls." As may be believed, this brought down the house. "He is good citizens as you are good soldiers and the commonwealth will be satisfied with you."

The concluding admonition and compliment.

GENERAL STEWART.

Tamultuous cheers for Gobin and Courson followed.

Adjutant General Stewart was next introduced and gave a hearty reception. He was greeted by hearty cheering. "I would rather have followed General Gobin through the two wars than to follow him here and now."

"We thought," he went on to say, "when we turned our eyes from Gettysburg that there would be no more war. But after thirty-one years we were called upon as a nation to thunder out and enforce God's command against the inhumanity that was practiced at our very door. Under a magnificent president (cheers), who it seems was born for this special occasion, we wrote on the heavens where the whole world might behold, 'Justice for all men.'"

"You had not been out four months when the United States had changed the map of the world and had foreign empires swooning disarmament and a universal peace. Those one hundred days of the Spanish-American war did it, and every man who answered Mc-

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The following telegram was received at police headquarters last night:

Canton, Ohio,
March 23, 1899.

Chief of Police,
Scranton, Pa.
Michael Gill found dead, advise friends, wire me disposition of remains.
(Signed) H. M. Schaeffer,
Coroner.

REMAINS OF HEROES.

Washington, March 23.—The transport Crook, formerly the Roumanian, has sailed from Santiago with the remains of 554 soldiers who were killed or died in Cuba, and 120 from Porto Rico. The Crook will arrive in New York on Tuesday, where arrangements will be made to send the remains of soldiers to their former homes, where requested.

Where no requests are made or the remains are unknown, they will be sent to the Arlington National cemetery. A salute will be fired from Governor's island when the Crook arrives.

There are three Gills, whose surnames are Michael, mentioned in the directory: Michael Gill, laborer, boards 218 Broadway; Michael F. Gill, blacksmith, 339 Potter street, and Michael F. Gill, laborer, 315 Spring street, the latter two Dunmore. The first named was at home last night, but up to a late hour no word was received from the Dunmore police in reference to the other two.

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The popularity of this millinery department was brought about by the fact that we sell this class of goods on the same basis as everything else in this store, and that is—**Lowest Prices Possible.** Of this you can convince yourself by shopping around. We sell millinery at dry goods profits—which means that you can save from one-third to one-half on the price of a hat by buying it here.

Very special sale of flowers and other millinery goods

Special bargain prices will prevail here for two days this week—Friday and Saturday—as follows:

\$1.00 black and colored shapes at 49c—One great lot of black and colored shapes of every description, in chip and fancy straws, regular price \$1.00. Special sale at..... **49c**

19c violets at 10c—One lot of white violets, large bunches, worth 19c..... **10c**

50c flowers at 25c—Large bunches, including violets, pansies, lilacs, roses, daisies and foliage, worth 50c..... **25c**

Special all day Friday bargains in all departments

Bargains in domestic Goods

5c printed lawns at 2 1/2c—A very good fabric that ordinarily brings 5c the yard. Special today..... **2 1/2c**

8c light colored outing flannels at 5c—Very good patterns, regular 8c quality..... **5c**

7c outing flannels at 3 1/2c—Extraordinary value in checked and plaid outing flannel, worth 7c yard..... **3 1/2c**

6c shirting prints at 2 1/2c—Full standard shirting prints, 27 inches wide, worth 6c..... **2 1/2c**

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50c gowns at 27c—Good quality muslin, mother Hubbard yoke, tucked and trimmed with cambric..... **27c**

69c muslin gowns at 49c—Excellent quality of muslin, Mother Hubbard yoke, trimmed with cluster of tucks and rows of embroidery insertion..... **49c**

98c muslin gowns at 69c—Of fine quality muslin, Empire or Mother Hubbard styles, eight different designs, all handsomely trimmed with lace and embroidery..... **69c**

Bargains in women's knit underwear

10c jersey vests, 5c—Very good quality, low neck, no sleeves. Excellent value at 10c..... **5c**

19c jersey ribbed vests at 12 1/2c—In ecru only—low neck, no sleeves. Good value at 19c..... **12 1/2c**

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