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CITY NOTES

COMMON PLEAS COURT.—The third week of common pleas court will begin this morning.

THE PRINTERS' BALL.—The annual ball of the Printers' Association will be held at Husic hall Wednesday night, October 25.

COMMITTEE MEETING.—The ladies' committee in connection with the women's convention will meet this evening in the Shober building on Penn avenue.

FIRST SNOW OF SEASON.—The first snow fall of this season came Saturday. It was not very substantial, it being accompanied by rain and hail and its stay was very brief.

AN IMPORTANT MEETING.—The board of managers of the Florence Crittenton home at 72 Harrison avenue, will hold an important meeting at 10 o'clock this morning at the home.

WATKINS WILL SING.—During the session of the Woman's Foreign Missionary society convention at Elm Park church on Wednesday afternoon, Professor John T. Watkins will sing a solo.

WILL ADDRESS STONECUTTERS.—James F. McHugh, national secretary and treasurer of the International Stone Cutters' association, will address the local union of that body at 2 o'clock this afternoon in Cassessa's hall.

CHORAL CLARS.—A choral class conducted by Mrs. E. T. Jayne will be held Tuesday evening at the Young Women's Christian association beginning October 17 at 8 p. m. Instruction given in sight and chorus singing. Free to all girls.

THROWN FROM HIS WAGON.—A farmer who gave his name as J. L. Ross was thrown from his wagon on Lackawanna avenue Saturday and sustained severe scalp wounds, which were dressed at the Lackawanna hospital.

FUNERAL THIS AFTERNOON.—The funeral of the late Edward Giffroy will be held this afternoon from the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Giffroy, of North Main avenue, West Scranton. Services will be held at St. Patrick's church and interment will be made in the Catholic cemetery.

GRANTED A CHARTER.—Judge Archbold granted a charter Saturday to the Miners and Laborers' Benevolent association of the Clinton mines at Vandling. The directors are John and Frank Murray, Joseph Bessick, George Wilson and John Johns. The application for the charter was made by Hon. John F. Reynolds.

WILL EXEMPLIFY DEGREE.—Scranton Council, Knights of Columbus, will go to Carbondale tonight and exemplify the third degree of the order to the members of the council of that city. The work will be finished in time for the visitors to return at a late train. Next Monday night the local council will go to Pittston on a similar mission.

STORY OF HAGAR AND HER TROUBLE

THIRD SERMON ON WOMEN OF THE OLD TESTAMENT.

Delivered by Rev. J. B. Sweet in Simpson M. E. Church Last Evening—Promises of God and Their Fulfillment—Polygamous Practices Condemned—Casting Out of the Mother and Son and Their Appeal to God How They Wandered in the Desert—Lessons to be Taught by These Circumstances.

Rev. J. B. Sweet, pastor of the Simpson Methodist Episcopal church, preached the third sermon last evening in the series on the "Women of the Old Testament." The subject was "Hagar and Her Trouble," and the text was taken from Genesis 21:17. Rev. Sweet spoke in part as follows:

It is not an easy task to take up the life of Hagar and speak in detail of the events which constitute her history. That she, a slave, should occupy a prominent place in the annals of her time, should affect the history of after ages, and that we today should be within the realm of her life seems strange, passing strange.

THE PROVIDENCES OF GOD are not confined to the free-born; the mistress may presume upon birth and position, this is of God; favoritism is His providence; but "He setteth down the mighty from their seat and hath established them of low degree."

Now observe that out from a promised blessing trouble and misery are produced, not because of the blessing, but because of failure to grasp its truth. Six times God asserts unto Abraham that his seed should be numerous, great and important, but he is now a childless old man.

IN OUR OWN LAND. Do we remember that this was four thousand years ago and least we forget, it may not be out of place to state that today, clamoring for admittance to the "Hall of Congress" in our own land is a man who, with three living wives, would stand as an illustration of polygamous practices.

CASTING OUT OF THE BOY. I question whether Sarah ever became reconciled to the condition which she had assumed. Perhaps, in the rejoicing which came with the birth of her own child Isaac, she might have been inclined to be forgiving of the past.

WANDERED IN THE DESERT. When hunger came they ate their frugal meal; when night came, under the protecting ledge of rock yonder they sought rest; when the morning dawned, they resumed their wandering, and when night came they, having exhausted their bread and water, hunted, yet vainly, sought food and shelter.

How much there is in that statement which we know nothing of us, or about us. What does God know about my misery. He has no ear for my cry of distress, and God hears the nation in its distress—slaves, taskmasters, the lush, and bitter bondage.

SCRANTON NUMBER OF POSTAL RECORD

ELECTRIC CITY RECEIVES WHOLESALVE ADVERTISING.

The October Issue of the Official Organ of the National Association of Letter Carriers Devotes Almost Its Entire Space to a Report of the Scranton Convention and the Entertainment the Delegates Received Here—Secretary Cantwell Says Some Nice Things About Us.

On the front page of the outside cover is a large half-tone cut of the Cornell building as it appeared during convention week; on the last page of the inside cover is a half-page of the International Correspondence Schools, and scattered through the official verbatim report of the convention proceedings are full page cuts of the delegates as photographed in front of the postoffice; the Scranton carriers and officials, photographed at the main street side of the postoffice, are a group picture of "Der Bund," the famous social organization connected with the New York city carriers association, photographed in front of Clay's store.

RELIGION AND LABOR. Thoughtful Sermon Delivered Last Night by Rev. R. F. Y. Pierce in Penn Avenue Church.

Rev. R. F. Y. Pierce, pastor of the Penn Avenue Baptist church, spoke last evening on "Religion and Labor or the Safeguards of the Nation." The sermon was the first of a series to working men and their families. During the service the choir sang an anthem, the solo being taken by Mr. G. B. Brundage and Miss Sadie Edwards.

There is a tendency to alienation, one from the other, between the church and the workers, and they are drifting further apart. My workmen regard moneyed men as tyrants, corporate as heartless and oppressive as the devil himself.

There was a time when it was considered a great honor to be a laborer, when they took stand alongside of their men, and it ought to be the same today. Many are industrious without frugality, and there is a tendency in a man being burdened with debt.

The citizens committee, did you say? Why, the entire population seemed to be the citizens committee, the only difference being that Mr. A. P. Bedford, Ed. Redaban, Alderman Millar, Superintendent Ripple, and Superintendent Roche, together with several other trusted men, seemed to act as a steering committee; and their drift went on every merchant and mechanic wanted to do something to show the delegates and visitors they were welcome to Scranton.

For a summer cough, Or a winter cough; For a night cough, Or a slight cough, Or a cough which "hangs on,"

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