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PERSONAL Mr. and Mrs. Adel Moore spent Christmas in New York. J. C. Froehlich, of Philadelphia Dental college, is spending the holidays with his parents on Hickory street.

THEIR ANNUAL BALL. Excelsior Athletic Club Entertained in Music Hall. An especially successful affair was the annual ball of the Excelsior Athletic club, which was conducted last evening in Music hall.

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CHRISTMAS DAY IN THE CHURCHES SPECIAL SERVICES HELD IN SEVERAL OF THEM.

As on Sunday Music Was a Prominent Feature of These Exercises. Order Observed at St. Luke's Episcopal Church, St. Peter's Cathedral and Holy Trinity Lutheran Church. Entertainment of the Sunday School of Elm Park Church Last Night—Programme Rendered.

In many of the churches of the city yesterday services were held and, as on Sunday, a prominent feature of these services was the music. Last night was devoted in not a few churches to entertainments for the children of the Sunday school.

Three celebrations of the holy communion marked the observance of the Christmas festival at St. Luke's Episcopal church. The 6 o'clock service was taken by Rev. E. J. Haughton, the senior curate; the 8 o'clock service by Rev. M. B. Nash, the junior curate, and the 10:30 o'clock service by the pastor, Rev. Roger Lenzel, rector, assisted by Rev. Mr. Haughton. Large congregations attended each service.

At the late service the rector preached on "The Goodness of God as Specially Illustrated in the Incarnation," and a choral choir of thirty voices, under the direction of Professor J. Willis Conant, sang the communion office.

At St. Mark's mission, in Dunmore, a children's service was conducted in the evening by Rev. Mr. Haughton. Christmas carols and Christmas tree exercises formed the main feature.

Services at the cathedral. Everything at St. Peter's cathedral in connection with the observance of the Christmas festival, was of the most elaborate nature. Lavish decorations of holly, evergreen and smilax intensified the beauty of the vast auditorium while the sanctuary was made a scene of surpassing splendor with the myriad of tapers and colored lamps and a vast profusion of smilax, set off with bunches of cala lilies.

CONCERT OF THE PRINCETON CLUBS GIVEN LAST NIGHT IN ST. LUKE'S PARISH HOUSE.

Harry Ridgeway Lathrop, of This City, Was the Leader of the Glee Club—He Was Given a Royal Reception—In the Afternoon the Members of the Clubs Attended a Tea at the Country Club—Reception Was Held After Concert at Bicycle Club.

The finest looking body of college men, who were ever in Scranton, owned this town yesterday from dawn until midnight. They were dressed and fettered under the wonder of it all was that they could give a concert of any sort, to say nothing of the splendid entertainment of last evening.

It was a Princeton day and the tiger disported himself with many purrs of satisfaction. Great credit is due to the local committee, composed of James Blair, Jr., H. H. Brady, Jr., J. H. Brooks, Mr. B. Fuller, W. E. Gunster and J. M. Harris, for the welcome given to the guests.

There was a fine audience at St. Luke's parish house, last evening, and the appearance presented was one of great brilliancy, as nearly every one was in evening dress. The programme was delightful.

The popular rag-time flavor was apparent with the vocal and instrumental work. The vocal work was of a high order, and the instrumental work was of a high order, and the instrumental work was of a high order.

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WESLEYAN GLEE CLUB Will Give a Concert in Parish House Wednesday Night.

The Wesleyan Glee and Mandolin clubs will give a concert in St. Luke's parish house, on Wednesday night, under the auspices of the Guild of St. Hilda, when the following selections will be rendered: (a) Invited Walk, Wesleyan Songs (b) Canon Walk, Wesleyan Songs March, from the "Jolly Musketier."

Letters from the people. Under this heading short letters of interest will be published when accompanied, for publication, by the writer's name. The Tribune does not assume responsibility for opinions here expressed.

Christmas at Home for the Friendless. Editor of the Tribune. Sir: The Home for the Friendless was a glad place Saturday afternoon. When the writer was ushered up the first flight of stairs he found in the west hall the old ladies all comfortably seated awaiting developments.

Reception after concert. At the conclusion of the concert the ladies of the congregation and those who had been invited to the concert, were gathered in the hall for a reception.

Members of the club are: Glee Club—Harry Ridgeway Lathrop, Harry Ridgeway Lathrop, Harry Ridgeway Lathrop, Harry Ridgeway Lathrop, Harry Ridgeway Lathrop.

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