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## CITY NOTES

vesterday at the Racket Brook mine at Carbon-

M'ALL AUXILIARY.-There will be a meeting o'clock at the house of Mrs. Frank S. Connell,

APPOINTED GUARDIAN .-- August Ollendyke on Saturday appointed guardian of the es-of Carrie Ollendvke, minor child of Frederick Ollendyke, late of the borough of Throop.

TAAFE FUNERAL -The inneral of John Taafe will take place from his residence, 246 North Eighth street at 2.30 this afternoon. Services at Peter's catherdal and interment in Cathe

TO COMMENCE TODAY .- Contractor M. J. Gibbons says he will put 150 men at work at 10 o'clock this morning on the Scranton street sewer, the preference to be given the Mount

FINGER HURT.-Harry Hess, of Penn avenue an employe in the Dickson works, received treat ment at the Lackawanna hospital Saturday for his right hand which had been caught in a piece of machinery, and the little finger crushed.

AN INFORMAL DANCE.-There will be an in formal dance tonight from 8 to 1.20 o'clock in the new Knights of Columbus club house under the auspices of the Catholic Historical society.

Sauer's full orchestra will furnish the music BAPTIST MINISTERS' MEETING .- The Bapministers' conference meets this mor at 10 o'clock in the Penn Avenue Baptist thurch. A paper will be read by Rev. M. R.

"Can Christianity Learn Anything ARRESTED AGAIN.—Gertie West, who was prested Friday night by Sergeant of Police Lecse Jones on the charge of using profune lan-ruage was taken in custody again last evening by Patrolman Louis Goerlitz. She was found

WEEK'S EXCHANGES.-The exchanges at the Scranton Clearing house last week were: Mon-day, \$170,073.81; Tuesday, \$182,582.30; Wednes-\$135,511.51; Thurnday, \$186,583.02; Friday \$158,757; Saturday, \$150,002.12. Total, \$903,499.76, The exchanges for the corresponding week last year were \$584,831.40.

ying helplessly drunk in a doorway.

PHILLIPS' SUCCESSOR .- Tonight's meeting of the school board promises to be very interesting inasmuch as a successor to the late D. I. Phillips, controller from the Fifth ward, will in all probability be elected. It is believed gen-erally that John Henry Phillips, the deceased man's brother, will be elected.

and filling in at the bottom RECRUITS WANTED.-Orders have just been received at the United States army recruiting station, 125 Wyoming avenue, to enlist recruits for the infantry branch of the service. All re-cruits enlisted for the same will be sent to Fort Sincom, New York harbor, and will leave on Aret transport that leaves New York for the

Philippines. Recruits are also desired for the Second artillery in Cuba, and all the other branches of the service in the United States and Philippines and West Indies.

FUNERAL OF MRS. SCANLON.-The funeral of the late Mrs. Anthony Scanlon was held on Saturday morning from St. Peter's cathedral, where a high mass of requiem was solemnized by Rev. P. J. Gough. The pall-bearers were four of the sons of the deceased woman, John, Ju-seph, Edward and James. Interment was made in the Cathedral cemetery.

PUBLIC BUILDINGS COMMITTEE,-The join public buildings committee of councils Saturday night in city hall and sold the Kearns and Photps buildings on the right of way through which Wyoming avenue is to be opened. There were a number of bids received for other properties but they were too low for consideration. There are yet three dwellings in fairly good condition to be sold.

OFFICERS CHOSEN.-The Bottlers' association Scranton; M. F. Whalen, Wilkes Barre; A. W. Schrader, Scranton; Thomas Lavan, Ashley; Henry Ulrich, Scranton; H. R. Stone, Carbon-Henry Cirich, Scranton; H. A. Scone, caron-dale; M. Gaydesh, Olyphant; A. A. Keyser, Wilkes-Barre; Thomas Eyans, Scranton; Michael Krantz, Forest City; T. W. Geissinger, Pittston; I. G. Roser, Scranton; A. A. Gordon, Scranton; A. Forred, Plymouth.

ODD FELLOWS' PICNIC.—A meeting of representatives from the various lodges of Odd Fellows in the city and suburbs was held on Sat-urday evening in the rooms of the Lackawanna lodge on Wyoming avenue for the purpose of ar-ranging for a general picnic and outing to be held during the coming summer. It was finally decided after much discussion to hold this at Lake Ariel during the month of August. All of the representatives present seemed to favor August 18 as the date, but this was left open to see if arrangements could be made for that day. A committee was appointed to arrange the final details. John H. Kelly is chairman of this committee; Miss A. W. von Storch is secretary and E. T. Davis, is treasurer.

CATHOLIC YOUNG WOMAN'S CLUB.-The second lecture of the series for the Catholic Young Women's club will be an illustrated lecture on the Crusaders, the most marvellous story of human enterprise in the history of mankind, and will be given in College half to-morrow night by Rev. J. J. Loughran. The il-lustrations for the lecture are from the works of Dore, and form a wonderful panorams of the centuries during which these events occurred. There are one hundred lantern slides, portraying the principal scenes and personages, and manner, so as almost to enable the observer to manner, so as almost to enable the observer to realize the incident as taking place before one's eyes, rather than suggest the stirring scenes of other days by the inert lines of the artist.

#### TWENTY-FIRST RECITAL.

Programme of the Conservatory Recital in Guernsey Hall Tonight.

The following is the programme of he twenty-first public recital of the Scranton Conservatory of Music, which will be given this evening in Guernsey hall: Rondo Mignonne (Piano) .

Miss Florence Peck (Scranton). Andenken (Souvenir), Piano ... Miss Ida Gisner (Green Ridge). Happy and Gay (Piano) ..... Miss Norma Johns (Taylor).

'In the Blooming Fields" (Piano).........Merkel 

Miss Grace Gerlock (Scranton). 

Socturne in G Major (Piano) ....Chopin

Last Movement (Presto Scherzando) of Piano forte Concerto in D Minor,.....Men Miss Clara Browning (Scranton). ... Mendelssoh

Orchestral Accompaniment Arranged for Sec Ensemble Class (Four Pianos), Overture to Idomeneo ... Miss Hutchison, Miss Browning, Miss Bo

Miss Slocum, Miss Follansbee, Miss Wagenhurst, Miss Gerlock. CAUGHT STEALING IRON.

Two Men Captured Red-Handed and

Two Others Caught with It. George Smith and Harry Cartner, of Throop, are now resting in the county jail, and Louis Grossman and Charles Wartowsky, of this city, are out on ball, as the result of a bold attempt to steal old scrap iron from the Pancoast Coal company's property in Throop last Friday night.

The company recently burned upwards of a hundred old mine cars and piled all the iron work from them in a large heap preparatory to shipping it to the Bolt and Nut works in this city. Last week this pile began to gradually decrease in size and accordingly on Friday night a watch was set. Shortly after midnight a wagon was driven up and four men in it proceeded to leisurely load it

full of old iron. The watchers pounced upon the men, but succeeded in capturing only two of them, Smith and Cartner, who were taken before 'Squire Birtley and committed to the county jail in default of bail. The other two men were arrested on Saturday morning and arraigned before Alderman Millar.

Wartowsky is a Hickory street junk dealer, in whose shop was found some of the stolen iron. He says he bought it from Grossman, who in turn says he purchased it from two unknown men. The alderman decided to have a further bearing on May 25, and held both men under bail until that time.

#### PRISONERS CANNOT RECOVER. Such Is the Opinion Expressed by Judge Archbald.

At Saturday's meeting of the prison board much time was given to a discussion of the question of liability for the injuries received by the prisoners who were run down by a Delaware and Hudson engine, Thursday, while returning to the jail in a wagon from work on the West mountain

Judge Archbald believed that neith er the county nor the company could be held responsible under the law, and suggested that a committee be appointed to wait upon the company and see if it will not agree to contrib ute something to compensate the men for their injuries. This suggestion was adopted and County Commissioner Morris was named as the committee. Supervisor Dunning made a detailed report of the work so far accomplished and the plans for the future. It is proposed, among other things, to change the route of the road, on which the men are now working, so as to get a better grade. If the property

#### DIED.

holders on Boone hill between Van

Buren avenue and the railroad will

sign an agreement releasing damages.

the prisoners will be put to work im-

proving this hill by cutting at the top

CORCORAN.-In Scranton, Pa., May 13, 1900, John Corcoran, at his home, 311 Fourth street, Funeral announcement later,

#### ANNIVERSARY AT ELM PARK CHURCH

EPWORTH LEAGUE STARTED EIGHT YEARS AGO.

The President of the Chapter, James G. Shepherd, Delivered an Able Address Telling of the Needs of the Society-Rev. C. M. Giffin, D. D., the Pastor, Preached a Sermon on "Being the Head and Not the Tail," in Which He Urged a More Practical Christianity.

The eighth anniversary of the establishment of the Epworth League was appropriately observed last night in the Elm Park church, when the pastor, Rev. C. M. Giffin, D. D., preached a special sermon after the president of the church chapter, James G. Shepherd, had delivered a brief address.

Mr. Shepherd pointed out that there are at present 2,000,000 active members and the society is increasing at rate of three chapters day. "This organization is not a fad," said he, "it is daily concreting Christian doctrine into real service.' There are in attendance at the weekly meetings of the Elm Park chapter, he

said, an average of over 200 members "This organization," said he in con-clusion, "is shaping the theology of tomorrow. It teaches young men and young women to be active, aggressive and intensely spiritual. I desire to say to my fellow members that must act with the same zeal and the same earnestness as did our forefathers of old.

"We must be out on the firing line at all times like the wounded soldier whom Colonel Roosevelt sent to the hospital, but who was found ten minutes later in the thick of the fray, and who when asked why he aidn't go to the hospital said. 'I couldn't find it sir.' God grant that all Epworth Leaguers may never look for the hospital and always keep in the front rank when there is fighting to be

DR. GIFFIN'S SERMON. Rev. Dr. Giffin preached one of his characteristically forcible and earnest ermons, taking as his theme, "Being the Head and Not the Tall." He said that he found this peculiar text in the Scriptures and in proof thereof read the thirteenth verse of the twenty-eighth chapter of Deuteronomy.

Among other things he said: "I suppose there are very few who are contented to be at the end of the procession. It is of course quite an honor to have any place in the divine procession, but there is no reason why we should not labor for leadership. We should never in this complex civilization forego God's care. ages He has said. 'Work for Me and wait for Me and I will raise you.'

"The proper way to do is to do your biggest after being your biggest. To be good does not necessarily mean that you cannot be great. There is a possibility that this evolutionary growth may become an overgrowth, and that you may become conceited, and do inestimable damage to those about you. Those who are thus conbe the helper; to be like the words of your motto, 'lift up.'

not be willing to go out and sleep on the dump, figuratively speaking, in this land of opportunity. You must be earnest and aggressive and you must get your standard adjusted to God's standard instead of expecting God to adjust His standardate vours.

NOT SO EASY.

"It is very easy for us to pick up a beautiful baby in a friend's house and fondle and caress it, but it is not so easy to pick up a dirty child from some of the unlovely quarters of our city, clean it and take it to our hearts Visiting on the avenues is pleasant, but visiting down in the alleys and byways is not. There are too many of us who walk on Axminster carpets so as not to hurt our feet or our feelings, and who haven't time or who never think of going down into the haunts of vice where live the denizens of the city, and where instead of the carpet there is green ooze and filth It is a pregnant fact that the farthest way down is often the surest way up. "We should measure the importance of things in accordance with the way we look at them. I am glad to observe that the world is gradually coming around to God's measure of importance. The men who sacrifice and serve others are the men who stay longest upon the pedestal of renown. you know that it is the sacrificers and not the slaughterers who are su-

win a headship. If you get a place, fill it and you can improve it by the estimate you yourself put on it. Do something worth doing, but remember that no man ever tried to do good in any direction that he was not taxed tremendously. Remember your limitations, stay in your own place and don't get out of it. Stay at the thing that is near you and don't yearn for

that which is beyond you. "Give size to what you do and remember that in the Lord's top row there is room for everybody. There is in every city one chief beauty, one richest man and one greatest scholar, but there may be many hearts and heads filled with love of God and with

REDUCED RATES TO PHILADEL-

Via Pennsylvania Railroad, Account Republican National Convention.

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#### SONGS OF THE NIGHT.

give it a trial?

Interesting Service in the Penn Avenue Baptist Church Con-

ducted by Rev. Dr. Pierce. Very pretty and impressive was the special service at the Penn Avenue Baptist church last night. "Songs in the Night" was its title, and it consisted of the singing by the choir and congregation of several of the good old hymns, illustrated by stereopticon

views, reproducing masterpieces in religious art. "Christianity alone." said Rev. R. F. Y. Pierce as he addressed the congregation at 7.45 o'clock, "has the song for the soul, the song that floats to us in the night season." The first hymn sung was "He Leadeth Me," by the choir and congregation, it being illustrated by a picture of the Savior in the

guise of a shepherd, teading a lamb. A picture of Christ, bleeding from the crown of thorns, was then thrown on the screen, and a responsive scripture reading by the pastor and congregation was held. Rev. Pierce then offered prayer, and the next hymn sung was "Jesus, Lover of My Soul." Rev. Pierce prefaced the singing by telling of the circumstances surround-

ing the writing of the hymn. Mrs. Frank Brundage sang with fine effect "There Is a Green Hill." This was accompanied by several pictures representing "Christ Before Pilate," "Christ on Calvary" and the "Transfiguration.'

"Nearer My God to Thee" was the next hymn rendered, to which Miss Clara Long played a violin obligato. The first verse was given with the vioceited forget that to be the head is to lin accompaniment alone. The second was given with Miss Long playing and the choir singing, and the last was "You young men and women must given with Miss Long playing, the joining in

Rev. Pierce announced the singing of a hymn which will never die. "The Rock of Ages." Mrs. Brundage sang the first verse, and the choir and congregation the others. This was illustrated by three views.

"God Be With You" was the last hymn sung and it was illustrated by that beautiful picture, "Breaking Home Ties." This masterpiece of the late Thomas Hovendon was thrown upon the screen and was especially appropriate.

Miss Clara Long then played "Home Sweet Home" on the violin, and the services were brought to a close with the pronouncing of the doxology by Rev. James Putnam, D. D.

At the morning services the congregation was addressed by Rev. James Putnam, D. D., of New York, and Rev. Elkanah Hulley, principal of the Keystone academy. Rev. Hulley and Rev. Putnam both made pleas for support for Keystone academy. Rev. Putnam spoke on "Intellectual, Physical and Spiritual Developemnt." A subscription was taken and a very large sum of money collected for the academy. Altogether the Penn Avenue Baptist church has now pledged \$2,000 to the endowment fund of the academy.

#### TWO GOLF MATCHES.

"Do something valuable if you would Played at Country Club by Seniors and Juniors.

Two very excellent sweepstake handicap golf matches were played on Saturday afternoon on the Country club James Blair won the senior links. match, whie the junior match was won by Douglass Torrey. The scores of both were as follows:

SENIOR MATCH. Score. Handicap. James Blair . W. J. Torrey H. C. Shafer J. Torrey ..... 92 M. B. Fuller ..... J. H. Torrey ... George W. Fuller ...... T. H. Watkins ...... W. B. Kirkpatrick ......1i5

JUNIOR MATCH. Douglas Torrey ..... Janet Storts Edith Holland ... Kenneth Welles .... Law Watkins ..... 45 Max Jessup Eleunor Moffat ..... Jamie Linen

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# SOME FEW SALOONS

WERE CLOSED TIGHT OTHERS WERE CLOSED NOT SO VERY TIGHT.

till Others Were Wide Open Despite the Crusade and the Agreement so Generally Entered Into That Nothing Would Be Sold on Sunday-Mr. Sturges Tells of the Conference with the Saloon-Keeper's Committee and of Alleged Tampering with the Jury.

Many of the city saloons were closed vesterday, but not all of them. Agents for the Men's union, covered nearly every portion of the city in their investigations, reported that there were numerous places just as wide open as ever, but in the majority of instances they found that the agreement of the saloon-keepers, made

Friday night, was being religiously lived up to.

That it was not a "great majority." however, could be gathered from a tour of the central city. A few places closed tight and let down their curtains to afford a full view of the bar, Others were closed to all outward appearances, but investigation found men behind the bar taking care of a very large back-door trade, Some places were closed to all except regular patrons and in these it was impossible to gain entrance without be-

ing known to be " all right." The agents of the crusaders visited a number of the open places and secured drink. The name of the proprietor went down in Chief Agent Wilson's little black book. LIQUOR DEALERS MEET ..

The Licensed Liquor Dealers' assoiation, which was formed Friday night with a membership of ninetyone, met again yesterday afternoon in Durr's hall, and added fourteen members to its rolls. Phil Coyne, Fred Durr and J. J. Padden, the committee that waited on E. B. Sturges, reported the result of the interview and advised the association that the crusaders were very much in earnest and that whatever was to be done by the association should be done with that idea firmly in mind. That it is not to be a temporary affair was evidenced, they said, by the fact that the agent of the crusaders, Mr. Wilson, has been engaged by the year, and it is proposed to keep him at work till the purpose of the union is accomplished. The rest of their report was in line with the following account of the meeting, approved for publication by

Mr. Sturges: Mr. Sturges stated that a committee of the licensed dealers called upon him, but declined to give any special details, except to say that they expressed the willingness of the association and their own desire to obey the law in all respects, and they of fered to co-operate with the Men's union in any effort to secure the observance of the law and to close unlicensed houses. They expressed, particularly, the feeling, which is undoubtedly just, that it was an absolute outrage that after paying a large license fee they should not be protected by the paid officials of Lackawanna county.

WHAT HE TOLD THEM.

the principal objects of this movement was to compel the officials to do their duty; that there was no malice against any on and that if the best results could be obtained by not pushing the licensed dealers, it was possible the prosecutors and the court might consent to such an arrangement. But it would be necessary that the prosecutors should receive absolute and satisfactory pledges that the law would be kept hereafter and that the licensed dealers would aid the prosecutors in compelling the county officials to do their duty, and close places where the law is persistently violated.

Mr. Sturges expressed a decided unwillingness to have one or two parties whose bills had been ignored, included in any such arrangement. He stated that the evidence against those parties was the same as against others, and even more complete, and the proved almost conclusively that they had been tampering with some of the grand jurymen; in fact, he had already secured evidence against one or two parties. This tampering with jurors he believes to be far than seling liquor illegally, and these

GRAND JURY IN SESSION.

The fact that the grand jury is still In session may result in a demand upon the crusaders for the evidence they claim to have of their having been tampered with. There are certainly men on the jury who will not rest easy under an aspersion of this kind, coming from a man of Mr. Sturges' standing, and if it is within the scope of their authority, the chances are they will take some steps to investigate themselves, so to speak.

The final report of the jury will be made tomorrow, it is expected. They had nearly one hundred cases remaining undisposed of Saturday.

AT THE GERMAN M. E. CHURCH. Eleventh Anniversary of the Ep-

worth League Observed. The eleventh anniversary of the establishment of the Epworth league was fittingly observed yesterday in the German Methodist Episcopal church, at the corner of Adams avenue and Vine street. The new pastor, Rev. Gustave Bobilin, preached a special sermon in the morning and in the evening delivered an address in the interest of the German young men of the

At 6.45 o'clock there was a special meeting of the Epworth league chapter connected with the church,at which the pastor gave a brief history of the league movement since its organization. A'number of the members gave testimony as to the benefit the organization has been to them.

OPENS TOMORROW EVENING. Diocesan Convention of the Episcopal Churches.

The annual diocesan convention of

the Episcopal churches of this diocese will be held in St. Luke's church, this city,beginning tomorrow evening. Over 250 delegates will be in attendance, eighty-five of whom will be clergymen, the rest being lay delegates. The lay delegates are apportioned according to the number of communicants, and it is expected that over 150 will be present. The convention will be opened to-

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morrow evening at 8 o'clock, when RERERERERERER Bishop Talbot will make his annual address to the clergy. This will be fol-lowed by the election of a secretary for fact that these bills had been ignored the coming year. As the bishop always remains the presiding officer, this will

Brake-no such value in wheeldom.

complete the organization. The business sessions will be held both morning and afternoon on Wednesday, and at the close of the afternoon session adjournment will be taken for the year. The most important matpersons will be followed to the bitter | ter to be discussed will be the proposed division of the diocese, though what final action will be taken on this subject it is hard to conjecture, as it is understood that the delegates will be very evenly divided in their opinions

on it. On Wednesday evening, between the hours of 8 to 11 o'clock, Bishop Talbot and the visiting clergymen will be tendered a reception in the parish house, to which the general public is invited. A large number of the clergymen will be entertained during their stay in the city by several of the parishioners of

St. Luke's. SCRANTON KNIGHTS OF MALTA.

Number Appointed to Offices at Grand Commandery Meeting. Scranton was very much in evidence

at last week's meeting of the Grand Commandery of the Knights of Malta, which was held in Reading. Several of the local members of the organization were nominated for state offices and were given places on important

Evan R. Jones, of this city, was cominated for the position of grand junior warden, and Rev. G. W. Welsh, formerly of this city but now of Man-heim, and A. S. Ridgeway, of this city, were nominated for grand generalissimo. The elections for these offices will take place on the first meeting night in March, 1901. David J. Johns, Evan R. Jones and John E. Evans were appointed department grand commanders, and W. S. Bartlett was appointed on the committee on

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