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SOCIAL AND PERSONAL.

The following social items are from the Washington Star: 'Prof. and Mrs. Willis L. Moore gave a handsome dinner last evening in honor of their house guest, Mrs. J. S. McAnulty of Scranton.'

The ladies of the Moses Taylor Sister Lodge, an auxiliary of the Brotherhood of Railroad Trainmen, recently assembled at the home of Mrs. George Baxter, on Railroad avenue, and presented her with a gold badge, emblematic of the order, on her retirement from the presidency of the lodge.

Miss Blanche C. Schafer entertained a few of her friends, at her home, No. 40 Edward street, Friday afternoon and evening, in honor of her eleventh birthday. Games were indulged in and refreshments served.

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IT IS MAJOR WHITNEY AGAIN. Honesdale Officer Elected Commander of First Battalion. George Whitney, of Honesdale, was on Saturday elected major of the First battalion of the Thirtieth regiment, receiving 21 votes as against 7 cast for Captain Arthur Foote, of Company D, the only other candidate.

INDEPENDENTS ARE OUT. Street Car Men's Union Suspends Five Alleged Insubordinates at Last Night's Meeting. At last night's meeting of the striking street car men, the committee of five, who acted independently of the executive committee in an effort to settle the strike, were reported by the investigating committee to be guilty of insubordination, and suspended from membership.

ON WEDNESDAY NIGHT ALL THE DANCES WILL BE GIVEN. The first performance of the Kirmess will be given Wednesday night. In many respects this will be the most important of the series, as the entire programme of evening dances will be presented only on that occasion.

IN HONOR OF BURNS. Informal Celebration by the Scranton Caledonian Club. This year the Scranton Caledonian club abandoned its formal banquet in commemoration of the birth of the poet, Robert Burns, and instead held an informal affair in Blatter's hall, on Lackawanna avenue.

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.

PRICEBURG PRIMARIES. Editor of the Tribune: Sir: In Saturday's issue of your paper some items appear under the heading Priceburg, stating that so and so are the candidates, subject to the Republican primaries to be held on Tuesday, January 28.

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GOSPEL NEEDS THE MIRACLES. SERMON OF THE REV. JAMES M'LEOD, D. D., YESTERDAY.

In His Discourse on "St. Peter's First Miracle," He Said, "Let Us Be Well Assured That the Gospel of Christ Cannot Stand Without Its Miracles"—He Disputes the Statement That "Miracles Have, at Best, Only an Occasional Value"—Foundation of Christianity.

"St. Peter's First Miracle" was the title of a sermon delivered yesterday morning by Rev. James McLeod, D. D., in the First Presbyterian church. His text was from Acts 6, 7 and 8, as follows: "Silver and gold have I none; but such as I have give I thee. In the name of Jesus Christ of Nazareth rise up and walk. And he took him by the right hand and lifted him up, and immediately his feet and ankle bones received strength. And he leaping up stood, and entered with them into the temple, walking, and leaping, and praising God."

The time, and place, and circumstances in which St. Peter, as an Apostle, wrought his first miracle, are recorded by the inspired historian. He also tells us of the immediate subject of the miracle, who was the immediate subject of it, as well as upon the crowd who witnessed it, and also upon the Apostle Peter and John.

THE CIRCUMSTANCES. The circumstances in which the miracle was wrought, are narrated in a simple and straightforward way. The Apostle Peter and John were going up to the temple to engage in worship, at the hour of the evening prayer, and they approached the Beautiful Gate, the cripple being led by them. His reply was, "Look on us."

THE MIRACLES. The time was, when the Christian pulpit laid great emphasis upon the doctrine of miracles, and when bulky volumes were printed, not only to prove their great importance and great value, but also their necessity as factors in the scheme of human redemption, and in the early propagation of Christianity.

COURSEN'S GEM FLOUR. BAKES THE MOST BREAD BECAUSE IT IS THE STRONGEST FLOUR. USE ONE-QUARTER LESS IN MIXING AND YOU WILL HAVE JUST AS MUCH BREAD. \$1.25 PER SACK; \$5.00 PER BARREL. E. G. COURSEN SOLE AGENT.

You Are Invited To Join OUR CIRCLE OF PLEASED PATRONS. S. H. Twining, Optician, 131 PENN AVENUE.

DRIVER BOY'S SAD END. His Life Crushed Out in the Nay Aug Mines. Henry Snyder, of Petersburg, employed in the Nay Aug mines at Dunmore, was killed while at work on Saturday morning. His life was crushed out between a car and the ribs.

WOMAN'S BRAVE ACT. Saved a Child from Incineration, at the Cost of Serious Injury to Herself. At 12:30 yesterday morning, the family of Mrs. Mary Laffey, of Minooka, consisting of herself, three grown-up daughters and an infant child of her niece, awoke at the cries of a neighbor, to find the lower part of their home a veritable furnace.

FUNERAL OF JOHN W. HORN. Services Were Held at His Late Home on First Street. Services over the remains of the late John W. Horn were conducted yesterday afternoon at the deceased's home, 341 First street, where a large number of his brother lodge members and fellow workmen assembled to pay their final respects to a devoted friend.

UNITED STATES COURT. C. Norman and Edward Keester, of Wilkes-Barre, filed a petition in bankruptcy Saturday. They have been ordered to show the firm assets of Keester Brothers. Their joint liabilities are over \$1,000.

Notice to Members of Griffin Post. Special Order No. 2. With deep sorrow we announce the death of Comrade William W. Lewis. The funeral services will take place on Tuesday at 2 p. m. at the family residence, on Edna avenue, Interment in the Dunmore cemetery.

Masonic. The members of Peter Williamson lodge, No. 323, F. and A. M., are requested to meet at Masonic Hall, 420 Spruce street, this (Monday) afternoon at 1:30 o'clock, to attend the funeral of Brother Campbell Diebourn.

Notice. All members of Moses Taylor Council, Junior Order United American Mechanics, and sister councils, are requested to meet at Hulbert's hall on Tuesday at 1 o'clock sharp, to attend the funeral of Brother Julius Snyder.

CITY WINS IN DUFFIN CASE. JURY OUT MORE THAN TWENTY-FOUR HOURS.

Came Into Court Saturday Afternoon with a Verdict Declaring the City Not Liable for the Plaintiff's Injuries—Testimony Taken in the Matter of the Cost of Feeding the Prisoners at the County Jail—Alleged Irregularities in Old Forge Primaries Are Charged. A verdict for the defendant was returned Saturday afternoon by the jury in the case of Mary Duffin against the city of Scranton.

Cost of Feeding Prisoners. Further testimony was taken Saturday before Commissioner Willis D. Coston in the matter of fixing the compensation to be allowed the sheriff for feeding prisoners at the county jail. The allowance is now, and has been for years, twenty-five cents per capita per day.

Rebuilding Sale Bargains. LOCKWOOD SHEETING. Bleached, Brown. 42 in. wide... 9 1/2-2c 8c

Neckwear Sale. We have established our reputation as leaders in the Neckwear Business in Scranton; in order to maintain it we must reduce our stock occasionally, to a minimum.

Pawn Broker's Sale. 10 days only at the Old Reliable Pawn Broker's. We have taken our fifty cent Ties, Imperials, Puffs, Tecks, Ascots, Four-in-hands, Batswings and Butterflies, and reduce them all to 35c Three for \$1.00.

Oils, Paints and Varnish. Maloney Oil & Manufacturing Company, 141-149 Meridian Street. TELEPHONE 26-2.

J. W. Carpenter represents Controller Jones, and County Solicitor H. L. Taylor is counsel for the commissioners, Sheriff Schadt's attorneys are O'Brien & Martin.

Other Common Pleas Cases. In the case of Harry Denay against his sister, Mrs. Jennie E. Brink, the jury awarded a verdict for the plaintiff in the sum of \$257.80. He sued for \$50 for expenditures alleged to have been made at his sister's behest, on the Exchange hotel, Dunmore, while he was her tenant there.

CONVENTION OF THE ENGINEERS IN 1904. May Be Brought to This City—Matter Will Be Decided at Norfolk, Va., in May. At a meeting of the Sam Sloan division, No. 276, Brotherhood of Locomotive Engineers, yesterday in Guernsey hall, a committee consisting of John R. Troch, E. Garagan and E. T. Swartz was appointed to make plans for securing the convention of locomotive engineers for this city in 1904.

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