HIS FAREWELL SERMON.

REV. SPAULDING HAS PREACHED HERE THE LAST TIME.

Brilliant Address Delivered at Bethel Baptist Church Last Evening—Kind Words and Encouragement from the Pastor to the Congregation.

Pastor to the Congregation.

The attendance at Bethel Baptist church at yesterday evening's services was considerably larger than usual, as the pastor, Rev. C. A. Spaulding, who recently resigned, preached his farewell sermon to the congregation. The minister's text and address was as follows:
"Then Samuel took a stone, and set it between Mizpeh and Shen and called it Ebenezer, saying, hitherto hath the Lord helped us."—I. Samuel 7, 12.
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The history of Samuel is of great interest to every bible student. It is the record of a remarkable personage and great events in the march of the kingdom of God. In the second and third chapters of this book which bears his annee, we have the fascinating story of his childhood, and several are devoted to the closing years of his life, the seventh alone containing the account of his important work when in the prime of his time. He was the last and best of the Hebrew Judges. I look upon his character and administration with peculiar pleasure and reverence. We see him actively engaged in the reformation of Israel from idolatry, inaugurating and carrying forward a glorious revival of religion. In Israel every revival of religion was succeeded by national prosperity and political independence. The Lord hears the prayers of samuel and the army of the Philistines are smitten, so they return no more into the coast of Israel during the days of Samuel.

In order to connect and commemorate the two important issues Samuel set up a memorial stone, calling it "Ebenezer, the stone of help." The first battle was lost because of the sins of the Israelites, and their mistake in placing too much dependence upon the ark. They did not rely solely upon Jehovah, "and as the Lord of hosts will not give His glory to another, even not to that which represents His presence and faithfulness," he allowed them to meet with a humiliating defeat.

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But they were taught a great lesson. They were wise, too, in learning it. For previous to the second pattle, when the Philistines rose against them, they repeated of their transgressions, put away their strange gods, returned unto the Lord with full purpose of heart, and with earnestness and faith believeing cried unto Him to save them from the cruel hands of the enemy. Their prayer was answered, for when the Philistines drew near to battle against Israel the Lord thundered a great thunder upon the Philistines, and discomfitted them. Thus a glorious victory was won by their returning and praying unto God, and depending entirely Him. Now, as the sin which formerly caused the defeat, being forgiven upon the repentence of Israel, their pardon was sealed by their gracious conquest in the exact place where, twenty years before, they suffered loss. As Samuel had been in.

people a visible reminder both of the defeat and the victory he set up this: Ebenezer mon-ument. And this is the reason for the name given: "Hitherto hath the Lord helped us." i ut recalling the frequently repeated com-mand of Jehovah to the Isnael of old: "Thou shalt remember all the way which the Lord thy God led thee;" recalling the change in the song of thanksgiving of Deborah and Barak: "They that are delivered from the noise of archers in the places of drawing water, there "They that are delivered from the noise of archers in the places of drawing water, there shall they rehearse the righteous acts towards the inhabitants of his village in Israel," recalling how Paul and Barnabas on coming to Anticol gathered the church together and then "Rehearsed all that God had done with them," it seemed to me quite imperative we should at this hour on this memorable battleground shout: "Hitherto hath the Lord helped us." I. And first, thus far we have been wonderfully helped in preaching and teaching from the bib. c. I shall never forget how two years ago the twenty-first of last March the conductor cried out Freeland. I stepped from the cars to

ago the twenty-first of last March the conductor orded out Freeland. I stepped from the cars to be piloted by my good brother Isaac Dayis through deep snow and water to his comfor-table home and fireside, where his good wife with her kind hands administered to the wants of the weaches of strongh deep snow and water to his comfortable home and fireside, where his good wife with her kind hands administered to the wants of the preacher. Two weeks were spent very pleasantly at this home, after which I spent cight months very pleasantly with Brother and Sister Evans, who were exceedingly kind to one so unworthy. In December of 1891 we commenced our housekeeping in Freeland, That which troubled most of all was how under the sun it would be possible to prepare new sermons each week all the time the Lord might keep me in this place, and the other work required. Besides getting up sermons there is required at our hands other work such as pastoral visitations, prayer meetings, fumerals, reviral services, home duties, reading, general study, letter writing and how could I do all this and preach in such a way as to hold an intelligent congregation. Well how has it been? Alas, how many sermons have been worthless! How lacking in thought how incomplete and inclegant in diction; how careless in statement; how strikingless, powerless and bowildering the illustrations! Oh, friends, there is no one in this church who has been more frequently humiliated and grieved than the preacher. How often has be despairingly and with an aching heart and throbbing brain wondered why the the people still came, Sundays after Sunday, when so frequently the food was so unnourishing and unsustisfactory. Yet the fact remains there must have been something old and new from the great store, we first the matchless of the fortist an minister word to redeem the something old and new from the great store, of the content of the content of the words to redeem the something old and new from the great store.

day atter Sunday, when so frequently the food was so unmortishing and unsatisfactory. Yet the fact remains there must have been something old and new from the great storehouse of God's eternal truth which has attracted and held the people together, well, this surely could not have been done if we had not sought constantly to preach the world. If the business of the Christian minister? Is not this his commission? It is importance is evinced by the fact that it is by the preaching of the worl it hath pleased God to save them who believe. This is the "rite that cleanseth," the "hammer that breaketh," and the "truths of God's revelation to man is not only one of the primal conditions of ministerial success, but also of the advancement of the kingdom of Christ. This is evi."

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dent from the historical fact that it has been when the pulpit has derived its inspiration and instruction from the holy scriptures, and the biblical element has predominated, it has exerted its greatest power, wielded its most potential influences and achieved its most glorious results; but when the bible truths have all been suppressed or displaced, the pulpit has waned in power and preaching has failed in accomplishing much good.

The sermons of the apostles were composed mostly of quotations from the old testament. Peter and Paul did not preach science, nor morality, nor theology. Peter quoted from inraulous energy" his words so that souls by many thousands were converted. Paul's mighting the second of the mighty in the scriptures. The same do to tremble, were convicted of sin, were brought penticulty to Christ, and multi-did and the second of the unictered and despised were made with results similar. And whenever the pulpit of the mighty in the scriptures. Chrysosical refinings, refutations of worldly theories and theological dogmas, then how soon a spirular did accomplished the property of the mighty in the scriptures. Chrysosical refinings, refutations of worldly theories and theological dogmas, then how soon a spirular did with results similar. And whenever the pulpit was indeed a prodigious power, but when latter men left the both of the region of James the First the pulpit in the time of Baxter and Bates and Bunyan in the simplicity of biblical preaching. That was weak and vacilating, exerting but little spiritual influence it was only the resultant of the beginning of a deplorable departure from the simplicity of biblical preaching. That was weak and vacilating, exerting but little spiritual influence it was only the resultant of the beginning of a deplorable departu

In glancing at our own country we must readily see that preceding the great spiritual dearth from which the church suffered so much, the ministry of many had been devoted to other work than that of proclaiming the word of Jehovah. But the great awakening came, the degeneracy of the pulpit was ar-rested, preaching became more universally biblical, souls were converted, the church put on new strength and more beautiful garments, and went forth in the power of her might. A new era was inaugurated. And thus it has over been. The history of the public is the living witness to the fact that the preaching of the world of the Lord is the power of the minis-

streaming biaze from the north. "The voice of the aurora," cried one. It was so. The sound had apparently been converted into light. I ask if this word of God is not His voice amid the world's darkness, which it is His purpose to transpose into spiritual light which shall flood all lands and eventually transform earth into its primeval glory. I am persuaded that any tendency to a departure from the preaching God requires was much more eminent a few years than at present. As there was a combin-ation of causes which led to a departure. So

again one of the secrets and conditions of suc-cess in carrying forward the work of the Lord. When the bible is studied in the Sunday school as well, need the question oe asked, "What shall the harvest be?" The bible is being more highly exalted in the publit; the people are be-coming more and more interested in the bible; the ministers most in demand for occupying the important publits are those most biblical? A biblical publit, a biblical Sunday school, a biblical pen! Say! What will not be the har-vest?

THREE DEATHS.

Charles Sault, William Lore James Malloy Pass Away.

Constable Charles Sault, William Lorenz and James Malloy Pass Away.
Constable Charles Sault, who had been ill more or less for the past year, died at his residence on Adams street, in the Points, at 1 o'clock on Saturday afternoon from dropsy. Mr. Sault resided in Eckley for several years, and about fifteen years ago was elected constable of Foster township. He held the office almost continuously since, but has been unable to perform its duties the past few months.

The deceased had quite a reputation for his successful work in locating and arresting offenders of the law among the non-Englishing people, and he was greatly feared by the Huns of the region. He could speak several languages and was ready at all times to do his duty. Mr. Sault was aged 60 years and 12 days, and the funeral will take place at 2 o'clock tomorrow. Interment at Freeland cemetery. The funeral will be attended by the German Workingmen's Beneficial Society and the Haru-Gourri.

At 8 o'clock on Saturday morning

At 8 o'clock on Saturday morning William Lorenz died at the residence of Al Geopper ton Walnut street. The deceased was a native of Bavaria, Germany, was a resident of Freeland for seventeen years previous to his death. He was aged 50 years 6 months and 11 days. The funeral will take place today at 2 o'clock. The Knights of the Golden Eagle will attend. Services at St. Luke's Lutheran church, and interment at Freeland cemetery.

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On Friday a telegram reached here announcing the death of James Malloy, who had been injured at Simmons, West Virginia, about three weeks ago. Mr. Malloy was aged 28 years and was well-known in this section, especially in Drifton, where he resided for many years. At the time of the accident he had been working as a miner and went as an umpire with the ball club of Simmons to another town about three miles distant. When returning, owing to the crowded condition of the cars, he with several others stood on the platform and a car which was being added to the train was bumped so violently that he was thrown off, the wheels severing one arm and inflicting other injuries.

The remains will arrive here at 7 o'clock this evening, and will be taken to the residence of his mother on Centre street, in the Points. The funeral will take place at 2.30 o'clock tomorrow afternoon. Interment at St. Ann's cemetry.

Increased Water Supply.

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The Freeland Water Company has finished the bore hole at the new well on the Birkbeck estate, and a fine flow of water is the result. The well is an open one for a depth of thirty-eight feet, 20x30 in width, with an eight-inch bore hole sunk 252 feet 6 inches from the bottom of the open well, making a total depth of 290 feet 6 inches. A pipe has been placed at the mouth of the bore hole and the flow of water is ten feet above it.

The company started to pump from this well into the reservoir yesterday, and will let the old well at the foot of Front street remain idle for some time to come. They claim to have sufficient water in the new well to answer all the requirements for double the present population of Freeland and it is said to be of superior quality.

A Successful Operation.

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From the Speaker.

Doctors Mears and Farrar yesterday performed an operation, that although not new to the medical profession, is comparatively rare—that of skin-grafting or taking skin in a healthy condition from the body of one person and using it on another. The operation was performed on a son of David Byrne, of Audenried, who had his leg badly crushed in the rollers at Honey Brook breaker some time ago.

The doctors were unable to get the wound to heal successfully and as a last resort decided to perform the grafting operation. This they did by taking small pieces of skin from the leg of Patrick McGettigan and a brother of the injured boy and successfully covering the open wound.

Thursday Evening's Meeting.

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The Democrats of the North Side will hold but one mass meeting this fall, and all should endeavor to make the rally next Thursday evening a great success. The opera house will be open early in the opening, and speaking will commence promptly at 7.30 o'clock.

District Attorney John M. Garman, Assistant District Attorney P. A. O'Boyle, Hon. C. Ben Johnson and others will explain the issues of the campaign, and all the Democratic candidates will be here.

Look Here!

We work for the people. Have your watches, clocks and jewelry repaired at Meyer's jewelry store, two doors below the Central hotel.

PERSONALITIES.

D. J. McCarthy returned from a visit to the World's fair on Saturday.

week's visit here.

M. J. Moran, of Johnstown, Pa., is in town to attend the funeral of his brotherin law, James Malloy.

Joseph Sweeney, who was at one time a connected with Markle & Co. at Jeddo, has been made a United States magistrate at Grand Junction, Colorado.—Sentinel.

BRIEF ITEMS OF NEWS.

LOCAL JOTTINGS GATHERED FROM VARIOUS SOURCES.

Vicinity Are Doing.

Parties supplied with ice cream, cakes, etc., by Laubach at reasonable rates.

The telephone exchange at Wilkes Barre was completely destroyed by fire on Friday night.

Next Monday evening the second annual ball of Division 19, A. O. H., will be held at the opera house.

The almshouse and hospital at Laurytown were unroofed by Friday's storm. The damage is estimated at \$5,000.

Messrs. Reed, Reese, Norton and Smith, Republican county candidates made tour of the town on Saturday.

An explosion of gas at Wyoming, this county, on Friday, severely burned Charles Nuss, David Jones and Z. V. Evans.

Miss Susie Headley, of Warrior Run, this county, was killed on Friday at Jackson, Michigan, while going to the World's fair.

John J. Burke, for two years city editor of Nanticoke News, has accepted a similar position with the Plain Speaker of Hazleton.

An entertainment under the auspices of the Tige.s Athletic Club will be held at the opera house on Saturday evening. November 18.

J. W. Macready and company will play here five nights next week instead of three, as previously announced. See ad. in adjoining column.

Union Thanksgiving services will be held at St. John's Reformed church this year. Rev. Edmund White, of Trinity M. E. church, will officiate. Several feet of track on the D. S. & S. was washed out on Saturday near Cranberry, and the passenger and coal trains were delayed several hours.

The Democratic county candidates will spend this week in this end of the county, commencing today at Hazleton. Thursday evening a meeting will be held here.

An Italian was found dead near the Milnesville store last evening. No marks of violence were found on him, it is supposed death was caused by alcoholism.

The storm on Friday night blew down the steps and large porch of Donop's hall, the Democratic flagpole at Centre and Walnut streets and several outbuildings through town.

The state convention of the Christian Endeavor societies adjourned at Reading after electing officers. An effort to pledge the convention to the support of the Prohibition party failed.

The Tamaqua, Hazleton and Northern Railroad, a branch of the Reading sys-tem, has been abandoned. It was built two years ago at a great expense to connect the Reading with the D. S. & S.

The Wilkes-Barre and Eastern Rail-road has been completed between Stroudsburg and Wilkes-Barre. It is sixty-seven and a half miles long and cost \$7,000,000, exclusive of the equip-ment.

Costivness is the cause of the intoler able "bad breath" of multitudes. Dr Henry Baxter's Mandrake Bitters re move the cause and prevent the evil and cost only 25 cents. Sold by Dr Schilcher.

Schincher.

Fire which originated in the boiler house destroyed the large new breaker at New Boston, Schuylkill county, on Friday night, causing a loss of about \$80,000. The employes will be given work at another colliery.

The Lehighton Advocate, established in 1872 by H. V. Morthimer, Sr., has changed hands. In the future it will be issued by the Advocate Publishing Company, composed of the sons of Mr. Morthimer, who will live retired at his home in Lehighton.

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with tan-colored shoes for children's
wear.

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Arrived Today

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Dr. Esterbrook arrived this morning on the 10.50 train and will have his office at the Central hotel. All those wishing his services must not delay, as he stays only a few days. The Dr's method of work is too well known to need any comment, we would say. If you have any bad teeth this is certainly a good time to get rid of them, before the cold weather comes, and thereby save much suffering. Teeth extracted positively without pain and without the use of ether, gas, chloroform, etc. Remember the place, at the Central hotel, for a few days only.

n; if friends at Midvalley, Columbia county.

Misses Annie McLaughlin, of Bloomsburg normal school, is home for a few days.

Bernard Ferry, Sr., of Audenried, was in town yesterday visiting his son Daniel Laughling.

Misses Maggie O'Donnell and Sallie Misses Maggie O'Donnell and Sallie week's with 1.

Misses Ma

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October 24 to 28.—J. W. Macready and company, at Freeland opera house. Admission, 15, 25 and 35 cents.

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