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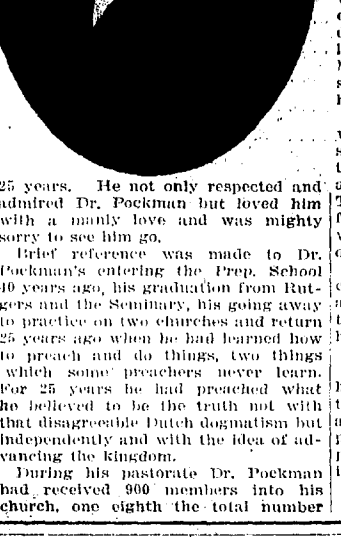
Number 291. NEW BRUNSWICK, N. J., FRIDAY AFTERNOON, DECEMBER 15, 1911. TEN PAGES TWO CENTS

THE REV. P. T. POCKMAN IS GIVEN BIG TESTIMONIAL DINNER BY MANY WELLWISHERS

One Hundred And Twenty-five Representative Citizens, Clergymen And Professional Men Gather To Do Him Honor On The Eve Of His Departure For a New Field Of Endeavor In Alden, N. Y.--Eloquent Tributes Paid To Retiring Pastor Of The First Reformed Church

Representative citizens from all walks in life and from every denomination in this city, Protestant and Catholic, attended the testimonial dinner given at Graham's hall last night in honor of Dr. P. T. Pockman, pastor of the First Reformed church, who on January first ends twenty-five years of service as the shepherd of that flock and leaves with his family for a new field of labor in New York state where he has accepted a call to the pastorate of the Alden Presbyterian church.

is dead and there is no chance to talk back but on this occasion they could talk right at him and tell him what they thought of him.



Major Presided. Mayor John J. Morrison presided as toastmaster and made a brief address in which he spoke of the high esteem in which Dr. Pockman was held in this city. He had won the love and respect of all who came in contact with him. He had not only taken a great interest in the progress of the First Reformed church but also in the welfare of the city.

During the past 200 years, "and that's a good man's work" said Dr. Marshall, "he was no sheep stealer" said the speaker, "his work was constructive. He did not try to disintegrate other churches. He believed and stood for civic righteousness and put true to all good reforms. He has helped many a man to a good position. The end is reached with magnificent honor and we thank God for what he has been, what he has done and what he is." In concluding he said the ministerial bouquet, full and fragrant, was presented to the receiver when he was very much alive.

Judge Daly's Speech. Judge Peter P. Daly spoke on "The City." He referred to the make-up of the gathering, men of all creeds in one assemblage, and said he did not know what they were coming to. He spoke of men oflines sneering at religion and declared it had been said that a lot of people who thought they were religious were simply bilious. He emphasized the idea that though a man did not absolutely agree with his fellowmen in his religious beliefs yet all believed in the same God and should so live as to lift up their fellows and help them gain their reward.

MRS. VOORHEES DENIED BEING HIGH KICKER

Mr. and Mrs. Charles R. Voorhees will know just what their family relations are on Tuesday, Dec. 26. On that day Vice Chancellor Walker is to render a decision in the case which will have been pending between the couple for some months. Final testimony was taken today and this afternoon the vice chancellor closed the case, directed the lawyers to file their briefs by December 23 and said that he would decide the case soon after that.

Mr. Voorhees named Conrad Scholt, of this city, as co-respondent and Mr. Scholt was admitted as party to the suit. Several months ago a couple of days was devoted to the taking of testimony and then the case was adjourned until today.

MANY ARE TIED FOR HONORS IN MISSING WORD CONTEST TO DATE

As the Missing Word Contest progresses interest among the hundreds of eager contestants continues to increase. Many of those who have secured places among the twenty leaders are tied this week, as a result of the efforts put forth by some of them to overcome the leads of those ahead by handing in their answers as soon as possible. The enthusiasm that is being shown in the contest is indicated in the fact that a big batch of answers were filed within two hours after the paper was off the press last Friday, some of the contestants living in the remotest sections of the city. Unfortunately, for the enterprising ones, many of them were incorrect. The missing word was "domestic" and was omitted from the advertisement of Robert S. Burton, of Neilson street.

The first correct answer received last week was that of Jesse F. Durfee, of 74 Scheneman street, who entered the race on December 1, when his was the tenth correct answer received. He now has 31 points to his credit and holds ninth place in the race.

Another word is omitted from an advertisement. It is expected that it will prove more elusive than that of last week. If you are sharp-eyed enough to find it quickly don't wait until the other fellow has found it, too, before handing in your solution. Be sure to read the advertisement on page seven as well as on page six, because—well, a hint is sufficient to most people.

Answers from All Over. It was surprising how many of the answers received last week came from out of town. Milltown, South River, Sayreville, Cranbury, Dayton, Monmouth Junction, Helmetta, Bound Brook, Perth Amboy, Metuchen, Highland Park, South Amboy, Plainfield, Rocky Hill and even Westfield have contributed answers to date, one also being received this morning from Newark.

PARK WANTS MORE TIME ON SEWAGE

The borough council of Highland Park at its meeting held last night in the hose house passed a resolution on the recommendation of the Streets and Roads committee directing the borough clerk to send to the State Board of Health a communication informing that body of the progress that is being made by the engineer relative to the sewage disposal plant, and asking that the time for the building of the plant be extended to July 1, 1912.

The borough has had a special committee working on this matter. Some time ago the committee appeared before the State board and requested that the time be extended to January 1 of next year. The committee finds that it will be impossible for it to complete its work by that time, and for this reason another extension of time is asked for.

SPEAK EASY CHARGES FALL FLAT IN COURT

A number of men who were indicted for selling liquor on Sunday and without a license, through the activities of the Drummond Detective Agency, will not have to stand trial, as the indictments against them were nullified this morning by Judge Daly on motion of Prosecutor Boardman. The prosecutor had tried two cases where the evidence is the same and the juries acquitted both cases. He did not care to put the state to the expense of trials in these cases and at the same time did not think it fair to the defendants to keep the indictments hanging over their heads.

GOOD INTENT INITIATES 16 NEW MEMBERS

Good Intent Council, No. 234, Jr. O. U. A. M., held a class initiation in its rooms in the People's Bank building last night, when sixteen candidates were taken into the council. There was a banquet held at Graham's hall at the close of the initiation, and addresses were made by several state officers. Members of the local council of South Amboy, and Riverside Council of South River, were present. The visiting council was met at the Raritan River Railroad depot and escorted down town by the New Brunswick fire and steam corps. The line of march going down Church street to Broad, to Elmer to Bayard, to George street and to the hall.

UNION CLUB HOLDS BANQUET AND ELECTION

The annual meeting and banquet of the members of the Union Club was held last night at the club house on George street. The affair was one of the best ever held by the club there being a large attendance of the members and the menu well served by Caterer Thomas, of Elizabeth. The business meeting was presided over by President John H. Conger and at its conclusion the banquet was served. The guests gathered about the several tables and the occasion proved a most delightful one.

HERE IS THE WAY TO BUY CHRISTMAS PRESENTS

Buy your liquors this eve consumed during the year at the "reunited house." Morris Fischer, and your savings on his goods will solve the problem of how to buy Christmas gifts. He carries a full line of imported and domestic wines, whiskies, brandies and liquors in fact, everything available in a wholesale liquor store. 37 Hill street, Tel. 281-146-147.

RECEPTION AT MATINEE SATURDAY AT OPERA HOUSE

Juliet and Romeo will hold an informal reception on the stage at the Opera House on Saturday afternoon and will invite all the children upon the stage at the conclusion of the performance to visit them. It will be a great treat for the kiddies, as both of these clowns are so gentle that there is positively no danger. We would suggest that the children bring along a flower for Miss Juliet, who does on the American lover. You may all be sure of a great treat at the reception as both Juliet and Romeo will shake hands with all the children.

JOSEPH P. TEPPER BUYS A HOME IN LLANGOLLEN PARK

Joseph P. Tepper, of the firm of Tepper Brothers, has purchased a home in Llangollen Park, the beautiful development on Livingston avenue. The owners of the park have begun the erection for Mr. Tepper of a handsome stucco house, with a red tile roof, directly adjoining the home of Anzil Fontaine, on Stratford Place, Llangollen Park. The house will be built on a lot 75 feet in width.

WANT TO SELL PROPERTY OF LATE MRS. VLIET

The executors of the estate of Mrs. Mary L. Vliet, late of Hamilton avenue, want to sell piece of property on Court street, near Easton avenue, to pay debt of the estate. Burnett & Cornhill, Newark lawyers, this morning asked Judge Daly to make such an order. They had already obtained the consent of the Somerset county court, where Mrs. Vliet's will is on probate, but desired the assistance of the court of this city, as the property is located in this county.

BODY STILL AT THE MORGUE UNCLAIMED

The body of J. Reimer, who was killed on the Pennsylvania Railroad near Metuchen yesterday is still at the morgue of W. J. McHugh. It is believed that Reimer had been to the home of Trenton men whose names appear in letters found on the body last Wednesday. He was a Philadelphia man, and was endeavoring to make his way to New York. He is said to have been connected with the Volunteers of America in Philadelphia. At the Albert home he was given the pair of trousers that he wore when killed.

SAYREVILLE'S BURGLAR IS SENT TO STATE PRISON

Joseph Polnesky, who recently pleaded guilty to robbing the Bremer clothing store at Sayreville, was sentenced to state prison by Judge Daly this morning for a term not more than three years or less than one year. The man is a former inmate of the Reformatory and was on probation at the time of the robbery.

LAUREL CLUB TO TREAT CHILDREN OF ORPHAN ASYLUMS

There is not a busier set of people in this city than the members of the Laurel Club, who are preparing the great for the orphan children from the St. Mary's Orphan Asylum and the children from the Industrial Home on Somerset street.

RARITAN AND METUCHEN LEAD IN TAX APPEALS

A tour of the county will be made by the County Board of Taxation immediately after December 20, which is the date all appeals must be filed with Clerk William A. Spencer, of Perth Amboy. Mr. Spencer said today that no more special meetings of the board will be held this year, but a tour will be planned and thus visits made to every taxing district in the county. Local appeals will be heard on this occasion, as in past years. Special meetings have been held in this city and Perth Amboy. The number of appeals from Metuchen and Raritan township is exceptionally large this year.

CAN'T LAST MUCH LONGER

We are still selling our famous blend of whole leaf mixed tea at the same old price, twenty cents a pound, but this can't last much longer as tea has advanced in first hands. There is strength, flavor and purity in Johnson's double blend tea. You can enjoy drinking it and never suspect the price—29 cents a pound.

CHILD CALLS OUT FIREMEN ON FALSE ALARM

The firemen were called out this afternoon by a false alarm rung at box 43, corner Somerset and Water streets by a child.

WE DO GENERAL HOUSE CLEANING. N. B. WINDOW CLEANING CO.

Do you want a boarder or a roomer? There is a great demand for Board and Rooms in New Brunswick. A small want ad. tells the story and brings results. Small cost and large returns.

CHRISTMAS NOVELTIES AT HINGERS

Children's Novelties, Chairs and Rockers, Child Sewing Tables, Toys and Go-Carts. The newest and latest in High Quality 1912 style just received.

FREE TO YOUR HOME

Victor-Victrola sent free to your home. Everyone that a Victrola is the greatest musical instrument of today and in order to prove this he offers to send any style Victrola to your home on Free trial without any obligation on your part whatever. If after hearing it you should decide to own one, you may have it on the easiest kind of terms. Phone 142-L or call at Montalvo's store and hear the new Christmas records on any machine you wish.

COZY HOMES

A very complete home on the best part of George street; all improvements, seven large rooms, bath, heat; only \$4500. A new dwelling near Second avenue, Highland Park; six rooms, bath, steam heat and all improvements; only \$2,800. EDWARD J. CARHLL, 406 National Bank Bldg.

JOHNSON'S GROCERY, 28 Liberty Street. Phone 966. CANDY LAX Cures Constipation, 10 and 25c a box at Watman's Pharmacy.